

## Formal Minute

**Meeting held on**

**Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> May**

**Members present:**

Mary Creagh, in the Chair

Geraint Davies  
Zac Goldsmith  
Caroline Lucas

John McNally  
Rebecca Pow

### **1. Environmental Impact of Microplastics**

Francisco Morcillo, Public and Industrial Affairs Manager, British Plastics Federation, Dr Laura Foster, Head of Pollution, Marine Conservation Society, Sarah Baulch, Oceans Campaigner, Environmental Investigation Agency, and Daniel Steadman, Marine Plastics Projects Manager, Fauna and Flora International, gave oral evidence.

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

British Retail Consortium  
The Cosmetic Toiletry Perfumery Association

### **2. Sustainability and HM Treasury**

*Ordered*, That the Chair write to the Chancellor of the Exchequer, George Osborne MP regarding oral evidence.

### **3. Soil Health**

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

Dr Neil Humphries  
Chartered Institute of Environmental Health  
Defra

[Adjourned until 2:00pm on Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> May

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**Meeting held on**

**Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> May**

**Members present:**

Mary Creagh, in the Chair

Peter Aldous  
Geraint Davies

Peter Heaton-Jones

### **1. Soil Health**

Draft Report (Soil Health), 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 180.

### **2. Flooding: Cooperation Across Government**

Draft Report (Soil Health), 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 183.

[Adjourned until 2pm on Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> June

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### **Meeting held on**

**Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> June**

### **Members present:**

Mary Creagh, in the Chair

Geraint Davies  
Zac Goldsmith  
Carolyn Harris

Peter Heaton-Jones  
Caroline Lucas  
John McNally

### **1. Environmental Impact of Microplastics**

John Chave, Director General, Cosmetics Europe, Dr Chris Flower, Director General, The Cosmetics, Toiletry and Perfumery Association, and Professor Richard Thompson, Professor of Marine Biology, Plymouth University, gave oral evidence.

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

Dr Danielle Green  
Francisco Morcillo  
Johnson & Johnson  
L'Oreal  
Wessex Water  
Severn Trent Water  
Anglian Water  
United Utilities  
Southern Water  
NWG

### **2. Sustainability and HM Treasury**

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

Grundon Waste Management Ltd  
UKWIN  
Bristol City Council

[Adjourned until 10am on Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> June

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**Meeting held on**

**Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> June**

**Members present:**

Mary Creagh, in the Chair

Peter Aldous  
Margaret Greenwood

Caroline Lucas  
John McNally

### **1. Environmental Impact of Microplastics**

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

Thames Water  
Yorkshire Water  
Prof Richard Thompson  
Cornwall Plastic Pollution Coalition

### **2. Sustainability and HM Treasury**

*Ordered,* That Martin Hirst be appointed a Specialist Adviser to assist the Committee in its inquiry into Sustainability and HM Treasury.

Karen Ellis, Chief Adviser on Economics and Development, WWF, Dimitri Zenghelis, Co-Head Climate Policy, LSE, Claire Jakobsson, Head of Energy and Environment Policy, EEF, Rob Lambe, Managing Director, Energy Services at Willmott Dixon, and Michael Jacobs, Visiting Professor at the School of Public Policy, UCL and the Grantham Research Institute, LSE, gave oral evidence.

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

London Councils  
South Tyne and Wear Waste Management Partnership  
Centre for the Understanding of Sustainably Prosperity  
Resource Association  
DS Smith  
Environmental Services Association  
Local Authority Recycling Advisory Committee  
ADEPT  
Local Government Association  
Mineral Products Association  
Zero Waste England  
Green Alliance  
Derby and South Derbyshire Friends of the Earth

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Hampshire County Council  
CIWEM

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**Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> June**

**Members present:**

Mary Creagh, in the Chair

Peter Aldous  
Caroline Ansell  
Jo Churchill  
Zac Goldsmith

Margaret Greenwood  
Peter Heaton-Jones  
John McNally  
Rebecca Pow

### **1. Environmental Impact of Microplastics**

Dr Laurent Gilbert, Director for International Development of Advanced Research, L'Oréal, Ian Malcomber, Science Director, Unilever, and Dr Patrick Masscheleyn, Global Product Stewardship, Procter & Gamble, gave oral evidence.

[Adjourned until 10am on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> July

## Formal Minute

Meeting held on

Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> July

Members present:

Mary Creagh, in the Chair

Peter Aldous  
Caroline Ansell  
Jo Churchill  
Zac Goldsmith

Caroline Lucas  
Kerry McCarthy  
John McNally

### 1. Declarations of interests

Kerry McCarthy declared her interests, in accordance with the Resolution of the House of 13 July 1992.

Peter Aldous declared an interest in a family farm, already set out in the Register of Interests, as it has a solar PV field.

### 2. Environmental Impact of Microplastics

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

Water UK

### 3. Sustainability and HM Treasury

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

Greater London Authority

Lord Deben, Chair, and Matthew Bell, Chief Executive, Committee on Climate Change, Matthew Knight, Business Development Director, Siemens, Barbara Vest, Director of Generation, Energy UK, Estelle Brachlianoff, Senior Executive, Vice-President UK and Ireland, Veolia, Jerry McLaughlin, Director, Economics and Public Affairs, Mineral Products Association, and Dan Cooke, Director of Communications and External Affairs/Chairman of Communications Committee, Viridor/Chartered Institution of Wastes Management gave oral evidence.

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[Adjourned until 10am on Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> July



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**Meeting held on**

**Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> July**

**Members present:**

Mary Creagh, in the Chair

Zac Goldsmith  
Margaret Greenwood  
Peter Heaton-Jones  
Caroline Lucas

Kerry McCarthy  
John McNally  
Rebecca Pow

### **1. Consideration of Chair's Draft Report: Sustainability and the Department for Transport**

[The draft Report was agreed to. Formal Minutes relating to the Report can be found in the Committee's Third Report of Session 2016-2017 (HC 184)]

### **2. Sustainability and HM Treasury**

The Committee received a briefing from the National Audit Office.

