



Formal Minutes of the Modernisation Committee in Session 2024–26

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They include:

- the names of the members who attended (all or part of) each meeting of the Committee;
- declarations of members' interests;
- details of written and oral evidence reported to the House by the Committee;
- any other formal decisions taken by the committee (recorded as 'orders' or 'resolutions'), for example to begin an inquiry, to report evidence to the House, to make a visit or to appoint a specialist adviser; and
- visits made by the Committee.

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Tuesday 11 September 2024

Members present:

Lucy Powell, in the Chair
Mike Amesbury
Mr Alex Barros-Curtis
Markus Campbell-Savours
Sir Christopher Chope
Sarah Coombes
Kirith Entwistle
Marie Goldman
Paulette Hamilton
Joy Morrissey
Chris Philp
Jo Platt

1. Declaration of interests

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

2. Working methods

Ordered, 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 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.

Resolved, That the Chair have discretion to:

- a. engage in correspondence on committee matters which is not sufficiently significant to require approval by the committee or is of a routine nature;
- b. arrange informal meetings in Westminster on matters relating to the committee's remit;
- c. amend the timing of committee meetings, where necessary;
- d. authorise the issuing of press notices about forthcoming evidence sessions, new inquiries and reports, based on the view of the committee;
- e. decide which parliamentary proceedings and committee reports should be tagged for debate in the House (or Westminster Hall) and propose reports to the Liaison Committee for debate in Westminster Hall.

3. Memorandum from the Leader of the House on future work

The committee considered this matter.

Resolved, That the committee endorses the strategic aims and principles set out in the memorandum.

Ordered, That the memorandum from the Leader of the House be reported to the House for publication.

Adjournment

Adjourned until Tuesday 15 October 2024 at 11am.

Tuesday 15 October 2024

Members present:

Lucy Powell, in the Chair
Mike Amesbury
Mr Alex Barros-Curtis
Markus Campbell-Savours
Wendy Chamberlain
Sir Christopher Chope
Sarah Coombes
Chris Elmore

Kirith Entwistle
Marie Goldman
Paulette Hamilton
Joy Morrissey
Chris Philp
Jo Platt

Alberto Costa, Chair of the Standards Committee, also attended the private briefing.

1. Declaration of Interests

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

2. Call for views

Resolved, That the Committee launch the call for views to gather ideas for future areas of activity under the three strategic aims set out in the Leader's memorandum.

3. Parliamentary Commissioner for Standards - Outside Interests

Daniel Greenberg, Parliamentary Commissioner for Standards, gave a private briefing.

Adjournment

Adjourned until Tuesday 22 October 2024 at 11am.

Tuesday 22 October 2024

Members present:

Lucy Powell, in the Chair
Mike Amesbury
Mr Alex Barros-Curtis
Markus Campbell-Savours
Wendy Chamberlain
Sir Christopher Chope
Sarah Coombes

Kirith Entwistle
Marie Goldman
Paulette Hamilton
Chris Philp
Jo Platt

Alberto Costa, Chair of the Standards Committee, also attended for item 1.

1. Outside Interests

The Committee considered this matter.

2. Independent Complaints and Grievance Scheme

Thea Walton, Director, Independent Complaints and Grievance Scheme, gave a private briefing.

Adjournment

Adjourned until Tuesday 29 October 2024 at 2.45pm.

Tuesday 29 October 2024

Members present:

Lucy Powell, in the Chair
Markus Campbell-Savours
Wendy Chamberlain
Sir Christopher Chope
Sarah Coombes
Marie Goldman
Paulette Hamilton
Chris Philp

1. Independent Complaints and Grievance Scheme

The Committee considered this matter.

2. Independent Expert Panel

Sir Stephen Irwin, Chair, Independent Expert Panel, gave a private briefing.

Adjournment

Adjourned until Tuesday 12 November 2024 at 11am.

Tuesday 12 November 2024

Members present:

Lucy Powell, in the Chair
Markus Campbell-Savours
Wendy Chamberlain
Sir Christopher Chope
Sarah Coombes
Kirith Entwistle
Marie Goldman
Paulette Hamilton

1. Future programme

The Committee considered this matter.

2. Call for views

The Committee met representatives from the smaller parties as part of its call for views.

Adjournment

Adjourned until Tuesday 19 November 2024 at 11am.

Tuesday 19 November 2024

Members present:

Lucy Powell, in the Chair
Alex Barros-Curtis
Markus Campbell-Savours
Wendy Chamberlain

Sarah Coombes
Kirith Entwistle
Marie Goldman
Paulette Hamilton

1. Future programme

The Committee considered this matter.

2. Call for views

The Committee met the unions for House staff and Members' staff, and the Members and Peers' Staff Association, as part of its call for views.

Adjournment

Adjourned until Tuesday 3 December 2024 at 11am.

Tuesday 3 December 2024

Members present:

Lucy Powell, in the Chair
Alex Barros-Curtis
Markus Campbell-Savours
Wendy Chamberlain
Sarah Coombes
Kirith Entwistle
Marie Goldman
Paulette Hamilton
Jesse Norman

1. Declaration of interests

Jesse Norman 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. Evidence reported for publication

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

Note from the Parliamentary Commissioner for Standards on Outside Interests.

Correspondence with Alberto Costa MP, Chair of the Standards Committee, dated 6 and 25 November.

4. Call for views

The Committee met representatives from Reform UK as part of its call for views.

Adjournment

Adjourned until Tuesday 14 January 2025 at 11am.

Tuesday 14 January 2025

Members present:

Lucy Powell, in the Chair

Alex Barros-Curtis

Wendy Chamberlain

Sarah Coombes

Kirith Entwistle

Marie Goldman

Paulette Hamilton

Joy Morrissey

Jesse Norman

1. Call for views

The Committee met the Clerk of the House, the Clerk of Legislation and the Director of the Members and Members' Staff Services Team, as part of its call for views.

Adjournment

Adjourned until Tuesday 28 January 2025 at 11am.

Tuesday 28 January 2025

Members present:

Lucy Powell, in the Chair
Alex Barros-Curtis
Markus Campbell-Savours
Sarah Coombes
Chris Elmore
Kirith Entwistle
Marie Goldman
Paulette Hamilton
Joy Morrissey

1. Future programme

The Committee considered this matter.

Adjournment

Adjourned until Tuesday 11 February 2025 at 11.30am.

Tuesday 11 February 2025

Members present:

Lucy Powell, in the Chair
Alex Barros-Curtis
Markus Campbell-Savours
Wendy Chamberlain
Sir Christopher Chope
Sarah Coombes
Chris Elmore
Kirith Entwistle
Marie Goldman
Paulette Hamilton
Joy Morrissey
Jesse Norman

1. Evidence reported for publication

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

The work of the Committee

Fawcett Society [WOC0044]
Petitions Committee [WOC0060]
STAMMA and related organisations [WOC0082]
Institute for Alcohol Studies [WOC0084]
Committee on Standards in Public Life [WOC0087]
Women and Equalities Committee [WOC0089]
Backbench Business Committee [WOC0091]
Public Administration and Constitutional Affairs Committee [WOC0096]
Night Club [WOC0097]
The Chartered Institute of Public Relations [WOC0124]
Office for Statistics Regulation [WOC0187]
National Secular Society [WOC0194]
International Parliament Engagement Network [WOC0207]
Unlock Democracy - WOC0219
Centenary Action, Global Institute for Women's Leadership, King's College London [WOC0252]
Parliamentary and Health Service Ombudsman [WOC0262]
mySociety [WOC0265]
Green Alliance [WOC0267]
Constitution Unit UCL [WOC0269]
Humanist APPG [WOC0270]
38 Degrees [WOC0273]
IPSA [WOC0274]
Unite - parliamentary staff branch [WOC0280]
Transparency International [WOC0286]
UK Anti-Corruption Coalition [WOC0288]
Alcohol Health Alliance [WOC0292]
Open University Roles Ethics Research Group [WOC0293]
The Vegan Society [WOC0295]
Policy Exchange [WOC0296]
British Liver Trust [WOC0300]
The Down's Syndrome Association [WOC0301]
Electoral Reform Society [WOC0302]

Sense about Science [WOC0303]
Compassion in Politics and 50:50 Parliament [WOC0305]
Chartered Management Institute [WOC0314]
MAPSA [WOC0319]
Patriotic Millionaires UK [WOC0320]
Hansard Society [WOC0324]
Full Fact [WOC0326]
GMB [WOC0333]
UK Open Government Network [WOC0335]
House of Commons Administration [WOC0345]
Action on Smoking and Health; Alcohol Health Alliance; Obesity Health Alliance [WOC0364]
Make Votes Matter [WOC0368]
House of Commons Trade Union Side [WOC0371]
Institute for Government [WOC0376]
Parlicare [WOC0377]
Alcohol Change UK [WOC0380]
Reform Political Advertising [WOC0381]

2. Future programme

The Committee considered this matter.

