

RT HON OWEN PATERSON MP, SECRETARY OF STATE, DEFRA

QUARTERLY TRANSPARENCY INFORMATION

JULY – SEPTEMBER 2014

GIFTS GIVEN OVER £140

Rt Hon Owen Paterson MP			
Date given	To	Gift	Value
Nil return			

GIFTS RECEIVED OVER £140

Rt Hon Owen Paterson MP				
Date received	From	Gift	Value	Outcome
Nil return				

HOSPITALITY RECEIVED¹

Rt Hon Owen Paterson MP		
Date	Name of organisation	Type of hospitality received
7 July	Spectator	Dinner
8 July	Yorkshire Show	Lunch
Rt Hon Elizabeth Truss MP (15th July 2014)		
Date	Name of organisation	Type of hospitality received
21 July	Royal Welsh Show	Lunch
6 September	Burghley Horse Show	Lunch
8 September	BBC editors: James Harding, Director of News and Current Affairs; Gary Smith, UK News Editor; Gavin Allen, Home News Editor; Jonathan Munro, Head of Newsgathering; Mary Hockaday, Head of BBC Newsroom; Nick Sutton, WATO Editor; Paul Royall, Editor of News at Six and Ten; Richard	Lunch

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	Clark, Editor of Radio; Sam Taylor, Controller of BBC News and BBC World News	
19 September	Federation of Small Businesses	Breakfast

MINISTER'S OVERSEAS TRAVEL²

Rt Hon Owen Paterson MP					
Date(s) of trip	Destination	Purpose of trip	'Scheduled' 'No 32 (The Royal Squadron' or 'other RAF' or 'Chartered' or 'Eurostar'	Number of officials accompanying Minister, where non-scheduled travel is used	Total cost including travel and accommodation of Minister only
28 June to 4 July	USA	Trade and Exports	Scheduled	n/a	£2,929 – out £4,535 – return Cost split as out flight is in previous quarter
Rt Hon Elizabeth Truss MP (15th July 2014)					
5 September	Brussels	Agriculture Council	Eurostar	n/a	£124

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MEETINGS WITH EXTERNAL ORGANISATIONS (INCLUDING MEETINGS WITH NEWSPAPERS AND OTHER MEDIA PROPRIETORS, EDITORS AND SENIOR EXECUTIVES³

Rt Hon Owen Paterson MP		
Date of meeting	Name of external organisation	Purpose of meeting
July	Vodafone	To discuss rural broadband
July	GIC Special Investments, Macquarie Infrastructure, Fidelity Investments, Capstone Infrastructure, CPP Investment Board, Newton Investment Management, Infracapital, Royal Bank of Scotland, Norges Bank Investment Management, Hermes GPE, Future Fund, First State Investments, Pictet Asset Management, Deutsche Bank, YTL Power International, European Investment Bank	Roundtable with water industry Investors
July	Association of British Insurers	To discuss Flood Re
Rt Hon Elizabeth Truss MP (15th July 2014)		
Date of meeting	Name of external organisation	Purpose of meeting
July	National Farmers Union	Introductory meeting
July	Wildlife Trust	Introductory meeting
July	National Farmers Union	To discuss the dairy sector
July	Country Landowners and Business Association	Introductory meeting
July	Game and Wildlife Conservation Trust	Introductory meeting
July	British Association for Shooting and Conservation	Introductory meeting
July	Royal Society for the Protection of Birds	Introductory meeting
July	Campaign for the Farmed Environment	Introductory meeting
July	Countryside Alliance	Introductory meeting
July	Somerset Flood Action Plan Partners	To discuss progress on the Somerset Flood Action Plan
July	Association of British Insurers	Introductory meeting
August	Tenant Farmers Association	Introductory meeting
August	National Farmers Union	To discuss food and farming sector
August	British Retail Consortium	Introductory meeting
August	British Veterinary Association	Introductory meeting
August	Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons	Introductory meeting

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August	Farmers Weekly	Interview
September	Association of British Insurers	To discuss flood insurance
September	Campaign to Protect Rural England	Introductory meeting
September	Somerset Flood Action Plan Partners	To discuss progress on the Somerset Flood Action Plan
September	National Farmers Union	To discuss food and farming sector
September	Association of British Insurers, Aon, Willis, Marsh, Jardine Lloyd Thompson Group	To discuss flood reinsurance
September	National Trust	Introductory meeting
September	Somerset County Council	To discuss the Somerset Action Plan
September	Food and Drink Federation	Introductory meeting

**DAN ROGERSON MP PARLIAMENTARY UNDER SECRETARY OF STATE
FOR WATER, FORESTRY, RURAL AFFAIRS AND RESOURCE
MANAGEMENT, DEFRA**

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HOSPITALITY RECEIVED⁴

Dan Rogerson MP		
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Nil return		

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MINISTER'S OVERSEAS TRAVEL⁵

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MEETINGS WITH EXTERNAL ORGANISATIONS (INCLUDING MEETINGS WITH NEWSPAPERS AND OTHER MEDIA PROPRIETORS, EDITORS AND SENIOR EXECUTIVES⁶

