

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND CLIMATE CHANGE

GIFTS RECEIVED¹ BY SPECIAL ADVISERS

Oct - Dec 2013

Date gift received	From	Gift	Outcome
Maria Allen			
Nil			

Date gift received	From	Gift	Outcome
Chris Nicholson			
Nil			
Date gift received	From	Gift	Outcome
Paul Hodgson			
Nil			

¹ Any gift with a value of £10 or more must be registered. Any gift from a firm or individual which has a retail value of £50 or more should be surrendered. If an individual wishes to keep the gift they must pay the Department the value of the gift minus £50. If the value is less than £50 staff may, with the agreement of the Director General, keep the gift or share it among colleagues. The same rules apply to gifts received from foreign governments, government organisations or international organisations, except that the level at which a gift may be retained, with line management agreement, is £75 retail value.

HOSPITALITY RECEIVED² BY SPECIAL ADVISERS

Oct - Dec 2013

Date of hospitality	Name of organisation	Type of hospitality received
Maria Allen		
19 th November	REA Brightblue	Dinner
28 th November	Shell	Dinner
Chris Nicholson		
Nil		
Paul Hodgson		
Nil		

² Does not normally include attendance at functions hosted by HM Government or the Royal Household; '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.

SPECIAL ADVISERS' MEETINGS WITH NEWSPAPER AND OTHER MEDIA PROPRIETORS, EDITORS AND SENIOR EXECUTIVES Oct - Dec 2013

Date of Meeting	Name of organisation	Purpose of meeting
Maria Allen		
Nil		
Chris Nicholson		
Nil		
Paul Hodgson		
October 2013	Nic Cecil, Deputy Political Editor of the Evening Standard	Meeting
October 2013	Ben Jackson, Environment Editor of The Sun	Meeting
November 2013	Anne Alexander, Political Producer at ITV	Meeting
November 2013	Jane Merrick, Political Editor of The Independent on Sunday	Meeting
November 2013	Gary Gibbon, Political Editor at C4	Meeting

³ Does not include details of meetings where special advisers attended alongside their Ministers