

Queensland Audit Office

Gift and benefits register

This register shows gifts and benefits valued at more than \$150 that have been given and received by Queensland Audit Office and its employees. This may include multiple gifts or benefits, where their total value exceeds \$150 in a financial year. The register is updated each quarter.

July 2024 – June 2025

Date given or received	Description of gift or benefit	Value	Name of donor	Name of recipient	For gifts received was the gift: a) retained by employee; or b) retained by agency.	Reasons for accepting or giving (what is the benefit to the Queensland community)	Name & signature of accountable officer or supervisor.
07.04.25	UN Women 2025 International Women's Day lunch	\$199.00	QIC	Brydie Morris	Retained by employee	Courtesy, relationship building	Rachel Vagg
18.03.25	Lindt Lindor Strawberries & Cream chocolates 125g (\$8.00); Penfolds Max's Pinot Noir 2023 (\$27.00)	\$35.00	CPA Australia (International Women's Day breakfast - panel member)	Rachel Vagg	Retained by office	Courtesy, relationship building	Patrick Flemming
18.03.25	Lindt Lindor Strawberries & Cream chocolates 125g (\$8.00 pp)	\$120.00	CPA Australia (International Women's Day breakfast - attendee)	Gabrielle O'Sullivan Jacqueline Thornley Dominika Ryan Monique McHugh Rachel Stevens Eva Dall'Osto Chantelle Hanna Kaylene Cossart Carla Baptista Lisa Fraser Kathleen Hayward Amy Glasson Kiriana Giffin Karen Johnson Brydie Morris	Retained by employee	Courtesy, relationship building	Patrick Flemming

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06.12.24	Breakfast at Government House + Christmas decoration	\$65	Office of the Governor	Rachel Vagg	Retained by employee	Courtesy, relationship building	Karen Johnson
21-24.10.24	Blue Mountain Gold ground coffee (\$20); Queen Emma Dark Chocolate (\$20); PNG wood carving (\$50); Bilum bag (\$50); general hospitality associated with business meetings (lunch x 2 days @ \$25 each; afternoon tea at stakeholder event \$20)	\$210	Papua New Guinea Audit Office	Rachel Vagg	Retained by employee/office	Courtesy, relationship building	Karen Johnson
28.09.24	Complimentary enrolment to the CPA Australia Virtual Congress 2024	\$349	CPA Australia	David Hardidge	Retained by employee	Courtesy, relationship building	Karen Johnson
16.09.24	Return flights to Melbourne + taxi fare (<i>participating in CPA Australia campaigns on IFRS18</i>)	\$967.74	CPA Australia	David Hardidge	Retained by employee	Courtesy, relationship building	Karen Johnson
20.08.24	Lunch with the Governor at Government House	\$195 (\$65 pp)	Office of the Governor	Rachel Vagg Melissa Fletcher Jessica Rossouw	Retained by employee	Courtesy, relationship building	Karen Johnson
20.08.24	Medallion x 2; Christmas Decoration x 2	\$70	Office of the Governor	Melissa Fletcher Jessica Rossouw	Retained by employee	Courtesy, relationship building	Karen Johnson

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17.06.24	Essential Eight Assessment Course (17-20 June 2024)	\$2,000	The Queensland Government Cyber Security Unit (CSU)	Karthic Manohar	Retained by employee	Upskilling the ASD Essential 8 Knowledge and obtained the certification on successful completion	Karen Johnson
19.03.24	International Women's Day 2024 Business Chicks Breakfast	\$295	Hays (Recruitment Agency)	Amy Glasson	Retained by employee	Courtesy, relationship building	Karen Johnson
01.02.24	Dell Laptop Latitude 9440 Dell 24-inch monitor Dell KM900 Mouse and Keyboard set	\$3,977 (\$3,343 + \$398 + \$236)	Dell	James Jewell	Retained by the office	Items accepted for testing purposes. Dell is 1 of 3 suppliers QAO is considering for laptop supply and this version is premarket release.	Karen Johnson
20.10.23	Complimentary enrolment to the CPA Australia Virtual Congress 2023	\$349	CPA Australia	David Hardidge	Retained by employee	Courtesy, relationship building	Karen Johnson
15.08.23	Lunch with the Governor at Government House	\$180 (\$60 pp)	Office of the Governor	Brendan Worrall Melissa Fletcher Jessica Rossouw	Retained by employee	Courtesy, relationship building	Karen Johnson