3. Next steps memorandum

The Committee considered this matter.

Ordered, That the memorandum relating to the Committee's next steps be reported to the House for publication.

Adjournment

Adjourned until Tuesday 25 February 2025 at 11.30am.

Tuesday 25 February 2025

Members present:

Lucy Powell, in the Chair
Alex Barros-Curtis

Markus Campbell-Savours
Wendy Chamberlain
Sir Christopher Chope
Sarah Coombes
Chris Elmore
Kirith Entwistle
Marie Goldman
Paulette Hamilton
Joy Morrissey
Jesse Norman

1. Guesting

Resolved, That the Chair of the Administration Committee be invited to attend the private briefing with IPSA, pursuant to Standing Order No 137A(1)(e) (Select committees: power to work with other committees).

Nick Smith, Chair of the Administration Committee, attended the private briefing with IPSA under the provisions of paragraph (1)(e) of Standing Order No 137A (Select committees: power to work with other committees) (Modernisation Committee resolution of today).

2. Call for views

The Committee met the Chair of IPSA, the Director of Policy and Engagement at IPSA, the Director of the House of Commons Members and Members' Staff Services Team, and the Head of Members HR, as part of its call for views.

Adjournment

Adjourned until Tuesday 4 March 2025 at 11.30am.

Tuesday 4 March 2025

Members present:

Lucy Powell, in the Chair
Alex Barros-Curtis
Markus Campbell-Savours
Sarah Coombes

Chris Elmore
Paulette Hamilton
Joy Morrissey

1. Access to the House of Commons and its procedures

Resolved, That the Committee inquire into Access to the House of Commons and its Procedures.

Adjournment

Adjourned until Tuesday 11 March 2025 at 11.30am.

Tuesday 11 March 2025

Members present:

Lucy Powell, in the Chair
Alex Barros-Curtis
Markus Campbell-Savours
Wendy Chamberlain
Sir Christopher Chope
Sarah Coombes
Chris Elmore
Marie Goldman
Paulette Hamilton
Joy Morrissey
Jesse Norman
Chris Vince

2. Declaration of Interests

Chris Vince declared his interests in accordance with the Resolution of the House of 13 July 1992 (see Appendix).

3. Call for views

The Committee met the Clerk of the House, the Clerk of Legislation, the Principal Clerk of the Table Office, and the Clerk of Journals as part of its call for views.

Adjournment

Adjourned until Tuesday 18 March 2025 at 11.30am.

Tuesday 18 March 2025

Members present:

Lucy Powell, in the Chair
Alex Barros-Curtis
Markus Campbell-Savours
Wendy Chamberlain
Sir Christopher Chope
Sarah Coombes
Chris Elmore
Marie Goldman
Paulette Hamilton
Chris Vince

1. Call for views

The Committee considered this matter.

2. Hybrid select committee meetings

The Committee considered this matter.

Adjournment

Adjourned until Tuesday 25 March 2025 at 4.05pm.

Tuesday 25 March 2025

Members present:

Lucy Powell, in the Chair
Alex Barros-Curtis
Markus Campbell-Savours
Sir Christopher Chope
Sarah Coombes

Kirith Entwistle
Marie Goldman
Paulette Hamilton
Joy Morrissey
Jesse Norman
Chris Vince

1. Guesting

Resolved, That the Chair of the Women and Equalities Committee be invited to attend the meetings relating to Access to the House of Commons and its Procedures, pursuant to Standing Order No 137A(1)(e) (Select committees: power to work with other committees).

2. Call for views

The Committee considered this matter.

Ordered, That the Chair have leave to select items of unreported evidence received by the Committee for its call for views to be communicated to the Committee on Standards and the Procedure Committee, in accordance with the provisions of Standing Order No. 137A.

3. Access to the House of Commons and its Procedures

The committee met with Mr Speaker.

Adjournment

Adjourned until Tuesday 1 April 2025 at 2.30pm.

Tuesday 1 April 2025

Members present:

Lucy Powell, in the Chair
Markus Campbell-Savours
Wendy Chamberlain
Sarah Coombes
Chris Elmore

Marie Goldman
Paulette Hamilton
Joy Morrissey
Jesse Norman
Chris Vince

Sarah Owen, Chair of the Women and Equalities Committee, also attended under the provisions of paragraph (1)(e) of Standing Order No 137A (Select committees: power to work with other committees) (Modernisation Committee's resolution of 25 March 2025).

1. Access to the House of Commons and its Procedures

Robert Halfon, Sarah Bool MP, Steve Darling MP, Marsha De Cordova MP and Dr Marie Tidball MP, gave oral evidence.

Adjournment

Adjourned until Tuesday 29 April 2025 at 11.30am.

Tuesday 6 May 2025

Members present:

Lucy Powell, in the Chair
Markus Campbell-Savours
Wendy Chamberlain
Sarah Coombes
Marie Goldman
Paulette Hamilton
Chris Vince

1. Call for views

The Committee met with Bob Blackman MP, Chair of the Backbench Business Committee, and Jamie Stone MP, Chair of the Petitions Committee as part of its call for views.

2. Access to the House of Commons and its Procedures

The Committee considered this matter.

Resolved, That the Committee visit Buckingham Palace.

Adjournment

Adjourned until Tuesday 13 May 2025 at 11.30am.

Tuesday 13 May 2025

Members present:

Lucy Powell, in the Chair

Mr Alex Barros-Curtis

Wendy Chamberlain

Sir Christopher Chope

Sarah Coombes

Marie Goldman

Paulette Hamilton

Joy Morrissey

Chris Vince

1. Access to the House of Commons and its Procedures

Dr Mike Everett, Select Committee Clerk, House of Commons, Sunara Bint Ali, MP's staff and Unite representative, Esther Webber, Journalist, Politico, Harry Gable, MP's staff and GMB representative, gave oral evidence.

Adjournment

Adjourned until Tuesday 20 May 2025 at 11.30am.

Tuesday 20 May 2025

Members present:

Lucy Powell, in the Chair

Mr Alex Barros-Curtis

Sarah Coombes
Kirith Entwistle
Marie Goldman
Paulette Hamilton
Joy Morrissey
Chris Vince

1. Access to the House of Commons and its Procedures

Rt Hon Lord Blunkett, Baroness Brinton, Baroness Grey-Thompson, and Lord Shinkwin, gave oral evidence.

Adjournment

Adjourned until Tuesday 3 June 2025 at 1.45pm.

Tuesday 3 June 2025

Members present:

Lucy Powell, in the Chair
Mr Alex Barros-Curtis
Markus Campbell-Savours
Sarah Coombes
Chris Elmore
Kirith Entwistle
Marie Goldman
Joy Morrissey
Jesse Norman

1. Hybrid select committee meetings

The Committee met Dame Meg Hillier MP, Chair of the Liaison Committee and Cat Smith MP, Chair of the procedure Procedure Committee to discuss this matter.

Adjournment

Adjourned until Tuesday 10 June 2025 at 11.30am.

