

ELECTORAL COMMISSION  
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## Party Donations and Loans Return for the year ending 31 December 2014

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Party Name

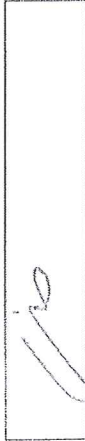
The Civilian Party

Party Secretary  
Name

Sarah Chrisp

I declare that to the best of my knowledge this return contains all donations and loans information required pursuant to sections 210 and 214C of the Electoral Act 1993, is an accurate record of the party donations and loans and is not false in any material particular.

Signed:



(Party Secretary)

Date:

~~2014~~ 27/04/15

(dd/mm/yyyy)

Where you have completed the return electronically you will need to print the return. The return needs to be signed and dated by the party secretary and both the party secretary and the auditor must initial each page of the return. The signed return and the auditor's report must be received by the Electoral Commission by Thursday, 30 April 2015. Returns can be filed:

- By post at PO Box 3220 Wellington 6140
- Delivered to Level 10, 34-42 Manners Street, Wellington
- By fax to 04 495 0031
- By email to [enquiries@elections.govt.nz](mailto:enquiries@elections.govt.nz)

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**A: Every donor who has donated over \$15,000 during the year**  
Sections 210(1)(a) and 210(2)

Include aggregations from the same donor (including those exceeding \$30,000 that have been reported during the year under section 210C).

Do not include in Part A contributors to donations, anonymous or overseas donations, donations protected from disclosure, or donations not exceeding \$15,000 (see Parts B, C, D, E, F and G).

The requirement to identify whether a donation contains contributions is in section 210(1)(b).

Total A \$0.00

		Party Name		Total A \$0.00	
Donor's name	Donor's address	Date donation received (or dates of each aggregated donation) DD/MM/YYYY	Does the donation contain contributions? (Yes or No)	Amount of donation or total aggregated donations	
	Nil			\$0.00	

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### D: Every donation from an overseas person that was over \$1,500

Sections 210(1)(c) and 210(5)

If a donation from an overseas person is over \$1,500 (either on its own or when aggregated with all other donations made by or on behalf of the same overseas person during the year) the party is entitled to keep \$1,500 and within 20 working days must either return the excess to the donor or pay the excess to the Electoral Commission.

Overseas person is defined in section 207K.

Total \$0.00		Total \$0.00		Party Name		Total \$0.00			
Name of overseas donor	Address of overseas donor	Amount of overseas donation or total aggregated overseas donations \$0.00	Date overseas donation received or dates of each aggregated donation DD/MM/	Was the excess returned to the donor or paid to the Electoral Commission?	Amount returned to donor or paid to Electoral Commission \$0.00	Date excess returned to donor or paid to Electoral Commission DD/MM/YYYY	Party Name	Amount of payment \$0.00	Date received DD/MM/YYYY
	Nil						The Civic Party		

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**E: Every donation with contributions from an overseas person that was over \$1,500 Sections 210(1)(d) and 210(5)**

If an overseas contribution is over \$1,500 (either on its own or when aggregated with other contributions to the donation by the same overseas person), within 20 days, the party must either return the entire donation to the donor or pay it to the Electoral Commission.

Overseas person is defined in section 207K, along with the requirements to relinquish some donations with overseas contributions.

Total \$0.00

		Party Name				
		The Green Party			\$0.00	
Name of overseas person	Address of overseas person	Amount of contribution \$0.00 or total aggregated contribution	Donation number in Part A or Part D that the contribution was part of and date donation made e.g. A13 13/08/	Date donation returned to donor or paid to Electoral Commission DD/MM/YYYY	Amount of payment \$0.00	Date received DD/MM/YYYY
	Nil					

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**F: All payments from the Electoral Commission of donations protected from disclosure**

Sections 210(1)(e) and 210(6)

Donations protected from disclosure are defined in section 208.

Total \$0.00		Total \$0.00	Party Name	\$0.00
Date payment received DD/MM/YYYY	Amount of payment \$0.00	Amount of interest included in payment \$0.00	The Civilian Party <small>(For Electoral Commission office use only)</small>	Date sent DD/MM/YYYY
	Nil			

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### G: Details of all other party donations received Sections 210 (1), (f) and (6A)

Include here the total number and value of other party donations received that must be disclosed in accordance with section 210(1)(f). If a donor has made more than one donation in a category each donation should be counted separately when calculating the total number of donations, for the purposes of Part G.

Party Name		Total
		\$0.00
Description of Donation	Number of Donations No.	Total Amount of Donations \$0.00
Anonymous donations not exceeding \$1,500	0	\$0.00
Overseas donations not exceeding \$1,500	0	\$0.00
Donations exceeding \$1,500 but not exceeding \$5,000	0	\$0.00
Donations exceeding \$5,000 but not exceeding \$15,000	0	\$0.00

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**H: Loans exceeding \$15,000 entered into during the year from 25 March 2014 \***

Sections 214C(1)(a) and (b), 214C(2) and 214C(3)

Include loans from the same lender (including those exceeding \$30,000 that have been reported during the year under section 214F). Loans from the same lender need to be aggregated.

Do not include in Part H loans not exceeding \$15,000 (see Part I).

The unpaid balance amount is as at 31 December 2014.

Party Name:

*The Civilian Party*

Lender's name and address	Loan amount \$0.00	Date loan entered into DD/MM/YYYY	Repayment date (if no repayment date, specify "no repayment date" here
<i>Nil</i>			
Interest rate or rates	Unpaid balance of loan \$0.00	Guarantor's name and address (if any)	Details of any security given
Any terms (that enable the lender to reduce or extinguish the loan amount and/or interest or grant any concession in respect of repayment)			

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**I: Details of all other party loans**

Section 214C(1)(c) and 214(4)

Include here the total number and value of other party loans entered into during the year that were less than \$1,500 and not more than \$15,000 that must be disclosed in accordance with 214(1)(c).

If a lender has made more than one loan to the party of between \$1,500 and \$15,000 each loan should be counted separately when calculating the total number of loans, for the purposes of Part I.

Party Name	Total
The Civilian Party	\$0.00

Loans of more than \$1,500 and not more than \$15,000	Number of Loans No.	Total Amount of Loans \$0.00
	0	\$0.00

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**INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE ELECTORAL COMMISSION  
ON THE CIVILIAN PARTY'S  
ANNUAL RETURN OF PARTY DONATIONS AND LOANS  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2014**

We have examined the Party Donations and Loans Return of the Civilian Party for the year ended 31 December 2014.

*Party Secretary's Responsibility for the Annual Return*

The Party Secretary is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the annual return, and for keeping proper records, documents and accounts that relate to the party donations and loans. The Party Secretary is also responsible for such internal control as the Party Secretary determines is necessary to enable the preparation of the annual return that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

*Auditor's Responsibility*

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the annual return based on our review of the Party's records. We conduct our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (New Zealand). Those standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the annual return is free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the annual return. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the annual return, whether caused by fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the party's preparation and fair presentation of the annual return in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the party's internal control.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Other than in our capacity as auditor we have no relationship with or interests in the Civilian Party.

*Opinion*

In our opinion, based on the examination that we considered necessary:

- the annual return fairly reflects the details required in the annual return in regards to the party donations received by the party secretary and
- the annual return fairly reflects the details required in the annual return in regards to loans entered into by the party.

We have received all the information and explanations we required to carry out our duties. Proper records of party donations and loans have been kept by the Party Secretary.

**JOHN HOOPER**  
7 May 2015, Nelson