

**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

**REGISTER OF MEMBERS' INTERESTS  
STATEMENT OF REGISTRABLE INTERESTS  
43<sup>RD</sup> PARLIAMENT**

***Returning Members** declare at p.2-6, interests **as at the date of dissolution** of the House in the 42<sup>nd</sup> Parliament (19 July 2010) **AND** at p.7 alterations since the date of dissolution*

***Newly elected Members** declare at p.2-6, interests **as at the date of election** (21 August 2010) **AND** at p.7 alterations since the date of election*

<b>SURNAME</b> (please print) <i>FITZGERALD</i>	
<b>OTHER NAMES</b> <i>Joel Andrew</i>	
<b>ELECTORAL DIVISION</b> <i>Hunter</i>	<b>STATE</b> <i>NSW</i>

**Notes**

- (1) It is suggested that the accompanying Explanatory Notes be read before the statement is completed.
- (2) The information which you are required to provide is contained in resolutions agreed to by the House of Representatives on 9 October 1984, a.m. as amended on 21 March 1985, 13 February 1986, 22 October 1986, 30 November 1988 and 9 November 1994 and 16 October 2003. It consists of the Member's registrable interests and the registrable interests of which the Member is aware (a) of the Member's spouse and (b) of any children who are wholly or mainly dependent on the Member for support. For the definition of "dependent children" see the introduction to the Explanatory Notes.
- (3) If there is insufficient space on this form for the information you are required to provide, you may attach additional pages for that purpose. Please date and initial each page of any attachment.
- (4) **Forward the original, signed copy of all pages of this statement to the Registrar of Members' Interests, RG.39 Parliament House, Canberra ACT 2600.**

1. Shareholdings in public and private companies (including holding companies) indicating the name of the company or companies

Name of company (including holding and subsidiary companies if applicable)	
Self	NIL
Spouse	Eastern Star Gas (approx 3,000 shares)
Dependent Children	NIL

2. Family and Business Trusts and Nominee Companies

(i) in which a beneficial interest is held, indicating the name of the trust, the nature of its operation and beneficial interest

	Name of Trust/nominee company	Nature of its operation	Beneficial interest
Self			
Spouse			
Dependent Children			

(ii) in which the Member, the Member's spouse, or a child who is wholly or mainly dependent on the Member for support, is a trustee (but not including a trustee of an estate where no beneficial interest is held by the Member, the Member's spouse or dependent children), indicating the name of the trust, the nature of its operation and the beneficiary of the trust

	Name of Trust/nominee company	Nature of its operation	Beneficial interest
Self			
Spouse			
Dependent Children			

3. Real estate, including the location (suburb or area only) and the purpose for which it is owned

	Location	Purpose for which owned
Self	Cessnock	Residence
Spouse	Cessnock	Residence
Dependent Children Self	Cessnock Nulkaba	Commercial land - Jointly owned.

4. Registered Directorships of companies

	Name of company	Activities of company
Self		
Spouse		
Dependent Children		

5. Partnerships indicating the nature of the interests and the activities of the partnership

	Name	Nature of interests	Activities of Partnership
Self	Joel Fitzgibbon	Informal partnership joint owners of Nulkaba land.	Nil other than agistment.
Spouse			
Dependent Children			

6. Liabilities indicating the nature of the liability and the creditor concerned

	Nature of liability	Creditor
Self	Mortgage - Cessnock } Private Residence Mortgage - Cessnock } BUSINESS Mortgage - Nulkaba - land	NAB. NAB. NAB.
Spouse	Mortgages as above	
Dependent Children	Car loans	NAB.

7. The nature of any bonds, debentures and like investments

	Type of investment	Body in which investment is held
Self		
Spouse		
Dependent Children		

8. Saving or investment accounts, indicating their nature and the name of the bank or other institutions concerned

	Nature of account	Name of bank/institution
Self	Various chequing & saving a/c's (small amounts)	NAB and Newcastle Permanent
Spouse	Various saving a/c's (small amounts)	NAB.
Dependent Children	Saving a/c's (small amounts)	NAB   W/PAC.