### **3. Flooding: Cooperation Across Government**

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

Slowing the Flow

### **4. Environmental Impact of Microplastics**

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

Environment Agency

### **5. Sustainability and the Department for Transport**

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

West Yorkshire Combined Authority

### **6. Future Programme**

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The Committee considered this matter.

*Resolved*, That the Committee inquire into Sustainable Development Goals in the UK.

[Adjourned until 1:30pm on Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> July

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**Meeting held on**

**Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> July**

**Members present:**

Mary Creagh, in the Chair

Geraint Davies  
Caroline Lucas

Kerry McCarthy

### **1. Consideration of Chair's Draft Report: Environmental Impact of Microplastics**

[The draft Report was agreed to. Formal Minutes relating to the Report can be found in the Committee's Fourth Report of Session 2016-2017 (HC 179)]

### **2. Correspondence**

*Resolved*, That the Committee write to the Secretary of State for Leaving the European Union and the Minister for the Environment.

*Ordered*, That the correspondence be reported to the House for publication.

### **3. Sustainability and HM Treasury**

The Committee considered this matter.

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

Mr Peter Jones OBE

### **4. Future Programme**

The Committee considered this matter.

*Resolved*, That the Committee inquire into The Future of the Natural Environment After the EU Referendum.

*Resolved*, That the Committee inquire into Marine Protected Areas Revisited.

[Adjourned until 2pm on Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> September

## **Formal Minute**

### **Meeting held on**

**Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> September**

### **Members present:**

Mary Creagh, in the Chair

Peter Aldous  
Geraint Davies  
Zac Goldsmith  
Mr Peter Lilley

Caroline Lucas  
Kerry McCarthy  
John McNally

#### **1. Marine Protected Areas Revisited**

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

Chagos Refugees Group and UK Chagos Support Association

#### **2. Sustainability and HM Treasury**

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

University of Strathclyde

#### **3. Sustainable Development Goals in the UK**

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

EV Hub UK  
International Association for Community Development  
Population Matters  
Compassion in World Farming  
Mr Edward Clarence Smith  
UK Overseas Territories Conservation Forum

*Resolved,* That the Committee visit Finland and Germany in connection with its inquiry into Sustainable Development Goals in the UK.

*Resolved,* That the Committee visit Birmingham to undertake a youth engagement event in connection with its inquiry into Sustainable Development Goals in the UK.

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### 4. **EU and UK Environmental Policy**

Draft Special Report (EU and UK Environmental Policy: Government Response to the Committee's Third Report of Session 2015-16), proposed by the Chair, brought up, read the first and second time, and agreed to.

The Government's response to the Third Report from the Committee of Session 2015-16 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.

### 5. **Flooding: Cooperation Across Government**

*Ordered*, That correspondence between the Chair, the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs and the Secretary of State for the Cabinet Office be reported to the House for publication.

Draft Special Report (Flooding: Cooperation Across Government: Government Response to the Committee's Second Report of Session 2016-17), proposed by the Chair, brought up, read the first and second time, and agreed to.

The Government's response to the Second Report from the Committee of Session 2016-17 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.

### 6. **Soil Health**

Draft Special Report (Soil Health: Government Response to the Committee's First Report of Session 2016-17), proposed by the Chair, brought up, read the first and second time, and agreed to.

The Government's response to the First Report from the Committee of Session 2016-17 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.

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### 7. The Future of the Natural Environment After the EU Referendum

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

John Humphreys  
Augusta Lewis  
Dr Geoff Meaden  
River Nene Regional Park  
Dr Robert Evans  
Dr Keith Kirby  
Compassion in World Farming  
Dr Viviane Gravey  
Jeremy Sabel  
Upper Teesdale Agricultural Support Services  
Rhian Pierce  
Wildfowl Wetlands Trust  
Durham Bird Club  
UK Overseas Territories Conservation Forum  
Mrs Susan Atkinson  
The Chartered Institute of Environmental Health

Dr Thérèse Coffey, Parliamentary Under-Secretary, Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, and Mr Robin Walker, Parliamentary Under Secretary of State, Department for Exiting the European Union, gave oral evidence.

[Adjourned until 10am on Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> September

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### Meeting held on

Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> September

### Members present:

Mary Creagh, in the Chair

Peter Aldous  
Zac Goldsmith  
Margaret Greenwood

Peter Heaton-Jones  
Kerry McCarthy  
Dr Alan Whitehead

### 1. The Future of the Natural Environment after the EU Referendum

*Resolved*, That the Chair and Kerry McCarthy have leave to visit Surrey Wildlife Trust in a representative capacity in connection with this inquiry.

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

|                     |                    |                    |
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| Alison Finn         | Confederation of   | Dr Margaret        |
| Ancient Tree        | Forest Industries  | Bradshaw           |
| Forum               | Cornwall Ancient   | Dr Mark Fisher     |
| Anguilla National   | Tree Forum         | Dr Olaf Schroth    |
| Trust               | Cornwall and Isles | EDF Energy         |
| Association of      | of Scilly Local    | Environmental      |
| Local Government    | Nature             | Protection UK      |
| Ecologists          | Partnership and    | Fauna & Flora      |
| Bat Conservation    | the Cornwall Area  | International      |
| Trust               | of Outstanding     | Federation of City |
| Bill Grayson        | Natural Beauty     | Farms &            |
| British Ecological  | Partnership        | Community          |
| Society             | Cotswolds          | Gardens            |
| British Trust for   | Conservation       | Foundation for     |
| Ornithology         | Board              | Common Land        |
| Buglife-The         | Council for Nature | Freshwater         |
| Invertebrate        | Conservation and   | Habitats Trust     |
| Conservation        | the Countryside    | Friends of the     |
| Trust               | Countryside        | Earth, England,    |
| Campaign to         | Alliance           | Wales & Northern   |
| Protect Rural       | CPRE Lancashire    | Ireland            |
| England             | Devon Hedge        | Friends of the     |
| Centre for          | Group              | Lake District      |
| Ecology &           | Dipterists Forum   | Greater            |
| Hydrology           | Dorset Local       | Lincolnshire       |
| Chartered Institute | Nature             | Nature             |
| for Archaeologists  | Partnership        | Partnership        |
| Chartered Institute | Dr and Mrs         | GWCT, LEAF &       |
| of Ecology and      | Michala and David  | FWAG               |
| Environmental       | Pearson            | Hagge Woods        |
| Management          | Dr Christopher     | Trust              |
| CIWEM               | Sandom             |                    |
| ClientEarth         | Dr Helena Howe     |                    |