Tuesday 10 June 2025

Members present:

Lucy Powell, in the Chair
Mr Alex Barros-Curtis
Markus Campbell-Savours
Sarah Coombes
Chris Elmore
Marie Goldman
Joy Morrissey
Chris Vince

1. Evidence reported for publication

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

Access to the House of Commons and its Procedures

Down's Syndrome Association [AHC0002]
SignHealth [AHC0005]
Dr Tom Fleming (Lecturer in British and Comparative Politics at Constitution Unit, University College London) [AHC0006]
Professor Cristina Leston-Bandeira (Professor of Politics at University of Leeds) [AHC0007]
MySociety [AHC0009]
Ekaterina Kolpinskaya (Senior Lecturer in British Politics at University of Exeter) [AHC0010]
Mencap [AHC0011]
Parligender [AHC0012]
House of Commons Trade Union Side [AHC0013]
Centenary Action [AHC0014]
Professor Meg Russell FBA (Director at UCL Constitution Unit); Rowan Hall (Impact Research Fellow at UCL Constitution Unit) [AHC0015]
Green Alliance [ACH0016]
Inclusive Parliament coalition [AHC0017]
House of Commons Administration [AHC0018]
Disability Politics UK [AHC0019]
Compassion in Politics [AHC0020]

2. Access to the House of Commons and its Procedures

Dr Ruth Fox, Director of the Hansard Society, gave oral evidence.

Adjournment

Adjourned until Tuesday 17 June 2025 at 11.30am.

Tuesday 17 June 2025

Members present:

Lucy Powell, in the Chair

Mr Alex Barros-Curtis

Wendy Chamberlain

Sarah Coombes

Kirith Entwistle

Marie Goldman

Joy Morrissey

Jesse Norman

Chris Vince

1. Access to the House of Commons and its Procedures

Dr Ekaterina Kolpinskaya, Senior Lecturer in British Politics, University of Exeter, Professor Cristina Leston-Bandeira, University of Leeds, and Professor Elizabeth Evans, University of Southampton, gave oral evidence.

Adjournment

Adjourned until Tuesday 24 June 2025 at 11.30am.

Tuesday 24 June 2025

Members present:

Lucy Powell, in the Chair

Mr Alex Barros-Curtis

Sarah Coombes

Marie Goldman

Paulette Hamilton

Joy Morrissey

Jesse Norman

Chris Vince

1. Evidence reported for publication

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

Access to the House of Commons and its Procedures

Professor Christina Leston-Bandeira [AHC0021]

2. Access to the House of Commons and its Procedures

Fazilet Hadi, Head of Policy, Disability Rights UK, Ismail Kaji, Parliamentary and Government Engagement Officer, Mencap, and Gillian Rudd, Representative for the Inclusive Parliament Coalition, gave oral evidence.

Adjournment

Adjourned until Tuesday 1 July 2025 at 11.30am.

Tuesday 1 July 2025

Members present:

Lucy Powell, in the Chair

Mr Alex Barros-Curtis

Markus Campbell-Savours

Wendy Chamberlain

Sir Christopher Chope

Sarah Coombes

Kirith Entwistle

Marie Goldman

Paulette Hamilton

Jesse Norman

Chris Vince

1. Evidence reported for publication

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

Access to the House of Commons and its Procedures

Director General of the House of Commons, Marianne Cwynarski [AHC0022]

2. Access to the House of Commons and its Procedures

The Committee met Nusrat Ghani MP, Chairman of Ways and Means, Judith Cummins MP, First Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means and Rt Hon Caroline Nokes MP, Second Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means.

Adjournment

Adjourned until Tuesday 8 July 2025 at 11.30am.

Tuesday 8 July 2025

Members present:

Lucy Powell, in the Chair
Mr Alex Barros-Curtis
Sarah Coombes
Kirith Entwistle
Marie Goldman
Paulette Hamilton
Joy Morrissey
Jesse Norman
Chris Vince

1. Evidence reported for publication

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

Access to the House of Commons and its Procedures

Compassion in Politics and Elect Her [AHC0023]

Parliamentary Digital Service [AHC0024]

Correspondence with Marianne Cwynarski CBE, Director General, House of Commons, dated 22 April 2025

2. Access to the House of Commons and its Procedures

Tom Goldsmith, Clerk of the House of Commons; Sarah Davies, Clerk Assistant and Managing Director of the Chamber and Participation Team; Marianne Cwynarski, Director General of Operations, House of Commons; Gemma Collins, Director of Property and Asset Strategy, House of Commons; and Margaret McKinnon, Director of Members and Members Staff Services Team, gave oral evidence.

Adjournment

Adjourned until Tuesday 15 July 2025 at 12.30pm.

Tuesday 15 July 2025

Members present:

Lucy Powell, in the Chair
Marcus Campbell-Savours
Sir Christopher Chope
Sarah Coombes
Chris Elmore
Marie Goldman
Paulette Hamilton
Joy Morrissey
Jesse Norman
Jo Platt
Chris Vince

1. Access to the House of Commons and its Procedures

The Committee considered this matter.

Adjournment

Adjourned until Monday 21 July 2025 at 4.30pm.

Monday 21 July 2025

Members present:

Lucy Powell, in the Chair

Alex Barros-Curtis

Marcus Campbell-Savours

Wendy Chamberlain

Marie Goldman

Joy Morrissey

Chris Vince

1. Meeting with the Chief Whips

The committee met with the Chief Whip, Rt Hon Sir Alan Campbell MP; the Opposition Chief Whip, Rebecca Harris MP; and the Liberal Democrat Chief Whip, Wendy Chamberlain MP, to discuss ongoing work.

Adjournment

Adjourned until Tuesday 21 October 2025 at 11.30am.

Wednesday 23 July 2025

1. Evidence reported for publication

The following paper was reported to the House for publication under the power given to the Chair by Resolution of the Committee of 11 September 2024 (Order made under the provisions of SO No 137; see Votes and Proceedings Monday 1 September 2025):

Access to the House of Commons and its Procedures

Director General of the House of Commons, Marianne Cwynarski [AHC0025]

Tuesday 21 October 2025

Members present:

Sir Alan Campbell, in the Chair

Sir Christopher Chope

Bobby Dean

Kirith Entwistle

Paulette Hamilton

John Lamont

Jesse Norman

1. Declaration of Interests

Sir Alan Campbell, John Lamont and Bobby Dean declared their interests in accordance with the Resolution of the House of 13 July 1992 (see Appendix).

2. Evidence reported for publication

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

Access to the House of Commons and its Procedures

Inclusive Parliament Coalition [AHC0027]

Inclusion London [AHC0028 and AHC0029]

Treloar's [AHC0031]

3. Future programme

The Committee considered this matter.

Adjournment

Adjourned until Tuesday 4 November 2025 at 11.30am.

Tuesday 4 November 2025

Members present:

Sir Alan Campbell, in the Chair

Alex Barros-Curtis

Markus Campbell-Savours

Wendy Chamberlain

Sir Christopher Chope

Bobby Dean

Paulette Hamilton

John Lamont

Jesse Norman

1. Access to the House of Commons and its Procedures

The Committee considered this matter.

Adjournment

Adjourned until Tuesday 18 November 2025 at 11.30am.

Tuesday 18 November 2025

Members present:

Sir Alan Campbell, in the Chair

Alex Barros-Curtis

Markus Campbell-Savours

Wendy Chamberlain

Bobby Dean

Kirith Entwistle

John Lamont

Jesse Norman

Chris Vince

1. Evidence reported for publication

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

Access to the House of Commons and its Procedures

House of Commons Administration – Supplementary evidence [AHC0032]

2. Access to the House of Commons and its Procedures

Draft Report (Access to the House of Commons and its Procedures), proposed by the Chair, brought up and read.

The draft Report was agreed to; the Formal Minutes relating to the consideration of the Report are published with the First Report of the Committee, HC 755.