9. The nature of any other assets (excluding household and personal effects) each valued at over \$7,500

Nature of any other assets	
Self	Private Residence - Cessnock Land - Part owner - Nulkaba MLC Super Fund. Commercial Building - Cessnock.
Spouse	Beauty Salon - Cessnock Vehicle
Dependent Children	Vehicle each.

10. The nature of any other substantial sources of income

Nature of income	
Self	Very small agistment
Spouse	Beauty Salon.
Dependent Children	All have part-time jobs in hospitality while studying

11. Gifts valued at more than \$750 received from official sources, or at more than \$300 where received from other than official sources provided that a gift received by a Member, the Member's spouse or dependent children from family members or personal friends in a purely personal capacity need not be registered unless the member judges that an appearance of conflict of interest may be seen to exist

Details of gifts	
Self	Nil
Spouse	Nil
Dependent Children	Nil

12. Any sponsored travel or hospitality received where the value of the sponsored travel or hospitality exceeds \$300

Details of travel/hospitality	
Self	January '10 - AIZAC trip to Israel.
Spouse	NIL
Dependent Children	NIL.

13. Membership of any organisation where a conflict of interest with a Member's public duties could foreseeably arise or be seen to arise

Name of organisation	
Self	ALP, USU, various registered clubs. Patron of many hunter-based community and sporting organisations. Grants Chairman Lounge, Kris Piper Elite Silver membership. National Pest Club. A Clubs.
Spouse	ALP.
Dependent Children	ALP.

14. Any other interests where a conflict of interest with a member's public duties could foreseeably arise or be seen to arise

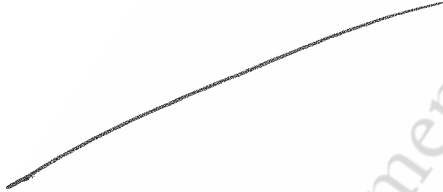
Nature of interests	
Self	
Spouse	
Dependent Children	


# NOTIFICATION OF ALTERATION(S) OF INTERESTS SINCE DISSOLUTION OR DATE OF ELECTION

Returning Members declare from the date of dissolution of the 42<sup>nd</sup> Parliament (19 July 2010)

Newly elected Members declare from the date of election (21 August 2010)

The following alteration(s) of interests have occurred:

<b>ADDITION</b>	<i>Details</i>
<i>Item</i>	<i>Details</i>
	

<b>DELETION</b>	<i>Details</i>
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**List of patrons, sponsorship and membership of organisations for the Hon Joel Fitzgibbon MP**

**Patron**

Newcastle Knights  
Mayamurri Healing Centre  
Cessnock Amateur Swimming Club  
Cessnock District Historical and Family History Society  
Cessnock Rugby League Football Club  
Cessnock Water Polo Club Inc  
Coalfields Kurri Diabetes Australia  
Friends of Palliative Care East Maitland  
Hunter River District Golf Association  
Maitland City Brass Band  
Maitland District Cricket Umpires Association  
Maitland Repertory Society  
Maitland Senior and Little Athletics Club  
Maitland Swimming Club  
Weerona Association  
BHP Rifle Club  
Hunter Valley Rifle Association  
Maitland Gilbert and Sullivan and Musical Society Inc  
Muswellbrook Netball Association  
Upper Hunter PSSA  
Kurri Kurri RSL Sub Branch  
Cessnock Rotary Club  
Abermain Eisteddfod Society  
East Maitland Olympic Amateur Swimming Club  
Caloola Vocational Services Inc  
Maitland Branch National Service and Combined Forces Association

**Sponsorship**

Hunter Valley Research Foundation  
Cessnock District Retired Bowlers  
Muswellbrook Upper Hunter Eisteddfod  
Northern Agricultural Association Inc

**Memberships**

CHR FM  
Maitland Regional Art Gallery  
Cessnock Rugby League Supporters Club  
Muswellbrook Workers Club  
West Leagues Club

There may be other clubs and organisations that Mr Fitzgibbon is associated with that have not been listed. This is the most comprehensive up to date list.



