



House of Commons

Environment, Food and Rural Affairs
Committee

Formal Minutes of the Committee

Session 2019–21

Formal Minutes of the Environment, Food and Rural Affairs Committee, Session 2019–21 Formal Minutes

WEDNESDAY 4 MARCH 2020

Members present:

Neil Parish, in the Chair¹

Geraint Davies
Dave Doogan
Rosie Duffield
Mary Glindon
Dr Neil Hudson

Robbie Moore
Mrs Sheryll Murray
Mr Toby Perkins
Julian Sturdy
Derek Thomas

1. Declaration of interests

Members declared their interests, in accordance with the Resolution of the House of 13 July 1992 (see Appendix).

2. Confidentiality and Privilege

The Committee considered this matter.

3. Committee working practices

Resolved, That the Committee examine witnesses in public, except where it otherwise orders.

Resolved, That witnesses who submit written evidence to the Committee are authorised to publish it on their own account in accordance with Standing Order No. 135, subject always to the discretion of the Chair or where the Committee otherwise orders.

Resolved, That the Committee shall not consider individual cases.

Resolved, That the Committee delegated the following matters to the Chair:

- a) Agreeing the circulated agenda for Committee meetings;

¹ Elected by the House (Standing Order No 122B) 29 January 2020 (Votes and Proceedings 29 January 2020).

- b) Engaging in correspondence on Committee matters which is not sufficiently significant to require approval by the Committee or is of a routine nature;
- c) Arranging informal meetings in Westminster on matters relating to the Committee's remit;
- d) Authorising the issue of press notices about forthcoming evidence sessions, new inquiries and reports;
- e) Proposing reports to the Liaison Committee for debate in Westminster Hall;
- f) Taking decisions which are consequential on matters already decided by the Committee or which are urgent.

4. Future programme

Resolved, That the Committee take oral evidence on the Agriculture Bill and trade standards.

Resolved, That the Committee inquire into flooding.

Resolved, That the Committee take oral evidence from the Secretary of State on the work of his Department.

Resolved, That the Committee hold a pre-appointment hearing with the prospective Chair of the Office of Environmental Protection.

5. Evidence reported for publication

Ordered, That the following written evidence be reported to the House for publication:

Beef prices:

Correspondence from the Group Quality Director, Tesco PLC, relating to beef prices, dated 18 December 2019.

Puppy smuggling:

Correspondence from the Minister for Pacific and the Environment relating to Puppy smuggling, dated 10 February 2020.

Water resources infrastructure:

Correspondence from the Parliamentary Under Secretary of State for the Department for the Environment, Food and Rural Affairs (Rebecca Pow), relating to water resources infrastructure, dated 10 February 2020.

6. Spending Review 2020

Ordered, That the Chair write to the Secretary of State in relation to Spending Review 2020.

7. DEFRA and Ofwat Supplementary Estimates 2019-20

Ordered, That the Supplementary Estimates memoranda and annexes relating to DEFRA and the Water Services Regulation Authority (Ofwat) be reported to the House for publication.

[Adjourned till Wednesday 11 March at 9.30 a.m.]

WEDNESDAY 11 MARCH 2020

Members present:

Neil Parish, in the Chair

Geraint Davies
Dave Doogan
Robbie Moore
Mrs Sheryll Murray

Mr Toby Perkins
Julian Sturdy
Derek Thomas

1. Future programme

Resolved, That the Committee inquire into Labour in the food supply chain.

2. Plastic food and drink packaging

Draft Special Report (*Plastic Food and Drink Packaging: Government Response to the Committee's Sixteenth Report of Session 2017-19*), proposed by the Chair, brought up, read the first and second time, and agreed to.

The Government's response to the Sixteenth Report from the Committee of Session 2017-19 in the last Parliament was appended to the Report.

Resolved, That the Report be the First Special Report of the Committee to the House.

Ordered, That the Chair make the Report to the House.

3. Beyond the Common Fisheries Policy: Scrutiny of the Fisheries Bill

Draft Special Report (*Beyond the Common Fisheries Policy: Scrutiny of the Fisheries Bill: Government Response to the Committee's Eleventh Report of Session 2017-19*), proposed by the Chair, brought up, read the first and second time, and agreed to.

The Government's response to the Eleventh Report from the Committee of Session 2017-19 in the last Parliament was appended to the Report.

Resolved, That the Report be the Second Special Report of the Committee to the House.

Ordered, That the Chair make the Report to the House.

4. An Update on Rural Connectivity

Draft Special Report (*An Update on Rural Connectivity: Government Response to the Committee's Seventeenth Report of Session 2017-19*), proposed by the Chair, brought up, read the first and second time, and agreed to.

The Government's response to the Seventeenth Report from the Committee of Session 2017-19 in the last Parliament was appended to the Report.

Resolved, That the Report be the Third Special Report of the Committee to the House.

Ordered, That the Chair make the Report to the House.

5. Reporting of Written Evidence

Resolved, That, where the Committee has evidence, including sent or received correspondence, which, in the Chair's judgement, merits publication by the Committee before it will meet again, the Chair shall have discretion to report it to the House for publication provided that the evidence or correspondence concerned shall have been circulated to the Committee and all members shall have been given the opportunity to object to such publication before it takes place.