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| Hampshire Ornithological Society      | National Farmers Union                       | The SOURCE Partnership   |
| Heather Marshall                      | National Trust                               | The Southern Uplands Partnership   |
| Hedgelink                             | North East LNP                               | The Wild Trout Trust   |
| Historic England                      | Northern Hill Farming Panel                  | The Wildlife Trusts  |
| Hugh Watson                           | Northern Ireland Environment Link            | The Wildlife Trusts  |
| Institute of Fisheries Management     | Northumbrian Water Group                     | The Wildlife Trusts  |
| Institution of Environmental Sciences | Open Spaces Society                          | The Wildlife Trusts  |
| IUCN UK                               | Oxfordshire Green Party                      | UK Environmental Law Association   |
| Peatlands Programme                   | People Need Nature                           | VINE Values In Nature and the Environment  |
| John Hill                             | Pesticide Action Network UK                  | Warwickshire Coventry and Solihull Local Nature Partnership  |
| John Thomson                          | PlantLINK                                    | Wessex Water   |
| Kent Nature Partnership               | Rewilding Britain                            | West Berkshire Stronger Together   |
| Malvern Hills Conservators            | Rusland Valley & Fells Landscape Partnership | Wildlife and Countryside Link  |
| MEP Molly Scott                       | Scottish Wildlife Trust                      | Woodland Trust   |
| Cato                                  | Shared Assets                                | WWF-UK   |
| Mr Adrian Parker                      | Shropshire Hills AONB Partnership            | Yorkshire Dales Rivers Trust, as CaBA catchment host for the Swale, Ure and Nidd and the Wharfe catchments |
| Mr Graham Gill                        | Society for the Environment                  | Yorkshire West Local Nature Partnership  |
| Mr James William Buckley              | Soil Association & Organic Research Centre   |  |
| Mr Jamie Alison                       | South West Water                             |  |
| Mr John Harrison                      | The England & Wales Wildfire Forum           |  |
| Mr Kit Bennett                        | The Geological Society                       |  |
| Mr Mark July                          | The Heather Trust                            |  |
| Mr Paul Cobb                          | The Land Trust                               |  |
| Mr Richard Bruce                      | The Ramblers                                 |  |
| Mr Seán O'Hea                         | The Rivers Trust                             |  |
| Mr Stuart Coleman                     |  |  |
| Mrs Melanie Dodd                      |  |  |
| Ms Nicola Packer                      |  |  |
| Ms Sally Huish                        |  |  |
| Ms Susan Hedley                       |  |  |
| National Association for AONBs        |  |  |

### 2. Declaration of interests

Dr Alan Whitehead declared his interests, in accordance with the Resolution of the House of 13 July 1992 (see Appendix).

### 3. Sustainability and HM Treasury



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Jane Ellison MP, Financial Secretary to the Treasury, HM Treasury, Susan Acland-Hood, Director, Enterprise and Growth Unit, Neil Kenward, Deputy Director, Energy Environment and Agriculture, gave oral evidence

### **Appendix**

#### **Declaration of Interests**

##### **Dr Alan Whitehead:**

Director, the Environment Centre Southampton.

Shareholder, Good energy plc.

Bondholder, Ecotricity plc.

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**Meeting held on**

**Monday 10<sup>th</sup> October**

**Members present:**

Mary Creagh, in the Chair

Zac Goldsmith  
John McNally

Dr Alan Whitehead

**1. The Future of the Natural Environment after the EU Referendum**

*Ordered*, that Dr Geoffrey Radley be appointed Specialist Adviser in respect of the Committees inquiry into the Future of the Natural Environment after the EU Referendum

The Committee received a private briefing from its Specialist Adviser

[Adjourned until 10am on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> October

## Formal Minute

### Meeting held on

11<sup>th</sup> October

### Members present:

Mary Creagh, in the Chair

Peter Aldous  
Zac Goldsmith  
Mr Peter Lilley

Caroline Lucas  
John McNally  
Kerry McCarthy

### 1. Future Programme

*Resolved*, That the Committee inquire into Sustainability in the Ministry of Justice.

*Resolved*, That the Committee inquire into Sustainability in the Department for Communities and Local Government.

### 2. The Future of the Natural Environment after the EU Referendum

Peter Aldous declared an interest as a partner in a family farm who are members of the National Farmers Union.

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

Letter from Dr Thérèse Coffey MP to Chair  
National Parks England  
Professor Richard Brazier

Dr Viviane Gravey, Lecturer in European Politics, Queen's University Belfast, Steve Trotter, Director, The Wildlife Trusts, Martin Harper, Conservation Director, Royal Society for the Protection of Birds, Professor Carolyn Roberts, Vice-president, Institute of Environmental Sciences gave oral evidence.

George Dunn, Chief Executive, Tenant Farmer's Association, Patrick Begg, Rural Enterprises Director, National Trust, Richard Quinn, Chief Executive, Farmcare Ltd, Tim Breitmeyer, Deputy President, Country, Land and Business Association gave oral evidence.

