**QUARTERLY INFORMATION 1 OCTOBER – 31 DECEMBER 2014**

**GIFTS GIVEN OVER £140**

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| **Secretary of State for Northern Ireland,** **The Rt Hon. Theresa Villiers MP** | | | |
| **Date gift given** | **To** | **Gift** | **Value (over £140)** |

**Nil Return**

**GIFTS RECEIVED OVER £140**

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| **Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, The Rt Hon. Theresa Villiers MP** | | | | |
| **Date gift received** | **From** | **Gift** | **Value (over £140)** | **Outcome** |

**Nil Return**

OVERSEAS TRAVEL

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| **Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, The Rt Hon. Theresa Villiers 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** |
| 7 October | Dublin | Meeting with Irish Foreign Minister |  | - | £144.91 |

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

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| **Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, The Rt Hon. Theresa Villiers MP** | | |
| **Date of hospitality** | **Name of organisation** | **Type of hospitality received**  **(include an asterisk against the entry if accompanied by spouse/partner or other family member or friend)** |
| 6 November | Co-Operation Ireland | Dinner |
| 28 November | British Irish Council | Lunch |

**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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| **Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, The Rt Hon. Theresa Villiers MP** | | |
| **Date of Meeting** | **Name of External Organisation** | **Purpose of Meeting** |
| October | SDLP | All-party Talks\* |
| October | Ross Hussey & representatives from local schools | Shared Education campus |
| October | UUP | All-party Talks\* |
| October | DUP | All-party Talks\* |
| October | Alliance | All-party Talks\* |
| October | Sinn Fein | All-party Talks\* |
| October | PUP | All-Party Talks |
| October | Unionist Coalition | Parading Issues |
| October | Women’s Resource and Development Agency | Shared Future Issues |
| October | Senator Gary Hart | All-Party Talks |
| November | Alliance | All-Party Talks\* |
| November | UUP | All-Party Talks\* |
| November | SDLP | All-Party Talks\* |
| November | DUP | All-Party Talks\* |
| November | Sinn Fein | All-Party Talks\* |
| November | Ian Paisley | JTI |
| November | New York State Comptroller | Economy Issues |
| December | Alliance | All-Party Talks\* |
| December | UUP | All-Party Talks\* |
| December | SDLP | All-Party Talks\* |
| December | Sin Fein | All-Party Talks\* |
| December | DUP | All-Party Talks\* |
| December | Senator Gary Hart | All-Party Talks |

**\*There were twice weekly meetings with the parties during the duration of the All-party talks from 16 October until 23 December**

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. 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)