

Department for Work and Pensions

Hospitality received by Ministers¹

Period: 1 April – 30 June 2014

Secretary of State for Work and Pensions The Rt Hon Iain Duncan Smith MP

Date of hospitality	Name of organisation	Type of hospitality received
2 April	BBC	Lunch
9 April	Channel 4	Lunch
1 May	Daily Telegraph	Breakfast
8 May	Newsnight	Lunch
20 May	Telegraph Media Group	Lunch
9 June	Daily Telegraph	Dinner
11 June	The Sun	Breakfast
16 June	Telegraph	Lunch

Minister of State (Minister for Employment) The Rt Hon Esther McVey MP

Date of hospitality	Name of organisation	Type of hospitality received
NIL return		

Minister of State (Minister for Pensions) The Rt Hon Steve Webb MP

Date of hospitality	Name of organisation	Type of hospitality received
29 April	National Association of Pension Funds	Dinner
4 May	Swiss Re	Football tickets and lunch at the Emirates Stadium
13 May	Confederation of British Industry	Dinner
14 May	Tisa Pinsent Masons	Dinner
9 June	Faith in the Common Good	Dinner
16 June	The Times and Independent	Dinner
25 June	Hargreaves Lansdowne	Breakfast
26 June	Sunday Times and The Independent	Lunch

Minister of State (Minister for Disabled People)
The Rt Hon Mike Penning MP

Date of hospitality	Name of organisation	Type of hospitality received
NIL return		

Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State (Minister for Welfare Reform)
Lord Freud

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NIL return		

*1. 'Does not normally include attendance at functions hosted by HM Government or the Royal Household; 'diplomatic' functions in the UK or abroad which are hosted by overseas governments; minor refreshments at meetings, receptions, conferences, and seminars; or offers of hospitality which were declined. * indicates if accompanied by spouse/partner or other family member or friend.'*