### 3. Marine Protected Areas Revisited

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

Association of Inshore Fisheries and Conservation Authorities  
British Antarctic Survey, Natural Environment Research Council  
Chartered Institute for Archaeologists  
Dr Jon Copley  
Dr Keith Hiscock  
Marinet Limited  
The Pew Trusts  
Thomas Hooper

### 4. Sustainable Development Goals in the UK

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

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| Alcohol Health Alliance UK                                   | Institution of Environmental Scientists                                      | RSPB   |
| Aviva Plc  | Institution of Occupational Safety and Health                                | ShareAction  |
| Bioregional  | Just Fair  | Sightsavers  |
| Bond   | Learning for Sustainability Scotland   | Society for the Environment                                |
| British Retail Consortium                                    | Local Government Association   | South West Learning for Sustainability Coalition           |
| Centre for the Understanding of Sustainable Prosperity       | London Regional Centre of Expertise in Education for Sustainable Development | SUEZ   |
| Chartered Institute of Library and Information Professionals | Ministry of the Environment, Government of Montserrat                        | Sustainable Development Goals Fund / UNDP                  |
| Clean Air in London  | Mr Derek Osborn  | The Geological Society                                     |
| Department for International Development                     | New Economics Foundation   | The project: Towards Sustainable And Resilient Agriculture |
| Environmental Services Association                           | Newcastle University   | The Woodland Trust   |
| FSDS   | Office for National Statistics   | UK Health Forum  |
| Food Foundation  | Overseas Development Institute   | UKSSD  |
| Green House  |  | Unicef UK  |
| Think Tank   |  | World Future Council                                       |
| IIED   |  | WRAP   |
| Institute of Development Studies                             |  | WWF-UK   |

[Adjourned until 10am on Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> October

**13<sup>th</sup> October 2016**

The Chair and Kerry McCarthy visited Surrey Wildlife Trust in a representative capacity in accordance with the Committee's resolution of 15 September 2016.

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### Meeting held on

18<sup>th</sup> October

### Members present:

Peter Aldous, in the Chair

Geraint Davies  
Peter Heaton-Jones  
Zac Goldsmith

Caroline Lucas  
John McNally  
Kerry McCarthy

#### 1. Chair

*Resolved*, That, at this day's sitting, Peter Aldous take the Chair of the Committee

#### 2. Written evidence and correspondence

The following written evidence and correspondence was ordered to be reported to the House for publication:

Letter from the Chair to the Minister of State for Climate Change and Industry.

#### 3. Marine Protected Areas Revisited

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

Blue Marine Foundation  
Bournemouth University  
British Association for Shooting and Conservation  
British Marine Aggregate Producers Association  
Chagos Conservation Trust  
Chartered Institute of Ecology & Environmental Management  
Falklands Conservation  
Government of South Georgia & the South Sandwich Islands  
Greenpeace UK  
HM Government of Gibraltar  
Marine Conservation Society  
Mr Peter Mason  
National Federation of Fishermen's Organisations  
North Sea Marine Cluster  
Oil & Gas UK  
Royal Yachting Association  
RSPB  
The Wildfowl & Wetlands Trust  
The Wildlife Trusts  
Wildlife and Countryside Link  
WWF-UK  
Yarmouth Isle of Wight  
Zoological Society of London

#### 4. Sustainable Development Goals in the UK

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

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Bristol Green Capital Partnership and Bristol SDG Alliance  
National Parks England  
Professor Richard Brazier

### **5. The Future of the Natural Environment after the EU Referendum**

Sir Charles Burrell, Chair, Rewilding Britain, Professor Richard Brazier, University of Exeter, Professor Sue Hartley, British Ecological Society, Dr Keith Kirby, University of Oxford gave oral evidence.

Guy Smith, Vice President, National Farmers Union, Peter Melchett, Policy Director, Soil Association and Organic Research Centre, Sarah Fowler, Chief Executive, Peak District National Park, Murray Davidson, Association of Local Government Ecologists gave oral evidence.

[Adjourned until 10am on Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> October

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**Meeting held on**

**25<sup>th</sup> October**

**Members present:**

Mary Creagh, in the Chair

Peter Aldous  
Geraint Davies  
Peter Heaton-Jones

Caroline Lucas  
Kerry McCarthy  
John McNally

### **1. Sustainability and HM Treasury**

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

HM Treasury

### **2. Marine Protected Areas Revisited**

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

Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs  
Mrs Deborah Hoskin

### **3. Sustainable Development Goals in the UK**

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

Bond SDGs Group  
Fairtrade Foundation

### **4. The Future of the Natural Environment after the EU Referendum**

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

Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs  
Environment Agency  
Forestry Commission

Sir James Bevan, Chief Executive, Environment Agency, Richard Greenhous, Director for Forestry Services, Forestry Commission, Rob Cooke, Director of Biodiversity, Natural England gave oral evidence.

Rt Hon Andrea Leadsom MP, Secretary of State, DEFRA gave oral evidence.

[Adjourned until 10am on Monday 8<sup>th</sup> November

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Meeting held on

8<sup>th</sup> November

Members present:

Mary Creagh, in the Chair

Peter Aldous  
Peter Heaton-Jones

John Mc Nally

### 1. The Future of the Natural Environment after the EU Referendum

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

Moors for the Future Partnership

### 2. Marine Protected Areas Revisited

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

Terri Portman

### 3. Sustainable Development Goals in the UK

*Resolved*, That the Chair has leave to visit Berlin on the 22 November to attend the Sustainable Development Conference in a representative capacity in connection with this inquiry, and that the Chair seek the approval of the Chair of the Liaison Committee for expenditure in connection with the visit.

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

UKSSD

### 4. The Airports Commission report: Carbon emissions, air quality and noise

*Resolved*, That the Committee take oral evidence from the Secretary of State for Transport.

### 5. Sustainability in the Department for Transport

Draft Special Report (Sustainability in the Department for Transport: Government Response to the Committee's Third Report of Session 2016–17), proposed by the Chair, brought up, read the first and second time, and agreed to.

The Government's response to the Fourth Report from the Committee of Session 2016-17 was appended to the Report.

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

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

### 6. Microplastics

Draft Special Report (Environmental impact of Microplastics: Government Response to the Committee's Fourth Report of Session 2016–17), proposed by the Chair,



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brought up, read the first and second time, and agreed to.

The Government's response to the Fourth Report from the Committee of Session 2016-17 was appended to the Report.

