



House of Commons  
International Development  
Committee

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# **Formal Minutes**

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**Session 2013–14**



# Formal Minutes of the International Development Committee Session 2013-14

THURSDAY 9 MAY 2013

Members present:

Sir Malcolm Bruce, in the Chair

Fiona Bruce  
Pauline Latham  
Jeremy Lefroy

Mr Michael McCann  
Fiona O'Donnell  
Chris White

## 1. Committees on Arms Export Controls

*Resolved*, That Fiona Bruce replace Fiona O'Donnell on the Committees for Arms Export Controls.

## 2. The Future of UK Development Co-operation

*Ordered*, That Mr Dirk Willem te Velde, be appointed a Specialist Adviser to assist the Committee in relation to the inquiry into The Future of UK Development Co-operation. (*For declaration of interests see Appendix.*)

## 3. Global Food Security

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

ActionAid  
Business Action for Africa  
DFID  
ONE.

## 4. Violence against Women and Girls

*Ordered*, That the following written evidence relating to Violence against Women and Girls be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

DFID  
The Foreign and Commonwealth Office.

Baroness Warsi, Senior Minister of State, Emma Hopkins, Head of Preventing Sexual Violence Initiative, and Louise De Sousa, Head of Human Rights and Democracy Department, The Foreign and Commonwealth Office, gave oral evidence.

Lynne Featherstone MP, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State, Jo Moir, Acting Head, Conflict, Humanitarian and Security Department, and Jen Marshall, Head of Profession for Social Development, Department for International Development, gave oral evidence.

[Adjourned till Tuesday 21 May at 9.30 a.m]

**TUESDAY 21 MAY 2013**

Members present:

Sir Malcolm Bruce, in the Chair

Fiona Bruce  
Richard Burden  
Fabian Hamilton  
Pauline Latham

Jeremy Lefroy  
Fiona O'Donnell  
Chris White

**1. Global Food Security**

Draft Report (*Global Food Security*), 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 176.*

**2. Violence against Women and Girls**

*Ordered*, That the following written evidence relating to Violence against Women and Girls be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

DFID  
Equality Now  
International Planned Parenthood  
Justice for Iran  
Scottish Government.

**3. Future programme**

The Committee considered this matter.

[Adjourned till Tuesday 4 June at 9.30 a.m.]

**TUESDAY 4 JUNE 2013**

Members present:

Sir Malcolm Bruce, in the Chair

Hugh Bayley  
Fiona Bruce  
Richard Burden  
Fabian Hamilton

Jeremy Lefroy  
Mark Pritchard  
Chris White

**1. Violence against Women and Girls**

Draft Report (*Violence against Women and Girls*), 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 107.*

## **2. Future programme**

*Resolved*, That the Committee visit Burma in connection with its inquiry into the Future of UK Development Co-operation Phase 1: Development Finance, and that the Chair seek the approval of the Liaison Committee for expenditure in connection with the visit.

*Resolved*, That the Committee provide refreshments for the visit of the President of the World Bank on Wednesday 19 June.

[Adjourned till Tuesday 11 June at 9.30 a.m.]

## **TUESDAY 11 JUNE 2013**

Members present:

Sir Malcolm Bruce, in the Chair

Hugh Bayley  
Fiona Bruce  
Richard Burden  
Pauline Latham

Jeremy Lefroy  
Mr Michael McCann  
Fiona O'Donnell  
Chris White

### **1. Pakistan**

Draft Special Report (*Pakistan: Government Response to the Committee's Tenth Report of Session 2012-13*) proposed by the Chair, brought up, read the first and second time, and agreed to.

The Government's response to the Tenth Report from the Committee of Session 2012-13 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.

### **2. Multilateral Aid Review**

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

Adam Smith International  
Bond and UK Aid Network  
DFID  
Food and Agriculture Organisation of the United Nations  
World Vision.

### **3. The Future of UK Development Co-operation Phase 1: Development Finance**

*Ordered*, That the following written evidence relating to the Future of UK Development Co-operation Phase 1: Development Finance be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

Adam Smith International  
Bond and UK Aid Network  
CDC  
DFID  
Oxfam  
Tearfund.

#### 4. Future programme

The Committee considered this matter.

