



2nd meeting
COND/24-25

Conduct Committee

Minutes of the meeting on Wednesday 9 October 2024 in Committee room 2A, Palace of Westminster, and via Teams

Present:

Cindy Butts
Mark Castle (via Teams)
Andrea Coomber
Vanessa Davies (via Teams)

B. Kidron
B. Mallalieu
B. Manningham-Buller (Chair)

With the Clerk Assistant. Apologies were received from Lord Garnier and Lord Scriven.

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1. Chair's oral update

The Chair provided an oral update.

The Committee discussed the debate in Grand Committee on the ongoing review of the Code of Conduct.

The Committee was updated on the progress to recruit a new Commissioner for Standards.

2. Minutes of the meeting on Wednesday 11 September

The minutes of the last meeting were agreed.

3. Written appeal

The Committee discussed the Commissioner's report (COND/24-25/5), written appeal (COND/24-25/6) and brief by the Clerk (COND/24-25/7).

4. Review of the Code of Conduct

Evidence session 3: Committee on Standards in Public Life

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The Committee heard oral evidence from Lt Gen. Doug Chalmers, Chair of the Committee on Standards in Public Life. A full transcript was taken.

5. Any other business

The Conduct Committee will next meet at 4pm on 23 October 2024.

The Committee adjourned.

Christopher Johnson
Clerk to the Conduct Committee
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