



House of Commons

Culture, Media and Sport  
Committee

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## **Formal Minutes**

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**Session 2016–17**

## **The Culture, Media and Sport Committee**

The Culture, Media and Sport Committee is appointed by the House of Commons to examine the expenditure, administration, and policy of the Department for Culture, Media and Sport and its associated public bodies.

### **Current membership**

Damian Collins MP (*Conservative, Folkestone and Hythe*) (Chair)  
Nigel Adams MP (*Conservative, Selby and Ainsty*)  
Andrew Bingham MP (*Conservative, High Peak*)  
Julie Elliott MP (*Labour, Sunderland Central*)  
Paul Farrelly MP (*Labour, Newcastle-under-Lyme*)  
Nigel Huddleston MP (*Conservative, Mid Worcestershire*)  
Ian C. Lucas MP (*Labour, Wrexham*)  
Chris Matheson MP (*Labour, City of Chester*)  
Jason McCartney MP (*Conservative, Colne Valley*)  
John Nicolson MP (*Scottish National Party, East Dunbartonshire*)

The following members were also a member of the committee during the parliament:

Jesse Norman MP (*Conservative, Hereford and South Herefordshire*) (Chair)  
Steve Rotheram MP (*Labour, Liverpool, Walton*)

### **Powers**

The committee is one of the departmental select committees, the powers of which are set out in House of Commons Standing Orders, principally in SO No 152. These are available on the Internet via [www.parliament.uk](http://www.parliament.uk).

### **Publications**

The Reports and evidence of the Committee are published by The Stationery Office by Order of the House. All publications of the Committee (including press notices) are on the Internet at [www.parliament.uk/cmscom](http://www.parliament.uk/cmscom).

### **Committee staff**

The current staff of the Committee are Elizabeth Flood (Clerk), Katy Reid (Second Clerk), Kevin Candy (Inquiry Manager), Hannah Wentworth (Senior Committee Assistant), Keely Bishop (Committee Assistant), Cameron Wall (Inquiry Manager/Sandwich Student) and Jessica Bridges-Palmer (Media Officer).

### **Contacts**

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**Wednesday 18 May 2016**

Members present:

Jesse Norman, in the Chair

Damian Collins  
Julie Elliott  
Ian Lucas

Jason McCartney  
John Nicolson

**1. Future Programme**

The Committee considered its Future Programme.

**2. Blood Doping in Athletics**

*Ordered*, That Professor David Cowan OBE be appointed as Specialist Adviser to assist the Committee in relation to its inquiry into Blood Doping in Athletics.

**3. Countries of Culture**

*Ordered*, That the following written evidence relating to the Countries of Culture inquiry be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

Association of British Orchestras (COC0015)  
Association of Independent Museums (COC0027)  
Collective Encounters (COC0028)  
Crafts Council (COC0020)  
Departure Lounge (COC0023)  
Dr Tom Booth (COC0001)  
Friends of Herefordshire Museums and Arts (COC0016)  
Friends of Ludlow Museum (COC0029)  
Friends of the Potteries Museums & Art Gallery (COC0017)  
Glossop Music Festival (COC0019)  
GPS Culture (COC0024)  
Historic Houses Association (COC0014)  
Ian Lawley (COC0021)  
Independent Street Arts Network (COC0013)  
Little Theatre Guild of Great Britain (COC0012)  
Mr Gary Brayne (COC0011)  
Mr Nicholas Brown (COC0002)  
Mrs Jennifer Blackaby (COC0005)  
National Alliance for Arts in Criminal Justice (COC0018)  
North East Culture Partnership (COC0030)  
Plymouth Culture (COC0009)  
Save Shropshire's Museums (COC0025)  
Theatre Royal Plymouth (COC0010)  
Turner Contemporary (COC0026)

Tyne & Wear Archives & Museums (COC0022)  
Worcester Live Ltd. (COC0003)

#### **4. Homophobia in Sport**

*In public*

Dr Mark McCormack, Durham University, Dr Jamie Cleland, Loughborough University, and Professor Ian Rivers, University of Strathclyde gave evidence

[Adjourned till Tuesday 24 May at 10.00 am

**Tuesday 24 May 2016**

Members present:

Jesse Norman, in the Chair

Nigel Adams	Nigel Huddleston
Andrew Bingham	Ian Lucas
Damian Collins	Chris Matheson
Julie Elliott	Jason McCartney
Paul Farrelly	

#### **1. Future Programme**

The Committee considered its Future Programme.

#### **2. Establishing World-Class Connectivity**

*Ordered*, That the following written evidence relating to the World-Class Connectivity inquiry be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

EWC0123	BT (further supplementary written evidence)
EWC0124	Transport for London (written evidence)
EWC0125	Ofcom (further supplementary written evidence)

#### **3. Accessibility of Sports Stadia**

*In public*

Joyce Cook OBE, Chair and Ruth Hopkins, General Manager, Level Playing Field gave evidence.

[Adjourned till Wednesday 25 May at 2.45 pm

**Wednesday 25 May 2016**

Members present:

Jesse Norman, in the Chair

Nigel Adams	Nigel Huddleston
Andrew Bingham	Ian Lucas
Damian Collins	Chris Matheson
Julie Elliott	Jason McCartney
Paul Farrelly	John Nicolson

**1. Future Programme**

The Committee considered its Future Programme.

**2. Accessibility of Sports Stadia**

*In public*

Justin Tomlinson MP, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State for Disabled People, Department for Work and Pensions, and Nick Pontefract, Head of Sports, Department for Culture, Media and Sport gave evidence

[Adjourned till Tuesday 7 June at 2.00 pm]

**Tuesday 7 June 2016**

Members present:

Jesse Norman, in the Chair

Nigel Adams	Nigel Huddleston
Andrew Bingham	Chris Matheson
Damian Collins	Jason McCartney
Julie Elliott	John Nicolson

**1. Future Programme**

The Committee considered its Future Programme.

## 2. Countries of Culture

*Ordered*, That the following written evidence relating to the *Countries of Culture* inquiry be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

Bournemouth Borough Council (COC0032)  
British Museum (COC0035)  
Buxton Festival (COC0054)  
Camelot UK Lotteries Ltd (COC0059)  
Celtic League (COC0048)  
City of London Corporation (COC0041)  
Cornwall Museums Partnership (COC0044)  
Creative Assembly (COC0043)  
DACS (COC0049)  
Department for Culture, Media and Sport (COC0058)  
Derby Museums (COC0037)  
engage, the National Association for Gallery Education (COC0046)  
Farnham Maltings (COC0057)  
Historic England (COC0033)  
Honor Frost Foundation (COC0045)  
ICOM UK (COC0053)  
Landscape and Arts Network (COC0042)  
Local Government Association (COC0036)  
London Councils (COC0039)  
Mrs Helen Wilson (COC0031)  
Museums Association (COC0038)  
Musicians Union (COC0051)  
New Anglia LEP Cultural Board (COC0047)  
Norfolk Museums Service (COC0050)  
North East Culture Partnership University Sub-Group (COC0034)  
Shropshire Council (COC0060)  
University of Reading (COC0055)  
University of Sunderland (COC0056)  
VisitBritain and VisitEngland (COC0040)  
Workers' Educational Association (COC0052)

## 3. BBC White Paper and other issues

*In public*

Rt Hon John Whittingdale OBE MP, Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, gave evidence.

[Adjourned till Wednesday 8 June at 2.00 pm]

**Wednesday 8 June 2016**

Members present:

Jesse Norman, in the Chair

Damian Collins	Jason McCartney
Paul Farrelly	John Nicolson
Nigel Huddleston	

**1. Establishing World-Class Connectivity throughout the UK**

*Ordered*, That the following written evidence relating to the *Establishing World-Class Connectivity throughout the UK* inquiry be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

EWC0126     Oxfordshire County Council

**2. Channel 4 Annual Report**

*In public*

Charles Gurassa, Chair, and David Abraham, Chief Executive, Channel 4, gave evidence.

[Adjourned till Tuesday 14 June at 10.00 am

**Tuesday 14 June 2016**

Members present:

Jesse Norman, in the Chair

Andrew Bingham	Chris Matheson
Damian Collins	Jason McCartney
Nigel Huddleston	John Nicolson
Ian Lucas	

**1. Future Programme**

The Committee considered its Future Programme.

## **2. Blood Doping in Athletics**

### *In public*

Dan Stevens, whistleblower, Jonathan Calvert, Sunday Times Insight team, and David Kenworthy, Chair, UK Anti-Doping gave evidence.

[Adjourned till Wednesday 15 June at 3.00 pm]

### **Wednesday 15 June 2016**

Members present:

Jesse Norman, in the Chair

Nigel Adams	Nigel Huddleston
Andrew Bingham	Ian C. Lucas
Damian Collins	Chris Matheson
Paul Farrelly	

## **1. Consideration of the Chair's draft Report on Cyber Security: Protection of Personal Data Online**

Draft Report (*Cyber Security: Protection of Personal Data Online*), proposed by the Chair, brought up and read.

*Ordered*, That the draft Report be read a second time, paragraph by paragraph.

Paragraphs 1 to 41 read and agreed to.

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

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

[Adjourned till Tuesday 28 June at 10.00 am]



**Tuesday 28 June 2016**  
**At 10.00 am**

Members present:

Jesse Norman, in the Chair

Andrew Bingham  
Paul Farrelly  
Nigel Huddleston

Chris Matheson  
Jason McCartney

### **1. Future Programme**

The Committee considered its Future Programme.