[Adjourned till Tuesday 18 June at 9.00 a.m]

### TUESDAY 18 JUNE 2013

Members present:

Sir Malcolm Bruce, in the Chair

Hugh Bayley  
Fiona Bruce  
Richard Burden  
Fabian Hamilton  
Pauline Latham

Jeremy Lefroy  
Mr Michael McCann  
Fiona O'Donnell  
Chris White

#### 1. Multilateral Aid Review

*Ordered*, That written evidence from the United National Development Programme, relating to Multilateral Aid Review, be reported to the House for publication on the internet.

#### 2. The Future of UK Development Co-operation Phase 1: Development Finance

*Ordered*, That the following written evidence relating to the Future of UK Development Co-operation Phase 1: Development Finance be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

AidsAlliance  
Bretton Woods Project  
Christian Aid  
Consortium of British Humanitarian Agencies  
Overseas Development Institute  
Simon Maxwell  
VSO.

Elizabeth Stuart, Director of Policy and Research, Save the Children, Richard Manning, Chair of Board of Trustees, Institute of Development Studies, and Jonathan Glennie, Research Fellow, Overseas Development Institute, gave oral evidence.

Peter Chowla, Co-ordinator, Bretton Woods Project, Matthew Martin, Director, Development Finance International, and Professor Stephany Griffith-Jones, Colombia University, gave oral evidence.

[Adjourned till Tuesday 25 June at 9.00 a.m]

## TUESDAY 20 JUNE 2013

Members present:

Sir Malcolm Bruce, in the Chair

Hugh Bayley  
Fiona Bruce  
Richard Burden  
Fabian Hamilton

Pauline Latham  
Jeremy Lefroy  
Fiona O'Donnell  
Chris White

### 1. **Inter-Parliamentary Conference for the Common Foreign and Security Policy and Common Security and Defence Policy**

*Resolved*, That a member of the Committee have leave to visit Vilnius, Lithuania from 4-6 September to attend the Inter-Parliamentary Conference for the Common Foreign and Security Policy and Common Security and Defence Policy in a representative capacity, and that the Chair seek the approval of the Liaison Committee in connection with the visit.

### 2. **Committees for Arms Export Controls**

*Resolved*, That Fabian Hamilton replace Fiona Bruce on the Committees for Arms Export Controls.

### 3. **The Independent Commission for Aid Impact's Annual Report 2012-13**

*Ordered*, That written evidence from Professor Robert Picciotto, King's College, relating to The Independent Commission for Aid Impact's Annual Report 2012-13, be reported to the House for publication on the internet.

### 4. **The Multilateral Aid Review**

*Ordered*, That written evidence from the Commonwealth Secretariat, relating to the Multilateral Aid Review be reported to the House for publication on the internet.

Alison Evan, External Reviewer to the original MAR and former Director, Overseas Development Institute, Daniel Gustafson, Deputy Director General, UN Food and Agriculture Organisation, and Helen Evans, Deputy Chief Executive Officer, Global Alliance for Vaccines and Immunisation, gave oral evidence.

The Rt Hon Alan Duncan MP, Minister of State, Anthony Smith, Director of International Relations, and Rachel Arrundale, Head of Policy in the International Director's Office, Department for International Development, gave oral evidence.

[Adjourned till Tuesday 2 July at 9.00 a.m]

## TUESDAY 2 JULY 2013

Members present:

Sir Malcolm Bruce, in the Chair

Hugh Bayley  
Fiona Bruce

Fabian Hamilton  
Jeremy Lefroy

### 1. **Future programme**

The Committee considered this matter.

## **2. The Independent Commission for Aid Impact's Annual Report 2012-13**

*Ordered,* That the following written evidence relating to The Independent Commission for Aid Impact's Annual Report 2012-13, be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

Colin Jacobs, President, UK Evaluation Society  
David Peretz  
ITAD.

## **3. The Multilateral Aid Review**

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

African Development Bank  
GAVI  
EBRD  
Global Fund to Fight Aids, Tuberculosis and Malaria  
Private Infrastructure Development Group  
International fund for Agricultural Development  
International Organisation for Migration  
UNAIDS.

## **4. The Future of UK Development Co-operation Phase 1: Development Finance**

Andrew Rogerson, Senior Research Associate, Overseas Development Institute, Owen Barden, Senior fellow and Director for Europe, Centre for Global Development, and Peter Young, Director, Adam Smith International, gave oral evidence.