6. Agriculture Bill and trade standards

Resolved, That the Committee supports the following amendment being made to the Agriculture Bill:

To move the following clause —

International trade agreements: agricultural and food products

(1) *A Minister of the Crown may not lay a copy of an international trade agreement before Parliament under section 20(1) of the Constitutional Reform and Governance Act 2010 that contains provisions relating to the importation of agricultural and food products into the UK unless they have first made a statement confirming that—*

(a) *the agreement contains an affirmation of the United Kingdom's rights and obligations under the World Trade Organisation Sanitary and Phytosanitary Agreement, and*

(b) *any agricultural or food products imported into the UK under the agreement will, to the best of the Secretary of State's knowledge, have been produced according to standards which are equivalent to, or which exceed, the relevant domestic standards and regulations in relation to—*

(i) *animal health and welfare,*

(ii) *plant health, and*

(iii) *environmental protection.*

(2) *A statement under subsection (1) shall be laid before each House of Parliament.*

(3) *Before the first statement under subsection (1) may be made, the Secretary of State must by regulations specify:*

(a) *the process by which the Secretary of State will determine—*

(i) *that the standards to which any agricultural or food product imported into the UK under a trade agreement is produced are equivalent to, or exceed, the relevant domestic standards and regulations in relation to animal health and welfare, plant health and environmental protection, and*

(ii) *that the enforcement of those standards in the place that any agricultural or food product imported into the UK under an international trade agreement are produced or processed is equivalent to, or exceeds, in effectiveness the enforcement of the equivalent domestic standards and regulations in the UK.*

(b) the “relevant domestic standards and regulations” for the purposes of subsections (1)(b) and (3)(a)(i).

(4) The Secretary of State may make regulations amending any regulations made under subsection (3).

(5) Regulations under subsection (3) or (4) shall be made under the affirmative procedure.

(6) In this section—

“international trade agreement” means—

(a) an agreement that is or was notifiable under—

(i) paragraph 7(a) of Article XXIV of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade, part of Annex 1A to the WTO Agreement (as modified from time to time), or

(ii) paragraph 7(a) of Article V of the General Agreement on Trade in Services, part of Annex 1B to the WTO Agreement (as modified from time to time), or

(b) an international agreement that mainly relates to trade, other than an agreement mentioned in sub-paragraph (i) or (ii);

“Minister of the Crown” has the same meaning as in the Ministers of the Crown Act 1975;

“World Trade Organisation Sanitary and Phytosanitary Agreement” means the agreement on the Application of Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures, part of Annex 1A to the WTO Agreement (as modified from time to time);

“WTO Agreement” means the agreement establishing the World Trade Organisation signed at Marrakesh on 15 April 1994.”

Emily Rees, Managing Director, Trade Strategies; James West, Senior Policy Manager, Compassion in World Farming; and Nick von Westenholz, Director of EU Exit and International Trade, National Farmers’ Union, gave oral evidence.

[Adjourned till Tuesday 24 March at 2.15 p.m.]

Publication of special reports, 30 March (Order made during the adjournment (Standing Order No. 137) [reported to the House on 21 April])

Fourth Special Report: Coastal flooding and erosion, and adaptation to climate change: Interim Report: Government Response to the Committee's First Report of Session 2019

After consulting all Members of the Committee, the Chair was satisfied that the Special Report represented a decision of the majority of the Committee and reported it to the House. (Order of the House of 24 March 2020).

Fifth Special Report: Scrutiny of the Agriculture Bill: Government Response to the Committee's Tenth Report of Session 2017-19

After consulting all Members of the Committee, the Chair was satisfied that the Special Report represented a decision of the majority of the Committee and reported it to the House. (Order of the House of 24 March 2020).

Resolution reported to the House 3 April (Order of the House of 24 March 2020).

The Chair reported the following resolution to the House:

Resolved, That the Committee inquire into COVID-19 and food supply.

Evidence reported to the House for publication on 3 April (Order of the Committee, 11 March)

Ordered, That the following written evidence be reported to the House for publication (Order made under the provisions of Standing Order No. 137 [and reported to the House on 21 April]):

COVID-19 and food supply:

- Food and Drink Foundation [COV0001]
- The Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs [COV0002]

Evidence reported to the House for publication on 8 April (Order of the Committee, 11 March)

Ordered, That the following written evidence be reported to the House for publication (Order made under the provisions of Standing Order No. 137 [and reported to the House on 21 April]):

COVID-19 and food supply:

- Trussell Trust [COV0003]
- UK Hospitality [COV0004]

Evidence reported to the House for publication on 9 April (Order of the Committee, 11 March)

Ordered, That the following written evidence be reported to the House for publication (Order made under the provisions of Standing Order No. 137 [and reported to the House on 21 April]):

COVID-19 and food supply:

- Correspondence from the Chair of the Food Standards Agency, dated 3 April 2020, on the Agency's Covid-19 response.

WEDNESDAY 22 APRIL 2020

Virtual meeting

Members present:

Neil Parish, in the Chair

Geraint Davies
Dave Doogan
Dr Neil Hudson
Robbie Moore

Mrs Sheryll Murray
Julian Sturdy
Derek Thomas

1. Future programme

The Committee considered this matter.

2. COVID-19 and food supply

Ordered, That the following written evidence be reported to the House for publication:

- British Retail Consortium [COV0006]
- Mrs Marianne Crisp [COV0007]

Ordered, That the Chair write to the Secretary of State regarding matters related to the inquiry further to a private briefing with DEFRA officials, and that it be reported to the House for publication.

[Adjourned till Wednesday 29 April at 9.30 a.m.]

WEDNESDAY 29 APRIL 2020

Virtual meeting

Members present:

Neil Parish, in the Chair

Geraint Davies
Dave Doogan
Dr Neil Hudson
Robbie Moore

Mrs Sheryll Murray
Mr Toby Perkins
Derek Thomas

1. Future programme

Resolved, That the Committee hold an oral evidence session on the EU/UK Fisheries negotiations.

