

NEWS RELEASE

Board of Internal Economy Disclosure: Quarterly posting of the *Members' Expenditures Report* and the *Public Registry of Designated Travellers*

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The Honourable Geoff Regan, Speaker of the House of Commons and Chair of the Board of Internal Economy, confirmed today that the <u>Members' Expenditures Report</u> for the second quarter of 2016–2017 and the <u>Public Registry of Designated Travellers</u> as at September 30, 2016 are now publicly available on the Parliament of Canada website.

Members' Expenditures Report

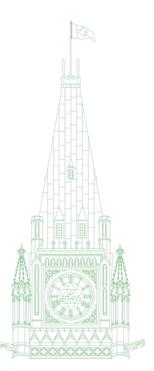
The Members' Expenditures Report for the second quarter of 2016–2017 outlines Members' expenditures processed between April 1 and September 30, 2016. It includes the Detailed Travel Points Report, which provides information on Members' and authorized travellers' trips for which travel points are used as well as the Detailed Hospitality Expenditures Report, which provides information on Members' hospitality expenses processed between April 1 and September 30, 2016.

Public Registry of Designated Travellers

The *Public Registry of Designated Travellers* lists Members' active designated travellers as at September 30, 2016.

Quote

"The Board of Internal Economy is pleased to publish the *Members' Expenditure Report* and the *Public Registry of Designated Travellers* and make these available to Canadians," says the Honourable Geoff Regan, Board Chair and Speaker of the House of Commons. "This reflects our ongoing commitment to increasing the public's understanding about the House, including its expenditures and the expenditures of its Members."



Quick Facts

- Members' expenditures must be incurred in the discharge of their parliamentary functions.
- Members' expenditures are submitted electronically via a system with built-in controls, after which they are reviewed by the House Administration.
- Members are ultimately responsible for ensuring that all approved expenses are incurred in the discharge of their parliamentary functions.
- Members' expenditures are subject to the *Members By-law* and the *Members'* Allowances and Services Manual.

All questions related to a specific Member's expenditures and/or designated travellers should be directed to that individual Member.

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