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

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

### **7. Sustainability and HM Treasury**

Draft Report (Sustainability and HM Treasury), 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 Fifth Report of the Committee, HC 181.

[Adjourned until 10am on Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> November

**Meeting held on**

**15<sup>th</sup> November**

**Members present:**

Mary Creagh, in the Chair

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Peter Aldous  
Geraint Davies  
Glyn Davies  
Peter Heaton-Jones

Caroline Lucas  
Dr Matthew Offord

### **1. Written evidence and correspondence**

The following written evidence and correspondence was ordered to be reported to the House for publication:

Letter from the Secretary of State for Transport to the Chair.

### **2. Sustainable Development Goals in the UK**

The Committee received a private briefing from its Specialist Adviser

Abigail Self, Head of Sustainable Development Goals, Office of National Statistics, Graham Long, Newcastle University, and Elizabeth Stuart, Head of Programme, Sustainable Development Goals, Overseas Development Institute gave oral evidence.

[Adjourned until 4:00pm on Wednesday 23<sup>th</sup> November

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**Meeting held on**

**23rd November**

**Members present:**

Mary Creagh, in the Chair

Peter Aldous  
Peter Heaton-Jones

Kerry McCarthy  
Dr Matthew Offord

### **1. Future Programme**

The Committee considered this matter.

### **2. The Future of the Natural Environment After the EU Referendum**

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

Natural England

### **3. The Airports Commission Report: Carbon emissions, air quality and noise**

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

Aviation Environment Federation  
London Boroughs of Hillingdon, Richmond, Wandsworth and the Royal Borough of Windsor and Maidenhead  
Mayor of London  
Sustainable Aviation

### **4. Sustainable Development Goals in the UK**

Steve Waygood, Chief Responsible Investment Officer, Aviva, Geoff Lane, Senior partner, UK Sustainability and Climate, Change Team, PwC, Dr Christine Chow, Associate Director, Hermes, Dominic White, Head of International Development Policy, WWF, Stefano D'Errico, Monitoring, Evaluation, Accountability and Learning Manager, International Institute for Environment and Development and Nienke Palstra, Policy and Advocacy Adviser, UNICEF UK gave oral evidence.

[Adjourned until 1:40pm on 30<sup>th</sup> November

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### Meeting held on

Wednesday 30th November

### Members present:

Mary Creagh, in the Chair

Peter Aldous  
Caroline Ansell  
Glyn Davies

Caroline Lucas  
Mr Gavin Shuker

#### 1. The Future of the Natural Environment after the EU Referendum

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

Dr Apolline Roger

#### 2. Airports Commission Report: Carbon Emissions, Air Quality and Noise

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

Aviation Environment Federation  
London Boroughs of Hillingdon, Richmond, Wandsworth and the Royal Borough of  
Windsor and Maidenhead  
Mayor of London  
Sustainable Aviation

Rt Hon Chris Grayling MP, Secretary of State for Transport, Caroline Low, Director of  
Airport Capacity, Department for Transport gave oral evidence.

[Adjourned until 10am on Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> December

### Meeting held on

Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> December

### Members present:

Mary Creagh, in the Chair

Peter Aldous  
Glyn Davies

Caroline Lucas  
John Mc Nally

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Peter Heaton-Jones

Dr Matthew Offord

### 1. Written evidence and correspondence

The following written evidence and correspondence was ordered to be reported to the House for publication:

Letter from the Chair to the Secretary of State for Environment Food and Rural Affairs on flooding Airports Commission Report: Carbon Emissions, Air Quality and Noise

### 2. Sustainable Development Goals in the UK

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

Office for National Statistics

Dr Carl Wright, Secretary-General Emeritus, Commonwealth Local Government Forum, Dr David Pencheon, Director, Sustainable Development Unit for NHS England Public Health England, Catherine Pearce, Director of Future Justice, World Future Council gave oral evidence

[Adjourned until 10am on Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> December

### Meeting held on

**Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> December**

### Members present:

Mary Creagh, in the Chair

Peter Aldous  
Glyn Davies  
Caroline Lucas  
Kerry McCarthy

John Mc Nally  
Dr Matthew Offord  
Mr Gavin Shuker

### 1. Marine Protected Areas

The Committee received a private briefing from its Specialist Adviser

Joan Edwards, Head of Living Seas, The Wildlife Trusts, Dr Jean-Luc Solandt, Principal Specialist, Marine Protected Areas, Marine Conservation Society, Jeff Knott, Head of Nature Policy, RSPB, Professor Callum Roberts, University of York, Dr Peter Jones,

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University College London, Professor Russell Wynn, National Oceanography Centre, and Dr Matthew Frost, Deputy Director Knowledge Exchange, Marine Biological Association gave oral evidence.

[Adjourned until 2pm on 14<sup>th</sup> December

### Meeting held on

**Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> December**

### Members present:

Mary Creagh, in the Chair

Peter Aldous  
Geraint Davies  
Peter Heaton-Jones  
Caroline Lucas

Kerry McCarthy  
John Mc Nally  
Dr Matthew Offord

### 1. The Future of the Natural Environment After the EU Referendum

Draft Report (The Future of the Natural Environment after the EU Referendum), 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 599.

### 2. Future Programme

The Committee considered this matter.

[Adjourned until 10am on 10<sup>th</sup> Jan

### Meeting held on

**Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> January**

### Members present:

Mary Creagh, in the Chair

Peter Aldous  
Caroline Ansell  
Caroline Lucas  
Scott Mann  
Kerry McCarthy

John Mc Nally  
Dr Matthew Offord  
Joan Ryan  
Mr Gavin Shuker

## Formal Minute

### 1. Declarations of Interests

Scott Mann declared his interests, in accordance with the Resolution of the House of 13 July 1992.

Joan Ryan declared her interests, in accordance with the Resolution of the House of 13 July 1992.

### 2. Written evidence and correspondence

The following written evidence and correspondence was ordered to be reported to the House for publication:

Letter from the Chair to the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy.

