

Staff Gifts and Hospitality Register 2015/16

scottish legal complaints commission

Date	Recipient	Donor	Donor's Business	Description
22/07/15	Neil Stevenson – Chief Exec	Anderson Strathern (our advisers)	Law Firm	Sandwich lunch/ coffee / brownie – est. less than £10
04/08/15	Neil Stevenson – Chief Exec	The General Dental Council Management Team	<u>Personal gift</u> from management team of a healthcare regulator	1 x bottle of champagne – this is a personal gift from the management team at the GDC, where I sit on the board, to congratulate me on my SLCC appointment. It is declared simply because it was delivered to the office, and always feeling it is better to over-report in case of later issues it is noted here.
05/08/15	Neil Stevenson – Chief Exec	Chantel Gaber – former team member at the Law Society of Scotland	<u>Personal gift</u> – former team member at the Law Society of Scotland	1 x Fabriano stationary set - this is a personal gift from a former colleague. As above, it is declared simply because it was delivered to the office, and always feeling it is better to over-report in case of later issues it is noted here.
06/08/15	David Buchanan-Cook, Head of Oversight	Royal Faculty of Procurators in Glasgow	Legal body	Cheque for £100 for speaking at professional practice conference. Cheque returned and requested that donation be made instead to SLCC staff charity.
06/10/15	Neil Stevenson	Royal Bank of Scotland	Bank	Three course early evening meal + wine. This was a legally focussed dinner discussion session with economist Rupert Seggins leading discussion on the current markets. I was invited as someone with an overview of the legal market, and attend to assist my own development and insight.
21/10/15	Neil Stevenson Caroline Robertson Keith MacConnachie	The Petitions Committee of the State Parliament of Baden-Wurrtemberg	A state parliament	1 CD of classical music per person – in thanks for organising a visit for them to our offices to discuss our complaints handling model.
26/10/15	Neil Stevenson	Harper McLeod	Law Firm (one of our panel firms)	Overnight accommodation (<u>no</u> meal or wine) night before Connect to Law Conference they hosted, and which I was speaking at first thing the next morning.

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27/10/15	Neil Stevenson	Harper McLeod	Law Firm (one of our panel firms)	£10 starbucks voucher as a thanks for speaking – put in the staff christmas charity raffle as a prize (rather than using myself)
09/11/15	Neil Stevenson Caroline Robertson Keith MacConnachie	The Petitions Committee of the State Parliament of North rhine-westphalia	A state parliament	1 pen set per person – in thanks for organising a visit for them to our offices to discuss our complaints handling model.
17/11/15	Neil Stevenson	Competition and Markets Authority	Statutory body with regulates competition and markets	Attended drinks reception
18/11/15	Neil Stevenson and David Buchanan-Cook	Centre for Professional Legal Studies / Strathclyde University	Think Tank, part of a University	2 course dinner + wine as part of think tank event with Scot Gov and Uni.
02/12/15	David Buchanan-Cook and [REDACTED] and Neil Stevenson	Holyrood Communications	Media organisation (publisher of Holyrood Magazine)	Invite to office opening event. Invitation was not taken up.
19/01/16	Neil Stevenson	Trinity Forum (Edinburgh)	“The Trinity Forum is a nonprofit organization that works to cultivate networks of leaders whose integrity and vision will renew culture and promote human freedom and flourishing.”	Two course dinner and glass of wine, as part of ‘CPD session’ discussion session focussing on ‘making a difference’.
29/01/16	Neil Stevenson	The Law Society of Scotland	Profession Body for lawyers / RPO under the 2007 Act	Three course dinner + wine (Assembly Rooms) – official invite to their annual dinner as CEO of SLCC
15/03/16	Neil Stevenson	Trinity Forum (Edinburgh)	“The Trinity Forum is a nonprofit organization that works to cultivate networks of leaders whose integrity and vision will renew culture and promote human freedom and flourishing.”	Two course dinner and glass of wine, as part of ‘CPD session’ discussion focussing on ‘trials and testing of calling’.