

Gifts and Hospitality Register

1 April 2024 to 30 June 2024

Name and Job Title	Role	Type	From/ Host	Description	Value	Action Taken
Kayleigh Allen, Head of Case Progression	Employee	Hospitality	CMS LLP (panel firm of solicitors)	1 ticket to ARDL annual dinner	£170 (cost of ticket to ARDL annual dinner)	Accepted, pre-authorised
Terence Yates, Hearings Officer	Employee	Hospitality	Independent Legal Assessors (GOC provider)	1 ticket to Independent Legal Assessors birthday celebration	Cost of celebration not disclosed, light refreshments	Accepted, pre-authorised

1 July 2024 to 30 September 2024

Name and Job Title	Role	Type	From/ Host	Description	Value	Action Taken
Leonie Milliner, Chief Executive and Registrar	SMT	Hospitality	College of Optometrists	Annual president's dinner	Dinner – value not known	Accepted, pre-authorised

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Name and Job Title	Role	Type	From/ Host	Description	Value	Action Taken
Kayleigh Allen, Head of Case Progression/ Senior Lawyer	Employee	Hospitality	CMS LLP (panel firm of solicitors)	1 ticket to ARDL annual dinner	£150 (cost of ticket to ARDL annual dinner)	Accepted, pre-authorised
Dionne Spence, Director of Regulatory Operations	SMT	Hospitality	Ward Hadaway (panel firm of solicitors)	1 ticket to ARDL annual dinner	£150 (cost of ticket to ARDL annual dinner)	Accepted, pre-authorised
Ram Kundnani, Senior Digital Transformation Lead	Employee	Gift		The supplier offered a small gift or donation to a charity of choice since I referred him to Solicitor Tribunal, and they engaged him	Not specified	Declined

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Name and Job Title	Role	Type	From/ Host	Description	Value	Action Taken
Leonie Milliner, Chief Executive and Registrar	Employee	Hospitality	Saxton Bampfylde	Breakfast with Abby Thomas, Chief Executive and Chief Ombudsman at the Financial Ombudsman Service – Wednesday 13 September; 8:00 – 9:15	Light breakfast – value not known	Accepted, pre-authorised
Sinead Burns, Council Member	Member	Hospitality	NIOS	An invitation to the NIOS Anniversary Gala and Dinner on 7th October	Anniversary Gala and Dinner – value not known	Declined
Anne Wright, Chair of Council	Member	Hospitality	College of Optometrists	Annual president's dinner	Dinner – value not known. Charity donation – value not known	Accepted

1 October 2023 to 31 December 2023

Nothing disclosed

1 January 2024 to 31 March 2024

Nothing disclosed

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Leonie Milliner, Chief Executive and Registrar	SMT	Hospitality	ABBO President's handover dinner	3 course dinner	Unknown	Accepted, pre-authorized
Leonie Milliner, Chief Executive and Registrar	SMT	Hospitality	College of Optometrists President's dinner	3 course dinner	Unknown	Accepted, pre-authorized

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Name and Job Title	Role	Type	From/ Host	Description	Value	Action Taken
Kayleigh Allen, Head of Case Progression	Employee	Hospitality	1 paid for by CMS LLP (panel firm of solicitors) and 1 paid for by 2 Hare Court (barrister chambers)	2 tickets to Association of Regulatory and Disciplinary Lawyers annual dinner	£300	2 Accepted, 1 pre-authorized – 1 secured on day (Director on leave)
Claire Bond, Lawyer	Employee	Hospitality	Paid for by Ward Hadaway (panel firm of solicitors)	1 ticket to Association of Regulatory and Disciplinary Lawyers annual dinner	£150	Accepted, pre-authorized
Kiran Gill, Head of Legal	Employee	Hospitality	Paid for by CMS LLP (panel firm of solicitors)	1 ticket to Association of Regulatory and Disciplinary Lawyers annual dinner	£150	Accepted, pre-authorized

1 October 2022 to 31 December 2022

Name and Job Title	Role	Type	From/ Host	Description	Value	Action Taken
Leonie Milliner, Chief Executive and Registrar	SMT	Hospitality	Company of Worshipful Spectacle Makers	3 Course Lunch (October)	Unknown	Accepted, pre-authorized
Leonie Milliner, Chief Executive and Registrar	SMT	Hospitality	Seeability	Canapé Reception at Buckingham Palace	Unknown	Accepted, pre-authorized
Leonie Milliner, Chief Executive and Registrar	SMT	Hospitality	Mark Allen Group	3 Course Dinner – Opticians Awards	£255	Accepted, pre-authorized
Leonie Milliner, Chief Executive and Registrar	SMT	Hospitality	Optical Suppliers Associations	OSA Christmas Luncheon/ President handover	Unknown	Accepted, pre-authorized
Leonie Milliner, Chief Executive and Registrar	SMT	Hospitality	Company of Worshipful Spectacle Makers	3 Course Lunch (December)	Unknown	Accepted, pre-authorized

1 January 2023 to 31 March 2023

Name and Job Title	Role	Type	From/ Host	Description	Value	Action Taken
Leonie Milliner, Chief Executive and Registrar	SMT	Hospitality	Brixton Prison Optical Practice visit – Brixton Prison restaurant	Lunch	£8	Accepted

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1 April 2021 to 30 June 2021

Name and Job Title	Role	Type	From/ Host	Description	Value	Action Taken
None Declared						

1 July 2021 to 30 September 2021

Name and Job Title	Role	Type	From/ Host	Description	Value	Action Taken
None Declared						

1 October 2021 to 31 December 2021

Name and Job Title	Role	Type	From/ Host	Description	Value	Action Taken
Leonie Milliner Director of Education	SMT	Hospitality	Optical Suppliers Association	Association Lunch and Chair handover	£45	Accepted
Lesley Longstone Chief Executive and Registrar	SMT	Hospitality	Northern Ireland Optometric Society	Annual Conference and gala dinner	unknown	Value donated to charity

1 January 2022 to 31 March 2022

Name and Job Title	Role	Type	From/ Host	Description	Value	Action Taken
Leonie Milliner Chief Executive and Registrar	SMT	Hospitality	Maurice Chang, Chief Executive of the Institute of Osteopathy	Lunch	Main course paid by Maurice Chang Coffee and Pudding self- funded	Accepted

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1 January 2020 to 31 March 2020

Name and Job Title	Role	Type	From/ Host	Description	Value	Action Taken
Leonie Milliner Director of Education	SMT	Hospitality	Gareth Hadley (from personal funds)	Lunch	£50	Accepted
Marcus Dye Acting Director of Strategy	SMT	Hospitality	Gareth Hadley (from personal funds)	Lunch	£50	Accepted

1 April 2020 to 30 June 2020

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None Declared						

1 July 2020 to 30 September 2020

Name and Job Title	Role	Type	From/ Host	Description	Value	Action Taken
None Declared						

1 October 2020 to 31 December 2020

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None Declared						

1 January 2021 to 31 March 2021

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None declared						