

Glossary

conclusion of the election is –

- the day on which the last declaration of a poll conducted in the election is displayed at the office of the returning officer; or
- if a by-election, the day on which the declaration of the poll is displayed at the office of the returning officer.

gift means a disposition of property or the provision of a service, without consideration or for a consideration that is less than the market value, but does not include—

- transmission of property under a will; or
- provision of a service by volunteer labour.

A gift also excludes disposition of property or provision of a service which is made in a private capacity, for the candidate's personal use, and the candidate does not use, or intend to use it solely or substantially for a purpose in relation to an election.

gift, value of is—

- if the gift is *money*, the amount of money;
- if the gift is *property*, the market value of the property, or if a regulation prescribes principles under which the value of the property is to be decided, the value decided under the principles;
- if the gift is the *provision of a service*, the amount that would reasonably be charged for providing the service if the service were provided on a commercial basis, or, if a regulation prescribes principles under which the value of the service is to be decided, the value decided under the principles;
- if the gift is a payment for attendance at, or participation in a *fundraising activity*, the gross amount of the payment, regardless of the value of anything received in consideration of the payment.

political activity means any of the following—

- publication by any means (including radio or television) of election material;
- public expression of views on an issue in an election;
- a gift to a political party;
- a gift to a candidate in an election; or
- a gift to a person on the understanding that the person or someone else will apply, either directly or indirectly, the whole or a part of the gift for a purpose as listed above.

third party/donor for an election, means any entity other than—

- a political party, an associated entity or a candidate; or
- person/s appointed to form a committee or who are members of a committee to help in the election campaign of a candidate or a group of candidates for the election.