### **2. Blood Doping in Athletics**

*Ordered*, That the following written evidence relating to the Blood Doping in Athletics inquiry be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

BDA0006 UK Anti-Doping (Supplementary written evidence)  
BDA0007 Leicester City Football Club

### **3. Countries of Culture**

*Ordered*, That the following written evidence relating to the Countries of Culture inquiry be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

a-n The Artists Information Company (COC0100)  
Art UK (COC0098)  
Arts Council England (COC0115)  
Arts Development UK (COC0099)  
Bath Spa University (COC0081)  
Bewnans Kernow: The Partnership of Cornish Cultural Organisations (COC0110)  
Bristol Music Trust (COC0063)  
British Film Institute (COC0072)  
British Hospitality Association (COC0086)  
British Library (COC0093)  
Canal & River Trust (COC0106)  
Chief Culture & Leisure Officers Association (COC0109)  
Contemporary Visual Arts Network (COC0078)  
Cornwall Council (COC0080)  
Creative Industries Federation (COC0091)  
Culture Counts (COC0082)  
Dr Tehmina Goskar (COC0107)  
Equity (COC0079)  
Free Word Centre (COC0077)

Fun Palaces (COC0067)  
Gloucester City Council (COC0069)  
Heritage Lottery Fund (COC0114)  
Institute of Conservation (Icon) (COC0074)  
Kent County Council (COC0094)  
Kent Cultural Transformation Board (COC0089)  
Liverpool Arts Regeneration Consortium (LARC) (COC0103)  
Liverpool Biennial (COC0102)  
Liverpool City Council (COC0084)  
Mayor of London (COC0083)  
MK Gallery (COC0075)  
Mr Brian Elsey (COC0111)  
Mrs Heather Broughton (COC0105)  
Ms Deborah Mason (COC0071)  
National Campaign for the Arts (COC0096)  
National Museum Directors' Council (COC0112)  
NewcastleGateshead Cultural Venues (COC0061)  
Norwich University of the Arts (COC0062)  
Orchestras Live (COC0070)  
Royal Opera House (COC0092)  
Royal Pavilion and Museums (COC0066)  
Royal Shakespeare Company (COC0097)  
Society of London Theatre and UK Theatre (COC0076)  
Southbank Centre (COC0073)  
Storyhouse (COC0085)  
The Art Fund (COC0090)  
The Library Campaign (COC0095)  
UK Music (COC0064)  
Visual Arts South West (COC0108)  
We are Ipswich (COC0087)  
What Next? (COC0101)  
What Next? Newcastle Gateshead (COC0065)

#### **4. Establishing World-Class Connectivity throughout the UK**

The Committee considered this matter.

[Adjourned till Tuesday 28 June at 1.40 pm]

**Tuesday 28 June 2016  
at 1.40 pm**

Members present:

Jesse Norman, in the Chair

Damian Collins	Jason McCartney
Nigel Huddleston	John Nicolson
Chris Matheson	

**1. BBC White Paper**

*Ordered*, That the following supplementary written evidence relating to the BBC White Paper inquiry be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

BCR0120	Pact
BCR0121	Wireless Group plc [formerly UTV Media]

*In public*

Lord Hall of Birkenhead, Director-General, and James Purnell, Director of Strategy and Digital, BBC gave evidence.

[Adjourned till Wednesday 6 July at 2.00 pm]

**Wednesday 6 July 2016**

Members present:

Jesse Norman, in the Chair

Damian Collins	Ian C. Lucas
Paul Farrelly	Chris Matheson
Nigel Huddleston	John Nicolson

**1. BBC White Paper**

*In public*

Rona Fairhead, Chairman, BBC Trust, gave evidence.

[Adjourned till Monday 11 July at 2.30 pm]

**Monday 11 July 2016**

Members present:

Jesse Norman, in the Chair

Damian Collins	Ian C. Lucas
Paul Farrelly	John Nicolson
Nigel Huddleston	

**1. BBC in Scotland**

*In public*

Ken MacQuarrie, Director, BBC Scotland, Gary Smith, Head of News, BBC Scotland, Bobby Hain, Director of Channels, STV, and Alan Clements, Director of Content, STV gave evidence.

[Adjourned till Wednesday 13 July at 2.00 pm]

**Wednesday 13 July 2016**

Members present:

Jesse Norman, in the Chair

Nigel Adams	Ian C. Lucas
Damian Collins	Jason McCartney
Paul Farrelly	Chris Matheson
Nigel Huddleston	John Nicolson

**1. BBC White Paper and Charter Renewal**

The Committee considered this matter.

**2. Consideration of the Chair's draft Report on Establishing world-class connectivity throughout the UK**

Draft Report (*Establishing world-class connectivity throughout the UK*), proposed by the Chair, brought up and read.

*Ordered*, That the draft Report be read a second time, paragraph by paragraph.

Paragraphs 1 to 209 read and agreed to.

*Ordered*, That the annex be read a second time.

*Ordered*, That the annex be added to the Report.

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

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

[Adjourned till Tuesday 19 July at 10.00 am

## **Tuesday 19 July 2016**

Members present:

Damian Collins, in the Chair

Andrew Bingham

Paul Farrelly

Nigel Huddleston

Jason McCartney

Chris Matheson

John Nicolson

### **1. Nomination of temporary Chair**

*Resolved*, That Damian Collins take the Chair of the Committee for the remainder of the meeting and for the subsequent meetings until a new Chair is elected.

### **2. Future Programme**

The Committee considered this matter.

### **3. BBC White Paper and related issues**

*Ordered*, That the following supplementary written evidence relating to the BBC White Paper inquiry be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

BCR0122 Dr. Marina Dekavalla, Stirling University

[Adjourned till Wednesday 20 July at 2.00 pm

**Wednesday 20 July 2016**

Members present:

Damian Collins, in the Chair

Andrew Bingham  
Paul Farrelly  
Nigel Huddleston

Jason McCartney  
Chris Matheson  
John Nicolson

**1. Future Programme**

The Committee considered its future programme.

*Resolved*, That the Committee will normally meet at 10am on Tuesdays.

**2. Consideration of Chair's draft Report on BBC White Paper and related issues**

In the absence of the Chair, Damian Collins took the Chair.

Draft Report (*BBC White Paper and related issues*), proposed by the Chair, brought up and read.

*Ordered*, That the draft Report be read a second time, paragraph by paragraph.

Paragraphs 1 to 60 read and agreed to.

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

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

*Ordered*, That embargoed copies of the Report be made available, in accordance with the provisions of Standing Order No. 134.

[Adjourned till Tuesday 6 September at 10.00 am

## **Tuesday 6 September 2016**

Members present:

Nigel Adams	Nigel Huddleston
Andrew Bingham	Ian C. Lucas
Damian Collins	Jason McCartney
Paul Farrelly	

In the absence of the Chair, Damian Collins took the Chair.

### **4. Future Programme**

The Committee considered this matter.

### **5. Countries of Culture**

*In public*

George Vass, Chair of British Arts Festival Association, Angus MacKechnie, Executive Director, Independent Street Art Network, Harriet Finney, Director of Policy, Creative Industries Federation, Polly Hamilton, Vice Chair of Cultural and Leisure Officers Association, Andrew Lowrie, Chair, Little Theatre Guild and Mark Pemberton, Director, Association of British Orchestras gave evidence.

[Adjourned till Tuesday 13 September at 10.00 am

## **Tuesday 13 September 2016**

Members present:

Nigel Adams	Nigel Huddleston
Andrew Bingham	Ian C. Lucas
Damian Collins	Christian Matheson
Julie Elliott	Jason McCartney
Paul Farrelly	John Nicolson

In the absence of the Chair, Damian Collins took the Chair.

### **6. Future Programme**

The Committee considered this matter.

## **7. Blood Doping in Athletics**

The Committee considered this matter.

## **8. Impact of Brexit on Culture, Media and Sport**

*Resolved*, That the Committee undertake an inquiry into the impact of Brexit on the creative industries, tourism and the Digital Single Market.

## **9. Dealing with Complaints Against the Press**

*In public*

Sir Alan Moses, Chairman, and Matt Tee, Chief Executive, Independent Press Standards Organisation gave evidence

[Adjourned till Tuesday 11 October at 10.00 am

**Tuesday 11 October 2016**

Members present:

Andrew Bingham

Damian Collins

Julie Elliott

Ian C. Lucas

Jason McCartney

John Nicolson

In the absence of the Chair, Damian Collins took the Chair.

## **10. Future Programme**

The Committee considered this matter.

## **11. Government Response to the Committee's report on BBC White Paper and related issues**

Draft Special Report, proposed by the Chair, brought up, read the first and second time, and agreed to.

*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.

## **12. Responses to the Committee's report on Establishing world-class connectivity**



**throughout the UK**

Draft Special Report, proposed by the Chair, brought up, read the first and second time, and agreed to.

*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.

**13. Government Response to the Committee's report on Cyber Security: Protection of Personal Data Online**

Draft Special Report, proposed by the Chair, brought up, read the first and second time, and agreed to.

*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.

[Adjourned till Monday 17 October at 10.45 am

**Monday 17 October 2016**

Members present:

Nigel Adams	Ian C. Lucas
Andrew Bingham	Chris Matheson
Damian Collins	Jason McCartney
Paul Farrelly	John Nicolson
Nigel Huddleston	

In the absence of the Chair, Damian Collins took the Chair.

