DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

GIFTS AND HOSPITALITY RECEIVED AND MEETINGS WITH NEWSPAPER AND OTHER MEDIA PROPRIETORS, EDITORS AND SENIOR EXECUTIVES SPECIAL ADVISERS

1 OCTOBER – 31 DECEMBER 2011

<u>GIFTS RECEIVED¹</u>

Bill Morgan – Nil return Jenny Jackson – Nil return Paul Stephenson – Nil return

HOSPITALITY²

Name of Special Adviser – Bill Morgan		
Date of hospitality	Name of organisation	Type of hospitality received
15/11/2011	Premier League	Ticket for England vs Sweden
17/11/2011	The Times	Lunch

Name of Special Adviser – Jenny Jackson		
Date of	Name of organisation	Type of hospitality received
hospitality		
Nil		

Name of Special Adviser – Paul Stephenson		
Date of	Name of organisation	Type of hospitality
hospitality		
03/11/2011	Daily Mail	Lunch
09/11/2011	The Sun	Lunch
10/11/2011	Yorkshire Post	Lunch
15/11/2011	Premier League	Ticket to England vs Sweden
17/11/2011	The Times	Lunch
23/11/2011	The Independent/Total	Lunch
	politics	
01/12/2011	Sunday Express	Lunch
14/12/2011	Sky News	Lunch
31/12/2011	Premier League	Ticket to Arsenal vs QPR

¹ Gifts should, in general, be refused, but gifts and benefits of a trivial or inexpensive nature (such as calendars and other gifts of a small monetary value) can be distinguished from more expensive and substantial offers. Staff must report offers of gifts, hospitality, awards, decorations and other benefits, through line managers, to their personnel sections who will advise on acceptance. A Declaration of Interest Form should be completed.

² There are no set minimum or maximum levels for *accepting* hospitality from external stakeholders. Guidelines state that staff : ...should accept hospitality only when this can be defended as being in the interests of the Department's business – for example, because significant relationship-building is a business aim. 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. * indicates **if accompanied by spouse, partner, or other family member or friend.**

MEETINGS WITH NEWSPAPER AND OTHER MEDIA PROPRIETORS, EDITORS AND SENIOR EXECUTIVES³

Name of Special Adviser – Bill Morgan			
Month of Meeting	Name of Organisation	Purpose of Meeting	
Nil			

Name of Special Adviser – Jenny Jackson		
Month of Meeting	Name of Organisation	Purpose of Meeting
Nil		

Name of Special Adviser – Paul Stephenson			
Month of Meeting	Name of Organisation	Purpose of Meeting	
Nil			

 $^{^{3}}$ Does not include details of meetings where special advisers attended alongside their Ministers.