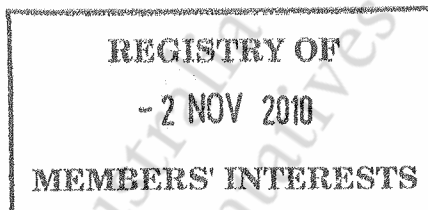


# The Hon Joel Fitzgibbon MP

FEDERAL MEMBER FOR HUNTER

29 October, 2010

Mr Bernard Wright  
Registrar of Members' Interests  
Parliament House  
PO BOX 6022  
CANBERRA ACT 2600



*Bernard*  
Dear Mr Wright

I write to inform you I recently received one complimentary mixed case of wine which contained the following from De Iuliis Wines, Broke Road, Pokolbin –

- 2004 Aged Release Semillon
- 2010 Show Reserve Verdelho
- 2009 Show Reserve Chardonnay
- 2007 Limited Release Chardonnay
- 2008 Cabernet Merlot
- 2009 Show Reserve Merlot
- 2009 Charlie Shiraz
- 2009 Show Reserve Shiraz (2 bottles)
- 2006 Limited Release Hunter Valley Shiraz
- New Release: Single Vineyard Wines Steven Shiraz (2 bottles)

Could you please add to my register of interests.

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*The Hon Joel Fitzgibbon MP*

FEDERAL MEMBER FOR HUNTER

CHIEF GOVERNMENT WHIP

REGISTRY OF

22 JUL 2011

MEMBERS' INTERESTS

20 July, 2011

Mr David Elder  
Registrar of Members' Interests  
Parliament House  
PO Box 6021  
CANBERRA ACT 2600

Dear Mr Elder

I write to advise that my wife has disposed of her interests in Eastern Star Gas.  
Please add my notification to my Register of Pecuniary Interests.

Yours sincerely

Joel Fitzgibbon MP

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4 August, 2011

REGISTRY OF  
08 AUG 2011  
MEMBERS' INTERESTS

Mr David Elder  
Registrar of Members' Interests  
Parliament House  
PO Box 6021  
CANBERRA ACT 2600

*David,*  
Dear Mr Elder

I wish to advise that I was a guest of the Hunter Valley Thoroughbred Breeders on Wednesday 3 August 2011.

I accepted a return helicopter flight from Rutherford to the Upper Hunter and hospitality.

Could you please add to my register of interests.

Joel Fitzgibbon MP

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SURNAME	<i>Fitzgibbon</i>	
OTHER NAMES	<i>Joel Andrew</i>	
ELECTORAL DIVISION	<i>Hunter</i>	STATE <i>NSW</i>

I wish to alter my statement of registrable interests as follow:

ADDITION	
<i>Item</i>	<i>Details</i>
Residence – Red Hill, Canberra Purchased by myself and my spouse	

DELETION	
<i>Item</i>	<i>Details</i>
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	DATE



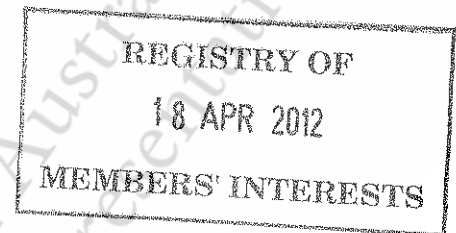
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16 April, 2012

Mr David Elder  
Registrar of members' Interests  
Parliament House  
PO Box 6021  
CANBERRA ACT 2600



*David,*  
Dear Mr Elder

I wish to advise that I was part of a delegation of six Australian parliamentarians that visited NATO headquarters in Brussels from 24-28 March, 2012.

The aim of the visit was to support the framework of NATO's widening cooperation with Partners Across the Globe. The delegation program was funded by NATO which included flights, accommodation, hospitality and transfers.