2. COVID-19 and food supply

Resolved, That a Member of the Northern Ireland Affairs Committee be invited to attend the meeting on 5 May 2020 relating to COVID-19 and food supply, pursuant to Standing Order No 137A(1)(e) (*Select committees: power to work with other committees*).

3. Evidence reported for publication

Ordered, That the following written evidence be reported to the House for publication:

COVID-19 and food supply:

Mrs Lone McCourt [COV0008]
Hawkchurch Community Shop [COV0009]
Shared Assets CIC [COV0010]
Country Land and Business Association [COV0011]
Groceries Code Adjudicator [COV0012]
Payhembury Provisions Community Shop [COV0013]
Global Feedback Ltd [COV0014]
LKL Services [COV0015]

Labour in the food supply chain

Professor Ryszard Piotrowicz [LFS0002]
NFU Scotland [LFS0003]
G's Fresh [LFS0004]
Country Land and Business Association [LFS0005]
British Meat Processors Association [LFS0006]
Countryside Alliance [LFS0007]
Fresh Produce Consortium [LFS0008]
Ornamental Horticulture Roundtable Group [LFS0009]
Cornwall Council [LFS0010]
Royal Association of British Dairy Farmers [LFS0011]

[Adjourned till Tuesday 5 May at 2.15 p.m.]

TUESDAY 5 MAY 2020

Virtual meeting

Members present:

Neil Parish, in the Chair

Geraint Davies
Dave Doogan
Dr Neil Hudson
Robbie Moore

Mrs Sheryll Murray
Mr Toby Perkins
Julian Sturdy
Derek Thomas

Mr Robert Goodwill also attended under the provisions of paragraph (1)(e) of Standing Order No 137A (*Select committees: power to work with other committees*).

1. Future programme

The Committee considered this matter.

2. COVID-19 and food supply

Minette Batters, President, National Farmers' Union; Tom Hind, Chief Strategy Officer, Agriculture and Horticulture Development Board; and Jack Ward, Chief Executive Officer, British Growers Association, gave oral evidence.

[Adjourned till Friday 15 May at 9.00 a.m.]

Evidence reported to the House for publication on 13 May (Order of the Committee of 11 March 2020).

Catch recording system for under 10-meter fishing boats:

Correspondence from the Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State for the Department for the Environment, Food and Rural Affairs (Victoria Prentice) relating to the catch recording system for under 10-meter fishing boats, dated 30 April 2020.

Reservoir safety:

Correspondence from the Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State for the Department for the Environment, Food and Rural Affairs (Rebecca Pow) relating to the Small Raised Reservoir Project, dated 1 May 2020.

COVID-19 and food supply:

Mr Richard Boden [COV0016]

Batstone [COV0018]

The Food, Farming and Countryside Commission [COV0019]

Age Verification Providers Association [COV0020]

Helen Bamber Foundation [COV0021]

Hubbub [COV0022]

Erik Millstone; Prof Terry Marsden; Prof Tim Lang [COV0023]

Action for M.E. [COV0024]

HOPS Labour Solutions [COV0025]

The Asplins Producer Organisation Limited [COV0026]

The Country Trust [COV0027]

NFU Scotland [COV0028]

Professor Louise Manning [COV0029]

Fresh Produce Consortium [COV0030]

Disabled People Against Cuts [COV0031]

The Soil Association [COV0032]

Gastronomy [COV0033]

Age UK [COV0034]

Mrs Catherine Thornton [COV0035]

Crop Protection Association UK Ltd [COV0036]

Scope [COV0037]

DEFRA and Ofwat Main Estimates 2020/21

DEFRA Main Estimate Memorandum 2020/21 & supporting tables

Estimates Memoranda CHANGE

OFWAT Main Estimate Memorandum 2020/21

FRIDAY 15 MAY 2020

Virtual meeting

Members present:

Neil Parish, in the Chair

Ian Byrne
Geraint Davies
Dave Doogan
Rosie Duffield

Dr Neil Hudson
Robbie Moore
Mrs Sheryll Murray
Derek Thomas

1. Declaration of Interests

Ian Byrne declared his interests, in accordance with the Resolution of the House of 13 July 1992 (see Appendix).

2. Future programme

The Committee considered this matter.

3. COVID-19 and food supply

Ian Byrne declared a non-pecuniary interest in relation to the Committees' inquiry into COVID-19 and food supply as a co-founder of Fans Supporting Foodbanks.

Lindsay Boswell, Chief Executive Officer, FareShare; and Emma Revie, Chief Executive Officer, Trussell Trust, gave oral evidence.

Caroline Abrahams, Charity Director, Age UK; and Fazilet Hadi, Policy Manager, Disability Rights UK, gave oral evidence.

[Adjourned till Tuesday 19 May at 2.30 p.m.]

TUESDAY 19 MAY 2020

Virtual meeting

Members present:

Neil Parish, in the Chair

Ian Byrne
Geraint Davies
Dave Doogan
Rosie Duffield
Dr Neil Hudson

Robbie Moore
Mrs Sheryll Murray
Derek Thomas
Julian Sturdy

1. Future programme

Resolved, That the Committee take oral evidence relating to the Environmental Land Management scheme from DEFRA.

Resolved, That the Committee inquire into the EU/UK fisheries negotiations.

