

**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH**

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

**1 October 2014 TO 31 December 2014**

**GIFTS RECEIVED<sup>4</sup>**

**Christina Robinson - None**

**Sue Beeby – None**

**Edward Jones – None**

**Paul Harrison – None**

**HOSPITALITY<sup>5</sup>**

<b>Name of Special Adviser – Sue Beeby</b>		
<b>Date of hospitality</b>	<b>Name of organisation</b>	<b>Type of hospitality received</b>
Nil		

<b>Name of Special Adviser – Christina Robinson</b>		
<b>Date of hospitality</b>	<b>Name of organisation</b>	<b>Type of hospitality received</b>
Nil		

<b>Name of Special Adviser – Edward Jones</b>		
<b>Date of hospitality</b>	<b>Name of organisation</b>	<b>Type of hospitality received</b>
7 October 2014	Access Sport	Dinner
8 October 2014	British Beer and Pub Association	Dinner
5 and 6 November 2014	Football Association	Travel to and accommodation in Hungary
3 December 2014	Samsung	Football ticket

<b>Name of Special Adviser – Paul Harrison</b>
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<sup>4</sup> 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.

<sup>5</sup> 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.

Date of hospitality	Name of organisation	Type of hospitality received
Nil		

**MEETINGS WITH NEWSPAPER AND OTHER MEDIA PROPRIETORS, EDITORS AND SENIOR EXECUTIVES)<sup>6</sup>**

Name of Special Adviser – Christina Robinson		
Date of Meeting	Name of Organisation	Purpose of Meeting
Nil		

Name of Special Adviser – Edward Jones		
Date of Meeting	Name of Organisation	Purpose of Meeting
Nil		

Name of Special Adviser – Paul Harrison		
Date of Meeting	Name of Organisation	Purpose of Meeting
Nil		

Name of Special Adviser – Sue Beeby		
Date of Meeting	Name of Organisation	Purpose of Meeting
28 October 2014	BBC	Background briefing/general catch up

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<sup>6</sup> Does not include details of official meetings where special advisers attended alongside their Ministers.