

REGISTRY OF
28 JUL 2014
SENATORS' INTERESTS

FORM A



The Senate

STATEMENT OF REGISTRABLE INTERESTS

FORM A – SENATORS

Surname: **ABETZ**
(please print)

Other Names: **ERIC**

State/Territory: **TASMANIA**

Signature:

Date:

24/7/14

Send the original, signed form to the **Registrar of Senators' Interests, Parliament House, Canberra, ACT 2600**. Please sign and date both this form, and Form B if required, which together constitute your statement of registrable interests. If there is insufficient space on the form, you may attach additional pages. Please date, and either sign or initial, each page of any attachment.

Do not use this form to notify an alteration of registrable interests

PLEASE READ THE ATTACHED [EXPLANATORY NOTES](#) BEFORE COMPLETING THE FORM

1. SHAREHOLDINGS IN PUBLIC AND PRIVATE COMPANIES (INCLUDING HOLDING COMPANIES) INDICATING THE NAME OF THE COMPANY OR COMPANIES (See Explanatory Notes)

(Note: It is NOT necessary to declare the size or value of the shareholding)	
Self	Name of company – (including holding and subsidiary companies if applicable)
	<i>Example</i> —AMP, Telstra, XYZ Pty Ltd
	Nil

2. FAMILY AND BUSINESS TRUSTS AND NOMINEE COMPANIES – (See Explanatory Notes)

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

Self	Name of trust/nominee company	Nature of its operation	Beneficial interest
	<i>Example</i> —Brown Family Trust	Property investment	Joint beneficiary
	Nil		

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

Self	Name of trust/nominee company	Nature of its operation	Beneficiary of the trust
	<i>Example</i> —Black Family Trust	Share investment	Children
	Nil		

3. REAL ESTATE, INCLUDING THE LOCATION (SUBURB OR AREA ONLY) AND THE PURPOSE FOR WHICH IT IS OWNED (See [Explanatory Notes](#))

(Note: The full street address of property is <u>NOT</u> required to be specified)		
	Location	Purpose for which owned
	<i>Example—Ainslie, ACT</i>	Residential
Self	Blackmans Bay, Tasmania) Griffith, ACT)	as joint tenant with spouse

4. REGISTERED DIRECTORSHIPS OF COMPANIES (See [Explanatory Notes](#))

	Name of company	Activities of company
	<i>Example—QRS Pty Ltd</i>	Property services
Self	NIL	

5. PARTNERSHIPS, INDICATING THE NATURE OF THE INTERESTS AND THE ACTIVITIES OF THE PARTNERSHIP (See [Explanatory Notes](#))

	Name	Nature of interest	Activities of partnership
	<i>Example—Green & Sons</i>	Financial partner	Farming
Self	NIL		

6. LIABILITIES, INDICATING THE NATURE OF THE LIABILITY AND THE CREDITOR CONCERNED (See [Explanatory Notes](#))

(Note: It is NOT necessary to declare the amount of any liability)		
	Nature of liability	Creditor
	<i>Example</i> —mortgage on investment property	Commonwealth Bank
Self	NIL	

7. THE NATURE OF ANY BONDS, DEBENTURES AND LIKE INVESTMENTS (See [Explanatory Notes](#))

(Note: It is NOT necessary to declare the value of such investments)		
	Type of investment	Body in which investment is held
	<i>Example</i> —managed funds	CDE
Self	NIL	

8. SAVING OR INVESTMENT ACCOUNTS, INDICATING THEIR NATURE AND THE NAME OF THE BANK OR OTHER INSTITUTIONS CONCERNED (See [Explanatory Notes](#))

(Note: It is NOT necessary to declare actual amounts held in accounts)		
	Nature of account	Name of bank/institution
	<i>Example</i> —savings	Commonwealth
Self	Savings	Commonwealth
	Cheque A/c	B & E

9. THE NATURE OF ANY OTHER ASSETS (EXCLUDING HOUSEHOLD AND PERSONAL EFFECTS) EACH VALUED AT MORE THAN \$7,500 (See [Explanatory Notes](#))

(Note: It is NOT necessary to declare the value of any other asset)	
Self	Nature of any other assets
	<i>Example</i> —life insurance
	Life Insurance Superannuation

10. THE NATURE OF ANY OTHER SUBSTANTIAL SOURCES OF INCOME (See [Explanatory Notes](#))

(Note: It is NOT necessary to declare the amount of the income)	
Self	Nature of income
	<i>Example</i> —shareholdings
	NIL

11. GIFTS VALUED AT MORE THAN \$750 RECEIVED FROM OFFICIAL SOURCES (such sources being an Australian or foreign national, State, provincial or local Government or a person holding an office in such a Government) OR AT \$300 OR MORE WHERE RECEIVED FROM OTHER THAN OFFICIAL SOURCES, provided that a gift received by a Senator, the Senator's spouse or partner or dependent children from family members or personal friends in a purely personal capacity need not be registered unless the Senator judges that an appearance of conflict of interest may be seen to exist. (See [Explanatory Notes](#))