2. Evidence reported for publication

Ordered, That the following written evidence be reported to the House for publication:

COVID-19 and food supply:

Anonymous [COV0017]
Independent Age [COV0038]
The Fairtrade Foundation [COV0040]
City of London Corporation [COV0041]
British Meat Processors Association [COV0042]
National Pig Association [COV0043]
Parkinson's UK [COV0044]
Royal Society for Public Health [COV0046]
Plunkett Foundation [COV0047]
The Foodhall Project [COV0048]
Mr Peter Sanderson [COV0049]
UK Fisheries Ltd [COV0050]
Sustainable Food Places [COV0051]
Newcastle City Council [COV0052]
The Cystic Fibrosis Trust [COV0053]
Guide Dogs for the Blind [COV0054]
Disability Rights UK [COV0056]
British Poultry Council [COV0057]
Marine Conservation Society [COV0059]
Provision Trade Federation [COV0060]
Getlink [COV0062]
National Autistic Society [COV0063]
NUNDY [COV0064]
FareShare [COV0065]
National Farmers Union [COV0066]
Food and Drink Federation [COV0068]

Bite Back 2030 [COV0069]
Macmillan Cancer Support [COV0070]
Pepsico UK & ROI [COV0071]
Federation of Wholesale Distributors [COV0072]
Cornwall and Isles of Scilly Local Enterprise Partnership [COV0073]
Mind [COV0074]
IKnowFood [COV0075]
Brakes UK [COV0076]
The Bread and Butter Thing [COV0077]
MS Society [COV0078]
Dr Mark Roodhouse [COV0079]
First Steps Nutrition Trust [COV0080]
Landworkers Alliance [COV0081]
British Pregnancy Advisory Service, Feed UK [COV0082]
British Egg Industry Council [COV0083]
Ocado [COV0084]
Coeliac UK [COV0085]
Deliveroo [COV0086]
Scottish Salmon Producers Organisation [COV0087]
Greenpeace UK [COV0088]
Ulster Farmers Union [COV0089]
Greater Manchester Health and Social Care Partnership [COV0090]
Local Government Association [COV0091]
Obesity Health Alliance [COV0092]
Association of Labour Providers [COV0093]
Magic Breakfast [COV0094]
The School & Nursery Milk Alliance [COV0095]
British Dietetic Association [COV0096]
AIC (Agricultural Industries Confederation [COV0097]
British Veterinary Association [COV0098]
Sustainable Fish Cities [COV0100]
Wildlife and Countryside Link, Policy Lead at Greener UK [COV0101]
Joseph Rowntree Foundation [COV0102]
UKHospitality [COV0103]
WRAP [COV0104]
Royal Society for the Protection of Birds [COV0105]
Winvisible [COV0106]
Hive Hope [COV0107]
Birmingham Food Council CIC [COV0108]
Infant Feeding Alliance [COV0109]
Institute of Food Science and Technology [COV0110]
Arla Foods UK [COV0112]
Fry Law [COV0113]
Food Foundation [COV0114]
Sustain Alliance [COV0115]
Brighton & Hove Food Partnership [COV0116]
Farmers' Union of Wales [COV0117]
Association of Independent Meat Suppliers [COV0118]
Ms Vera Zakharov [COV0119]
Independent Food Aid Network [COV0120]
Scottish Land & Estates [COV0121]
Diabetes UK [COV0122]

Royal National Institute of Blind People [COV0123]
Just Eat [COV0124]

3. COVID-19 and food supply

Ordered, That the Chair write to the Secretary of State regarding matters related to the inquiry further to points raised during the oral evidence taken on 15 May 2020, and that it be reported to the House for publication.

Nick Allen, Chief Executive, British Meat Processors Association; James Bielby, Chief Executive, Federation of Wholesale Distributors; and Ian Wright CBE, Chief Executive Officer, Food and Drink Federation, gave oral evidence.

[Adjourned till Friday 5 June at 9.00 a.m.]

FRIDAY 5 JUNE 2020

Virtual meeting

Members present:

Neil Parish, in the Chair

Ian Byrne
Geraint Davies
Dave Doogan
Dr Neil Hudson

Robbie Moore
Mrs Sheryll Murray
Derek Thomas

1. Future programme

The Committee considered this matter.

2. Evidence reported for publication

Ordered, That the following written evidence be reported to the House for publication:

Labour in the food supply chain:

Philippe Mandangi [LFS01]
British Egg Industry Council [LFS12]
NFU [LFS13]
Arla Foods [LFS14]
Recruitment and Employment Confederation [LFS15]
Rights Lab, University of Nottingham [LFS16]
Association of Labour Providers [LFS17]
Scottish Land & Estates [LFS18]

COVID-19 and food supply:

Dr Kelly Parsons and Professor David Barling [COV0125]
Dr Samantha Gallage and Dr Uchitha Jayawickrama [COV0126]
Centre for Food Policy at City, University of London [COV0127]
Dr Reynolds and Dr Armstrong [COV0128]
Professor Bob Doherty, Dr Philip Garnett, and Professor Tony Heron [COV0129]
IVC Evidensia [COV0130]
Money Mail [COV0131]
Tenant Farmers Association [COV0132]
Dr Carrie Bradshaw and Professor Michael Cardwell, School of Law, University of Leeds [COV0133]
Motor Neurone Disease Association [COV0134]
Which? [COV0135]
Chartered Institute of Environmental Health [COV0136]
Association of Convenience Stores [COV0137]
Competition and Markets Authority [COV0138]
Mr Oliver-Bellasis [COV0139]
The Food Standards Agency [COV0140]
Department for Food, Environment and Rural Affairs [COV0142]
Storehouse Foodbank (Sudbury) [COV0143]
Agriculture and Horticulture Development Board [COV0144]

Potato Processors' Association [COV0145]
Carers Trust [COV0146]
Consensus Action on Salt, Sugar and Health Response [COV0147]
Feeding Britain [COV0148]
Professor Simon Pearson and David Ross [COV0149]
National Federation of Fishermen's Organisations [COV0150]
Birmingham Food Council CIC [COV0151]

3. COVID-19 and food supply

James Lowman, Chief Executive, Association of Convenience Stores; and Andrew Opie, Director of Food and Sustainability, British Retail Consortium, gave oral evidence.