Tamsyn Barton, Director-General, European Investment Bank, Marc Engelhardt, Director of Development and Climate, KfW Development Bank, Dorothee Fiedler, Deputy Director General, German Federal Ministry for Economic Co-operation and Development, and Dr Chris West, Director, Shell Foundation, gave oral evidence.

[Adjourned till Tuesday 9 July at 9.00 a.m]

## **TUESDAY 9 JULY 2013**

Members present:

Sir Malcolm Bruce, in the Chair

Fiona Bruce  
Richard Burden  
Fabian Hamilton  
Pauline Latham

Jeremy Lefroy  
Fiona O'Donnell  
Chris White

### **1. Future programme**

The Committee considered this matter.

### **2. The Multilateral Aid Review**

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



DFID  
UN Office for the Co-ordination of Humanitarian Affairs.

**3. The Future of UK Development Co-operation Phase 1: Development Finance**

DFID  
Jubilee Debt Campaign.

**4. The Independent Commission for Aid Impact's Annual Report 2012-13**

*Ordered*, That the following written evidence relating to the Independent Commission for Aid Impact's Annual Report 2012-13, be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

Graham Ward CBE, Chief Commissioner, ICAI  
Simon Maxwell  
BOND and the UK Aid Network.

Graham Ward, Chief Commissioner, Mark Foster, Commissioner, Diana Good, Commissioner, and John Githongo, Commissioner, The Independent Commission for Aid Impact, gave oral evidence.

Mark Lowcock, Permanent Secretary, and Rachel Turner, Director for East and Central Africa, Department for International Development, gave oral evidence.

[Adjourned till Tuesday 16 July at 9.00 a.m]

**TUESDAY 16 JULY 2013**

Members present:

Sir Malcolm Bruce, in the Chair

Hugh Bayley  
Fiona Bruce  
Pauline Latham

Jeremy Lefroy  
Fiona O'Donnell

**1. Future Programme**

The Committee considered this matter.

*Resolved*, That the Committee inquire into implications for development in the event of Scotland becoming an independent country.

*Resolved*, That the Committee visit Scotland in connection with its inquiry into the implications for development in the event of Scotland becoming an independent country, and that the Chair seek the approval of the Liaison Committee for expenditure in connection with the visit.

*Resolved*, That the Committee inquire into the Department for International Development's Departmental Annual Report 2012-13.

**2. Multilateral Aid Review**

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

United Nations Population Fund  
UNDG Steering Committee for the Expanded Funding Window.

Draft Report (*Multilateral Aid Review*), 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 Fourth Report of the Committee, HC 349.*

### **3. The Independent Commission for Aid Impact's Annual Report 2012-13**

*Ordered,* That written evidence from DFID, relating to The Independent Commission for Aid Impact's Annual Report 2012-13, be reported to the House for publication on the internet

### **4. The Future of UK Development Co-operation Phase 1: Development Finance**

*Ordered,* That the following written evidence, relating to the Future of UK Development Co-operation Phase 1: Development Finance, be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

BOND and UK Aid Network  
Centre for Global Development.

### **5. Tax in Developing Countries (Follow-up)**

*Ordered,* That written evidence from HMRC, relating to Tax in Developing Countries, be reported to the House for publication on the internet.

### **6. Future Programme**

The Committee considered this matter.

[Adjourned till Tuesday 3 September at 9.00 a.m.]

## **TUESDAY 3 SEPTEMBER 2013**

Members present:

Sir Malcolm Bruce, in the Chair

Hugh Bayley  
Fiona Bruce  
Pauline Latham  
Jeremy Lefroy

Mr Michael McCann  
Fiona O'Donnell  
Chris White

### **1. Global Food Security**

Draft Special Report (*Global Food Security: Government Response to the Committee's First Report of Session 2013-14*) 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 2012-13 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.

### **2. Violence against Women and Girls**

Draft Special Report (*Violence against Women and Girls: Government Response to the Committee's Second Report of Session 2013-14*) 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 2012-13 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.

### **3. The Independent Commission for Aid Impact's Annual Report, 2012-13**

*Ordered*, That the following written evidence relating to the Independent Commission for Aid Impact's Annual Report, 2012-13, be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

Colin Jacobs  
ICAI.

### **4. The Future of UK Development Co-operation Phase 1: Development Finance**

*Ordered*, That the following written evidence relating to the Future of UK Development Co-operation Phase 1: Development Finance be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

Caroline Ashley  
Philip Schluter.

