

## Ministry of Justice Special Advisors gifts and hospitality

Quarterly information 1 April - 30 June 2011

Gifts received<sup>1</sup>

Nil returns for: David Hass, Kathryn Laing

Hospitality received<sup>2</sup>

Date of hospitality	Name of organisation	Type of hospitality received*
David Hass		
01/04/2011	Lady Grosvenor	Lunch
06/04/2011	Quiller Consultants	Lunch
07/04/2011	Sky News	Lunch
14/04/2011	Sunday Times	Lunch
23/05/2011	Stable	Dinner
26/05/2011	Inside Time	Lunch
Kathryn Laing		
09/05/2011	The Guardian	Lunch

<sup>\*</sup>Does not normally include attendance at functions hosted by HM Government; 'diplomatic' functions in the UK or abroad, hosted by overseas governments; minor refreshments at meetings, receptions, conferences, and seminars; and offers of hospitality which were declined

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The general principle is that gifts must only be accepted in exceptional circumstances and which are appropriate to the circumstances, for example offered in the course of a normal business meeting or by a delegation of an overseas government; are modest and appropriate, for example a token item such as a promotional pen or key-ring, or routine hospitality such as coffee and biscuits, or a light working lunch.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The general principle is that hospitality must only be accepted in exceptional circumstances and which are appropriate to the circumstances, for example offered in the course of a normal business meeting or by a delegation of an overseas government; are modest and appropriate, or routine hospitality such as coffee and biscuits, or a light working lunch. Does not include offers of hospitality which were declined.