[Adjourned till Tuesday 9 June at 2.00 p.m.]

APPENDIX

Members' interests:

Neil Parish

3. Gifts, benefits and hospitality from UK sources:

Name of donor: National Association of British and Irish Millers Address of donor: 21 Arlington Street, London SW1A 1RN Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: For me and my wife, accommodation £200 and a dinner £360, total value £560 Date received: 17 May 2019 Date accepted: 17 May 2019 Donor status: company, registration 00148449 (Registered 21 May 2019).

Land and property portfolio: (i) value over £100,000 and/or (ii) giving rental income of over £10,000 a year:

Family farm in Somerset: (i) and (ii).

8. Miscellaneous:

Partner in R.T. Parish and Son, Dodds farm, Somerset.

9. Family members employed and paid from parliamentary expenses:

I employ my wife, Susan Parish, as Junior Secretary.

Geraint Davies

6. Land and property portfolio: (i) value over £100,000 and/or (ii) giving rental income of over £10,000 a year:

Residential property in London: (i) and (ii). (Updated 3 June 2015).

7. Shareholdings: (i) over 15% of issued share capital:

Pure Crete Ltd, tour operator to Crete.

Dave Doogan

1. Employment and earnings:

20 December 2019, received £1,504.06 from Perth and Kinross Council, High Street, Perth PH1 5PH, for my role as a Councillor. Hours: approx. 20 hrs. (Registered 07 January 2020).

8. Miscellaneous:

Councillor, Perth and Kinross Council. From January 2020, I receive no allowances for this role. (Registered 07 January 2020).

Rosie Duffield

1. Employment and earnings:

Payments from ComRes, 4 Millbank, London SW1P 3JA, for opinion surveys:

18 January 2019, received £75 for January 2019 Panel Survey. Hours 40 mins. (Registered 30 September 2019).

16 May 2019, received £75 for February Parliamentary Panel Survey. Hours 40 mins. (Registered 30 September 2019).

16 May 2019, received £75 for March Parliamentary Panel Survey. Hours 30 mins. (Registered 30 September 2019).

20 September 2019, received £75 for June Parliamentary Survey. Hours 45 mins. (Registered 30 September 2019).

20 September 2019, received £75 for July Parliamentary Survey. Hours 45 mins. (Registered 30 September 2019).

Payments from Ipsos MORI, 3 Thomas More Square, London E1W 1YW, for opinion surveys:

21 January 2019, received £200 for Winter 2018 Survey. Hours 1 hr. (Registered 30 September 2019).

19 September 2019, received £200 for Summer 2019 Survey. Hours 1 hr. (Registered 30 September 2019).

Payments from YouGov Plc, 50 Featherstone Street, London EC1Y 8RT for opinion surveys:

15 January 2019, received £70 for December 2018 survey. Hours: 45 mins. (Registered 11 January 2020).

30 December 2019, received £100 for September 2019 survey. Hours: 50 mins. (Registered 11 January 2020).

30 December 2019, received £60 for October 2019 survey. Hours: 35 mins. (Registered 11 January 2020).

30 June 2019, received £80 for December 2018 survey. Hours: 45 mins. (Registered 11 January 2020).

2. (a) Support linked to an MP but received by a local party organisation or indirectly via a central party organisation:

Name of donor: USDAW Address of donor: 188 Wilmslow Road, Manchester, M14 6LJ
Amount of donation, or nature and value if donation in kind: £10,000 Donor status: trade union (Registered 11 January 2020).

Name of donor: Communication Workers' Union Address of donor: The Broadway, London, Wimbledon, London, SW19 1RX, London Amount of donation, or nature and value if donation in kind: £2,000 Donor status: trade union (Registered 11 January 2020).

Name of donor: Robin Lunn Address of donor: private Amount of donation, or nature and value if donation in kind: £2,750 Donor status: individual (Registered 11 January 2020).

2. (b) Any other support not included in Category 2(a):

Name of donor: Lord Matthew Oakeshott Address of donor: private Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £5,000 Date received: 17 September 2019 Date accepted: 17 September 2019 Donor status: individual (Registered 15 October 2019).

Name of donor: Lord Matthew Oakeshott Address of donor: private Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £5,000 Date received: 18 November 2019 Date accepted: 18 November 2019 Donor status: individual (Registered 11 January 2020).

8. Miscellaneous:

Member of Trades Union GMB, CWU, and Unison.

Vice Chair of the Net Zero All-Party Parliamentary Group.

Mary Glendon

1. Employment and earnings:

22 March 2019, payment of £200 from Ipsos MORI, 3 Thomas More Square, London E1W 1YW, for a survey. Hours: approx. 1 hr. Fee paid direct to North Tyneside CLP. (Registered 29 April 2019).