Adjournment

Adjourned until Tuesday 2 December 2025 at 11.30am.

Tuesday 2 December 2025

Members present:

Sir Alan Campbell, in the Chair
Wendy Chamberlain
John Lamont
Jesse Norman
Chris Vince

1. Independent Complaints and Grievance Scheme

Miriam Minty, Director, Stuart Ramsay, Deputy Director, and Susy Rees, Policy Advisor, Independent Complaints and Grievance Scheme, gave a private briefing.

Adjournment

Adjourned until Tuesday 16 December 2025 at 11.30am.

Tuesday 16 December 2025

Members present:

Sir Alan Campbell, in the Chair
Markus Campbell-Savours
Wendy Chamberlain
Sir Christopher Chope
Bobby Dean
Kirith Entwistle
Daniel Francis
Paulette Hamilton
Rachel Hopkins
Leigh Ingham
John Lamont
Jesse Norman

1. Declaration of Interests

Daniel Francis, Rachel Hopkins and Leigh Ingham declared their interests in accordance with the Resolution of the House of 13 July 1992 (see Appendix).

2. Parental leave for select committee chairs

James Rhys, Managing Director of the Select Committee Team, and Lee Bridges, Director of Standards and Information at the Independent Parliamentary Standards Authority, gave a private briefing.

Adjournment

Adjourned until Tuesday 13 January 2026 at 11.30am.

Tuesday 13 January 2026

Members present:

Sir Alan Campbell, in the Chair
Alex Barros-Curtis
Wendy Chamberlain
Sir Christopher Chope

Daniel Francis
Paulette Hamilton
Rachel Hopkins
Leigh Ingham
John Lamont
Jesse Norman

1. Use of the Commons

The Committee considered this matter.

Adjournment

Adjourned until Tuesday 27 January 2026 at 11.30am.

Tuesday 27 January 2026

Members present:

Sir Alan Campbell, in the Chair
Markus Campbell-Savours
Bobby Dean
Daniel Francis
Paulette Hamilton
Rachel Hopkins
John Lamont
Jesse Norman

1. ICGS sub-group

The Committee considered this matter.

2. Acting select committee chairs

The Committee considered this matter.

Adjournment

Adjourned until Tuesday 10 February 2026 at 11.30am.

Tuesday 10 February 2026

Members present:

Sir Alan Campbell, in the Chair

Alex Barros-Curtis

Markus Campbell-Savours

Daniel Francis

Rachel Hopkins

Leigh Ingham

John Lamont

Jesse Norman

1. Use of the Commons

The Committee considered this matter.

2. Backbench Business Committee and Petitions Committee Debates

Resolved, That the Committee inquires into Backbench Business Committee and Petitions Committee Debates.

Adjournment

Adjourned until Tuesday 24 February 2026 at 11.30am.

Tuesday 24 February 2026

Members present:

Sir Alan Campbell, in the Chair

Markus Campbell-Savours

Wendy Chamberlain

Sir Christopher Chope

Bobby Dean

Rachel Hopkins

Leigh Ingham

John Lamont

Jesse Norman

1. Virtual participation by Members in select committees

The Committee considered this matter.

2. Backbench Business Committee and Petitions Committee Debates

The Committee considered this matter.

Adjournment

Adjourned until Tuesday 10 March 2026 at 11.30am.

Tuesday 10 March 2026

Members present:

Jesse Norman, in the Chair

Alex Barros-Curtis

Markus Campbell-Savours

Sir Christopher Chope

Bobby Dean

Daniel Francis

Paulette Hamilton

John Lamont

1. Access to the House of Commons and its procedures: House Administration Response

Draft Special Report (Access to the House of Commons and its procedures: House Administration Response to the Committee's First Report of Session 2024-26), proposed by the Chair, brought up, read the first and second time, and agreed to.

The House Administration's response to the First Report from the Committee 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.

Adjournment

Adjourned until Tuesday 21 April 2026 at 11.30am.

Tuesday 21 April 2026

Members present:

Sir Alan Campbell (in the chair)

Wendy Chamberlain

Daniel Francis

Paulette Hamilton

Rachel Hopkins

Leigh Ingham

John Lamont

Jesse Norman

1. Virtual participation by Members in select committee meetings

Draft Report (Virtual participation by Members in select committee meetings), proposed by the Chair, brought up and read.

The draft Report was agreed to; the Formal Minutes relating to the consideration of the Report are published with the Second Report of the Committee, HC 1827.

2. Evidence reported for publication

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

Virtual participation by Members in select committee meetings

Correspondence with Cat Smith MP, the Chair of the Procedure Committee, dated 25 March 2026 and 9 March 2026

Access to the House of Commons and its procedures

Correspondence with Judith Cummins MP, Co-Chair of the Restoration and Renewal Client Board, dated 19 March 2026 and 19 January 2026

Backbench Business Committee and Petitions Committee Debates

Summary note of the engagement event held on 24 March 2026

3. Pitch us your idea

The Committee considered this matter.

Adjournment

Adjourned until Tuesday 19 May 2026 at 11.30am.

Tuesday 28 April 2026

The following papers were reported to the House for publication under the power given to the Chair by Resolution of the Committee of 11 September 2024:

Backbench Business Committee and Petitions Committee Debates

Petitions Committee (BBB0005)

Backbench Business Committee (BBB0006)

Adjournment

Adjourned until Tuesday 19 May 2026 at 11.30am.

Appendix: Declarations of interest by members of the Committee as at 2 September 2024

(i) Members of the Committee

Amesbury, Mike (Runcorn and Helsby)

6. Land and property portfolio with a value over £100,000 and where indicated, the portfolio provides a rental income of over £10,000 a year

Type of land/property: Residential property (two bedroom terraced house) Number of properties: 1

Location: Manchester
(Registered 30 June 2017)

Barros-Curtis, Mr Alex (Cardiff West)

1. Employment and earnings

Role, work or services: Executive Director of Legal
Affairs Until: 5 July 2024.

Payer: The Labour Party (Political party), 20 Rushworth Street, London
SE1 0SS (Registered 2 August 2024)

Payment: £6,652.98 This is a final payment and includes one-off payments owed
to me

Received on: 19 July 2024. Hours: 48 hrs approximately.
(Registered 2 August 2024)

6. Land and property portfolio with a value over £100,000 and where indicated, the portfolio provides a rental income of over £10,000 a year

Type of land/property: Residential property

Number of properties: 1

Location: London

Ownership details: The property is co-owned with my spouse.

Rental income: Yes

(Registered 2 August 2024)

8. Miscellaneous

Registered with the Gambling Commission as one of the responsible persons on two
society licenses issued to the Labour Party. This is an unpaid role.

Date interest ended: 5 August 2024

(Registered 2 August 2024; updated 16 August 2024)

Chair of Governors, Grafton Primary School, London. This is an unpaid role.
(Registered 2 August 2024)

Practising solicitor registered on the Solicitors Register. Currently, this is an unpaid
role. (Registered 3 August 2024)

Director of Myriad Consultants Limited. This is an unpaid role. (Registered 3 August 2024)

Director of Movement for Another Future Limited. This is an unpaid role. (Registered 3 August 2024)

Member of NRLA (National Residential Landlords Association). This is an unpaid role. (Registered 4 August 2024)

Campbell, Sir Alan (Tynemouth) – Appointed 9 September 2025

Nil

Campbell-Savours, Markus (Penrith and Solway)

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

Name of donor: Labour Together Ltd

Address of donor: Langley House Park Road, East Finchley, London N2 8EY

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £5,000 donation paid to Labour Party to support general election campaign work in Penrith and Solway

Donor status: company, registration 09630980 (Registered 29 July 2024)

Name of donor: Unite the Union

Address of donor: 128 Theobalds Road, London WC1X 8TN

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £10,000 donation paid to Labour Party to support general election campaign work in Penrith and Solway

Donor status: trade union (Registered 29 July 2024)

