

**DISCLOSURE OF INTERESTS - FOR INCLUSION IN A REGISTER OF INTERESTS.**

The Information Commissioner, his Deputies and Non-executive members of his Management Board are expected to use this form to provide details of all relevant interests. These are interests that might affect the carrying out of their duties as part of the Board. If you are in doubt about whether to disclose a particular interest, please seek the Information Commissioner's advice.

1. Please give details of any relevant remunerated or non-remunerated directorships, i.e. directorships of companies or other organisations falling within the Information Commissioner's sphere of statutory responsibility.

Deputy Chairman and co-opted Council Member, Consumers Association  
 Trustee / Director, Whitehall & Industry Group  
 Chairman (as from 1 Sept. 2009), Administrative Justice and Tribunals Council

2. Please give details of any relevant employment (other than held with the Information Commissioner) - that is any remunerated employment, offices held, professions etc. that might affect the carrying out of your duties as part of the Commissioner's team.

Name of organisation	Nature of organisation	Position within organisation
None		

3. Please give details of any voluntary and/or public offices held.

Vice-President, Trading Standards Institute  
Deputy Chairman and co-opted Council Member, Consumers Association  
Trustee / Director, Whitehall & Industry Group  
Chairman (as from 1 Sept. 2009), Administrative Justice and Tribunals Council

4. Please give details of any sponsorships or financial or material support that you receive from any organisation falling within the Information Commissioner's sphere of statutory responsibility.

None

5. Please identify any institution where you hold a total investment or other interest which has a value over £25,000 or which accounts for more than 1/100<sup>th</sup> of the issued shares or securities of that institution, or of any class of such shares or securities. This would include matters such as endowment policies and pension plans.

Coventry Building Society (savings)  
Nationwide Building Society (savings)  
Tesco Financial Services (savings)  
Invesco (ISA investment)  
Scottish Widows (Personal Pension and Endowment)  
Jessop Fund Managers (Personal Pension)  
Standard Life (Personal Pension and Endowment)  
Black Rock (Personal Pension)

6. Please give details of any significant political activity that you are involved in, for example holding office in a political party or standing as a nominated candidate for a political party.

None

7. Please give details of any other relevant interests, including significant interests of close family members, i.e. ones which might influence your judgment, deliberation or action as a member of the Information Commissioner's team, or which might be perceived by a reasonable member of the public as doing so.

**All of the investments identified above are held jointly with my wife, except the Personal Pension and ISA investments. My wife also has ISA investments with Legal & General and AXA and a portfolio of investments with UBS handled on a discretionary "blind trust" basis.**

**My 25-old son has a two year training contract with the law firm, Field Fisher Waterhouse, which started in August 2007. He is subject to a formal arrangement to ensure that no possible conflict of interest could arise for him, the firm or myself.**

8. Signature and date.

Richard Thomas – 29 April 2009