2. (a) Support linked to an MP but received by a local party organisation or indirectly via a central party organisation:

None

2. (b) Any other support not included in Category 2(a):

Name of donor: Addaction Address of donor: 67-69 Cowcross Street, London EC1M 6PU
Amount of donation, or nature and value if donation in kind: Administration and coordination of the Drugs, Alcohol and Justice Parliamentary Group, which I cochair, provided by Union Services Parliamentary Consultancy, at a value of £1,280 from 1 September 2018 to 31 December 2018 Date received: 1 September 2018 - 31 December 2018 Date accepted: 1 September 2018 Donor status: company, registration 2580377 (Registered 06 September 2018; updated 18 March 2019).

Name of donor: Blenheim Address of donor: 212 Wandsworth Road, London SW8 2JU
Amount of donation, or nature and value if donation in kind: Administration and coordination of the Drugs, Alcohol and Justice Parliamentary Group, which I cochair, provided by Union Services Parliamentary Consultancy, at a value of £1,280 from 1 September 2018 to 31 December 2018 Date received: 1 September 2018 - 31 December 2018 Date accepted: 1 September 2018 Donor status: company, registration 1694712 (Registered 06 September 2018; updated 18 March 2019).

Name of donor: WDP Address of donor: 18 Dartmouth Street, London SW1H 9BL
Amount of donation, or nature and value if donation in kind: Administration and coordination of the Drugs, Alcohol and Justice Parliamentary Group, which I cochair, provided by Union Services Parliamentary Consultancy, at a value of £1,280 from 1 September 2018 to 31 December 2018 Date received: 1 September 2018 - 31 December 2018 Date accepted: 1 September 2018 Donor status: company, registration 2807934 (Registered 06 September 2018; updated 18 March 2019).

Name of donor: Addaction Address of donor: 67-69 Cowcross Street, London EC1M 6PU
Amount of donation, or nature and value if donation in kind: Administration and coordination of the Drugs, Alcohol and Justice Parliamentary Group, which I cochair, provided by Solidarity Consulting Ltd (which succeeded Union Services Parliamentary Consultancy), at a value of £5,274 from 1 January 2019 to 31 December 2019 Date received: 1 January 2019 - 31 December 2019 Date accepted: 1 January 2019 Donor status: company, registration 2580377 (Registered 18 March 2019).

Name of donor: Blenheim Address of donor: 212 Wandsworth Road, London SW8 2JU
Amount of donation, or nature and value if donation in kind: Administration and coordination of the Drugs, Alcohol and Justice Parliamentary Group, which I cochair, provided by Solidarity Consulting Ltd (which succeeded Union Services Parliamentary Consultancy), at a value of £1,318.50 from 1 January 2019 to 31 March 2019 Date received: 1 January 2019 - 31 March 2019 Date accepted: 1 January 2019 Donor status: company, registration 1694712 (Registered 18 March 2019; updated 19 June 2019).

Name of donor: WDP Address of donor: 18 Dartmouth Street, London SW1H 9BL
Amount of donation, or nature and value if donation in kind: Administration and coordination of the Drugs, Alcohol and Justice Parliamentary Group, which I cochair, provided by Solidarity

Consulting Ltd (which succeeded Union Services Parliamentary Consultancy), at a value of £5,274 from 1 January 2019 to 31 December 2019 Date received: 1 January 2019 - 31 December 2019 Date accepted: 1 January 2019 Donor status: company, registration 2807934 (Registered 18 March 2019).

Name of donor: Humankind Address of donor: Aycliffe Business Park, Sapphire House, Horndale Ave, Newton Aycliffe DL5 6DS Amount of donation, or nature and value if donation in kind: Administration and coordination of the Drugs, Alcohol and Justice Parliamentary Group, which I cochair, provided by Solidarity Consulting Ltd (which succeeded Union Services Parliamentary Consultancy), at a value of £3,955.50 from 1 April 2019 to 31 December 2019 Date received: 1 April 2019 – 31 December 2019 Date accepted: 1 April 2019 Donor status: company, registration 1820492 (Registered 19 June 2019).

3. Gifts, benefits and hospitality from UK sources:

Name of donor: English Football League Address of donor: 10-12 West Cliff, Preston PR1 8HU Amount of donation, or nature and value if donation in kind: Two league One Play off Final tickets with hospitality, total value £503.28 (£251.64 each) Date received: 26 May 2019 Date accepted: 26 May 2019 Donor status: company, registration 80612 (Registered 24 July 2019).

8. Miscellaneous:

My Brother, Joseph Mulgrove, is a meat inspector. His employer is: The FSA, Foss House, York, YO1 7PX.

Dr Neil Hudson

1. Employment and earnings:

19 December 2019, received £4,927.92 as Senior Veterinary Clinical Lecturer at the University of Edinburgh, Old College, South Bridge, Edinburgh EH8 9YL. Hours: none since my election. (Registered 07 January 2020).

8. Miscellaneous:

From 1 January 2020, on unpaid sabbatical leave as a senior lecturer from the University of Edinburgh. (Registered 07 January 2020).

Fellow of the Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons. (Registered 07 January 2020).

Member of the British Equine Veterinary Association. (Registered 07 January 2020).

Principal Fellow of the Higher Education Academy (PFHEA), 2017-2021: Co-grant holder and co-supervisor for a postgraduate PhD studentship on Traveller and Gypsy Horse Welfare.

Project at University of Edinburgh/Scotland's Rural College (SRUC), funded by The Horse Trust £80,534 (Horse Trust, Slad Lane, Speen, Princes Risborough, Bucks, HP27 0PP).

Officer of the All-Party Parliamentary Group for the Horse.