8. Miscellaneous

Unitary Authority Councillor for Keswick, on Cumberland Council. This is an unpaid role. (Registered 24 July 2024)

Member of Lake District National Park Authority. This is an unpaid role. (Registered 29 July 2024)

Directorship of a company not trading - Sole director of MCS Electrical Project Ltd
(Registered 5 August 2024)

Chamberlain, Wendy (North East Fife)

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

Name of donor: Matthew Oakshott Address of donor: private

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £5,000 Donor status: individual

(Registered 21 December 2023)

Name of donor: Fishers Services Limited

Address of donor: Edenfields, Cupar Trading Estate, Cupar KY15 4SX Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £5,000 Donor status: company, registration SC067627

(Registered 26 July 2024)

Name of donor: Claire Enders Address of donor: private

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £10,000 Donor status: individual

(Registered 26 July 2024)

Name of donor: Patrick H Foster Address of donor: private

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £2,000 paid in monthly £200 instalments starting November 2023

Donor status: individual (Registered 26 July 2024)

3. Gifts, benefits and hospitality from UK sources

Name of donor: Channel Four Television Corporation Address of donor: 124 Horseferry Road, London SW1P 2TX

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: Two tickets with hospitality for the Scottish BAFTAs, value £516

Date received: 19 November 2023

Date accepted: 19 November 2023

Donor status: company, registration 04106849 (Registered 27 November 2023)

Name of donor: Diageo Plc

Address of donor: 16 Marlborough Street, London W1F 7HS

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: I attended a dinner hosted by Diageo for MPs to discuss challenges facing the hospitality and drinks industries, value £324.91

Date received: 20 February 2024

Date accepted: 20 February 2024

Donor status: company, registration 23307 (Registered 1 March 2024)

Name of donor: R&A Championships Limited

Address of donor: Beach House, Golf Place, St Andrews KY16 9JA

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: two tickets to The Open with hospitality for me and a guest, including a tour of the Broadcast Centre., value £750

Date received: 19 July 2024

Date accepted: 19 July 2024

Donor status: company, registration SC247047 (Registered 7 August 2024)

8. Miscellaneous

From my election to parliament, unremunerated trustee of the Links Trust, St Andrews, which manages the golf courses owned by the public around the town. As a trustee I receive a card entitling me to 25% discount in the golf course shops or restaurants.

Date interest arose: 13 December 2019

(Registered 17 January 2020)

Chope, Sir Christopher (Christchurch)

Employment and earnings

Role, work or services: Director

Payer: Carclew Limited, private address

Additional information: A small private company which provides business consultancy services but excludes advice on parliamentary or public affairs.

(Updated 20 June 2017)

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

Name of company or organisation: Carclew Limited

(Updated 20 June 2017)

Miscellaneous

Retired barrister. (Updated 1 June 2015)

Joint Treasurer of the British-American Parliamentary Group. This is an unpaid role.

Date interest arose: 12 July 2023

(Registered 31 January 2024)

Family members employed and paid from parliamentary expenses

Name: Christine Chope Relationship: Spouse Role: Secretary

Working pattern: Full time

Coombes, Sarah (West Bromwich)

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

Name of donor: Derek Webb Address of donor: private

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £10,000 for election campaigning

Donor status: individual (Registered 16 July 2024)

Name of donor: Daniel Luhde-Thompson and Cressida Pollock Address of donor: private

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £10,000 election campaigning

Donor status: individual (Registered 18 July 2024)

Name of donor: Unison

Address of donor: UNISON West Midlands, 24 Livery Street, Birmingham B3 2PA

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £5,000 for election Campaigning

Donor status: trade union (Registered 18 July 2024)

Name of donor: GMB Midland & East

Address of donor: 542 Woodborough Road, Nottingham NG3 5FJ

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £7,000 for election campaigning

Donor status: trade union (Registered 18 July 2024)

Name of donor: Gary Lubner Address of donor: private

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £7,500 for election campaigning

Donor status: individual (Registered 24 July 2024)

Land and property portfolio with a value over £100,000 and where indicated, the portfolio provides a rental income of over £10,000 a year

Type of land/property: Residential property (Flat) Number of properties: 1

Location: London Rental income: Yes

(Registered 1 August 2024)

Dean, Bobby (Carshalton and Wallington) – Appointed 15 October 2025

1. Employment and earnings

Role, work or services: Councillor & Chair of Local Committee

Payer: Sutton Council (Local authority), Sutton Council, Civic Offices, St

Nicholas Way, Sutton SM1 1EA

(Registered 2 August 2024)

Payment: £61.20 Tax refund

Received on: 29 August 2024. Hours: no hours entered.

(Registered 20 December 2024)

Payment: £194.65 Tax refund and back pay for pay awards

Received on: 28 November 2024. Hours: no hours entered.

(Registered 20 December 2024)

Payment: £61.20 Tax refund

Received on: 27 September 2024. Hours: no hours entered.

(Registered 20 December 2024)

Payment: £61.20 Tax refund

Received on: 30 October 2024. Hours: no hours entered.

(Registered 20 December 2024)

Payment: £61 Tax refund

Received on: 30 December 2024. Hours: no hours entered.

(Registered 7 January 2025)

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

Name of donor: The Joseph Rowntree Reform Trust

Address of donor: The Garden House, Water End, York YO30 6WQ

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £1,000

Donor status: company, registration 00357963

(Registered 10 March 2025)

3. Gifts, benefits and hospitality from UK sources

Name of donor: Tottenham Hotspur Football Club

Address of donor: Lilywhite House, 782 High Road, London N17 0BX

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: Two tickets with use of a hospitality box to see Tottenham Hotspur vs Leicester City football match, value £1,150

Date received: 26 January 2025

Date accepted: 26 January 2025

Donor status: company, registration 1706458

(Registered 28 January 2025)

8. Miscellaneous

Unpaid Director of Right To Manage company, looking after the block of flats I live in.

Date interest arose: 21 July 2022

(Registered 2 August 2024)

Elmore, Chris (Bridgend)

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: Head Office, Voyager Building, 2 Furness Quay, Salford Quays, Manchester M50 3XZ

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £5,000 received via the central Labour Party

Donor status: trade union (Registered 7 February 2024)

Name of donor: Labour Together

Address of donor: Millbank Tower, 21-24 Millbank, London SW1P 4QP Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £10,000 Donor status: company, registration 09630980

(Registered 30 April 2024)

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

Name of donor: George Burns Address of donor: private

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £2,500 Date received: 15 August 2023

Date accepted: 15 August 2023 Donor status: individual

(Registered 12 September 2023)

8. Miscellaneous

Unpaid member of the Barry YMCA Board of Management. (Registered 6 June 2016; updated 1 March 2021)

Minor interest in a house in Caerphilly County Borough area owned by two members of my family.

(Registered 6 June 2016)

A Trustee and Director of the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association (UK Branch). This is an unpaid role.

Date interest arose: 28 January 2020

(Registered 7 August 2023)

Entwistle, Kirith (Bolton North East)

Employment and earnings

Role, work or services: Public Affairs Manager Until: 20 May 2024.

Payer: Wavelength (Charity), 47-51 Norfolk Street, Cambridge CB12LD (Registered 4 August 2024)

Remuneration: £2,463.56 a month Approx. Until: 20 May 2024.