### 3. Sustainable Development Goals in the UK

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

Bond SDGs Group

Local Government Association and Commonwealth Local Government Forum

### 4. The Airports Commission Report

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

Heathrow

### 5. Marine Protected Areas

Rodney Anderson, Advisor, North Sea Marine Cluster, Peter Barham, Chair, Seabed Users and Development Group, Dale Rodmell, Assistant Chief Executive, National Federation of Fishermen's Organisations, and Emma Barton, Planning and Environmental Manager, The Royal Yachting Organisation gave oral evidence.

Catherine Wensink, Forum Manager and Senior Conservation Officer, UK Overseas Territories Conservation Forum, Charles Clover, Executive Director, BLUE Marine Foundation, and Thomas Hickey, Officer, Government Relations, Pew Trusts gave oral evidence.

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[Adjourned until 2pm on Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> January

### Meeting held on

**Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> January**

### Members present:

Mary Creagh, in the Chair

Scott Mann  
Kerry McCarthy

Dr Matthew Offord  
Joan Ryan

### 1. Sustainable Development Goals in the UK

The Committee met with representatives of the Colombian Government

[Adjourned until 10am on 17<sup>th</sup> January

### Meeting held on

**Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> January**

### Members present:

Mary Creagh, in the Chair

Peter Aldous  
Peter Heaton-Jones  
Caroline Lucas  
Scott Mann

Kerry McCarthy  
John Mc Nally  
Joan Ryan

### 1. Written evidence and correspondence

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

Letter from Rt Hon John Hayes CBE MP to Chair, regarding the Clean Air Zone Framework.

Letter from Rt Hon John Hayes CBE MP to Chair, regarding Volkswagen emissions.

Letter from Rt Hon Chris Grayling MP to Chair, regarding the Airports Commission Report.

Letter from Rt Hon Andrea Leadsom MP to Chair, regarding Flood Defence and Resilience Spending.



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### **2. The Future of Chemicals Regulation after the EU Referendum.**

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

Mr Nigel Haigh

Mr William MacDougall

The Cancer Prevention & Education Society

### **3. Future Programme**

The Committee considered this matter.

### **4. Sustainable Development Goals in the UK**

James Wharton MP, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State, Department for International Development (DFID), Chris Skidmore MP, Minister for the Constitution, Cabinet Office, and Gwen Hines, Director, International Relations Division, Department for International Development gave oral evidence.

[Adjourned until 10am on Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> January

**Meeting held on**

**Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> January**

**Members present:**

Mary Creagh, in the Chair

Peter Heaton-Jones  
John Mc Nally

Dr Matthew Offord  
Joan Ryan

### **1. Written Evidence and correspondence**

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

Letter from Chair to the Prime Minister.

Letter to Chair from the Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy.

Letter to Chair from the Welsh Cabinet Secretary for Environment and Rural Affairs.

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### 2. Future Programme

The Committee considered this matter.

### 3. The Future of Chemicals Regulation after the EU Referendum

*Ordered*, That Meg Postle be appointed a Specialist Adviser to assist the Committee in its inquiry into The Future of Chemicals Regulation after the EU Referendum.

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

ABHI

British Ceramic Confederation

CHEM Trust

Chemical Business Association

CJV Consulting Ltd

Cruelty Free International

Dane Color UK Ltd

Dr Andrew Ross Brown

Dr Rosemary Waring

Fidra

Fragrance Oils (International) Limited

Pesticide Action Network UK

RH & RW Clutton

### 4. Sustainable Development Goals in the UK

Richard Curtis, and Kate Garvey, Co-Founders, Project Everyone gave oral evidence.

[Adjourned until 10am on 31<sup>st</sup> January

**Meeting held on**

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Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> January

### Members present:

Mary Creagh, in the Chair

Caroline Lucas  
Scott Mann  
Kerry McCarthy

John McNally  
Dr Matthew Offord  
Joan Ryan

### 1. The Future of Chemicals Regulation after the EU Referendum

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

ADS Group  
Allen & Overy LLP  
Alliance for Cancer Prevention  
Alliance of Chemical Associations  
Association of the British Pharmaceutical Industry  
BioIndustry Association  
Breast Cancer UK  
British Coatings Federation  
British Plastics Federation  
CalliChem Consulting  
Chemical Hazards Communication Society  
Chemical Industries Association  
Chemical Legislation Professionals Ltd  
Chemical Regulations Self Help Group  
CLEAPSS  
CTPA  
DEFRA  
Dr Apolline Roger  
EEF  
Eli Lilly  
Energy UK  
European Environmental Bureau  
European Oilfield Speciality Chemicals Association  
GAMBICA Ltd and BEAMA Ltd  
Greenpeace  
INOVYN Chlorvinyls Limited  
Institution of Chemical Engineers  
Julie Girling  
K&H  
Merck KGaA  
Mr Hugh Roberts  
Mrs Christine McAlinden  
MSL  
PETA International Science Consortium Ltd.  
PICON Ltd  
REACH Cross Sector Group  
REACHLaw Ltd  
Royal Society of Chemistry  
Shrieve Products International

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techUK  
The REACH Centre  
The Royal Society  
UK Environmental Law Association  
UK Petroleum Industry Association  
United Kingdom Lubricants Association  
Which?  
Wildlife and Countryside Link - Blueprint for Water

### 2. Future Programme

The Committee considered this matter.

### 3. Marine Protected Areas

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

UK Overseas Territories Conservation Forum

John Tuckett, Chief Executive Officer, Marine Management Organisation, Dr Stephen Bolt, Chief Executive Officer, Association of Inshore Fisheries and Conservation Authorities, Dr Jon Davies, MPA Programme Leader, Joint Nature Conservation Committee, Dr Thérèse Coffey, Parliamentary Under Secretary of State for Environment and Rural Life Opportunities, and Dr Gemma Harper, Deputy Director for Marine and Chief Social Scientist, DEFRA, The Rt Hon Baroness Anelay of St Johns, Minister of State for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs, and Jane Rumble, Head of Polar Regions, Foreign and Commonwealth Office gave oral evidence.