(Note: It is NOT necessary to declare the value of the gift)	
Self	Details of gifts
	<i>Example</i> —laptop computer from ABC Pty Ltd
	NIL - apart from ongoing Foxtel/Austar connection at Electorate Office

12. ANY SPONSORED TRAVEL OR HOSPITALITY RECEIVED WHERE THE VALUE OF THE SPONSORSHIP OR HOSPITALITY EXCEEDS \$300 (See [Explanatory Notes](#))

(Note: It is <u>NOT</u> necessary to declare the value of the sponsored travel etc.)	
Self	Details of travel/hospitality
	<i>Example</i> —Upgrade from business to first class on QF123, Sydney to LA on [date]; tickets and hospitality, Australian Open tennis final on [date], Kenbank
	All previously declared.

13. BEING AN OFFICE HOLDER OF OR FINANCIAL CONTRIBUTOR DONATING \$300 OR MORE IN ANY SINGLE CALENDAR YEAR TO ANY ORGANISATION (See [Explanatory Notes](#))

Self	Name of organisation
	<i>Example</i> —President, NSW Women’s Guild; Donor—UNICEF
	Christian Reformed Church of Kingston)
	Liberal Party of Australia (TAS Division))
	Leprosy Mission)
	CBMI) Donor
BibleLeague)	
Menzies Research Centre)	
Institute of Public Affairs)	
<i>SA Freedom Centre Inc</i>	

14. ANY OTHER INTERESTS WHERE A CONFLICT OF INTEREST WITH A SENATOR’S PUBLIC DUTIES COULD FORESEEABLY ARISE OR BE SEEN TO ARISE (See [Explanatory Notes](#))

Self	Nature of interest
	Previously declared.

**REGISTRY OF
- 8 MAY 2015
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PARLIAMENT OF AUSTRALIA - THE SENATE

Senator the Hon

Eric Abetz

Leader of the Government in the Senate
Minister for Employment
Minister Assisting the Prime Minister for the Public Service
Liberal Senator for Tasmania

5th May, 2015

Mr Richard Pye
Registrar of Senators' Interests
The Senate
Parliament House
CANBERRA ACT 2600

Dear Mr Pye

Re: Register of Senators' Interests

I write to disclose that on the 4th May, 2015 I was provided with a framed limited edition photo montage of Australia's two longest serving Prime Ministers with a first day Australia Post cover of Australia's war time Prime Ministers also included in the framed montage from Nader M Shirvani of Sleeping Beauty Bedding.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Eric Abetz', written over a white background.

Eric Abetz
**Leader of the Government in the Senate
Minister for Employment
Minister Assisting the Prime Minister for the Public Service
Liberal Senator for Tasmania**

...advancing Tasmania's interests.

REGISTRY OF
11 AUG 2015
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PARLIAMENT OF AUSTRALIA - THE SENATE

Senator the Hon

Eric Abetz

Leader of the Government in the Senate
Minister for Employment

Minister Assisting the Prime Minister for the Public Service
Liberal Senator for Tasmania

4th August, 2015

Mr Richard Pye
Registrar of Senators' Interests
The Senate
Parliament House
CANBERRA, ACT 2600

Dear Mr Pye

I wish to amend my Declaration of Interests by including the gift to me of 3 framed montages of:

1. Australia's two Longest Serving Prime Ministers
2. Australia's First Wallabies Team to the United Kingdom
3. Australian Ballet/Swan Lake

Together with 3 bottles of wine and a bunch of flowers from Mr Nader Shirvani of Huonville in Tasmania, the total value of which, I assume exceeds the threshold for disclosure.

Yours sincerely

Eric Abetz
Leader of the Government in the Senate
Minister for Employment
Minister Assisting the Prime Minister for the Public Service
Liberal Senator for Tasmania

...advancing Tasmania's interests.

REGISTRY OF
06 APR 2016
SENATORS' INTERESTS



PARLIAMENT OF AUSTRALIA - THE SENATE

6th April, 2016

Senator the Hon
Eric Abetz
Liberal Senator for Tasmania

Mr Richard Pye
Registrar of Senators' Interests
The Senate
Parliament House
CANBERRA ACT 2600

Dear Deputy Clerk

This letter is to amend my Declaration of Interests under section 13 relating to organisations.

In late March, I became a Member of the National Council of the Australian Monarchist League. I understand that this is an office which may require disclosure under the guidelines.

Thank you for taking the time to consider this amendment.

Yours sincerely

Eric Abetz
Liberal Senator for Tasmania

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