Hours: 30 hrs a week maximum hours worked weekly. (Registered 4 August 2024)

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

Name of donor: Budweiser

Address of donor: 76 Macrae Rd, Pill, Bristol, BS20 0DD

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: Sponsored drinks for an

International Women's Day fundraiser event in March 2024, split between 4 candidates, value £9,000

Donor status: company, registration 04309989 (Registered 4 August 2024)

Name of donor: Arden Strategies

Address of donor: Stanley House, 69/71 Hamilton Road, Motherwell, Scotland, ML1

3DG Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: Event sponsorship for a

drinks reception fundraiser in Manchester for International Women's Day, split between 4 candidates, including myself, value £1,200

Donor status: company, registration SC517100 (Registered 4 August 2024)

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

Name of donor: USDAW

Address of donor: Quays, Voyager Building, 2 Furness Quay, Salford M50 3XZ

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £4,000

Date received: 4 June 2024

Date accepted: 4 June 2024 Donor status: trade union

(Registered 4 August 2024) Name of donor: GMB

Address of donor: Mary Turner House, 22 Stephenson Way, London, NW12HD

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £3,000

Date received: 4 June 2024

Date accepted: 4 June 2024 Donor status: trade union

(Registered 4 August 2024) Name of donor: USDAW

Address of donor: Quays, Voyager Building, 2 Furness Quay, Salford, M50 3XZ

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £5,000

Date received: 31 December 2023

Date accepted: 31 December 2023 Donor status: trade union

(Registered 4 August 2024)

Francis, Daniel (Bexleyheath and Crayford) – Appointed 8 December 2025

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

Name of company or organisation: Community Conversations Ltd.

Nature of business: Public Consultation Company assisting developers and charitable organisations within the planning sector. Company was dissolved on 22nd July 2025.

Held jointly with or on behalf of: Jointly with my wife Interest held: until 22 July 2025

(Registered 22 July 2024; updated 22 July 2025)

8. Miscellaneous

Unpaid Director/Trustee of Belvedere Community Forum, a charitable company running a Community Centre and carrying out other community and charitable work within Belvedere in the London Borough of Bexley.

Date interest ended: 24 January 2025

(Registered 22 July 2024; updated 28 January 2025) Unpaid Director, Community Conversations Ltd.

Date interest ended: 22 July 2025

(Registered 30 July 2024)

16 December 2025: Additional declarations:

Chair of APPG for Wheelchair Users, Chair of APPG for Disability Equipment

10. Family members engaged in lobbying the public sector on behalf of a third party or client

Name: Emma Francis Relationship: Spouse

Role: Director, Community Conversations Ltd. Name of employer: Community Conversations Ltd.

End date: 22 July 2025

(Registered 22 July 2024; updated 22 July 2025)

Goldman, Marie (Chelmsford)

1. Employment and earnings

Role, work or services: Councillor

Payer: Essex County Council, County Hall, 19 Market Road, Chelmsford CM1 1QH

Additional information: 10% of my allowance as a councillor is donated by me to my local party. This is known as a tithe.

(Registered 31 July 2024)

Remuneration: £1,144.17 a month

Hours: 5 hrs a week This is estimated and approximate. Some weeks it's more, some weeks less.

(Registered 31 July 2024; updated 30 August 2024) Role, work or services: Councillor

Payer: Chelmsford City Council (Chelmsford City Council), Civic Centre, Duke Street, Chelmsford CM1 1JE

Additional information: 10% of my allowance as a councillor is donated by me on a monthly basis to my local party. This is known as a tithe.

(Registered 31 July 2024)

Remuneration: £1,433.50 a month

Work or services: Deputy Leader of the Council and Cabinet Member Until: 24 July 2024.

Hours: 22.5 hrs a week Hours worked are approximate. (Registered 31 July 2024; updated 30 August 2024)

Remuneration: £553.75 a month

Hours: 4 hrs a week Number of hours per week is estimated and approximate. Some weeks will be more, some less.

(Registered 31 July 2024)

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

Name of company or organisation: Red Glazing Systems Ltd

Nature of business: Supply and installation of windows, doors and other associated products.

Held jointly with or on behalf of: Jointly with my husband. (Registered 31 July 2024)

Name of company or organisation: Piktical Ltd

Nature of business: Software-based live event ticketing and access management.
(Registered 31 July 2024)

Name of company or organisation: Red Installations Ltd

Nature of business: Installation of windows, doors and other associated products.
Held jointly with or on behalf of: Jointly with husband.

(Registered 31 July 2024)

Miscellaneous

Director of Red Glazing Systems Ltd. (Registered 31 July 2024)

Director of Piktical Ltd. (Registered 31 July 2024)

Director of Red Installations Ltd. (Registered 31 August 2024)

Hamilton, Paulette (Birmingham Erdington)

Employment and earnings

Role, work or services: Sitting on hearings as an Independent Associate Manager
Payer: Birmingham and Solihull Mental Health Trust, Unit 1 B1, 50 Summer Hill Road,

Birmingham B1 3RB

(Registered 21 March 2022; updated 5 October 2023 and 30 July 2024) Payment: £108

Received on: 28 October 2022. Hours: 10 hrs.

(Registered 5 October 2023) Payment: £155.60

Received on: 28 September 2023. Hours: 17.5 hrs.

(Registered 5 October 2023) Payment: £167.20

Received on: 28 March 2023. Hours: 10 hrs.

(Registered 5 October 2023) Payment: £163.60

Received on: 28 July 2023. Hours: 5 hrs.

(Registered 5 October 2023) Payment: £155.60

Received on: 28 June 2023. Hours: 5.5 hrs.

(Registered 5 October 2023) Payment: £231.60

Received on: 28 November 2023. Hours: 6 hrs.

(Registered 28 November 2023) Payment: £307.60

Received on: 24 January 2024. Hours: 10 hrs.

(Registered 24 January 2024) Payment: £107.60

Received on: 28 February 2024. Hours: 6 hrs.

(Registered 4 March 2024)

Remuneration: £300 a month Hours: 10 hrs a month

(Registered 30 July 2024)

Payment: £359.20

Received on: 28 August 2024. Hours: 15 hrs.

(Registered 28 August 2024)

Role, work or services: Preparing and delivering training and development sessions

Payer: Centaura Ltd, 18 River Street, Lancaster LA1 1AD

Role, work or services: Preparing and delivering training and development session

Payer: King's Fund, Cavendish Square, London W1G 0AN

3. Gifts, benefits and hospitality from UK sources

Name of donor: Centre for Turkey Studies and Development Ltd Address of donor:
239-241 Kennington Lane, London SE11 5QU

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: Two tickets to the
Kebab Awards 2024, value £600

Date received: 27 February 2024

Date accepted: 27 February 2024

Donor status: company, registration 07512777 (Registered 6 March 2024)

4. Visits outside the UK

Name of donor: House of Representatives of the Republic of Cyprus Address of
donor: 1102 Nicosia, Cyprus

Estimate of the probable value (or amount of any donation): Transport,
accommodation and meals, value £752

Destination of visit: Cyprus

Dates of visit: 13 February 2024 to 16 February 2024

Purpose of visit: Trip with the APPG for Cyprus to understand the political and economic situation in Cyprus, meet members of parliament and government, and visit key historical sites.

(Registered 27 February 2024)

8. Miscellaneous

Registered Nurse at the Bank Universities Hospitals, Birmingham. (Registered 21 March 2022)

Vice President of the Local Government Association (LGA). This is an unpaid role.

Date interest arose: 28 June 2022

(Registered 25 July 2022)

Hopkins, Rachel (Luton South and South Bedfordshire) – Appointed 8 December 2025

6. Land and property portfolio with a value over £100,000 and where indicated, the portfolio provides a rental income of over £10,000 a year

Type of land/property: Residential property (house, used also for my partner's business)

Number of properties: 1 Location: Luton

(Registered 11 January 2020)

8. Miscellaneous

Unpaid Vice President of the LGA, which works with councils to support, promote and improve local government.

