### **DEPARTMENT FOR EDUCATION**

#### SPECIAL ADVISERS INFORMATION

# <u>1 JANUARY – 31 MARCH 2014</u>

**GIFTS RECEIVED<sup>1</sup>** 

Henry Cook			
Date gift received	From	Description of Gift	Outcome
Nil Return			

Beth Armstrong			
Date gift received	From	Description of Gift	Outcome
Nil Return			

Jamie Martin			
Date gift received	From	Description of Gift	Outcome
Nil Return			

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Staff may accept isolated and trivial gifts such as a diary or calendar. Minor gifts such as pens and mugs need not be recorded.

# HOSPITALITY RECEIVED<sup>2</sup>

Henry Cook		
Date of hospitality	Name of organisation	Type of hospitality received <sup>1</sup>
Nil Return		

Beth Armstrong		
Date of hospitality	Name of organisation	Type of hospitality received <sup>1</sup>
Nil Return		

Jamie Martin		
Date of hospitality	Name of organisation	Type of hospitality received <sup>1</sup>
Nil Return		

#### MEETINGS WITH EXTERNAL ORGANISATIONS (INCLUDING MEETINGS WITH NEWSPAPER AND OTHER MEDIA PROPRIETORS, EDITORS AND SENIOR EXECUTIVES 1 JANUARY – 31 MARCH

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</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. \* indicates if accompanied by spouse/partner or other family member or friend.

Henry Cook			
Date of Meeting	Name of Media Organisation	Purpose of Meeting	
10/01/2014	Sky News	Catch up	
22/01/2014	Daily Mail and The Independent	General discussion	
04/02/2014	ITV – This Morning	Education Week with the SoS	
06/02/2014	BBC News	Meeting Editors	
11/02/2014	The Guardian	Meeting with the SoS	
13/02/2014	Mail Online	General discussion	
26/02/2014	Independent	General discussion	
04/03/2014	ITV News	General discussion	
05/03/2014	The Spectator	General discussion	
06/03/2014	The Spectator	General discussion	
Beth Armstrong			
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05/03/2014	Total Politics Magazine	Minister Timpson Interview	