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17.05.23	2 handmade indigenous ties	\$200	Pompuraaw Aboriginal Shire Council	Brendan Worrall Sri Narasimhan	Retained by employee	Courtesy, relationship building	Karen Johnson

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09.05.23	Executive roundtable lunch on data sharing at Donna Chang Restaurant; 1 parker pen urban; 1 notebook	\$299.95 (\$110 pp for lunch; \$59.95 for pen; \$20 for notebook)	FST Government Queensland	Robert Kilbride Khine Bo	Retained by employee	Courtesy, relationship building, networking opportunity	Karen Johnson
07.03.23	FSTGov Queensland Government Executive Roundtable Lunch at Alchemy Restaurant and Bar	\$115	FST Government Queensland	Charles Strickland	Retained by employee	Courtesy, relationship building, networking opportunity	Karen Johnson
15.03.23	7 th Annual FST Government Queensland Summit Dinner at Blackbird Bar & Grill	\$130 (\$115 pp)	FST Government Queensland	Charles Strickland Robert Kilbride	Retained by employee	Courtesy, relationship building, networking opportunity	Karen Johnson
23.02.23	Stakeholder Engagement Evening	\$160 (\$80 pp)	Gladstone Ports Corporation	Brendan Worrall; Bhavik Deoji	Retained by employee	Courtesy, relationship building	Karen Johnson
07.02.23	CPA membership application joining fee	\$200	CPA Australia	Charles Strickland	Retained by employee	Courtesy, relationship building	Karen Johnson
12.12.22	CPA roundtable lunch	\$75	CPA Australia	Charles Strickland	Retained by employee	Courtesy, relationship building	Karen Johnson
02.12.22	CPA gala (includes a 3-course meal)	\$125.45	CPA Australia	David Hardidge	Retained by employee	Courtesy, relationship building	Karen Johnson
02.12.22	CPA gala (includes a 3-course meal)	\$125.45	CPA Australia	Charles Strickland	Retained by employee	Courtesy, relationship building	Karen Johnson
02.12.22	Official Secretary's Stakeholders Breakfast	\$40	Office of the Governor	Paul Christensen	Retained by employee	Courtesy, relationship building	Karen Johnson
30.11.22	RSM Australia end of year cocktail function	\$300 (\$100 pp)	RSM Australia	P Brahman Karen Johnson Damon Olive	Retained by employee	Courtesy, relationship building	Brendan Worrall

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16.11.22	Deloitte Queensland Gala 2022 at the Brisbane Powerhouse	\$600 (\$150 pp)	Deloitte Queensland	Karen Johnson P Brahma Damon Olive Patrick Flemming	Retained by employee	Courtesy, relationship building	Brendan Worrall
28.09.22	Queensland State of the State CEDA event on 28.09.22 (table of 10 with KPMG)	\$398 (\$199 pp)	KPMG	Michelle Reardon Irshaad Asim	Retained by employee	Courtesy, relationship building	Karen Johnson
28.09.22	Complimentary enrolment to the Virtual Congress 2022	\$289	CPA Australia	David Hardidge	Retained by employee	Courtesy, relationship building	Karen Johnson
16.08.22	Lunch with the Governor at Government House	\$150 (\$50 pp)	Office of the Governor	Brendan Worrall Paul Christensen Julie O'Brien	Retained by employee	Courtesy, relationship building	Karen Johnson

Note: Items under \$150 have been published in the register due to the cumulative value exceeding this amount for the financial year to date.