**14. Governance of football**

***In public***

Nigel Adams declared an interest as a sponsor of Selby Town and Tadcaster Albion Football Clubs.

Greg Clarke, Chairman, and Robert Sullivan, Director of Strategy, The FA, gave evidence.

[Adjourned till Tuesday 18 October at 10.00 am

**Tuesday 18 October 2016**

Members present:

Andrew Bingham	Ian C. Lucas
Damian Collins	Jason McCartney
Nigel Huddleston	

In the absence of the Chair, Damian Collins took the Chair.

**15. Future Programme**

The Committee considered this matter.

**16. Information Commissioner's response to the Committee's report on Cyber Security: Protection of Personal Data Online**

Draft Special Report, proposed by the Chair, brought up, read the first and second time, and agreed to.

*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.

**17. Governance of football**

*Ordered*, That the following written evidence relating to the Governance of football inquiry be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

Interchange Solutions Ltd (GOF0001)

**18. Accessibility of sports stadia**

*Ordered*, That the following written evidence relating to the Accessibility of sports stadia inquiry be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

AccessAdvisr Ltd (ASS0014)  
Dr Borja Garcia Garcia (ASS0003)  
Helen Ellis (ASS0011)  
Institute of Sound and Vibration Research (ASS0016)  
Level Playing Field (ASS0017)

Mr Kelvin Trevett (ASS0013)  
Mr Stephen Draycott (ASS0002)  
Muscular Dystrophy UK Trailblazers (ASS0004)  
Plymouth Argyle Disabled Supporters Association (PADSA) (ASS0009)  
Stephen Kelly (ASS0015)  
The Racecourse Association (ASS0005)  
The Shippey Campaign (ASS0010)  
WFC Enables (ASS0006)

***In public***

Bill Bush, Executive Director, Premier League, Steve Gilbert, Wrexham Disabled Supporter's Association, Wrexham AFC, and Lord Holmes of Richmond MBE, Disability Commissioner, Equalities and Human Rights Commission, gave evidence.

[Adjourned till Monday 24 October at 10.00 am

**Monday 24 October 2016**

Members present:

Damian Collins, in the Chair.

Nigel Adams	Nigel Huddleston
Andrew Bingham	Chris Matheson
Julie Elliott	Jason McCartney
Paul Farrelly	John Nicolson

**1. Future Programme**

The Committee considered this matter.

**2. Accessibility of Sports Stadia**

*Ordered*, That the following written evidence relating to the Accessibility of sports stadia inquiry be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

ASS0018      Department for Culture, Media and Sport

**3. Dealing with complaints against the press**

*Ordered*, That the following written evidence relating to the Dealing with complaints

against the press inquiry be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

DCP0002 Independent Press Standards Organisation

#### **4. Responsibilities of the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport**

##### ***In public***

Nigel Adams declared interests as director and shareholder of two telecoms companies and as Chair of the All Party Parliamentary Group on Music.

Andrew Bingham declared an interest at Chair of the All Party Parliamentary Commercial Radio Group

Jason McCartney declared an interest as Chair of the All Party Parliamentary ITV Group and Vice-Chair of the All Party Parliamentary BBC Group

Rt Hon Karen Bradley MP, Secretary of State and Sue Owen, Permanent Secretary, gave evidence.

[Adjourned till Wednesday 2 November at 10.00 am

### **Wednesday 2 November 2016**

Members present:

Damian Collins, in the Chair.

Andrew Bingham  
Julie Elliott  
Paul Farrelly  
Nigel Huddleston

Ian C. Lucas  
Chris Matheson  
Jason McCartney

#### **1. Future Programme**

The Committee considered this matter. It resolved to inquire into the Use of Bots in the secondary ticketing market.

#### **2. Appointment of the Chair of the BBC**

The Committee considered this matter.

**3. Report of the Committee of Privileges on ‘Conduct of witnesses before a select committee: Mr Colin Myler, Mr Tom Crone, Mr Les Hinton and News International’**

The Committee discussed the Report of the Committee of Privileges on ‘Conduct of witnesses before a select committee: Mr Colin Myler, Mr Tom Crone, Mr Les Hinton and News International’ and ordered that the Clerks obtain a copy of the transcript of the related trials of Ms Rebekah Brooks and Mr Andy Coulson.

**4. Impact of Brexit on the creative industries, tourism and the digital single market**

*Ordered,* That the following written evidence relating to the Impact of Brexit on the creative industries, tourism and the digital single market inquiry be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

Association of British Orchestras (IOB0018)  
British Screen Advisory Council (IOB0019)  
Cornwall Council (IOB0014)  
Crafts Council (IOB0020)  
Electrolight (IOB0017)  
Equity (IOB0011)  
Galley Beggar Press (IOB0003)  
londonprintstudio (IOB0016)  
Mr Rich Mellor (IOB0005)  
Ms Isabel Serval (IOB0001)  
Radiocentre (IOB0013)  
Rare Corporate Design Ltd (IOB0004)  
Sapient (IOB0009)  
Supreme Songs Limited (IOB0012)  
The British Association of Leisure Parks, Piers and Attractions (BALPPA) (IOB0015)  
UKinbound (IOB0006)

**5. Countries of Culture**

*In public*

Rt Hon Matt Hancock MP, Minister for Digital and Culture, DCMS, gave evidence.

[Adjourned till Tuesday 8 November at 10.00 am

**Tuesday 8 November 2016**

Members present:

Damian Collins, in the Chair.

Nigel Huddleston

Jason McCartney

Ian C. Lucas

John Nicolson

Chris Matheson

## **1. Future Programme**

The Committee considered this matter.

## **2. Homophobia in Sport**

*Ordered*, That the following written evidence relating to the Homophobia in Sport inquiry be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

Amateur Swimming Association (HIS0029)

British Athletes Commission (HIS0030)

British Horseracing Authority (HIS0012)

British Universities and Colleges Sport (HIS0019)

Department for Culture, Media and Sport (HIS0038)

Dr Jamie Cleland (HIS0023)

England and Wales Cricket Board (HIS0018)

England Hockey (HIS0027)

Equality Network (HIS0008)

Football v Homophobia (HIS0032)

Graces Cricket Club (HIS0039)

Harry Stow (HIS0002)

Independent British sport scholars at Universities of Winchester, Loughborough, Southampton Solent and Worcester (HIS0011)

Jonathan Emmett (HIS0003)

Just a Ball Game? (HIS0004)

Kick It Out (HIS0007)

Lawn Tennis Association (HIS0024)

LEAP Sports Scotland (HIS0025)

London Royals Hockey Club (HIS0016)

Ms Kendra Hourd (HIS0001)

Premier League (HIS0036)

Pride in Football (HIS0026)

Professional Footballers Association (HIS0015)

Proud Canaries (HIS0021)

Rugby Football League (HIS0040)

Rugby Football Union (HIS0014)

Sport Allies (HIS0020)

Sport and Recreation Alliance (HIS0010)

Sport England (HIS0017)  
Sport Wales (HIS0009)  
Stonewall (HIS0031)  
Sydney Convicts Rugby Union Club and Out on the Fields (HIS0005)  
The Football Association, the Premier League, The Football League, the League Managers Association, the Professional Footballers' Association, the Professional Game Match Officials and the Referees Association (HIS0035)  
The Football Association (HIS0034)  
The Football League (HIS0028)  
The Youth Sport Trust (HIS0006)  
Trade Union Congress (HIS0037)  
UK Sport and English Institute of Sport (HIS0033)  
University of Leicester, Trinity College Dublin and Ulster University (HIS0022)  
Volleyball England (HIS0013)

***In public***

John Amaechi, former NBA player, Tom Bosworth, race-runner, and Lianne Sanderson, footballer, gave evidence.

[Adjourned till Tuesday 15 November at 10.00 am

**Tuesday 15 November 2016**

Members present:

Damian Collins, in the Chair.

Nigel Adams	Nigel Huddleston
Andrew Bingham	Chris Matheson
Julie Elliott	Jason McCartney

**1. Future Programme**

The Committee considered this matter.

**2. Responsibilities of the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport**

*Ordered*, That the following supplementary written evidence relating to the Responsibilities of the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

SOS0001      Department for Culture, Media and Sport

### **3. Ticket Abuse**

*Ordered*, That the following written evidence relating to Ticket Abuse be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

OTA0001     The All England Lawn Tennis Club (Championships) Limited  
OTA0002     The Sport and Recreation Alliance

#### ***In public***

Josh Franceschi, You Me at Six, Ian McAndrew, Wildlife Entertainment, Annabella Coldrick, Music Managers Forum, Chris Edmonds, Chairman, Ticketmaster UK, Alasdair McGowan, Head of Public Affairs/Government Relations, eBay, Paul Peak, Head of Legal (Europe), StubHub, Jonathan Brown, Society of Ticket Retailers, Professor Michael Waterson, and Reg Walker, Iridium Consultancy, gave evidence.

[Adjourned till Tuesday 22 November at 10.00 am

### **Tuesday 22 November 2016**

Members present:

Damian Collins, in the Chair.

Nigel Adams	Chris Matheson
Paul Farrelly	Jason McCartney
Nigel Huddleston	John Nicolson
Ian C. Lucas	

### **1. Future Programme**

The Committee considered this matter.

