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DIVISION DES
ACTIVITÉS DES DÉPUTÉS

YEAR: 2007

DECLARATION OF MEMBERS' FINANCIAL INTERESTS
FULFILLING TO RULE 9 OF AND ANNEX I TO THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT'S RULES OF PROCEDURE CONCERNING
 TRANSPARENCY AND MEMBERS' FINANCIAL INTERESTS (*)

Surname: **DEVA**

Forename: **NIRJ**

I, the undersigned,

hereby declare :

(A) THE FOLLOWING PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:

(Najiri)
 HM Deputy Lord Lieutenant for Greater London
 Hon Ambassador at large for Sri Lanka
 Chair, Friends of Afghanistan in the European Parliament
 Chair, Friends of Indonesia in the European Parliament
 Hon chairman EU-India chamber of commerce
 Founder, Friends of Sri Lanka in the European Parliament
 Chair, EU-China Friendship group in the European Parl.

(B) THE FOLLOWING REMUNERATED FUNCTIONS OR ACTIVITIES:

Dep. Chairman (non exec.) Symphony Music Technologies plc.
 Dir. (non exec) Wauvegalle Distilleries Ltd (est. 1910)
 Dir. (non exec) Ceylon and Foreign Trades Ltd (est. 1920)
 " " Speed Developments Ltd, Sri Lanka
 " " Dilmer Fine Teas and Herbs Ltd, Sri Lanka
 " " Distilleries Corporation of Sri Lanka
 " " Aitken Spence Ltd, Sri Lanka
 " " First European to Commercial Aviation SL Ltd

(*) SHOULD THE SPACE PROVIDED ON THIS FORM PROVE INADEQUATE, PLEASE CONTINUE ON SEPARATE SHEETS. SUCH SHEETS MUST BE SUBMITTED, TOGETHER WITH A SIGNED COPY OF THIS DECLARATION, TO THE DIRECTORATE-GENERAL FOR THE PRESIDENCY, DIVISION FOR THE ACTIVITIES OF MEMBERS, PHS 02A 19 OR LOW 100.055

Dir. (non exec) Kalotara Beach Resorts Sirena vilas Ltd SL
 Proprietor, Grabodagama Estates Ltd SL
 Proprietor, Castle Street Properties SL
 Advisor, Future Metals Corporation (India + Dubai) Ltd.

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(C) THE FOLLOWING SUPPORT RECEIVED IN CONNECTION WITH MY POLITICAL ACTIVITIES:

- . financial: BAA - Free parking at UK airports - all MEPs
- . financial: SNCB - Belgian Rail pass - all MEPs
- (*) granted by Air France - Air France pass - all MEPs
- British Airways - BA silver card
- British Midland - BME silver card
- . in terms of staff: Eurostar - access to preferential tickets - all MEPs
- (*) granted by Beneficiary of the campaign to elect Nirj Deva as United Nations Secretary General in succession to HG Kofi Annan
- . in terms of material:
- (*) granted by Member UK conservative party; Member Conservative Way Forward; Fellow Royal Society of Arts (FRSA) since 1996; Member Carlton Club; Knight Commander, Sacred Military Constantinian Order of St. George

(D) ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

visits order of St. George

2-6 December 2005: to Kazakhstan at invitation of Caspian Information Centre

27-23 July 2006: flight to California, conference pass fees, accommodation, entertainment and dinners at ALBC conference provided by American Legislative Exchange Council

25-31 July 2006: visit to Jilin and Beijing provinces in China. Tickets to Beijing paid for by self; Hospitality, hotel and internal travel paid for by Jilin - Northeast Asia Investment & Trade Expo; met senior officials regarding trade and relationships with the EU

1-4 September 2006: attended the opening of the Jilin - Northeast Asia Investment & Trade Expo. Met with UNESCO representative and related Foreign, Commerce and Governmental officials including Minister of Trade. Tickets to Beijing paid for by self; hospitality, hotel and internal travel paid for by Expo

STATEMENTS INCLUDED IN THIS DECLARATION ARE MADE UNDER THE SOLE AND PERSONAL RESPONSIBILITY OF THE MEMBER AND MUST BE UPDATED EVERY YEAR

29-23 October 2006: invited by Asia Education Forum. Met with 26 education ministers from across SE and Central Asia, to assist in assessing education capacity. Made keynote speech on behalf of EU. Air tickets, hotel, internal travel paid for by Forum.

(*) identity of the third party or parties concerned.

26 May - 2 June 2007: visited China with Friends of China Group in the European Parliament, travel paid for by self; hotel and internal travel paid for by Chinese People's National Congress, Chinese People's Association for Friendship with Foreign Countries

15-20 August 2007: observer of the Kazakhstan Parliamentary elections at the invitation of the Caspian Information Centre

10th April - 12th April 2008 - Chairmen Peace Conference in Oslo "Peace in South Asia, including Sri Lanka and Nepal" sponsored by the "Art of Living" foundation. Ticket and Hotel paid by sponsor.

20-22 May 2008: Guest Lecturer MIT Media Labs, Boston "One Laptop per Child" initiative. Plane ticket and Hotel paid for by MIT Boston Mass.

During the year 2007/8 - I have employed 6 full time and 5 part time assistants; including my wife who has worked for me as my personal assistant since 1992 in the House of Commons and now lives and works in Brussels and occasionally in London and is paid a salary in the range of £25,000 - £35,000. All my Assistants are paid directly by the Parliament with direct contracts. I have no intermediary paying agent. I also employ various stages from time to time.

Signed

Date: 07/06/08