

2 January 2025

Hon Ruth Forrest MLC
Chair
Parliamentary Standing Committee of Public Accounts
Parliament House
HOBART TAS 7000

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Dear Chair

Gifts, benefits and hospitality register – Auditor-General – 1 October 2024 to 31 December 2024

In accordance with the Statement of Understanding between the Tasmanian Parliamentary Standing Committee of Public Accounts and myself, I attach my gift register for the above period.

Yours sincerely



Martin Thompson
Auditor-General

Copy for:
Mr Simon Scott, Secretary

Tasmanian Audit Office – Register of gifts, benefits and hospitality – Martin Thompson – 1 October 2024 to 31 December 2024

Date of declaration	Date of receipt of offer	Description of gift, benefit and/or hospitality offered	Person/Organisation offering gift, benefit and/or hospitality	Est. value of gift, benefit and/or hospitality (\$)	Decision (accepted or declined)	Reason for decision	Delegate Approved / Not Approved
28/10/24	23/10/24	Gift of 500g of ground PNG coffee, 280g on PNG chocolate, 1 Bilum (tote) and a wooden carving	Auditor-General of Papua New Guinea	\$50.00	Accepted	Builds goodwill, maintains stakeholder relationships, provided at an event where refusal would have resulted in cultural offence. Gift transferred to Agency	Approved
14/11/24	4/11/24	Attendance at Seminar in Sydney (including flights and accommodation) for 2 people	DataSnipper	\$1,200.00	Declined	To maintain the independence of the Auditor-General	Approved