### **2. Ticket Abuse**

*Ordered*, That the Chair writes to the Secretary of State on the matter of ticket abuse and that the following written evidence be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

OTA0005     Ticketmaster UK  
OTA0006     Letter from the Chair to the Secretary of State, DCMS

### **3. Ofcom Annual Report 2015-16**



***In public***

Nigel Adams declared an interest as director and shareholder of two telecoms companies.

Dame Patricia Hodgson, Chairman, and Sharon White, Chief Executive, gave evidence.

[Adjourned till Tuesday 29 November at 10.00 am

**Tuesday 29 November 2016**

Members present:

Damian Collins, in the Chair.

Andrew Bingham  
Julie Elliott  
Nigel Huddleston

Ian C. Lucas  
Chris Matheson  
Jason McCartney

**1. Countries of Culture**

The Committee considered this matter.

**2. Accessibility of Sports Stadia**

The Committee discussed this matter.

**3. Future Programme**

The Committee considered this matter.

**4. The Governance of Football**

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

GOF0003     The Football Association

[Adjourned till Tuesday 6 December at 10.00 am

**Tuesday 6 December 2016**

Members present:

Damian Collins, in the Chair.

Andrew Bingham  
Julie Elliott  
Paul Farrelly  
Nigel Huddleston

Ian C. Lucas  
Chris Matheson  
Jason McCartney  
John Nicolson

**1. Future Programme**

The Committee considered this matter.

**2. Consideration of Chair's draft Report on Countries of Culture: Funding and support for the arts outside London**

Draft Report (*Countries of Culture: Funding and support for the arts outside London*), proposed by the Chair, brought up and read.

*Ordered*, That the draft Report be read a second time, paragraph by paragraph.

Paragraphs 1 to 91 read and agreed to.

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

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

*Ordered*, That embargoed copies of the Report be made available, in accordance with the provisions of Standing Order No. 134.

**3. Countries of Culture: Funding and support for the arts outside of London**

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

COC0118      National Museum Directors' Council

**4. The Governance of Football**

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

GOF0002      Simon Bywater

**5. The Impact of Brexit**

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

ABTA - The Travel Association (IOB0023)  
Advertising Association (IOB0105)  
AETN UK and Sheridans (IOB0053)  
Airbnb (IOB0110)  
Airport Operators Association (IOB0112)  
All Party Parliamentary Group for Design and Innovation and Design Business Association (IOB0043)  
Alliance For Intellectual Property (IOB0067)  
ALMR (IOB0115)  
Anti Copying in Design (ACID) (IOB0057)  
Art Fund (IOB0078)  
Arts Council of Wales (IOB0072)  
Association of Authors' Agents (IOB0055)  
Association of Leading Visitor Attractions (IOB0081)  
Authors' Licensing and Collecting Society (ALCS) (IOB0030)  
Bacta (IOB0087)  
Bath Spa University (IOB0032)  
Bournemouth University, International Centre for Tourism and Hospitality Research (ICTHR) (IOB0025)  
BPI (IOB0120)  
Brighton and Hove Arts and Creative Industries Commission (IOB0049)  
British Copyright Council (IOB0028)  
British Council (IOB0118)  
British Entertainment Industry Radio Group (IOB0109)  
British Fashion Council (IOB0065)  
British Film Institute (IOB0121)  
BT Group (IOB0075)  
City of London Corporation (IOB0123)  
COBA (IOB0026)  
Compact Media Group (IOB0104)  
Creative England (IOB0117)  
Creative Europe Desk UK (IOB0113)  
Creative Industries Federation (IOB0106)  
Creative Network South, Digital South and Hampshire Chamber of Commerce (IOB0029)  
Creative Scotland (IOB0068)  
Creative Skillset (IOB0116)  
Culture Counts (IOB0056)  
DACS (IOB0051)  
Department for Culture, Media and Sport (IOB0122)  
Design Council (IOB0077)  
Dezeen Limited (IOB0074)  
Digital Catapult (IOB0103)  
Digital Single Market Working Group (IOB0114)  
Directors UK (IOB0069)  
Discovery Communications (IOB0093)  
Drapers (IOB0107)

Euclid International (IOB0090)  
Festivals Edinburgh (IOB0039)  
Framestore Limited (IOB0094)  
Guardian Media Group (IOB0119)  
GuildHE and ukadia (IOB0071)  
Hilton (IOB0124)  
Historic England (IOB0058)  
Historic Houses Association (IOB0062)  
HMKM (IOB0102)  
Ilse Crawford (IOB0084)  
Incorporated Society of Musicians (ISM) (IOB0089)  
Independent Cinema Office (IOB0086)  
Independent Film & Television Alliance (IOB0098)  
Independent Publishers Guild (IPG) (IOB0047)  
Innovate UK (IOB0036)  
LIFT (IOB0092)  
London Borough of Camden (IOB0060)  
Motion Picture Association (IOB0091)  
Mr Jonathan Meth (IOB0082)  
Ms Amanda Leveté, (AL\_A) (IOB0097)  
Museums Association (IOB0095)  
National Museum Directors' Council (IOB0096)  
Nesta (IOB0042)  
New Art Exchange (IOB0052)  
News Media Association (IOB0085)  
North East Culture Partnership (IOB0044)  
Northern Film & Media Ltd (IOB0031)  
Olswang LLP (IOB0021)  
One Dance UK (IOB0054)  
Pact (IOB0070)  
Professor Alison Harcourt (IOB0066)  
Royal Institute of British Architects (IOB0088)  
Royal Opera House (IOB0046)  
Satellite Information Services Limited (IOB0080)  
Scripps Networks Interactive (IOB0050)  
Shakespeare Birthplace Trust (IOB0034)  
Siberia Europe Ltd (IOB0101)  
Sky (IOB0041)  
Society of British Theatre Designers (IOB0033)  
Southbank Centre (IOB0040)  
Studio Felicity Bell (IOB0063)  
techUK (IOB0073)  
Teledwyr Annibynnol Cymru (TAC) (IOB0108)  
The British Hospitality Association (IOB0099)  
The Law Society (IOB0111)  
The Publishers Association (IOB0083)  
The Society of Authors (IOB0076)  
Tourism Alliance (IOB0037)  
TUI Group - UK & Ireland (IOB0064)  
UK Music (IOB0024)

UK Screen Association (IOB0038)  
UK Theatre (IOB0079)  
Ukie (IOB0022)  
VisitBritain (IOB0027)  
Watershed / Europa Cinemas (IOB0035)

## **6. Dealing with complaints against the press**

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

DCP0003      IMPRESS

### ***In public***

Edward Bowles, Daisy Cooper, Peter Jukes, all representing Hacked Off, Jonathan Heawood, founder and Chief Executive, IMPRESS, Walter Merricks CBE, Chairman, IMPRESS, Sir Joseph Pilling, author of the external IPSO review, and David Wolfe QC, Chair, Press Recognition Panel gave evidence.

[Adjourned till Tuesday 13 December at 10.00 am

## **Tuesday 13 December 2016**

Members present:

Damian Collins, in the Chair.

Nigel Adams	Ian C. Lucas
Andrew Bingham	Chris Matheson
Julie Elliott	Jason McCartney
Nigel Huddleston	John Nicolson

### **1. Future Programme**

The Committee considered this matter.

### **2. Work of the Sports Minister**

#### ***In public***

Tracey Crouch MP, Minister for Sport, gave evidence.

### **3. Homophobia in Sport**

***In public***

Nigel Owens, rugby referee, Paul Twocock, Director of Campaigns, Policy and Research, Stonewall, Di Cunningham, Proud Canaries, and Jamie Hooper, Equality and Diversity Programme Manager, Amateur Swimming Association gave evidence.

[Adjourned till Monday 19 December at 11.00 am

**Monday 19 December 2016  
At 11.00 am**

Members present:

Damian Collins, in the Chair.

Nigel Adams  
Andrew Bingham  
Paul Farrelly  
Nigel Huddleston

Ian C. Lucas  
Chris Matheson  
John Nicolson

**1. Future Programme**

The Committee considered this matter.

**2. Combatting doping in sport**

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

BDA0008     UK Anti-Doping

***In public***

Bob Howden OBE, President and Chair, British Cycling, Dr George Gilbert, British Cycling board director and Chair of the British Cycling Ethics Commission, Shane Sutton, and Sir David Brailsford gave evidence.

[Adjourned till Monday 19 December at 2.45 pm

**Monday 19 December 2016**  
**At 2.45 pm**

Members present:

Damian Collins, in the Chair.

Andrew Bingham	Ian C. Lucas
Julie Elliott	John Nicolson
Nigel Huddleston	Julian Knight

### **1. Combatting doping in sport**

*In public*

Sir Craig Reedie, President, and Olivier Niggli, Director General, World Anti-Doping Agency, gave evidence.

[Adjourned till Tuesday 10 January at 10.00 am

**Tuesday 10 January 2017**  
**At 10.00 am**

Members present:

Damian Collins, in the Chair.

Andrew Bingham	Ian C. Lucas
Julie Elliott	Jason McCartney
Paul Farrelly	Chris Matheson
Nigel Huddleston	John Nicolson
Julian Knight	

### **1. Future Programme**

The Committee considered this matter.

### **2. Impact of Brexit**

The Committee considered this matter.

### **3. Dealing with complaints against the press**

The Committee considered this matter.