Date interest arose: 30 December 2020

(Registered 9 March 2021)

16 December 2025: Additional declarations:

Member of Unite trade union and PCS trade union

Associate member of the Chartered Institute of Personnel and Development

Member of Humanists UK

Ingham, Leigh (Stafford) – Appointed 8 December 2025

2. (b) Any other support not included in Category 2(a) Name of donor: Google UK Ltd

Address of donor: 1-13 St Giles High St, London WC2H 8AG

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: Hospitality as a guest of YouTube at Glastonbury Festival 2025, value £2,908.02

Date received: 27 June 2025

Date accepted: 27 June 2025

Donor status: company, registration 03977902 (Registered 23 July 2025)

4. Visits outside the UK

Name of donor: United Nations Population Fund via the All Party Parliamentary Group on Global Sexual and Reproductive Health and as per its APPG Register.
Address of donor: 605 3rd Avenue, New York NY 10158

Estimate of the probable value (or amount of any donation): Flights & visa (£1,789.41), accommodation (£486.41), other travel (£220.08), food and drink (£371.130), per diem and misc (127.14), value £2,994.17

Destination of visit: Kenya

Dates of visit: 8 April 2025 to 12 April 2025

Purpose of visit: Study tour on Sexual and Reproductive Health and Rights and International Development

(Registered 7 May 2025)

8. Miscellaneous

Governor of Burton Manor School, Stafford. This is an unpaid role.

Date interest arose: 8 July 2024

(Registered 25 July 2024)

Lamont, John (Berwickshire, Roxburgh and Selkirk) – Appointed 15 September 2025

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

Name of donor: Ian McVeigh

Address of donor: private

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £10,000

Donor status: individual (Registered 24 April 2025)

4. Visits outside the UK

Name of donor: Conservative Friends of Israel Ltd (CFI Ltd)

Address of donor: CFI Ltd, PO Box 72288, London SW1P 9LB

Estimate of the probable value (or amount of any donation): Air travel, accommodation and hospitality for a trip to Israel, value £3,200

Destination of visit: Israel (Tel Aviv and Jerusalem)

Dates of visit: 17 February 2025 to 21 February 2025

Purpose of visit: Fact finding political delegation (Registered 26 February 2025)

8. Miscellaneous

I am a member of the Rail Action Group East of Scotland (RAGES). (Registered 26 June 2017)

I am a member of the Law Society of England and Wales. (Registered 26 June 2017)

I am a trustee of the St Abbs Lifeboat Trust. (Registered 26 June 2017) Solicitor (non-practising).

(Registered 26 June 2017)

Morrissey, Joy (Beaconsfield)

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

Name of donor: Mr Michael Clare Address of donor: private

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £6,000 Donor status: individual

(Registered 21 August 2024) Name of donor: United and Cecil

Address of donor: 97 Mill Hill Road, London W3 8KF

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £3,500 Donor status: unincorporated association

(Registered 21 August 2024)

Name of donor: Mr Ramandeep Singh Address of donor: private

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £2,000 Donor status: individual

(Registered 21 August 2024)

Name of donor: Catherine C Martin Address of donor: private

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £15,000 Donor status: individual

(Registered 21 August 2024)

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

Name of donor: John Martin Address of donor: private

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: Research services, value £6,000

Date received: 26 August 2023

Date accepted: 26 August 2023 Donor status: individual

(Registered 8 September 2023)

Philp, Chris (Croydon South)

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

Name of company or organisation: Pluto Capital Management LLP Nature of business: Property finance and investment

(Registered 5 June 2015)

Name of company or organisation: Pluto Silverstone Co Invest LLP Nature of business: Property finance and investment

(Registered 5 June 2015)

Name of company or organisation: Pluto Development Partners LLP Nature of business: Property finance and investment

(Registered 5 June 2015)

Name of company or organisation: Pluto Partners LLP Nature of business: Property finance and investment

(Registered 5 June 2015)

Name of company or organisation: Millgap Ltd

Nature of business: Consulting, advisory and investment (Registered 5 June 2015)

Name of company or organisation: Pluto Monza Co Invest LLP Nature of business: Property finance and investment

(Registered 5 June 2015)

Miscellaneous

A company in which Millgap Ltd holds beneficial ownership of 0.375% became accredited for the Coronavirus Business Interruption Loan Scheme.

Date interest arose: 22 March 2021

(Registered 25 May 2021)

A company to which a subsidiary of Pluto Partners LLP provides services became accredited for the Coronavirus Business Interruption Loan Scheme.

Date interest arose: 22 March 2021

(Registered 25 May 2021)

Platt, Jo (Leigh and Atherton)

Employment and earnings

Role, work or services: General Manager Until: 8 July 2024.

Payer: Leigh Building Preservation Trust (A preservation trust, regenerating Leigh

Spinners Mill, providing space for small start-ups and social enterprise), Leigh
Spinners Mill, Park Lane, Leigh WN7 2LB

(Registered 31 July 2024) Payment: £541.98

Received on: 31 July 2024. Hours: 0.8 hrs.

(Registered 31 July 2024)

3. Gifts, benefits and hospitality from UK sources

Name of donor: Arden Strategies

Address of donor: Stanley House, 69/71 Hamilton Road, Motherwell ML1 3DG

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: Donation paid direct to the caterer for a joint International Women's Day fundraiser event, alongside three other candidates., value £1,200

Date received: 8 March 2024

Date accepted: 8 March 2024

Donor status: company, registration SC517100 (Registered 3 August 2024)

Name of donor: Budweiser Brewing Group UK&I Address of donor: 90 Fetter Lane,
London EC4A 1EN

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: International Women's Day Fundraiser event for four candidates. This was for drinks and the reception, value £9,000 Date received: 8 March 2024

Date accepted: 8 March 2024

Donor status: company, registration 04309989 (Registered 3 August 2024)

4. Visits outside the UK

Name of donor: Labour Friends of Israel Address of donor: BM LFI, London WC1N 3XX

Estimate of the probable value (or amount of any donation): Flights, accommodation and meals, value £2,200

Destination of visit: Israel (Palestine)

Dates of visit: 3 September 2023 to 7 September 2023

Purpose of visit: Fact finding visit. Meeting with Israeli and Palestinian politicians, academics, activists and diplomats

(Registered 24 July 2024)

8. Miscellaneous

Director of Pride In Leigh CIC, an organisation that hosts Pride events in Leigh. This is an unpaid role.

(Registered 31 July 2024)

Co-opted Governor for Elysium Training. This is an unpaid role. (Registered 31 July 2024)

Trustee for the ADHD Foundation. This is an unpaid role. (Registered 31 July 2024)

Powell, Lucy (Manchester Central)

1. Employment and earnings

Role, work or services: Broadcast appearance

Payer: ITV Studios, Orange Tower, MediaCity UK, Manchester M50 2HE

Payment expected: £600 for an appearance on an episode of Christmas University Challenge filmed on 18 November 2023.

Completed or provided on: 18 November 2023. Hours: 4 hrs. (Registered 20 November 2023)

3. Gifts, benefits and hospitality from UK sources

Name of donor: Manchester City FC

Address of donor: Etihad Stadium, Etihad Campus, Manchester M11 3FF

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: Tickets with hospitality for me and a child to the Manchester City v Nottingham Forest Premier League match, value

£500

Date received: 2 September 2023

Date accepted: 2 September 2023

Donor status: company, registration 00040946 (Registered 28 September 2023)

Name of donor: Manchester City FC

Address of donor: Etihad Stadium, Etihad Campus, Manchester M11 3FF

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: Two tickets to Manchester City v Newcastle for me and one guest with hospitality (£420 per ticket), value £840 Date received: 16 March 2024

Date accepted: 16 March 2024

Donor status: company, registration 00040946 (Registered 26 March 2024)

Name of donor: Manchester City FC

Address of donor: Etihad Stadium, Etihad Campus, Manchester M11 3F

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: Two tickets for the Manchester City Women vs. Manchester United Women match, as guests of Manchester City for my staff member, value £150

Date received: 23 March 2024

Date accepted: 23 March 2024

Donor status: company, registration 00040946 (Registered 26 March 2024)

Name of donor: Manchester City FC

Address of donor: Etihad Stadium, Etihad Campus, Manchester M11 3FF

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: One ticket to Manchester City v Arsenal with hospitality, value £450

Date received: 31 March 2024

Date accepted: 31 March 2024

Donor status: company, registration 00040946 (Registered 10 April 2024)

Name of donor: The Jockey Club

Address of donor: 21-27 Lamb's Conduit Street, London WC1N 3NL

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: I attended the Grand National with a plus one, as a guest of the Jockey Club, value £1,800

