**QUARTERLY INFORMATION 1 October 2014 – 31 December 2014**

**GIFTS GIVEN OVER £140**

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| **Parliamentary Under Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, Andrew Murrison MP** | | | |
| **Date gift given** | **To** | **Gift** | **Value (over £140)** |

**Nil Return**

**GIFTS RECEIVED OVER £140**

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| **Parliamentary Under Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, Andrew Murrison MP** | | | |
| **Date gift given** | **To** | **Gift** | **Value (over £140)** |

**Nil Return**

OVERSEAS TRAVEL

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| **Parliamentary Under Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, Andrew Murrison MP** | | | | | |
| **Date(s) of trip** | **Destination** | **Purpose of trip** | **‘Scheduled’ ‘No 32 (The Royal) Squadron’ or ‘other RAF’ or ‘Charter’ or ‘Eurostar’** | **Number of officials accompanying Minister, where non-scheduled travel is used** | **Total cost including travel and accommodation of Minister only** |
| 28 October 2014 | Ypres, Belgium | WW1 |  |  | £118\* |
| 11 November 2014 | Glasnevin, Dublin | WW1 |  |  | £263 |
| 16 December | Dublin | WW1 Lecture |  |  | £240 |

**\*** attendance was in the Minister’s role as the Prime Minister’s Special Representative for the Centenary Commemoration of the First World war and costs were met by DCMS

**HOSPITALITY[[1]](#footnote-1)**

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| **Parliamentary Under Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, Andrew Murrison MP** | | |
| **Date of hospitality** | **Name of Organisation** | **Type of hospitality received** |
| 16 October 2014 | Cambridge Union Society | Dinner – WW1\* |
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\* attendance was in the Minister’s role as the Prime Minister’s Special Representative for the Centenary Commemoration of the First World war

**MINISTERS’ MEETINGS WITH EXTERNAL ORGANISATIONS AND INDIVIDUALS (INCLUDING MEETINGS WITH NEWSPAPER AND OTHER MEDIA PROPRIETORS, EDITORS AND SENIOR EXECUTIVES) [[2]](#footnote-2)**

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| **Parliamentary Under Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, Andrew Murrison MP** | | |
| **Date of Meeting** | **Name of External Organisation** | **Purpose of Meeting** |
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| 7 October 2014 | Belfast International Airport | Introductory & Airport Duty Tax |
| 7 October 2014 | Northern Ireland Chamber of Commerce | Introductory & Economic |
| 7 October 2014 | Confederation British Industry CBI | Introductory & Economic |
| 15 October 2014 | London Transport Museum | WW1 Role – visit The Battle Bus\* |
| 16 October 2014 | Cambridge Union Society | WW1 role – speak re First World War\* |
| 17 November 2014 | NI Human Rights Consortium | Bill of Rights |
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| 18 November 2014 | Portaferry Regeneration – Last Post | WW1 Commemorations |
| 18 November 2014 | Somme Heritage Centre | WW1 Commemorations and Exhibition |
| 18 November 2014 | Unionist Centenary Committee | Loyalism engagement and Progress on Stormont House Talks |
| 18 November 2014 | 6th Connaught Rangers Research Group | WW1 Commemorations and Exhibition |
| 19 November 2014 | ‘Making it Work’ Campaign | Update on Stormont House Political Talks Progress |
| 19 November 2014 | Archbishop of Roman Catholic Church | Update on Stormont House Political Talks Progress |
| 19 November 2014 | Moderator of the Presbyterian Church | Update on Stormont House Political Talks Progress |
| 20 November 2014 | Archbishop of Church of Ireland | Update on Stormont House Political Talks Progress |
| 26 November 2014 | President of Methodist Church | Update on Stormont House Political Talks Progress |
| 27 November 2014 | NI Chamber of Commerce | Update on Stormont House Political Talks Progress |
| 27 November | NI Electoral Commission | Introductory meeting and Electoral Counting |
| 2 December 2014 | National Museum of the Royal Navy | WW1 Role – Historic Ship\* |
| 2 December 2014 | Walker Primary School, Enfield | WW1 Role – attend Trench Brothers WW1 Performance\* |
| 15 December | The First World War Centenary Committee | WW1 Role First World War Commemorations\* |
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[[3]](#endnote-1)

1. 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. [↑](#footnote-ref-1)
2. \* attendance was in the Minister’s role as the Prime Minister’s Special Representative for the Centenary Commemoration of the First World war

   Does not normally include meetings with Government bodies such as other Government Departments, members of the Royal Household, NDPBs, Non-Ministerial Departments, Agencies, Government reviews and representatives of Parliament, devolved or foreign governments.. Visits, attendance at seminars, conferences, receptions, media, interviews etc would not normally be classed as meetings. [↑](#footnote-ref-2)
3. [↑](#endnote-ref-1)