#### **4. Combatting doping in sport**

##### *In public*

David Bedford, former Olympic athlete gave evidence.

##### *In private*

The Committee agreed to invite Lord Coe to give further evidence in relation to this inquiry.

#### **5. Accessibility of sports stadia**

Draft Report (Accessibility of sports stadia), proposed by the Chair, brought up and read.

*The draft report was agreed to; the Formal Minutes relating to the consideration of the Report published with the Fifth Report of the Committee, Session 2016-17, HC 62.*

[Adjourned till Tuesday 17 January at 10.00 am

**Tuesday 17 January 2017  
At 10.00 am**

Members present:

Damian Collins, in the Chair.

Andrew Bingham  
Julie Elliott  
Nigel Huddleston  
Julian Knight

Jason McCartney  
Chris Matheson  
John Nicolson

#### **1. Future Programme**

The Committee considered this matter.

#### **2. Dealing with complaints against the press**

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

DCP0004 Christopher Whitmey MBE

#### **3. Impact of Brexit**



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

IOB0125	BritishAmerican Business
IOB0126	Brook Lapping Productions
IOB0127	CBS Studios International
IOB0129	Dell EMC
IOB0130	Airlines UK
IOB0131	BRITDOC Foundation
IOB0132	Historic England
IOB0134	Sheffield Doc/Fest
IOB0135	Federation of Entertainment Unions
IOB0136	European Documentary Network
IOB0137	Which?

#### **4. Pre-appointment hearing for Chair of the BBC**

*In public*

Sir David Clementi, the Government's preferred candidate, gave evidence.

[Adjourned till Tuesday 17 January at 4.00 pm

**Tuesday 17 January 2017  
At 4.00 pm**

Members present:

Damian Collins, in the Chair.

*Nigel Adams	Julian Knight
Andrew Bingham	Jason McCartney
Julie Elliott	Chris Matheson
*Paul Farrelly	John Nicolson
Nigel Huddleston	

*\*The Members indicated in this way took no part in consideration of the draft Report (item 1) as they were not present at the pre-appointment hearing on the morning of 17 January 2017*

#### **19. Pre-appointment hearing for Chair of the BBC Board**

Draft Report (*Pre-appointment hearing for the Government's preferred candidate for Chair of the BBC*), proposed by the Chair, brought up and read.

*The draft report was agreed to; the Formal Minutes relating to the consideration of the Report published with the Sixth Report of the Committee, Session 2016-17, HC 814*

## **20. Dealing with complaints against the press**

The Committee considered this matter.

[Adjourned till Tuesday 24 January at 10.00 am

**Tuesday 24 January 2017**  
**At 10.00 am**

Members present:

Damian Collins, in the Chair.

Nigel Adams	Nigel Huddleston
Andrew Bingham	Julian Knight
Julie Elliott	Ian Lucas
Paul Farrelly	Chris Matheson

### **1. Future Programme**

The Committee considered this matter.

### **2. Committee's response to government consultation on press regulation**

The Committee considered this matter.

### **3. Visits**

*Resolved*, That the Committee visit Belfast on 27-28 February 2017 in connection with its inquiry into the impact of Brexit on the creative industries, tourism and the digital single market.

*Resolved*, That the Committee visit Berlin on 27-29 March 2017 in connection with its inquiry into the impact of Brexit on the creative industries, tourism and the digital single market.

*Ordered*, That the Chair seek the approval of the Liaison Committee for expenditure in connection with the visit.

*Resolved*, That the Chair would attend the Business Sport Summit in Barcelona on 9 March in a Representative Capacity.

*Ordered*, That the Chair seek the approval of the Liaison Committee for expenditure in connection with the visit.

*Resolved*, That the Chair and two to three other Members would visit Barcelona on 9-10 March 2017 in connection with its inquiry into the impact of Brexit on the creative industries, tourism and the digital single market

*Ordered*, That the Chair seek the approval of the Liaison Committee for expenditure in connection with the visit.

*Resolved*, That the Chair and a member of the Committee Staff would attend the Oxford Media Convention on 8 March 2017 in a Representative Capacity.

#### **4. Inquiry into fake news**

*Resolved*, That the Committee inquire into Fake News.

#### **5. Combatting doping in sport**

*Resolved*, That the Committee publish Nicole Cooke's written evidence on Combatting doping in sport.

#### ***In public***

Nicole Cooke MBE, former professional road cycle racer, gave evidence.

[Adjourned till Tuesday 31 January at 10.00 am

**Tuesday 31 January 2017  
At 10.00 am**

Members present:

Damian Collins, in the Chair.

Julie Elliott  
Paul Farrelly  
Nigel Huddleston  
Julian Knight

Ian Lucas  
Chris Matheson  
Jason McCartney  
John Nicolson

#### **1. Future Programme**

The Committee considered this matter.

## **2. Committee's response to government consultation on press regulation**

The Committee considered this matter.

## **3. Combatting doping in sport**

*Ordered*, That the Committee publish the response to the Chair's letter from Lord Coe and some e-mails and other information supplied to the Ethics Commission of the IAAF by Mr David Bedford.

## **4. Impact of Brexit on the creative industries, tourism and the digital single market**

*Ordered*, That the following written evidence relating to the Impact of Brexit on the creative industries, tourism and the digital single market be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

IOB0147      Ofcom

### ***In public***

Sir Peter Bazalgette, Chair, Arts Council England, John Kampfner, Chief Executive, Creative Industries Federation, and Nicola Mendelsohn CBE, Vice President, Europe, Middle East and Africa, Facebook, and Co-Chair, Creative Industries Council, gave evidence.

[Adjourned till Tuesday 7 February at 10.00 am

**Tuesday 7 February 2017  
At 10.00 am**

Members present:

Damian Collins, in the Chair.

Andrew Bingham  
Julie Elliott  
Paul Farrelly  
Nigel Huddleston  
Julian Knight

Ian Lucas  
Chris Matheson  
Jason McCartney  
John Nicolson

## **1. Future Programme**

The Committee considered this matter.

## **2. Impact of Brexit on the creative industries, tourism and the digital single market**

*Ordered*, That the following written evidence relating to the Impact of Brexit on the creative industries, tourism and the digital single market be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

IOB0142	Delada
IOB0143	Johanne Mills
IOB0145	Mantis World
IOB0148	Hockin
IOB0151	Tank Publications Ltd
IOB0155	Nick Knight

### **3. Committee's response to government consultation on press regulation**

The Committee considered this matter.

### **4. Consideration of Chair's draft Report on Homophobia in Sport**

Draft Report (*Homophobia in Sport*), proposed by the Chair, brought up and read.

*The draft report was agreed to; the Formal Minutes relating to the consideration of the Report published with the Seventh Report of the Committee, Session 2016-17, HC 113*

[Adjourned till Tuesday 21 February at 10.00 am

**Tuesday 21 February 2017**  
**At 10.00 am**

Members present:

Damian Collins, in the Chair.

Nigel Adams	Julian Knight
Andrew Bingham	Ian Lucas
Julie Elliott	Jason McCartney
Paul Farrelly	John Nicolson
Nigel Huddleston	

### **1. Future Programme**

The Committee considered this matter.

### **2. Press regulation**

The Committee agreed a response to the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport's consultation on press regulation: the commencement of Section 40 of the Crime and Courts Act 2013 and of Part 2 of the Leveson inquiry; the response to be

published.

### **3. Supplementary Estimates 2016-17**

*Ordered*, That the following Supplementary Estimates be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

Charity Commission Supplementary Estimate 2016-17  
National Archives Supplementary Estimate 2016-17

### **4. Impact of Brexit on the creative industries, tourism and the digital single market**

*Ordered*, That the following written evidence relating to the Impact of Brexit on the creative industries, tourism and the digital single market be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

IOB0156	Yvonne Gold
IOB0160	PRISM London Ltd
IOB0164	Central Saint Martins
IOB0165	Alex Monroe Ltd
IOB0168	Maureen Duffy
IOB0169	Bowns

#### ***In public***

Mr Nigel Adams declared an interest as a former Director of the Yorkshire Tourist Board in 2006–07.

Mr Nigel Huddleston declared an interest as a former Head of Travel at Google.

Deirdre Wells, CEO, UKinbound, Ufi Ibrahim, CEO, British Hospitality Association, Sally Balcombe, CEO VisitBritain, Alan Wardle, Director of Public Affairs, ABTA, Jeremy Osborne, CEO, TUI (Thomson Holidays), Tim Alderslade, CEO, Airlines UK and Stephen D'Alfonso, Group Head of Public Affairs, Thomas Cook, gave evidence.

[Adjourned till Tuesday 28 February at 10.00 am in Queen's University, Belfast

**Tuesday 28 February 2017**  
**At 10.00 am**

Members present:

Damian Collins, in the Chair.

Andrew Bingham  
Julie Elliott  
Paul Farrelly

Nigel Huddleston  
Ian Lucas  
John Nicolson

## **1. Future Programme**

The Committee considered this matter.

## **2. Impact of Brexit on the creative industries, tourism and the digital single market**

### *In public*

Richard Williams, Chief Executive Officer, Northern Ireland Screen, Brian Dolaghan, Director of Technology and Services, Invest NI, Claire Patterson, Business, Research and Development Manager, Belfast City Council, Clare Mullen, Tourism, Culture and Arts Manager, Belfast City Council, Shane Clarke, Director of Corporate Services and Policy, Tourism Ireland, Susie Brown, Director of Corporate Development, Tourism NI, and Ciaran O'Neill, President, Northern Ireland Hotels Federation gave evidence.

