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INTRODUCTION

Section 5(2) of the Members of Parliament (Register of Interests) Act 1978 (No. 9223) states:

Every Member who was not a Member of either the Legislative Assembly or the Legislative Council in the Parliament then last past shall, upon taking and subscribing the oath or affirmation as a Member, within 30 days thereafter submit to the Clerk of the Parliaments a primary return.

The primary return required by section 5(2) was prescribed by Schedule 1 to the Members of Parliament (Register of Interests) Regulations 2013 (Statutory Rule No. 4/2013). Those regulations require Members to register their interests by providing information under the following specific classifications:

1. Any income source* which you have, or expect to have, in the 12 months after the date of this return.
2. The name of any company or other body in which you hold an office as director or otherwise at the date of this return.
3. The name or description of any company, partnership, association or other body in which you hold a beneficial interest exceeding $500 in value.
4. The name of any political party, body or association or trade or professional organization of which you are a member at the date of this return.
5. A concise description of any trust in which you hold a beneficial interest.
6. A concise description of any trust of which you are trustee and in which a member of your family holds a beneficial interest.
7. The address or description of any land in which you hold a beneficial interest (other than by way of security for a debt).
8. Any other substantial interest (whether of a pecuniary nature or not) held by you or a member of your family of which you are aware and that you consider might appear to raise a material conflict with your public duty as a Member.

* “income source” means —

(a) any person or body of persons with whom a Member entered into a contract of service or held any paid office; or
(b) any trade vocation or profession engaged in by a Member.
Part A of the summary follows records interests registered by a Member, not having been a Member in the Parliament last past, who took and subscribed the oath or affirmation as a Member on 13 October 2016. Interests are shown under the following abbreviated headings:

1. Income source
2. Office held
3. Company beneficial interest
4. Party, body or association
5. Trust beneficial interest
6. Trusteeship
7. Land beneficial interest
8. Other substantial interest

In addition to the requirement for new Members to submit a primary return, Section 6(4) of the Act allows for the notification of variations to the Register to be submitted at any time. Part B of the summary therefore reports variations notified by certain Members between 2 September 2016 and 18 November 2016 pursuant to section 6(4). The date of receipt of such advice is given in each case.

*The full text of the several classifications is to be found in the Schedules to the Members of Parliament (Register of Interests) Regulations 2013 (S R No 4/2013).
PART A  —  Summary of interests registered by a Member, not having been a Member of the Parliament last past, who took and subscribed the oath or affirmation as a Member on 13 October 2016

Member of the Legislative Council

O’SULLIVAN, Luke (Northern Victoria Region)

Income source            Rental income

Party, body or association  Field and Game Australia
                          Patchewollock Gun Club
                          The National Party of Australia – Victoria

Land beneficial interest  “Pine Plains” family farm at Patchewollock

Gift exceeding $500       Two Racing Victoria Memberships
ATKINSON, Bruce Norman (Eastern Metropolitan Region)

[Advice received 10 November 2016]

Income source
Add —
Eastern Football League – director allowance $500

Travel contribution
Add —
Travel, accommodation and meals provided by The Korea Foundation, September 2016

Gift exceeding $500
Add —
Hospitality and match tickets for Melbourne Victory games on a number of occasions and club events

HERBERT, Steven Ralph (Northern Victoria Region)

[Advice received 28 October 2016]

Land beneficial interest
Add —
[PRIVATE ADDRESS], Trentham

PURCELL, James Desmond (Western Victoria Region)

[Advice received 4 October 2016]

Other substantial interest
Add —
An interest in a foundry in China
Owner or part-owner of many racehorses
Part-owner of a self-storage business
SYMES, Jaclyn (Northern Victoria Region)

[Advice received 14 November 2016]

Land beneficial interest  Add —
Apartment in Collingwood
ANGUS, Neil Andrew Warwick (Forest Hill)

[Advice received 21 October 2016]

Party, body or association  Add —
Australasian Study of Parliament Group (ASPG)
Commonwealth Parliamentary Association (CPA)

Land beneficial interest  Add —
Property, Lara

BRITNELL, Roma Clare (South-West Coast)

[Advice received 2 September 2016]

Party, body or association  Add —
RACV

FYFFE, Christine Ann (Evelyn)

[Advice received 14 November 2016]

Company beneficial interest  Add —
BHP Billiton
Medibank
National Australia Bank
Telstra
Transurban

GRALEY, Judith Ann (Narre Warren South)

[Advice received 8 November 2016]

Other substantial interest  Add —
Vic Super Account
HENNESSY, Jill (Altona)

[Advice received 28 October 2016]

Gift exceeding $500  
Add —  
2 tickets to Prince concert, February 2016 as guests of The Arts Centre, Melbourne  
2 x Victorian Thoroughbred Racing Annual Tickets for the 2016/2017 racing season as provided by Racing Victoria Limited

PAKULA, Martin Philip (Keysborough)

[Advice received 16 September 2016]

Gift exceeding $500  
Add —  
Flight upgrade, Dubai to London, courtesy of Qantas Airways Limited

PESUTTO, John (Hawthorn)

[Advice received 29 September 2016]

Gift exceeding $500  
Add —  
Bottle of Penfolds RWT Barossa Valley Shiraz 2007 from the Middle Camberwell Medical Centre valued at just under $200

RYALL, Deanne Sharon (Ringwood)

[Advice received 15 September 2016]

Travel contribution  
Add —  
Hospitality and transport in Israel provided by Australian Israel Jewish Affairs Council

SMITH, Timothy Colin (Kew)

[Advice received 26 September 2016]

Party, body or association  
Add —  
Rotary Club of Canterbury – honorary membership  
[Advice received 12 October 2016]

Land beneficial interest  
Add —  
[PRIVATE ADDRESS], Kew