Date received: 13 April 2024

Date accepted: 13 April 2024

Donor status: company, registration 02909409 (Registered 23 April 2024)

Name of donor: The Football Association

Address of donor: Wembley Stadium, Wembley, London HA9 0WS

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: I attended the FA Cup semi- final game Manchester City v Manchester United with one guest (two tickets with

hospitality), value £400

Date received: 25 May 2024

Date accepted: 25 May 2024

Donor status: company, registration 00077797 (Registered 11 July 2024)

Name of donor: Silverstone Circuits Ltd

Address of donor: Silverstone Circuit, Towcester NN12 8TN

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: Two tickets to the British

Grand Prix, value £464 Date received: 7 July 2024

Date accepted: 7 July 2024

Donor status: company, registration 00882843 (Registered 11 July 2024)

Name of donor: Football Association

Address of donor: Wembley Stadium, Wembley, London HA9 0WS

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: Two tickets for staff to Women's FA cup final, value £100

Date received: 25 May 2024

Date accepted: 25 May 2024

Donor status: company, registration 00077797 (Registered 11 July 2024)

6. Land and property portfolio with a value over £100,000 and where indicated, the portfolio provides a rental income of over £10,000 a year

Type of land/property: Residential property (a room in my London flat) Number of properties: 1

Location: London

Interest held: from 1 June 2015

Rental income: from 1 June 2015

(Registered 4 September 2015)

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

Name of company or organisation: New Road Management Nature of business: A property management company Additional information: One sixth shareholder

(Registered 13 December 2012; updated 2 June 2015 and 13 May 2021)

Norman, Jesse (Hereford and South Herefordshire) – Appointed 18 November 2024

1. Employment and earnings

Role, work or services: Writing Books

Payer: Peters Fraser & Dunlop Ltd (Book Publisher), 55 New Oxford Street,
London WC1A 1BS

Payment: £725.21 as royalties.

Received on: 11 April 2024. Hours: no additional hours.

Ultimate payer: Penguin Books Ltd, 20 Vauxhall Bridge Rd, London SW1V
2SA

(Registered 15 April 2024)

Payment: £563.78 as royalties.

Received on: 11 April 2024. Hours: no additional hours.

Ultimate payer: Citic Publishing House, 8-10F Block 2 Fusheng Bldg A4
Huixin East Street Beijing, 100029 China

(Registered 15 April 2024)

Payment: £293.54 as royalties.

Received on: 18 April 2024. Hours: no additional hours.

Ultimate payer: HarperCollins Publisher, 103 Westerhill Road,
Bishopsbriggs, Glasgow G64 2QT

(Registered 29 April 2024)

Payment: £112.14 as royalties.

Received on: 18 April 2024. Hours: no additional hours.

Ultimate payer: Everymans Library, 50 Albemarle Street, London W1S 4BD

(Registered 29 April 2024)

Payment: £875 Book Advance

Received on: 4 July 2024. Hours: no hours entered.

Ultimate payer: Isis Publishing Ltd, The Green Bradgate Road, Anstey,
Leicester, Leicestershire, LE7 7FU

Paid directly to: a charity

(Registered 26 July 2024)

Payment: £875 Advance on first publication

Received on: 24 July 2024. Hours: no hours entered.

Ultimate payer: Isis Publishing Ltd, The Green Bradgate Road, Anstey,
Leicester, Leicestershire, LE7 7FU

Paid directly to: a charity

(Registered 26 July 2024)

Payment: £75.34

Received on: 14 August 2024. Hours: no additional hours.

Ultimate payer: Citic Publishing House, 8-10F Block 2 Fusheng Bldg A4
Huixin East Street Beijing, 100029 China

(Registered 27 August 2024)

Payment: £78.28

Received on: 10 October 2024. Hours: no additional hours.

Ultimate payer: HarperCollins Publishers, 103 Westerhill Road,
Bishopsbriggs, Glasgow G64 2QT

(Registered 23 October 2024)

Payment: £402.79

Received on: 17 October 2024. Hours: no additional hours.

Ultimate payer: Everyman's Library, 50 Albemarle Street, London W1S 4BD

(Registered 23 October 2024)

Payment: £186.22

Received on: 3 October 2024. Hours: no additional hours.

Ultimate payer: Penguin Books Ltd, One, Embassy Gardens, 8 Viaduct Gdns,

Nine Elms, London SW11 7BW

(Registered 28 October 2024)

Role, work or services: Academic Work

Payer: Liberty Fund Inc (private educational foundation), 11301 N. Meridian

Street, Carmel, IN 46032-4564, USA

Payment: £673

Received on: 20 September 2024. Hours: 10 hrs number of hours worked is estimated.

(Registered 25 September 2024)

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

Name of donor: Neil Record

Address of donor: private

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £2,000

Donor status: individual

(Registered 5 August 2024)

Name of donor: IPGL Ltd

Address of donor: 39 Sloane Street, London SW1X 9LP

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £2,500

Donor status: company, registration 02011009

(Registered 5 August 2024)

Name of donor: Mark Blandford

Address of donor: private

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £10,000

Donor status: individual

(Registered 5 August 2024)

Name of donor: Kirintec Ltd

Address of donor: Walter Scott House, 10 Old Gloucester Road, Ross-on-Wye,
HerefordshireHR9 5PB

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £10,000

Donor status: company, registration 06699502

(Registered 5 August 2024)

Name of donor: Simon Robertson

Address of donor: private

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £5,000

Donor status: individual

(Registered 5 August 2024)

Name of donor: Mark Ellis

Address of donor: private

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £2,000

Donor status: individual

(Registered 5 August 2024)

Name of donor: United & Cecil Club

Address of donor: 97 Mill Hill Road, London W3 8JF

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £3,500

Donor status: unincorporated association

(Registered 5 August 2024)

4. Visits outside the UK

Name of donor: Franco-British Colloque Ltd

Address of donor: Station house, Station Approach, East Horsley KT24 6QX

Estimate of the probable value (or amount of any donation): Hotel Room and food

for two nights and a taxi transfer, value £1,009.66

Destination of visit: France (Versailles)

Dates of visit: 25 January 2024 to 27 January 2024

Purpose of visit: To attend the Franco-British Colloque conference.

(Registered 16 February 2024)

7. (ii) Other shareholdings, valued at more than £70,000

Name of company or organisation: Genie International Toys

Nature of business: Toy design and manufacture

Additional information: Previously trading as Genie Toys PLC until 17 December 2017.

(Updated 31 January 2022)

8. Miscellaneous

Member of the Town Board for Hereford. This is an unpaid role.

Date interest arose: 23 January 2020

(Registered 5 February 2020)

Vince, Chris (Harlow) – Appointed 4 March 2025

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

via a central party organisation

Name of donor: Unison

Address of donor: 130 Euston Road, London NW1 2AY

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £6,000

Donor status: trade union

(Registered 23 July 2024)

Name of donor: Usdaw

Address of donor: Congress House 23-28 Great Russell Street, Saint Giles WC1B
3LS

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £13,000

Donor status: trade union

(Registered 23 July 2024)

Name of donor: Labour Together Limited

Address of donor: Langley House Park Road, East Finchley, London N2 8EY

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £10,000

Donor status: company, registration 096309802024

(Registered 25 July 2024)

8. Miscellaneous

Member of NEC of the Cooperative Party. This is an unpaid role.

(Registered 10 July 2024)

Trustee of Razed Roof an Inclusive theatre company. This is an unpaid role.

Date interest arose: 5 July 2024

(Registered 10 July 2024)

Regional Executive Committee Member of Eastern Region Labour Party. This is an unpaid role.

Date interest arose: 5 July 2024

Date interest ended: 26 January 2025

(Registered 15 July 2024; updated 26 February 2025)

Trustee of Youth Concern Trust. This is an unpaid role.

Date interest arose: 19 August 2024

(Registered 30 August 2024)