Caroline Ashley, Director, Ashley Insight Ltd, Philip Schluter, Managing Director, Schluter Ltd, and Simon Howarth, technical Director, Mott MacDonald, gave oral evidence.

Diana Noble, Chief Executive Officer and Holger Rothenbusch, Managing Director, CDC, and Edward Farquharson, Executive Director, PIDG Programme Management Unit, gave oral evidence

[Adjourned till Tuesday 18 June at 9.00 a.m]

*Wednesday 4 – Thursday 12 September 2013*

*The Chair, Hugh Bayley, Fiona Bruce, Richard Burden, Fabian Hamilton and Mr Michael McCann attended the visit to Washington DC and Brazil, in connection with the Committee's inquiry into the Future of UK Development Co-operation Phase 1: Development Finance, in accordance with the Committee's decision of 5 February 2013.*

## **WEDNESDAY 9 OCTOBER 2013**

Members present:

Sir Malcolm Bruce, in the Chair

Hugh Bayley  
Fiona Bruce  
Richard Burden  
Fabian Hamilton

Pauline Latham  
Mr Michael McCann  
Fiona O'Donnell  
Chris White

### **1. Future Programme**

The Committee considered this matter.

*Resolved*, That the Committee inquire into Syria.

### **2. Multilateral Aid Review**

Draft Special Report (*Multilateral Aid Review: Government Response to the Committee's Fourth Report of Session 2013-14*) 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 2013–14 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.

### **3. Implications for Development of Scotland becoming an Independent Country**

*Ordered*, That the following written evidence relating to Implications for development in the event of Scotland becoming an independent country, be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

Cross Party Group in Scottish Parliament on the Middle East & South Asia  
DFID  
Network of International Development Organisations in Scotland  
Scotland Malawi Partnership.

### **4. The Future of UK Development Co-operation Phase 1: Development Finance**

*Ordered*, That the following written evidence relating to the Future of UK Development Co-operation Phase 1: Development Finance be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

Caroline Ashley  
Philip Schluter  
Richard Thomas.

The Rt Hon Justine Greening MP, Secretary of State, Susanna Moorehead, Director, West and Southern Africa, and Stefan Dercon, Chief Economist, Department for International Development, gave oral evidence.

[Adjourned till Tuesday 15 October at 9.30 a.m]

## **TUESDAY 15 OCTOBER 2013**

Members present:

Sir Malcolm Bruce, in the Chair

Fiona Bruce  
Fabian Hamilton  
Pauline Latham

Jeremy Lefroy  
Mr Michael McCann

### **1. Future Programme**

The Committee considered this matter.

### **2. The Independent Commission for Aid Impact's Annual Report 2012-13**

Draft Report (*The Independent Commission for Aid Impact's Annual Report 2012-13*), 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 566.*

### **3. Implications for Development in the event of Scotland becoming an Independent Country**

*Ordered*, That written evidence from Scotland Malawi Partnership, relating to the Implications for Development of Scotland becoming an Independent Country, be reported to the House for publication on the internet.

[Adjourned till Tuesday 22 October at 10.45 a.m.]

## **TUESDAY 22 OCTOBER 2013**

Members present:

Sir Malcolm Bruce, in the Chair

Hugh Bayley  
Fiona Bruce  
Richard Burden  
Fabian Hamilton

Pauline Latham  
Jeremy Lefroy  
Mr Michael McCann  
Chris White

### **1. Future Programme**

The Committee considered this matter.

### **2. South Africa**

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

DFID  
South African Embassy.

### **3. The Future of UK Development Co-operation Phase 1: Development Finance**

*Ordered*, That written evidence from DFID relating to The Future of UK Development Co-operation Phase 1: Development Finance be reported to the House for publication on the internet.

### **4. The Crisis in Syria**

*Ordered*, That written evidence from DFID relating to The Crisis in Syria be reported to the House for publication on the internet.

The Rt Hon Justine Greening MP, Secretary of State, and Mark Bowman, Director General Humanitarian, Security, Conflict and International Finance, Department for International Development, gave oral evidence.

[Adjourned till Thursday 31 October at 11.00 a.m.]