Could you please add to my register of interests.



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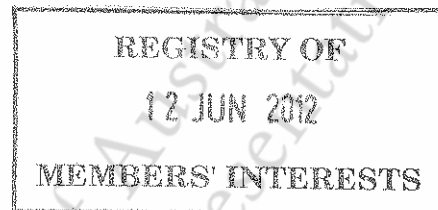
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FEDERAL MEMBER FOR HUNTER

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7 June, 2012

Mr David Elder  
Registrar of Members' Interests  
Parliament House  
PO Box 6021  
CANBERRA ACT 2600



*David*  
Dear Mr Elder

I wish to advise that I accepted complimentary Federal Parliamentary Membership of the National Press Club of Australia.

The membership was made possible by the Board of the Club and the support of their corporate partner – ASG.

Could you please add to my register of interests.

Joel Fitzgibbon MP



Joel Fitzgibbon

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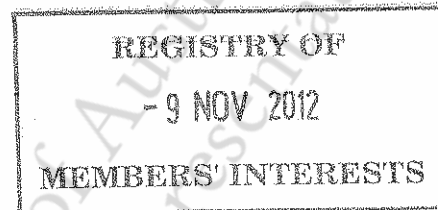
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FEDERAL MEMBER FOR HUNTER

CHIEF GOVERNMENT WHIP

6 November, 2012

Mr David Elder  
Registrar of Members' Interests  
Parliament House  
PO Box 6021  
CANBERRA ACT 2600



Dear Mr <sup>David,</sup> Elder

I wish to advise that I was a guest along with my wife of the Bloomfield Group on Saturday 3 November, 2012 to celebrate their 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary in business.

I accepted 2 tickets to attend their Black Diamond Ball, 2 wine glasses and a miners lantern.

Could you please add to my register of interests.

Joel Fitzgibbon MP



Joel Fitzgibbon

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02 JAN 2013

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FEDERAL MEMBER FOR HUNTER  
CHIEF GOVERNMENT WHIP

19 December, 2012

Mr David Elder  
Registrar of Members' Interests  
Parliament House  
PO Box 6021  
CANBERRA ACT 2600

*David,*  
Dear Mr Elder

I wish to advise that I recently received a complimentary bottle of Penfolds Grange Bin 95 – Vintage 1996 from Dr Peter Davies.

Could you please add to my register of interests.

JOEL FITZGIBBON MP



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19 December, 2012

Mr David Elder  
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PO Box 6022  
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*David,*  
Dear Mr Elder

I write to inform you I recently received one complimentary mixed case of wine which contained the following from McGuigan Wines at Cnr Broke and McDonalds Road, Pokolbin –

2010 Personal Reserve Shiraz  
2009 Cellar Select Shiraz Hunter Valley  
2004 Hunter Valley Semillon – Bin 9000 (2 bottles)  
2006 Hunter Valley Semillon – Bin 9000 (2 bottles)

Could you please add to my register of interests.

Joel Fitzgibbon MP

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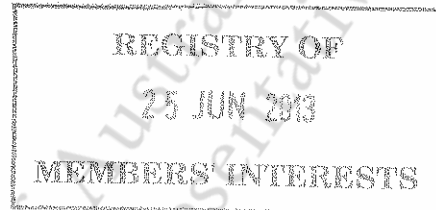


*The Hon Joel Fitzgibbon MP*

FEDERAL MEMBER FOR HUNTER

25 June, 2013

Mr David Elder  
Registrar of Members' Interests  
Parliament House  
PO Box 6021  
CANBERRA ACT 2600



*David,*  
Dear Mr Elder

I wish to advise that as Chair of the Joint Standing Committee Foreign Affairs, Defence and Trade I recently received a gift from the Minister of Foreign Affairs and Cooperation, Kingdom of Morocco.

The gift was a pottery artefact.

Could you please add to my register of interest's.



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