[Adjourned till Wednesday 1 March at 1.45 pm]

**Wednesday 1 March 2017**

**At 1.45 pm**

Members present:

Damian Collins, in the Chair.

Andrew Bingham

Julie Elliott

Nigel Huddleston

Julian Knight

Ian Lucas

Jason McCartney

Chris Matheson

John Nicolson

## **1. Combatting doping in sport**

### *In public*

Simon Cope, formerly of British Cycling, and Nicole Sapstead, Chief Executive, UK Anti-Doping, gave evidence.

[Adjourned till Tuesday 14 March at 10.00 am]

**Tuesday 14 March 2017**  
**At 10.00 am**

Members present:

Damian Collins, in the Chair.

Andrew Bingham	Ian Lucas
Julie Elliott	Jason McCartney
Paul Farrelly	John Nicolson
Nigel Huddleston	

## **1. Future Programme**

The Committee considered its Future Programme.

## **2. Combatting doping in sport**

*Ordered*, That the following written evidence relating to the Combatting of doping in sport inquiry be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

BDA0015	Letter from Sir David Brailsford, Team Sky to Committee
BDA0016	Letter from Committee to Sir David Brailsford, Team Sky
BDA0017	Team Sky

[Adjourned till Tuesday 21 March at 10.00 am

**Tuesday 21 March 2017**  
**At 10.00 am**

Members present:

Damian Collins, in the Chair.

Nigel Adams	Julian Knight
Andrew Bingham	Ian Lucas
Julie Elliott	Jason McCartney
Nigel Huddleston	John Nicolson



## **1. Future Programme**

The Committee considered its Future Programme.

## **2. Ticket Abuse**

*Ordered*, That the following written evidence relating to the Ticket Abuse inquiry be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

OTA0008      John Pollard

### ***In public***

Rob Wilmshurst, See Tickets, Keith Kenny, Sales and Ticketing Director for 'Hamilton', Cameron Mackintosh Ltd, Stuart Camp, manager for Ed Sheeran, Stuart Galbraith, music tour promoter, Claire Turnham, representative from 'Victim of viagogo' group, and Mark McGivern, journalist, Daily Record, gave evidence.

[Adjourned till Tuesday 18 April at 2.00 pm

**Tuesday 18 April 2017  
At 2.00 pm**

Members present:

Damian Collins, in the Chair.

Paul Farrelly  
Nigel Huddleston

Julian Knight  
John Nicolson

## **1. Future Programme**

The Committee considered its Future Programme.

## **2. Fake News**

*Ordered*, That the following written evidence relating to the Fake News inquiry be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

Bangor University, Network for Media & Persuasive Communication (FNW0054)  
BBC (FNW0114)  
British Law Education and Technology Association (FNW0074)  
Campaign for Responsible Financial Journalism (FNW0080)  
Committee on Standards in Public Life (FNW0049)

Dr Lucas Black (FNW0031)  
Electoral Commission (FNW0048)  
Guardian News & Media (FNW0096)  
Himsworths Legal Limited (FNW0046)  
Home Marketing Limited (FNW0059)  
IMPRESS (FNW0112)  
Internet Advertising Bureau UK (FNW0081)  
Internews (FNW0034)  
ITN (FNW0118)  
ITV (FNW0115)  
National Union of Journalists (FNW0053)  
New Political Communication Unit - Royal Holloway, University of London (FNW0066)  
Newgate Communications (FNW0073)  
News Media Alliance (FNW0098)  
News Media Association (FNW0087)  
Ofcom (FNW0107)  
Press Association (FNW0042)  
Professor Brian Cathcart (FNW0050)  
Professor Leighton Andrews (FNW0061)  
Professor Stephan Lewandowsky, Professor James Ladyman, and Professor Jason Reifler (FNW0065)  
Public Relations and Communications Association (FNW0077)  
Research Libraries UK (FNW0062)  
Society of Editors (FNW0060)  
The Royal Statistical Society (FNW0084)  
Transparify (FNW0040)  
Wikimedia UK (FNW0058)

### **3. Combatting doping in sport**

*Ordered*, That the following written evidence relating to the Combatting doping in sport inquiry be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

BDA0020     Dr Richard Freeman (further written evidence)

### **4. Ticket Abuse**

*Ordered*, That the following written evidence relating to the Ticket Abuse inquiry be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

OTA0009     Society of London Theatre and UK Theatre Association

### **5. Impact of Brexit on the creative industries, tourism and the digital single market**

*In public*

Caroline Rush CBE, CEO, British Fashion Council, Ozwald Boateng OBE, fashion

designer, Adam Mansell, CEO, UK Fashion and Textile Association, Alan Vallance, CEO, Royal Institute of British Architects, Sarah Weir OBE, CEO, Design Council, and Stephen Woodford, CEO, Advertising Association, gave evidence.

[Adjourned till Wednesday 19 April at 2.00 pm

**Wednesday 19 April 2017**  
**At 2.00 pm**

Members present:

Damian Collins, in the Chair.

Nigel Huddleston  
Julian Knight  
Ian Lucas

Chris Matheson  
John Nicolson

**1. Estimates Memorandum 2017-18**

*Ordered*, That the following Estimates Memorandum be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

DCMS Estimates Memorandum 2017-18  
Charity Commission Main Estimate 2017-18: Estimates Memorandum

**2. Ticket Abuse**

*Ordered*, That the following written evidence relating to the Ticket Abuse inquiry be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

OTA0010 Correspondence from Nigel Huddleston MP to Google  
OTA0011 Correspondence from Google to Nigel Huddleston MP

**3. Fake News**

*Ordered*, That the following written evidence relating to the Fake News inquiry be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

Ben Nimmo (FNW0125)  
Bob Goodall (FNW0078)  
Centre for the Study of Media, Communication and Power at King's College London (FNW0089)  
Darren Parmenter (FNW0016)  
Dr Alexander Douglas and Professor Katherine Hawley (FNW0072)

Dr Ansgar Koene (FNW0116)  
Dr David Manning (FNW0064)  
Dr David Miller and others (FNW0094)  
Dr Dominic Thorrington (FNW0010)  
Dr Karol Lasok (FNW0021)  
Dr Michael Holland (FNW0104)  
Dr Sandra Leaton Gray and Professor Andy Phippen (FNW0029)  
Dr David Coast, Prof. Jo Fox, Prof. David Welch (FNW0085)  
Edmund Wisty (FNW0056)  
Facebook (FNW0121)  
Full Fact (FNW0097)  
Google (FNW0123)  
InformAll and the CILIP Information Literacy Group (FNW0079)  
Isabel Pakowski (FNW0076)  
JAG Shaw Baker (FNW0090)  
Kohei Watanabe (FNW0030)  
Linda Greenwood (FNW0014)  
Master Josh Traynor (FNW0068)  
Members of the Centre for Politics & Media Research, Faculty for Media & Communication, Bournemouth University (FNW0083)  
Michael Leidig (FNW0052)  
Mr Gianfranco Polizzi (FNW0071)  
Mr Jacob Rowbottom (FNW0070)  
Mr Jane Winter (FNW0045)  
Mr Mark Leiser (FNW0035)  
Mr Vernon Moat (FNW0012)  
Mr Xander Ward (FNW0037)  
Ms Gemma MacNaught (FNW0102)  
Muslim Council of Britain (FNW0120)  
politicaladvertising.co.uk (FNW0088)  
Professor Jim Ridgway (FNW0067)  
Professor Julian Petley (FNW0099)  
Professor Rita Marcella (FNW0119)  
Simple Politics (FNW0024)  
Stephen Saunders (FNW0013)  
Stop Funding Hate (FNW0091)  
The Open University (FNW0092)  
The Rt. Hon. the Lord David Blencathra (FNW0063)  
Tobacco Control Research Group (FNW0075)  
UCL Knowledge Lab (FNW0110)  
University of Bristol (FNW0095)  
University of Portsmouth Alison Wakefield (FNW0103)  
University of South Wales (FNW0086)  
Voice of the Listener & Viewer (FNW0122)  
WebRoots Democracy (FNW0124)

*Resolved*, That, subject to the discretion of the Chair, written evidence received before the prorogation of Parliament shall be reported to the House for publication.

#### **4. Combatting doping in sport**

*Ordered,* That the following written evidence relating to the Combatting doping in sport inquiry be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

BDA0021      Team Sky whistleblower

#### ***In public***

Dr Barry Fudge, Head of Endurance, UK Athletics, Dr John Rogerts, former Medical Officer, UK Athletics, Dr Robin Chakraverty, former Chief Medical Officer, UK Athletics, Ed Warner, Chairman, UK Athletics and Liz Nicholl, CEO, UK Sport, gave evidence.

