



Procedure Committee

Chris Bryant MP
Chair, Committee on Standards
House of Commons

By email

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Dear Chris

Thank you for your letter of 22 March relating to the declaration of interests.

The Committee does not favour a change to the current arrangements under which declarations are not required for supplementary questions and responses to statements. A Member may, of course, choose to make a declaration in such circumstances.

The Committee noted that references to 'my entry in the Register' are unlikely to conform with the Rules, and agrees that short descriptive references are much more helpful for colleagues and the public.

Yours sincerely,

Rt Hon Karen Bradley MP
Chair of the Procedure Committee