*Wednesday 30 – Thursday 31 October 2013*

*The Chair, Fiona Bruce, Jeremy Lefroy, Mr Michael McCann and Fiona O'Donnell attended the visit to Scotland, in connection with the Committee's inquiry into the Implications for Development in the event of Scotland becoming an Independent Country, in accordance with the Committee's decision of 16 July 2013.*

**THURSDAY 31 OCTOBER 2013**

Members present:

Sir Malcolm Bruce, in the Chair

Fiona Bruce  
Jeremy Lefroy

Mr Michael McCann  
Fiona O'Donnell

**1. Department for International Development's Annual Report and Accounts 2012-13**

*Ordered,* That the following written evidence relating to the Department for International Development's Annual Report and Accounts, 2012-13, be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

Adam Smith International  
Alzheimer's Disease International and the Alzheimer's Society  
DAI  
GRM Futures Groups  
UK Aid Network.

**2. Democracy and Development in Burma**

*Ordered,* That the following written evidence relating to Democracy and Development in Burma, be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

Alison Winter  
BBC Media Action and BBC World Service  
British Council  
Burma Campaign UK  
Burma Relief Centre  
Christian Aid  
Christian Solidarity Worldwide  
CordMyanmar  
Department for International Development  
Dr Adam Burke  
Dr Kirsten McConnachie  
Global Justice Centre  
Global Partners Governance  
Human Rights Watch  
Humanitarian Aid Relief trust  
Karen Human Rights Group[  
Karen Women's Organisation  
Karenaid  
Mae Tao Clinic  
Malaria Consortium  
National Environment Research Council  
Oxfam  
PACT Inc  
Save the Children  
Shan Women's Action Network  
Sue Unsworth  
Trades Union Congress  
Women's League of Burma.

### **3. Implications for Development in the event of Scotland becoming an Independent Country**

Humza Yousaf, Minister for External Affairs and International Development, and Member of the Scottish Parliament, and Heather Jones, Deputy Director, Head of International Division, Scottish Parliament, gave oral evidence.

[Adjourned till Tuesday 5 November at 9.30 a.m]

## **TUESDAY 5 NOVEMBER 2013**

Members present:

Sir Malcolm Bruce, in the Chair

Pauline Latham  
Mr Michael McCann

Chris White

### **1. Future Programme**

The Committee considered this matter.

[Adjourned till Monday 11 November at 2.30 p.m.]

## **MONDAY 11 NOVEMBER 2013**

Members present:

Sir Malcolm Bruce, in the Chair

Hugh Bayley  
Fiona Bruce  
Pauline Latham

Jeremy Lefroy  
Fiona O'Donnell  
Chris White

### **1. Future Programme**

The Committee considered this matter.

*Resolved*, That the Committee visit Paris in connection with its inquiry into the Future of UK Development Co-operation, and that the Chair seek the approval of the Liaison Committee for expenditure in connection with the visit.

*Resolved*, That the Committee inquire into Disability.

### **2. Democracy and Development in Burma**

Dan Collison, until recently, Deputy Country Director in Burma, Save the Children, Brian Wakley, Chief Executive, and Tucker McCravy, Asia Regional Programme Manager, Cord UK, and Shibab Uddin Ahamad, Country Director of ActionAid Myanmar, gave oral evidence.

[Adjourned till Tuesday 12 November at 10.45 a.m]

## TUESDAY 12 NOVEMBER 2013

Members present:

Sir Malcolm Bruce, in the Chair

Fiona Bruce  
Sir Tony Cunningham  
Fabian Hamilton  
Jeremy Lefroy

Peter Luff  
Mr Michael McCann  
Fiona O'Donnell

### 1. The Crisis in Syria

*Ordered*, That written evidence from the Department for International Development relating to The Crisis in Syria, be reported to the House for publication on the internet.

### 2. Democracy and Development in Burma

*Ordered*, That written evidence from ActionAid relating to Democracy and Development in Burma, be reported to the House for publication on the internet.

### 3. Implications for Development in the event of Scotland becoming an Independent Country

The Rt Hon Justine Greening MP, Secretary of State, and Richard Calvert, Director General, Finance and Corporate Performance, Department for International Development, gave oral evidence.