[Adjourned until 10am on Tuesday, 7<sup>th</sup> February

### Meeting held on

**Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> February**

### Members present:

Mary Creagh, in the Chair

Caroline Lucas  
Scott Mann  
Kerry McCarthy

Dr Matthew Offord  
Mr Gavin Shuker

### 1. Future Programme

The Committee considered this matter.

*Resolved*, That the Committee inquire into disposable packaging

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### 2. Written evidence and correspondence

The following written evidence and correspondence was ordered to be reported to the House for publication:

Letter from the Chair to the Minister for Climate Change.

### 3. The Airports Commission report: Carbon emissions, Air Quality and Noise

Draft Report (*The Airports Commission report: Carbon emissions, Air Quality and Noise*), 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 Seventh Report of the Committee, HC 840

### 4. The Future of Chemicals Regulation after the EU Referendum

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

Johnson Matthey Plc  
National Chemical Emergency Centre

The Committee received a private briefing from its Specialist Adviser.

Dr Apolline Roger, University of Sheffield, Dr Michael Warhurst, Executive Director, CHEM Trust, and Elizabeth Shepherd, Partner, Eversheds LLP gave oral evidence.

[Adjourned until 10am on 21<sup>st</sup> February

### Meeting held on

**Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> February**

### Members present:

Mary Creagh, in the Chair

Peter Heaton-Jones  
Caroline Lucas  
Scott Mann  
Kerry McCarthy

John Mc Nally  
Dr Matthew Offord  
Mr Gavin Shuker

### 1. Future Programme

The Committee considered this matter.

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### 2. The Sustainable Development Goals in the UK

*Ordered*, That Farooq Ullah be reappointed as a Specialist Adviser to assist the Committee in matters relating to Sustainable Development (*For Details of Declaration of Interests see Appendix*).

### 3. Marine Protected Areas Revisited

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

Association of Inshore Fisheries and Conservation Authorities

### 4. The Future of Chemicals Regulation after the EU Referendum

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

Crop Protection Association

Dr Camilla Alexander-White, Programme Manager, Environment & Regulation, Royal Society of Chemistry, Nishma Patel, Chemicals Policy Director, Chemical Industries Association, and Douglas Leech, Technical Director, Chemical Business Association, Susanne Baker, Head of Programme, Environment and Compliance at techUK, Mike Murray, Head of Quality and Environmental Standards, The Association of the British Pharmaceutical Industry, gave oral evidence.

[Adjourned until 10am on 28<sup>th</sup> February

### Meeting held on

**Tuesday 28<sup>st</sup> February**

### Members present:

Mary Creagh, in the Chair

Peter Aldous  
Caroline Ansell  
Caroline Lucas

Kerry McCarthy  
Joan Ryan  
Mr Gavin Shuker

### 1. Written Evidence and Correspondence

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

Correspondence with the Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs relating to its 25-year plan for the environment

Correspondence with the Prime Minister relating to tackling climate change

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### 2. Sustainability and HM Treasury

The Draft Report was agreed to; the Formal Minutes relating to the consideration of the Report are published with the Eighth Report of the Committee, HC 1049.

### 3. The Future of Chemicals Regulation after the EU Referendum

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

Society of Motor Manufacturers and Traders

### 4. The Work of the Natural Capital Committee

Professor Dieter Helm CBE, Chair, Natural Capital Committee gave oral evidence.

[Adjourned until Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> March at 10 am

**Meeting held on**

**Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> March**

**Members present:**

Mary Creagh, in the Chair

Peter Aldous  
Geraint Davies  
Peter Heaton-Jones  
Caroline Lucas

Kerry McCarthy  
Dr Matthew Offord  
Joan Ryan  
Mr Gavin Shuker

### 1. Future Programme

The Committee considered this matter.

*Resolved*, That the Committee will inquire into Sustainability in the Ministry of Justice.

### 2. Sustainability Development Goals in the UK

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

Office for National Statistics

### 3. The Future of Chemicals Regulation after the EU Referendum

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Andreas Herdina, Director of Cooperation, European Chemicals Agency, Harvey Bradshaw, Executive Director for Environment and Business, Environment Agency, Dave Bench, Director of Chemicals Regulation Division, Health and Safety Executive, Gabrielle Edwards, Deputy Director EU Environment, and Dr Thérèse Coffey MP, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State, Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs gave oral evidence.

[Adjourned until Tuesday, 14<sup>th</sup> March at 10am

### Meeting held on

**Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> March**

### Members present:

Mary Creagh, in the Chair

Peter Aldous  
Geraint Davies  
Caroline Lucas

Kerry McCarthy  
John Mc Nally  
Dr Matthew Offord

### 1. Future Programme

The Committee considered this matter.

*Resolved*, That the Committee meet concurrently with the Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, Health and Transport Committees to inquire into Improving Air Quality.

### 2. The Future of the Green Investment Bank

*Ordered*, That correspondence with the Minister for Climate Change be reported to the House for publication.

### 3. Climate Change Adaptation

Baroness Brown of Cambridge DBE FREng, Chair, Committee on Climate Change's Adaptation Sub-Committee, Matthew Bell, Chief Executive of Committee on Climate Change, and Daniel Johns, Head of Adaptation, Committee on Climate Change, Lord Gardiner of Kimble, Parliamentary Under Secretary of State for Rural Affairs and Biosecurity, Dornford Rugg, Head of the Climate Adaptation Team, and Molly Anderson, Head of the Climate Adaptation Evidence and Analysis Team, Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs gave oral evidence.

[Adjourned until 10:00am on 21<sup>st</sup> March



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### Meeting held on

Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> March

### Members present:

Mary Creagh, in the Chair

Peter Aldous  
Caroline Lucas  
Scott Mann  
Kerry McCarthy

John Mc Nally  
Joan Ryan  
Dr Matthew Offord

#### 1. Future Programme

The Committee considered this matter.

#### 2. Written evidence and correspondence

The following written evidence and correspondence was ordered to be reported to the House for publication:

Letter from Department for Transport to the Chair.