The Committee adjourned



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# **Annex A: Register of Members' Financial Interests**

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**Session 2016–17**

## **Adams, Nigel (Selby and Ainsty)**

Adams, Nigel (Selby and Ainsty)

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

Name of donor: Mr C D Forbes-Adam

Address of donor: private

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

Donor status: individual

(Registered 02 March 2015)

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

Name of donor: Mr I R Pullan

Address of donor: private

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

Date of receipt: 30 January 2015

Date of acceptance: 30 January 2015

Donor status: individual

(Registered 02 March 2015)

Name of donor: Caddick Group PLC

Address of donor: Castlegarth Grange, Scott Lane, Wetherby LS22 6LH

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £7,400

Date received: 16 April 2015

Date accepted: 17 April 2015

Donor status: company, registration 02065043

(Registered 13 May 2015)

Name of donor: Kearby Cliff LLP

Address of donor: 3 Greengate, Cardale Park, Harrogate HG3 1GY

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £1,750

Date of receipt: 16 June 2015

Date of acceptance: 17 June 2015

Donor status: LLP, registration OC390757

(Registered 08 July 2015)

Name of donor: Stonegrave Properties limited

Address of donor: Lea Close, York YO61 4RW

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £3,550

Date of receipt: 6 July 2015

Date of acceptance: 7 July 2015

Donor status: company, registration 04229941  
(Registered 08 July 2015)

Name of donor: Mr R Fiddes

Address of donor: private

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £2,800

Date received: 11 July 2015

Date accepted: 11 July 2015

Donor status: individual

(Registered 13 July 2015)

### **3. Gifts, benefits and hospitality from UK sources**

Name of donor: PRS for Music (Performing Rights Society)

Address of donor: 2 Pancras Square, London N1C 4AG

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: In my capacity as Chairman of the All Party Parliamentary Group for Music, I received two tickets and accommodation at Glastonbury music festival to the value of £1,117.48

Date received: 26 June 2015

Date accepted: 26 June 2015

Donor status: company, registration 03444246

(Registered 09 July 2015)

### **4. Visits outside the UK**

Name of donor: Eggborough Power Limited

Address of donor: Eggborough Power Station, Eggborough, Selby, North Yorkshire DN14 0BS

Amount of donation (or estimate of the probable value): air travel and accommodation with a value of approximately £7,177.41

Destination of visit: Florida, USA

Date of visit: 30 September – 4 October 2014

Purpose of visit: to attend the fourth United States Industrial Pellet Association Conference and deliver keynote speech in my capacity as Chairman of the All-Party Parliamentary Group on Biomass.

(Registered 03 November 2014)

Name of donor: Drax Power Ltd

Address of donor: Drax Power Station, Drax, Selby YO8 8PH

Amount of donation (or estimate of the probable value): air travel and accommodation with a value of approximately £4,210.36

Destination of visit: Florida, USA

Date of visit: 20 – 24 September 2015

Purpose of visit: to attend the fifth United States Industrial Pellet Association Conference and deliver keynote speech in my capacity as Chairman of the All Party Parliamentary Group on



Biomass.

(Registered 22 October 2015)

Name of donor: (1) Intimate Holidays Ltd (2) David Folb

Address of donor: (1) 145-157 St John St, London EC1V 4PW (2) private

Amount of donation (or estimate of the probable value): (1) approx. £385.00 for air travel (2) accommodation at an approx. value of £240; total £625

Destination of visit: St Elizabeth Parish, Jamaica

Date of visit: 25 September – 1 October 2015

Purpose of visit: to visit the 'Breds Foundation' Community Project, a Lords and Commons All Party Cricket sponsored project, in order to donate sports and grounds equipment. Visit also included talks with ministers, school visits and cricket games.

(Registered 23 October 2015)

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

One mixed use commercial and residential property in Selby, North Yorkshire, co-owned with my wife: (i) and (ii)

One residential property in York co-owned with my wife: (i) and (ii)

(Registered 13 May 2015)

**9. Family members employed and paid from parliamentary expenses**

I employ my spouse, Claire Adams, as part-time Office Manager.

# **Bingham, Andrew (High Peak)**

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## **1. Employment and earnings**

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

Received £75. Hours: 30 mins. Payment donated to local organisation. (Registered 02 December 2014)

Received £75. Hours: 30 mins. Payment donated to local organisation. (Registered 25 March 2015)

Payments from Leftfield, 181 Union Street, London SE2 0LN, for opinion surveys:

Received £100. Hours: 30 mins. Payment donated to local organisation. (Registered 02 December 2014)

## **Collins, Damian (Folkestone and Hythe)**

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### **3. Gifts, benefits and hospitality from UK sources**

Name of donor: PRS for Music

Address of donor: 2 Pancras Square, London N1C 4AG

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: I am Vice Chairman of the APPG for the Performers' Alliance and received two tickets to the Glastonbury Festival, including hospitality and accommodation; total value £1,038.32

Date received: 27 June 2015

Date accepted: 27 June 2015

Donor status: company, registration 03444246

(Registered 25 August 2015)

Name of donor: ITV

Address of donor: The London Television Centre, 60-72 Upper Ground, London SE1 9LT

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: as a member of the select committee for Culture, Media and Sport I accepted two tickets including hospitality to the England versus Wales Rugby World Cup match at Twickenham; total value £3,300

Date received: 26 September 2015

Date accepted: 26 September 2015

Donor status: company, registration 04967001

(Registered 27 October 2015)

### **6. Land and property: (i) value over £100,000 (ii) rental income of over £10,000 a year**

Flat in London: (i) and (ii)

# **Elliott, Julie (Sunderland Central)**

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## **1. Employment and earnings**

Payments from ComRes, 4 Millbank, London, SW1P 3JA for completing opinion surveys. All payments made directly to my constituency party:

10 February 2015, payment of £75 for participation in a research project. Hours: 30 mins. (Registered 09 March 2015)

12 February 2015, payment of £75 for completing the November 2014 Parliamentary Panel Survey. Hours: 20 mins. (Registered 09 March 2015)

22 April 2015, payment of £75 for completing a Parliamentary Panel Survey. Hours: 20 mins. (Registered 04 June 2015)

Payment from Ipsos MORI, 3 Thomas More Square, London E1W 1YW, for opinion surveys (Updated 5 October 2015). All payments made directly to my constituency party:

27 January 2015, payment of £200 for completing survey. Hours: 30 mins. (Registered 30 March 2015)

24 August 2015, payment of £200 for completing survey. Hours: 45 mins. (Registered 05 October 2015)

Payments from YouGov, 50 Featherstone Street, London EC1Y 8RT, for completing surveys. All payments made directly to my constituency party:

14 April 2015, payment of £100 for completing survey. Hours: 20 mins. (Registered 04 June 2015)

## **3. Gifts, benefits and hospitality from UK sources**

Name of donor: Rugby Football Union

Address of donor: RFU, Rugby House, Twickenham Stadium, 200 Whitton Road, Twickenham, TW2 7BA

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: ticket and hospitality to a value of £415

Date received: 26 September 2015

Date accepted: 26 September 2015

Donor status: co-operative society  
(Registered 13 October 2015)

Name of donor: Rugby Football Union

Address of donor: RFU, Rugby House, Twickenham Stadium, 200 Whitton Road,  
Twickenham, TW2 7BA

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: ticket and hospitality to a value  
of £415

Date received: 3 October 2015

Date accepted: 3 October 2015

Donor status: co-operative society  
(Registered 13 October 2015)

Name of donor: Rugby Football Union

Address of donor: RFU, Rugby House, Twickenham Stadium, 200 Whitton Road,  
Twickenham, TW2 7BA

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: ticket and hospitality to a value  
of £350

Date received: 18 October 2015

Date accepted: 18 October 2015

Donor status: co-operative society  
(Registered 21 October 2015)

Name of donor: Premier Rugby Ltd

Address of donor: 7th Floor Regal House, 70 London Road, Twickenham, Middlesex TW1  
3QS

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: ticket, hospitality and transport  
to a value of £320

Date received: 17 October 2015

Date accepted: 17 October 2015

Donor status: company, registration 3096937  
(Registered 26 October 2015)

## **9. Family members employed and paid from parliamentary expenses**

I employ my son, Miles Elliott, as a Parliamentary Assistant.

# Farrelly, Paul (Newcastle-under-Lyme)

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## 1. Employment and earnings

Surveys completed for ComRes, 4 Millbank, London SW1P 3JA:

Payment of £75 received for survey. Hours: 45 mins. (Registered 05 January 2015)

9 February 2015, payment of £75 received for survey. Hours: 45 mins. (Registered 04 March 2015)

23 April 2015, payment of £75 received for survey. Hours: 45 mins. (Registered 20 May 2015)

17 July 2015, payment of £75 received for survey. Hours: 45 mins. (Registered 28 September 2015 together with payment received on 1 September 2015)

1 September 2015, payment of £75 received for survey. Hours: 45 mins. (Registered 28 September 2015 together with payment received on 17 July 2015)

Surveys completed for YouGov, 50 Featherstone Street, London EC1Y 8RT:

23 April 2015, payment of £100 received. Hours: 45 mins. (Registered 20 May 2015)

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

Name of donor: Unity the Union

Address of donor: Hillcrest House, Garth Street, Hanley, Stoke-on-Trent ST1 2AB

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

Donor status: trade union

(Registered 16 February 2015)

Name of donor: Unite the Union

Address of donor: Unite House, 128 Theobald's Road, Holborn WC1X 8TN

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

Donor status: Trade union

(Registered 22 May 2015)

## 9. Family members employed and paid from parliamentary expenses

Until 30 June 2015, I employed my wife, Victoria Perry, as part-time Parliamentary Assistant. (Updated 29 September 2015)

# Huddleston, Nigel (Mid Worcestershire)

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## 1. Employment and earnings

22 May 2015, payment of £32,797.27 from Google UK Ltd, Belgrave House, 76 Buckingham Palace Road, London, SW1W 9TQ, for final salary, commission and unused vacation hours paid . For work between 1 January 2015 to 6 May 2015. No hours since election. (Registered 02 June 2015)

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

Name of donor: John Dunford

Address of donor: private

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

Donor status: individual

(Registered 02 June 2015)

Name of donor: Peter Gowers

Address of donor: private

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

Donor status: individual

(Registered 02 June 2015)

## **Lucas, Ian C. (Wrexham)**

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### **8. Miscellaneous**

Solicitor (non-practising). (Registered 06 November 2009)

### **9. Family members employed and paid from parliamentary expenses**

I employ my wife, Norah Lucas, as part-time Secretary.



