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Lord Speaker's Gifts Received: October-December 2017

Date received	From	Gift received	Est. Value	Disposal
02/10/2017	The Speaker of the Canadian House of Commons	Maple Syrup	Below limit	Retained by Lord Speaker
03/10/2017	The Speaker of the Canadian Senate	Photos and a DVD	Below limit	Retained by Lord Speaker
23/10/2017	President of the Senate of the Philippines	Mother of Pearl tray, Table runner and salad servers	Below limit	Retained in office
31/10/2017	Vice-President of the Shura Council of Saudi Arabia	Incense burner	Below limit	Retained in office
30/11/2017	Moderator of the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland	Wooden cross	Below limit	Retained in office
30/11/2017	Dr Mark Kristmanson, CEO of the National Capital Commission, Ottawa	Book on Rideau Hall	Below limit	Retained in office
08/12/2017	The High Commissioner of Bangladesh	Bottle of champagne	Below limit	Retained by Lord Speaker
13/12/2017	The Ambassador of the Republic of Korea	Tea	Below limit	Retained in office
21/12/2017	The Amabassador of the People's Republic of China	Bottle each of red and white wine	Below limit	Retained in office
21/12/2017	The Ambassador of the Republic of Turkey	Turkish Delight	Below limit	Retained in office



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Lord Speaker's Travel Register: October-December 2017

Date Travelled	Journey Details	Purpose/Event	Staff Accompanying	Transport	Cost
12/10/2017	HoL to Spanish Embassy	Reception to celebrate National Day	1	Taxi	£ 10.20
12/10/2017	Spanish Embassy to HoL	Reception to celebrate National Day	1	Taxi	£ 13.00
26/10/2017	Home to HoL	Early morning meeting	0	Taxi	£ 20.00
26/10/2017	HoL to Royal College of Physicians	Lecture given by Lord Speaker	1	Taxi	£ 17.18
26/10/2017	Royal College of Physicians to Home	Lecture given by Lord Speaker	0	Taxi	£ 14.60
06/11/2017	HoL to Home	District Line suspension	0	Taxi	£ 25.00
07/11/2017	HoL to Home	District Line suspension	0	Taxi	£ 17.00
17/11/2017	HoL to Guildhall	Lord Mayor's Banquet	0	Taxi	£ 19.04
11/12/2017	Guldhall to Home	Lord Mayor's Banquet	0	Taxi	£ 35.55
24/11/2017	Home to HoL	Early morning sitting	0	Taxi	£ 18.00
11/12/2017	Home to HoL	Following illness	0	Taxi	£ 17.00
12/12/2001	Home to HoL	Following illness	0	Taxi	£ 17.00



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Lord Speaker's Overseas Travel Expenditure: October-December 2017

Date	Expenditure	Trip	Staff accompanying	Amount
01/10/2017; 07/10/2017	Flights from New York to Ottawa; Montréal to New York ¹	Official visit to the Canadian Parliament	2	£ 548.30
01-04/10/2017	The Lord Elgin Hotel, Ottawa ²	Official visit to the Canadian Parliament	2	£ 945.70
01/10/2017	Meals and subsistence	Official visit to the Canadian Parliament	2	£ 20.79
02/10/2017	Meals and subsistence	Official visit to the Canadian Parliament	2	£ 43.01
03/10/2017	Meals and subsistence	Official visit to the Canadian Parliament	2	£ 35.37
03/10/2017	Meals and subsistence	Official visit to the Canadian Parliament	2	£ 16.60
04/10/2017	Meals and subsistence	Official visit to the Canadian Parliament	2	£ 14.82

¹ The cost of the return flights from London to New York, and the cost of travel between Ottawa and Montréal, were met personally by the Lord Speaker

² Lady Fowler accompanied Lord Fowler on this trip. The Lord Speaker's Office gained assurance from the hotel that no extra charge was incurred as a result of double-occupancy.



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Lord Speaker's Office Entertainment Expenditure: October-December 2017

Date	Expenditure	Amount
14/12/2017	Refreshments for the Lord Speaker's Christmas reception	£ 14.59