#### 3. The Government's Industrial Strategy

*Ordered, That the Chair write to the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy about the Government's Industrial Strategy and report the letter to the House for publication.*

#### 4. The Future of Chemicals Regulation after the EU Referendum

The Committee considered this matter.

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

Phillips 66 Limited

#### 5. The Future of the Natural Environment after the EU Referendum

The Committee considered this matter.

#### 6. Disposable Packaging

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

Anonymous submission  
David Orr

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Dr Jennifer Ferreira  
Green Zone Community Climate Action  
GreenTech Corporation Ltd  
Hugh Counsell  
Michael M Armstrong-MacDonnell  
Mr David Perrow  
Mr Ian Barr  
Mr Sam Elgar  
Mrs Dawn Haig-Thomas  
The Big Green Pellet Co Ltd

### 7. Sustainable Development Goals in the UK

Draft Report (Sustainable Development Goals in the UK), 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 9th Report of the Committee, HC 596.

### 8. Marine Protected Areas Revisited

Draft Report (Marine Protected Areas Revisited), 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 10th Report of the Committee, HC 597.

[Adjourned until 10:00am on 25<sup>th</sup> April

**Meeting held on**

**Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> April**

**Members present:**

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|              | Mary Creagh, in the Chair |                   |
| Peter Aldous |                           | John Mc Nally     |
| Scott Mann   |                           | Dr Matthew Offord |

### 1. Written Evidence and Correspondence

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

Letter to Chair from Matthew Bell, Chief Executive, Committee on Climate Change on Climate Change Adaptation  
Letter to Chair from Dr Thérèse Coffey MP on the Future of the Natural Environment after the EU Referendum

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Letter to Chair from Dr Thérèse Coffey MP on Marine Protected Areas  
Letter to Chair from Lord Gardiner on Climate Change Adaptation  
Letter to Chair from Nick Hurd MP on the Sale of the Green Investment Bank

### 2. Sustainability and the Ministry of Justice

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

Carillion plc

### 3. UK's role in Arctic sustainability

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

Arctic Methane Emergency Group  
Research Councils UK (RCUK)  
British Ecological Society  
British Antarctic Survey  
Centre for Polar Observation and Modelling  
Climate Restoration Foundation  
John Davies  
Met Office  
Methane in the Arctic: Measurements and Modelling project team  
National Oceanography Centre  
Professor Sheldon Bacon  
Sea Research Society, Environmental Affairs Department  
Statoil  
University of Cambridge  
University of Edinburgh  
University of Reading

### 4. Disposable Packaging: Coffee Cups and Plastic Bottles

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

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| Alison Finn  | (CPRE)   |
| Alliance for Beverage Cartons and the Environment (ACE UK) | Coca-Cola European Partners                        |
| Andrew Ward  | Confederation of Paper Industries                  |
| Association of Convenience Stores                          | Cornish Plastic Pollution Coalition                |
| Axion Recycling  | Costa Coffee                                       |
| Bericap UK Ltd   | Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs |
| Bio Based and Biodegradable Industries Association         | DS Smith   |
| British Beer and Pub Association                           | Ecosurety Ltd                                      |
| British Plastics Federation & PlasticsEurope               | Ellon@Heart  |
| British Retail Consortium                                  | Environmental Investigation Agency (EIA)           |
| British Soft Drinks Association                            | Environmental Services Association (ESA)           |
| Campaign to Protect Rural England                          | Eunomia Research & Consulting Ltd                  |
|  | Federation of Wholesale Distributors               |
|  | Fidra  |

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Floreon- Transforming Packaging Ltd  
Foodservice Packaging Association  
Frugalpac  
Grantham Centre for Sustainable Futures  
Greenpeace UK  
Guy Hodgson  
Have You Got The Bottle?  
Hubbub Foundation UK  
Ian Nendick  
INCPEN  
Keep Britain Tidy  
Keep Scotland Beautiful  
LARAC  
LIMPAC GROUP  
Local Government Association  
London Councils  
Marine Conservation Society  
Miss Harriet Cherry  
Mr Alexander Melman  
Mr Robert Hickman  
Mr Robert Shacklock  
Mr Thomas Cribb  
Mrs Marie Power  
Ms Susan Hedley  
Natural History Museum  
Nicholas Cater  
#OneLess Campaign  
Penryn Town Council  
Port of London Authority  
Project Integra  
Public & Commercial Services Union  
RECOUP  
Royal Holloway  
RPC-BPI Group  
Smart Planet Technologies  
Starbucks Coffee Company  
Surfers Against Sewage  
Thames21  
The Independent Packaging Environment  
and Safety Forum  
The Paper Cup Recovery and Recycling  
Group  
The Renewable Energy Association  
Transition Falmouth  
Valpak Limited  
Welsh School of Architecture, Cardiff  
University Wouter Poortinga

Wildlife and Countryside Link  
Wilson Bio-Chemical

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### 5. The Future of the Natural Environment after the EU Referendum.

Draft Special Report (*The Future of the Natural Environment after the EU Referendum: Government Response to the Committee's Sixth Report of Session 2016-17*), proposed by the Chair, brought up, read the first and second time, and agreed to.

The Government's response to the Sixth Report from the Committee of Session 2016-17 was appended to the Report.

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

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

### 6. The Airports Commission Report Follow-up: Carbon Emissions, Air Quality and Noise

Draft Special Report (*The Airports Commission Report Follow-up: Carbon Emissions, Air Quality and Noise: Government Response to the Committee's Seventh Report of Session 2016-17*), proposed by the Chair, brought up, read the first and second time, and agreed to.

The Government's response to the Seventh Report from the Committee of Session 2016-17 was appended to the Report.

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

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

### 7. The Future of Chemicals Regulation after the EU Referendum

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

Mr Jean-Pierre Feytaerts  
Phillips 66 Limited

Draft Report (*The Future of Chemicals Regulation after the EU Referendum*), 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 Eleventh Report of the Committee, HC 912.

### 8. Written Evidence

*Ordered*, that subject to the discretion of the Chair, written evidence received before the dissolution of Parliament shall be reported to the House for publication.

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