Robbie Moore

1. Employment and earnings:

Until 20 January 2020, I received allowances as a member of Northumberland County Council, County Hall, Morpeth NE61 2EF. (Registered 9 January 2020; updated 27 January

2020) 16 December 2019, received £1,058.54. Hours: none since my election to Parliament. (Registered 09 January 2020).

Until 20 January 2020, I received £14,004 a year, paid monthly, for an expected commitment of approximately 38 hrs a month. (Registered 9 January 2020; updated 27 January 2020) Payments for work done through Brockthorpe Consultancy RM, Brockthorpe Consultancy RM, Brockdam Farm, Ellingham, Chathill NE67 5HN, of which I am sole proprietor.

Payment of £2,500 expected for work as a consultant/rural surveyor, from the Executors of the estate of the late Mr M Higgins, c/o Rayworths Solicitors, 89 Station Parade, Harrogate HG1 1HF. Hours: none since my election to Parliament. (Registered 09 January 2020).

Payment of £350 expected for work as a consultant/rural surveyor from W R A Fife (private address). Hours: none since my election to Parliament. (Registered 09 January 2020) 18 December 2019.

£1,169 received for work as a consultant/rural surveyor from Haddon Farms Ltd, Farfields Farm, Crosland Edge, Meltham, HD9 5RS. Hours: none since my election to Parliament. (Registered 09 January 2020).

2. (a) Support linked to an MP but received by a local party organisation or indirectly via a central party organisation:

Name of donor: Diane Smith Address of donor: private Amount of donation, or nature and value if donation in kind: £3,000 Donor status: individual (Registered 09 January 2020).

Name of donor: IPGL Ltd Address of donor: 39 Sloane St, London SW1X 9LP Amount of donation, or nature and value if donation in kind: £2,000 Donor status: company, registration 02011009 (Registered 09 January 2020).

Name of donor: Dr Lawrence Tomlinson Address of donor: private Amount of donation, or nature and value if donation in kind: £3,000 Donor status: individual (Registered 09 January 2020).

6. Land and property portfolio: (i) value over £100,000 and/or (ii) giving rental income of over £10,000 a year:

House in Northumberland: (i). (Registered 09 January 2020).

7. Shareholdings: (i) over 15% of issued share capital:

Brockthorpe Consultancy Ltd; consultants and rural surveyors. This is the umbrella company of Brockthorpe Consultancy RM. (Registered 09 January 2020).

8. Miscellaneous:

Unpaid director of Brockthorpe Consultancy Ltd; consultants and rural surveyors. This is the umbrella company of Brockthorpe Consultancy RM. (Registered 09 January 2020).

Fellow of the Central Association of Agricultural Valuers, Member of the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors, Scholar of the Nuffield Farming Scholarship Trust, Member of The Farmers Club.

Father owns agricultural land in Lincolnshire where he and other family members occupy and run a farming business. Member has no financial interest within the farming business or ownership of the assets but is involved in providing advice to the business.

Father owns a plastic recycling business; Agri-Cycle Ltd which predominately collects and recycles agricultural plastic waste. Business operates nationally. Member has no financial interest within the recycling business of the ownership of the assets but is involved in providing advice to the business.

Father is a liveryman of the Worshipful Company of Farmers.

Mrs Sheryll Murray

2. (a) Support linked to an MP but received by a local party organisation or indirectly via a central party organisation:

Name of donor: IPGL Ltd Address of donor: 3rd Floor, 39 Sloane Street, London SW1X 9LP
Amount of donation, or nature and value if donation in kind: £2,000 Donor status: company, registration 2011009 (Registered 24 December 2019).

4. Visits outside the UK:

Name of donor: Government of Jersey London Office Address of donor: Queen Anne's Gate, Westminster, London SW1H 9AA Estimate of the probable value (or amount of any donation): airfare, accommodation, travel, food and drink for me and member of staff with a value of £1,372.50 Destination of visit: Jersey Dates of visit: 9-12 May 2019 Purpose of visit: Attendance at meetings and fact finding trip. (Registered 17 June 2019).

Name of donor: Yunus Emre Enstitüsü (Yunus Emre Institute) & ITSEB Turkish Speaking Health Professionals in the UK Address of donor: 10 Maple Street, London W1T 5HA Estimate of the probable value (or amount of any donation): for me and a member of staff, flights, domestic transport and accommodation to the value of £4,794 Destination of visit: Turkey Dates of visit: 4-18 August 2019 Purpose of visit: Delegation of Conservative MPs to see the conditions of Syrian refugees and meet key officials, ministers, governors and mayors, also to visit the Turkish Grand National Assembly and trade and industry chambers. (Registered 10 September 2019).

6. Land and property portfolio: (i) value over £100,000 and/or (ii) giving rental income of over £10,000 a year:

House in South East Cornwall. The property is owned by a trust of which I am a beneficiary: (i) and (ii). (Registered 06 January 2012).

8. Miscellaneous:

Member of The National Trust.

Chair of the All-Party Parliamentary Group on Fisheries.

Chair of the All-Party Parliamentary Group on Cats.

9. Family members employed and paid from parliamentary expenses:

I employ my partner, Mr Robert Davidson, as Office Manager.

Mr Toby Perkins

2. (a) Support linked to an MP but received by a local party organisation or indirectly via a central party organisation:

Name of donor: Weightron Bilanciai Ltd Address of donor: Titan Works, Bridge Way, Chesterfield S41 9QJ Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £7,000 Donor status: company, registration 02154099 (Registered 14 January 2020).