[Adjourned till Tuesday 3 December at 9.30 a.m]

*Monday 18 – Wednesday 27 November 2013*

*The Chair, Hugh Bayley, Pauline Latham, Mr Michael McCann, Fiona O'Donnell and Chris White attended the visit to Burma, in connection with the Committee's inquiry into Democracy and Development In Burma, in accordance with the Committee's decision of 4 June 2013.*

## TUESDAY 3 DECEMBER 2013

Members present:

Sir Malcolm Bruce, in the Chair

Fiona Bruce  
Sir Tony Cunningham  
Fabian Hamilton  
Pauline Latham

Jeremy Lefroy  
Fiona O'Donnell  
Chris White

### 1. Sub-Committee on the work of the Independent Commission for Aid Impact

*Resolved*, That Sir Tony Cunningham replace Richard Burden on the Sub-Committee on the work of the Independent Commission for Aid Impact.

### 2. Committees on Arms Export Controls

*Resolved*, That Peter Luff be a member of the Committees for Arms Export Controls.



### **3. Implications for Development in the event of Scotland becoming an independent country**

*Ordered*, That the following written evidence relating to Implications for Development in the event of Scotland becoming an independent country, be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

Department for International Development  
David Fish.

### **4. Crisis in the Central African Republic**

Lynne Featherstone MP, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State, and Andrew McCoubrey, Deputy Head of Africa Regional Department, Department for International Development, and the Rt Hon Stephen O'Brien MP, Special Envoy for the Sahel, Foreign & Commonwealth Office, gave oral evidence.

[Adjourned till Tuesday 10 December at 10.00 a.m

## **TUESDAY 10 DECEMBER 2013**

Members present:

Sir Malcolm Bruce, in the Chair

Hugh Bayley  
Sir Tony Cunningham  
Fabian Hamilton  
Pauline Latham  
Jeremy Lefroy

Peter Luff  
Mr Michael McCann  
Fiona O'Donnell  
Chris White

### **1. Future Programme**

The Committee considered this matter.

*Resolved*, That the Committee inquire into the UK's Development Work in the Middle East.

*Resolved*, That the Committee visit the Middle East in connection with its inquiry into the UK's Development Work in the Middle East, and that the Chair seek the approval of the Liaison Committee for expenditure in connection with the visit.

### **2. The Crisis in Syria**

*Ordered*, That written evidence from the Department for International Development relating to The Crisis in Syria, be reported to the House for publication on the internet.

### **3. Democracy and Development in Burma**

*Ordered*, That written evidence from VSO relating to Democracy and Development in Burma, be reported to the House for publication on the internet.

### **4. Implications for Development in the event of Scotland becoming an Independent Country**

*Ordered*, That written evidence from the Department for International Development relating to Implications for Development in the event of Scotland becoming an independent country, be reported to the House for publication on the internet.

## **5. The Department for International Development's Departmental Annual Report & Accounts 2012-13**

*Ordered*, That written evidence from Development Initiatives relating to the Department for International Development's Departmental Annual Report & Accounts 2012-13, be reported to the House for publication on the internet.

## **6. The Independent Commission for Aid Impact's report on DFID's Trade Development Work in Southern Africa**

Graham Ward CBE, Chief Commissioner and Lead Commissioner for the Southern Africa Trade Review, Mark Hellyer, Team Leader for the Southern Africa Trade Review, and Alexandra Cran-McGreehain, Head of Secretariat, Independent Commission for Aid Impact, gave oral evidence.

The Rt Hon Justine Greening MP, Secretary of State for International Development, and Mark Lowcock, Permanent Secretary, Department for International Development, gave oral evidence.

[Adjourned till Wednesday 11 December at 9.30 a.m]

### **WEDNESDAY 11 DECEMBER 2013**

Members present:

Sir Malcolm Bruce, in the Chair

Hugh Bayley  
Sir Tony Cunningham  
Fabian Hamilton  
Pauline Latham  
Jeremy Lefroy

Peter Luff  
Mr Michael McCann  
Fiona O'Donnell  
Chris White

#### **1. Implications for Development in the event of Scotland becoming an independent country**

Draft Report (*Implications for Development in the event of Scotland becoming an independent country*), 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 Sixth Report of the Committee, HC 692.*

#### **2. The Decision to end Bilateral Aid to South Africa**

Draft Report (*The Decision to end Bilateral Aid to South Africa*), 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 822.*

[Adjourned till Tuesday 17 December at 9.30 a.m]

**TUESDAY 17 DECEMBER 2013**

Members present:

Sir Malcolm Bruce, in the Chair

Hugh Bayley

Fiona Bruce

Sir Tony Cunningham

Fabian Hamilton

Pauline Latham

Jeremy Lefroy

Peter Luff

Mr Michael McCann

Chris White

**1. The Independent Commission for Aid Impact's Annual Report 2012-13**

Draft Special Report (*The Independent Commission for Aid Impact's Annual Report 2012-13: Government Response to the Committee's Fifth Report of Session 2013-14*) proposed by the Chair, brought up, read the first and second time, and agreed to.

