



Election return of expenditure by a registered political party grouping - ACT election 15 October 2016

Please refer to the *Election funding, expenditure and financial disclosure 2016 election handbook* when completing this form. The handbook is available at:

www.elections.act.gov.au/funding_and_disclosure/funding_and_disclosure_handbooks

Authority for collecting information in this form is in section 224 of the *Electoral Act 1992*.

Information in the form will be made public from the beginning of February 2017, as required by section 243 of the Electoral Act.

What is a party grouping?

A party grouping consists of:

- A party;
- A candidate, or prospective candidate, of the party; and
- An MLA for the party.

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The due date for lodging this return is 14 December 2016

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Party details

Name of party:
Postal address:
Suburb/locality: Postcode:

Reporting agent's details

(If a reporting agent has not been appointed, the registered officer of the party must complete the return)

Surname:
Given names:
Postal address:
Suburb/locality: Postcode:
Daytime contact number:
Email address:

Certification

Please enter X: I certify that the information contained in this return and its attachments is true and complete.

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Electoral expenditure

This section covers the reporting period:

[insert report period] to **15 October 2016**

Set out the total expenditure incurred by the political party grouping during the reporting period in the categories identified below.

Note:

- All transactions, including those of less than \$1000, must be included;
- All figures must be gross, and include GST;
- Only the listed categories of campaign expenditure need be disclosed (for example, travel or telephone costs are not required to be included);
- Expenditure incurred throughout all sections of the party grouping must be included (for example, expenditure by campaign committees of endorsed candidates and MLAs); and
- Expenditure on campaign goods or services used during the reporting period must be included irrespective of when payment was actually made (for example, the cost of production incurred before the reporting period of advertisements shown during the reporting period).

Categories of electoral expenditure

Amount paid (\$)

Broadcasting electoral advertisements (including production costs)

Publishing electoral advertisements in a news publication, including printed and electronic newspapers or periodicals (including production costs)

Displaying electoral advertisements at a theatre or other place of entertainment (including production costs)

Production of printed or electronic electoral matter requiring authorisation (for example, how-to-vote cards, posters, pamphlets and internet advertising)

Producing, broadcasting, publishing or distributing electoral matter, other than material included above (such as direct mailing, including printing and postage, business cards promoting candidacy, T-shirts, badges and buttons, pens, pencils and balloons)

Consultant's or advertising agent's fees in respect of services provided or material used relating to the election

Opinion polling and other electoral research undertaken to support the production of electoral matter included at above.

Total electoral expenditure