3. Gifts, benefits and hospitality from UK sources:

Name of donor: The Construction Skills People Ltd Address of donor: Bridge Business Centre, Beresford Way, Chesterfield S41 9FG Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £2,000 Donor status: company, registration 06616608 (Registered 14 January 2020).

Name of donor: Lawn Tennis Association Address of donor: Priory Ln, London SW15 5JQ Amount of donation, or nature and value if donation in kind: Two tickets for tennis at Queens Club, total approx. value £170 Date received: 17 June 2019 Date accepted: 17 June 2019 Donor status: company, registration 7459469 (Registered 15 August 2019).

Name of donor: Lawn Tennis Association Address of donor: Priory Ln, London SW15 5JQ Amount of donation, or nature and value if donation in kind: Two tickets for tennis at Wimbledon, total value £166 Date received: 4 July 2019 Date accepted: 4 July 2019 Donor status: company, registration 7459469 (Registered 15 August 2019).

4. Visits outside the UK:

Name of donor: (1) Sardar Group of Companies; (2) Erbil Chamber of Commerce and Industry; (3) Iraq and Slemani Chamber of Commerce Address of donor: (1) Gulan Street, Erbil, Kurdistan Region, Iraq; (2) Aras Street, Erbil, Kurdistan Region, Iraq; (3) Salim Street, Slemani, Kurdistan Region, Iraq Estimate of the probable value (or amount of any donation): (1) Travel, value £3,000; (2) hotel accommodation in Erbil, value £400; (3) hotel accommodation in Slemani, value £200 Destination of visit: Erbil and Slemani provinces, Arabat, Slemani, Erbil Dates of visit: 20-23 June 2019 Purpose of visit: APPG Kurdistan Region in Iraq visit to meet Prime Minister, Foreign Minister, Kurdistan MPs, UK Consul-General, Governors, Chambers of Commerce, and visit a camp for internally displaced people and places of cultural significance. (Registered 22 July 2019).

9. Family members employed and paid from parliamentary expenses:

I employ my partner, Amanda Collumbine, as Executive Office Manager. (Registered 14 January 2020).

Julian Sturdy

1. Employment and earnings:

I am a partner in G E Sturdy and Son; a farming partnership. Address: Westgate Farm, North Deighton, Wetherby, LS22 4EN. I provide administrative support for the partnership, as well as doing some buying and selling at certain times. Until further notice, I will receive £500 per month. Hours: no more than 4 hours a week. (Updated 9 December 2015).

8. Miscellaneous:

GE Sturdy and Son is in receipt of RPA funding.

Chair of the All-Party Parliamentary Group on Science and Technology in Agriculture.

Chair of the All-Party Parliamentary Group on Rural Business.

9. Family members employed and paid from parliamentary expenses:

I employ my wife, Victoria Sturdy, as part time Secretary. (Registered 04 June 2015).

Derek Thomas

2. (a) Support linked to an MP but received by a local party organisation or indirectly via a central party organisation:

Name of donor: Richard W Belton Address of donor: private Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £2,000 Donor status: individual (Registered 09 January 2020).

Name of donor: Peter A Batchelor Address of donor: private Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £2,000 Donor status: individual (Registered 09 January 2020).

Name of donor: Lord Philip Harris Address of donor: private Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £3,000 Donor status: individual (Registered 09 January 2020).

Name of donor: Robert Dorrien-Smith Address of donor: private Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £6,000 Donor status: individual (Registered 09 January 2020).

Name of donor: Robert Dorrien-Smith Address of donor: private Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: Raffle prize with a value of £5,000 Donor status: individual (Registered 09 January 2020).

Name of donor: Rodrich Brooks Address of donor: private Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £2,500 Donor status: individual (Registered 09 January 2020).

6. Land and property portfolio: (i) value over £100,000 and/or (ii) giving rental income of over £10,000 a year:

(i) From 4 October 2017, house and adjacent retail outlet in West Cornwall, owned jointly with my wife (Registered 30 October 2017).

8. Miscellaneous:

Sole Trader, Derek Thomas Building Services, not currently engaged in trading. (Registered 05 June 2015).

Since December 2015, an interest below registrable value in Mustard Seed Property Ltd, a community benefit society which provides housing in Cornwall for vulnerable people. (Registered 19 October 2016).

Chair of the Rural Fair Share Group (Local Government Finance).

Ian Byrne

1. Employment and earnings:

Until further notice, member of Liverpool City Council, Venture Place, Sir Thomas St, L1 6BW. I receive allowances of £882.50 a month for an expected commitment of 40 hrs a month. Allowances donated to charity from January 2020. (Registered 10 January 2020).

31 December 2019, received £3,592.08 from IPSA for work as an MP's office manager until 12 December 2019. I repaid £1,018.68 on 30 January 2020. (Registered 29 January 2020; updated 09 March 2020).

4. Visits outside the UK:

Name of donor: Justice for Colombia Address of donor: 75 St John St, London EC1N 4NN
Estimate of the probable value (or amount of any donation): flights, accommodation and in-country travel, value over £3,000.

Destination of visit: Colombia Dates of visit: 23 to 29 May 2019 Purpose of visit: meetings with human rights organisation and discussions about peace treaty implementation. (Registered 10 January 2020).

8. Miscellaneous:

Member of the management committee, Kitty's Launderette: ecological and community launderette in Anfield. (Registered 10 January 2020).

Member of the management committee, Spirit of Shankly, which promotes the interests of football supporters. (Registered 10 January 2020).

Co-founder of Fans Supporting Foodbanks, an organisation based in Liverpool to help fight food poverty.

I work with both the Trussell Trust and FareShare locally.