# **Matheson, Christian (City of Chester)**

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## **1. Employment and earnings**

Received, in respect of May 2015, £3,734.46 (paid 6 May 2015) and use of a company car (value just under £1,000) as Industrial Officer for UNITE, 128 Theobalds Road, Holborn WC1X 8TN. Hours: no hours since the Election. (Registered 02 June 2015)

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

Name of donor: Robin Wendt

Address of donor: private

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

Donor status: individual

(Registered 04 June 2015)

Name of donor: Communication Workers Union

Address of donor: 150 The Broadway, Wimbledon, London SW19 1RX

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £2,500 towards my election campaign

Donor status: trade union

(Registered 08 July 2015)

# McCartney, Jason (Colne Valley)

McCartney, Jason (Colne Valley)

## 1. Employment and earnings

Payments from ComRes, Four Millbank, London SW1P 3JA:

8 May 2015, received payment of £375 for completing five opinion surveys between April 2014 and March 2015. Hours: 2.5 hrs. Payment donated to charity. (Registered 08 June 2015)

17 July 2015, payment of £200 from Ipsos MORI, 3 Thomas More Square, London E1W 1YW, for completing a survey on 16 July 2015. Hours: 1 hr. Fee donated to charity. (Registered 18 September 2015)

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

Name of donor: OGN Group

Address of donor: OGN House, Hadrian Way, Wallsend NE28 6HL

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

Donor status: company, registration 06390883

(Registered 15 January 2015)

Name of donor: Principle Holdings Limited (updated 20 May 2015)

Address of donor: Tandem Industrial Estate, Huddersfield HD5 0AN

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

Donor status: company, registration 05833239

(Registered 09 March 2015)

Name of donor: Mr Yakub Patel

Address of donor: private

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

Donor status: individual

(Registered 08 May 2015)

Name of donor: Mr Andrew Cook

Address of donor: private

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

Donor status: individual

(Registered 08 May 2015)

Name of donor: Mr Oliver North

Address of donor: private

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

Donor status: individual  
(Registered 08 May 2015)

Name of donor: Lord Philip Harris of Peckham

Address of donor: private

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

Donor status: individual  
(Registered 20 May 2015)

Name of donor: Hartley (Head Office) Limited

Address of donor: 98 Kirkstall Road, Leeds, LS3 1YN

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

Donor status: company, registration 05213591  
(Registered 20 May 2015)

## **Nicolson, John (East Dunbartonshire)**

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### **6. Land and property: (i) value over £100,000 (ii) rental income of over £10,000 a year**

Terrace house in Tower Hamlets: (i) and (ii) (Registered 20 May 2015)

### **8. Miscellaneous**

I receive occasional income from renting out my London home for photoshoots. (Registered 20 May 2015)

# **Norman, Jesse (Hereford and South Herefordshire)**

## **1. Employment and earnings**

Payment from Intelligence Squared (UK) Ltd, Newcombe House, 45 Notting Hill Gate, London, W11 3LQ:

3 June 2015, £500 for speaking at an event organised by Intelligence Squared on 12 May 2015. Hours: 4 hrs. Payment made directly to charity. (Registered 04 June 2015)

Payment from Guardian News & Media Ltd, Kings Place, 90 York Way, London, N1 9GU:

28 May 2015, £150 for an article published in The Guardian on 11 April 2015. Hours: 2 hrs. Payment made directly to charity. (Registered 04 June 2015)

Payment from Harper Collins, 77-85 Fulham Palace Road, London W6 8JB:

16 April 2015, £744.64 UK royalty payment for a book. Hours: no additional hours. (Registered 12 June 2015)

24 June 2015, received £450 from Employee Ownership Association, Can Mezzanine, 32-36 Loman Street, London SE1 0EH, for speaking at their event on 11 June 2015. Hours: 4 hrs. Payment made directly to charity. (Registered 07 July 2015)

8 July 2015, received £557.34 from Liberty Fund, Inc., 8335 Allison Pointe Trail, Suite 300, Indianapolis, IN 46250, USA, for taking part in a conference on "Henry Adams and Tocqueville" in France. Hours: approx. 14 hrs, including preparation prior to and participation between 21 and 24 May 2015. I also expect to receive reimbursement of £400 from Liberty Fund, Inc. for travel costs to the conference. (Registered 13 July 2015)

Expected payment of £300 from News UK & Ireland Ltd, 1 London Bridge Street, London SE1 9GF, for an article published in The Times on 9 March 2015. Article written on 8 March 2015. Hours: 2 hrs. Payment will be donated to charity. (Registered 13 July 2015)

Expected payment of £300 from Progressive Media International, John Carpenter House, 7 Carmelite Street, Blackfriars, London EC4Y 0BS, for an article published in the New Statesman on 5 June 2015. Article Written on 2 June 2015. Hours: 2 hrs. Payment to be made direct to charity. (Registered 13 July 2015)

I declined an expected payment of £250, to be donated to charity, from News UK & Ireland Ltd, 1 London Bridge Street, London SE1 9GF, for an article published in The Times on 25 June 2015. Article written on 24 June 2015. Hours: 2 hrs. (Registered 27 July 2015)

7 September 2015, received advance of £19,961 from Peter Fraser & Dunlop Ltd, Drury House, 34-43 Russell Street, London, WC2B 5HA, via Basic Books, 250 W. 57th St., Suite 1500, New York, NY 10107 and the Orion Publishing Group, Carmelite House, 50 Victoria Embankment, London EC4Y 0DZ, for my forthcoming book. Hours: impossible to calculate, but extending over several years. (Registered 28 September 2015)

Payment of £240 expected from Telegraph Media Group, 111 Buckingham Palace Rd, London SW1 0DT for an article written on 7 September 2015 and published on 8 September 2015. Hours: 3 hrs. Payment to be made directly to charity.  
(Registered 08 October 2015)

21 September 2015, received payment of £2,050 from Everyman's Library 50 Albemarle Street, London, W1S 4BD via Peters Fraser & Dunlop Ltd, Drury House, 34-43 Russell Street, London, WC2B 5HA, for editing a new collection of writing. Hours: impossible to calculate, extending over two years.  
(Registered 08 October 2015)

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

Name of donor: TRP Sealing Systems Ltd  
Address of donor: Netherwood Road, Rotherwas, Hereford HR2 6JZ  
Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £2,500  
Donor status: company, registration 01588087  
(Registered 03 February 2015)

Name of donor: Edward Clive  
Address of donor: private  
Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £2,500  
Donor status: individual  
(Registered 24 March 2015)

Name of donor: Mr Mark Blandford  
Address of donor: private  
Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £2,500  
Donor status: individual  
(Registered 05 June 2015)

Name of donor: Mr Justin Turner QC  
Address of donor: private  
Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £5,000  
Donor status: individual  
(Registered 05 June 2015)

## **3. Gifts, benefits and hospitality from UK sources**

Name of donor: ITV

Address of donor: 58-72 Upper Ground, London SE1 9LT

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: a hospitality ticket provided to the England v Wales Rugby World Cup Match held on 26 September 2015; value £1,375 (exc VAT)

Date received: 23 September 2015

Date accepted: 26 September 2015

Donor status: company, registration 4967001  
(Registered 28 September 2015)

#### **4. Visits outside the UK**

Name of donor: British Council

Address of donor: San Sebastianello 16, 00187 Roma, Italy

Amount of donation (or estimate of the probable value): accommodation, domestic travel and meals; total £438

Destination of visit: Siena, Italy

Date of visit: 1-3 October 2015

Purpose of visit: I took part in the XXIII Pontignano Conference.  
(Registered 20 October 2015)

#### **6. Land and property: (i) value over £100,000 (ii) rental income of over £10,000 a year**

Flat in London, co-owned with my wife: (i) and (ii)  
(Updated 28 July 2015)

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

Genie Toys PLC; toy design and manufacture



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# **Annex B: Register of Specialist Advisers' Interests**

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## **Professor Jim Norton**

- Adviser to the Irish Department of Communications, Energy and Natural Resources (DCENR) on the National Broadband Scheme (currently in procurement).
- Chair of the Royal Academy of Engineering Community of Practice in Digital Systems Engineering.

## **Tony Lavender**

- Ownership of 261 BT shares.

## **Professor Tim Jenkinson**

- Partner at Oxera LLP – an economics consultancy that has advised various parties in the telecoms sector. I have personally not been involved in any such work for several years.

## **Dr Helen Weeds**

- I am a Senior Consultant to the European Competition Practice of Charles River Associates, through which I have advised a number of companies including Sky and Virgin Media, mostly on issues concerning pay TV.

## **Philip Virgo**

- Unpaid roles which may involve me in seeking support for co-operative projects
- Paid advisor roles (none current, but some potential)
- Shareholdings (mainly in pension fund)