Dan Rogerson MP		
Date of meeting	Name of external organisation	Purpose of meeting
July	Telefonica UK Ltd	To discuss mobile and broadband roll out in rural areas
July	Three (3)	To discuss mobile and broadband roll out in rural areas
July	Vodafone	To discuss mobile and broadband roll out in rural areas
July	National Farmers Union, Country Land and Business Association, Royal Society for the Protection of Birds, World Wide Fund for Nature	Water Quality Stakeholder meeting to discuss diffuse pollution from agriculture
September	Canal and River Trust	To discuss management of their commercial property

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GEORGE EUSTICE MP PARLIAMENTARY UNDER SECRETARY OF STATE FOR FARMING, FOOD AND MARINE ENVIRONMENT, DEFRA

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HOSPITALITY RECEIVED⁷

George Eustice MP		
Date	Name of organisation	Type of hospitality received
July	Kent County Show	President's lunch
July	National Farmers Union	Barbeque
July	National Sheep Association	President's lunch
August	Pembrokeshire Show	President's lunch

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14 July	Brussels	Agriculture and Fisheries EU Council of Minister	Scheduled out Eurostar return	n/a	£305
30 September	Milan	Agriculture and Fisheries EU Informal Council	Scheduled	n/a	£210

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MEETINGS WITH EXTERNAL ORGANISATIONS (INCLUDING MEETINGS WITH NEWSPAPERS AND OTHER MEDIA PROPRIETORS, EDITORS AND SENIOR EXECUTIVES⁹

George Eustice MP		
Date of meeting	Name of external organisation	Purpose of meeting
July	Agriculture and Horticulture Development Board, Aldi, Association of Independent Meat Suppliers, Asda, British Meat Processors Association, British Retail Consortium, Country Land and Business Association, Co-Operative Food, Farmers' Union of Wales, Federation of Wholesale Distributors, Groceries Code Adjudicator, Hybu Cig Cymru - Meat Promotion Wales, Lidl, Livestock and Meat Commission for NI, Livestock Auctioneers Association, Marks and Spencer, McDonalds, Morrison's, National Beef Association, National Farmers Union, National Farmers Union Cymru, National Farmers Union Scotland, Quality Meat Scotland, Tenant Farmers Association, Tesco, Ulster Farmers Union, Waitrose	To discuss the beef sector
July	British Alpaca Society	To discuss animal disease controls
July	Fonterra	To discuss the dairy sector in UK / New Zealand
July	UK Sugar Users Group	To discuss EU sugar availability
July	Graham Stewart MP with constituents	To discuss beak trimming of hens
July	Vopak	To discuss marine licensing
July	Rural and Farming Network, Kent	To discuss rural issues
July	Hastings Fishermen's Protection Society	To discuss quota allocation to small vessels, discard ban
July	Professor Chris Elliott	To discuss food fraud
July	Shailesh Vara MP and constituents	To discuss protected food names
July	Scottish Fishermen's Federation	To discuss the discard ban
July	Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons	To discuss farm animal welfare
August	National Farmers Union	To discuss Bovine Tuberculosis
September	Tenant Farmers Association	To discuss upcoming consultation
September	Rare Breeds Survival Trust	To discuss genetic heritage
September	Norman Lamb MP with County Councillor	To discuss Blakeney Marine Conservation Zone
September	Shechita UK	To discuss animal welfare at time of slaughter

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**LORD DE MAULEY TD PARLIAMENTARY UNDER SECRETARY OF
STATE FOR NATURAL ENVIRONMENT AND SCIENCE, DEFRA**

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HOSPITALITY RECEIVED¹⁰

Lord de Mauley TD		
Date	Name of organisation	Type of hospitality received
16 September	Arboricultural Association	Dinner
28 September	British Poultry Council	Dinner

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Lord de Mauley TD		
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July	Game and Wildlife Conservation Trust	To discuss partridges
July	Covent Garden Market Authority	To discuss the Covent Garden Market
July	Covent Garden Market Tenants Association	To discuss the Covent Garden Market
July	Pets4Homes	To discuss advertising of pets on the internet
July	Devon Wildlife Trust	To discuss beavers
July	Captive Animals Protection Society, Royal Society for the Protection against Cruelty to Animals, British Veterinary Association and the Born Free Foundation	To discuss the ban on wild animals in circuses
July	The East Malling Trust, The Lawes Trust, The John Innes Trust, The National Institute of Agricultural Botany Trust, Agriculture and Horticulture Development Board.	To discuss the Agri Tech Strategy
July	Royal Agricultural Society of England	To discuss the Agri Tech Strategy
July	Wildscreen	Introductory meeting to discuss their work
August	Thames Tideway Tunnel Limited	To discuss the Thames Tideway Tunnel
September	Linking Environment and Farming	Introductory meeting to discuss their work
September	Care Farming	To discuss Care Farming
September	Campaign to Protect Rural England	To discuss the Forest of Dean
September	Covent Garden Market Tenants Association	To discuss the redevelopment of the Covent Garden Market
September	Game and Wildlife Conservation Trust	To discuss hen harriers
September	Royal Society for the Protection of Birds	To discuss hen harriers
September	John Muir Trust	To discuss wind farms
September	The Dogs Trust	Meeting to discuss their work
September	Chemical Industries Association	To discuss topical issues in the chemicals industry
September	Dairy Crest	To discuss topical issues in the dairy industry
September	Thames Tideway Tunnel Limited	To discuss the Thames Tideway Tunnel Project

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