The Government's response to the Fifth Report from the Committee of Session 2013-14 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.

**2. The Crisis in the Central African Republic**

*Ordered*, That written evidence from the Department for International Development relating to The Crisis in the Central African Republic, be reported to the House for publication on the internet.

**3. Democracy and Development in Burma**

Fiona Campbell, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, Mark Foster, Commissioner, Independent Commission for Aid Impact, and Charles Nelson, Chief Executive, Malaria Consortium, gave oral evidence.

Lord Williams of Baglan, Visiting Fellow and Acting Head of the Asia Programme, Greg Power, Director, Global Partners Governance, and Benedict Rogers, East Asia Team Leader, Christian Solidarity Worldwide, gave oral evidence.

[Adjourned till Tuesday 14 January 2014 at 9.30 a.m]

## WEDNESDAY 8 JANUARY 2014

Members present:

Malcolm Bruce, in the Chair

Hugh Bayley  
Sir Tony Cunningham  
Fabian Hamilton  
Pauline Latham  
Jeremy Lefroy

Sir Peter Luff  
Mr Michael McCann  
Fiona O'Donnell  
Chris White

### **1. Inter-Parliamentary Conference for the Common Foreign and Security Policy and Common Security and Defence Policy**

*Ordered,* That the Chair and a member of staff have leave to visit Athens from 2-4 April to attend the Inter-Parliamentary Conference for the Common Foreign and Security Policy and Common Security and Defence Policy in a representative capacity, and that the Chair seek the approval of the Liaison Committee in connection with the visit.

### **2. Democracy and Development in Burma**

*Ordered,* That written evidence from Fiona Campbell, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine relating to Democracy and Development in Burma, be reported to the House for publication on the internet.

### **3. The Department for International Development's Departmental Annual Report & Accounts 2012-13**

*Ordered,* That the National Audit Office be authorised to published their written evidence on the Department for International Development's Departmental Annual Report & Accounts 2012-13, in accordance with the provisions of Sanding Order No. 135.

*Ordered,* That written evidence from ICAI relating to The Department for International Development's Departmental Annual Report & Accounts 2012-13, be reported to the House for publication on the internet.

### **4. The Crisis in Syria**

*Ordered,* That written evidence from the Department for International Development relating to The Crisis in Syria, be reported to the House for publication on the internet.

### **5. Disability and Development**

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

Ablechildafrica  
Add International  
Africa Network Campaign on education for All  
Age International  
Alzheimers Disease International and Alzheimers Society  
Australian Government  
Benjamin S Bernandino  
BOND  
CBM  
Childrens Book Project for Tanzania  
David Blunkett MP  
Department for International Development  
Development and Ability Organisation Dao

Dr Rebecca Dingo  
Equal Lives  
GADN  
Global Campaign for Education Gce UK  
Global Partnership for Education  
Handicap International UK  
Helpage International  
Human Rights Watch  
International Centre for Evidence in Disability  
International federation of Anti-Leprosy Associations  
International Labour Organisation Ilo  
International Service  
Kenya Hospices and Palliative Care Association Kehpca  
Leonard Cheshire Disability  
Leprosy Mission  
Life Haven Inc.  
Livability  
Lord Colin Low  
Lorraine Wapling  
Lumos  
Marie Stopes International  
Mencap  
Mental Health Innovation  
Michael Stein  
Motivation Charitable Trust  
National Association of Service Provider in Physical Rehabilitation  
Norwegian Association of Disabled  
Plan UK  
Quality of Life Association  
Results UK  
Sadpd regional Office  
Sense International  
Sightsavers  
Special Olympics  
Stopaids  
The World Bank Group  
Tom Shakespear  
UNDP  
Vision Alliance  
Wateraid  
World Vision UK.

[Adjourned till Tuesday 14 January 2014 at 9.30 a.m

**TUESDAY 14 JANUARY 2014**

Members present:

Sir Malcolm Bruce, in the Chair

Hugh Bayley  
Fiona Bruce  
Sir Tony Cunningham  
Fabian Hamilton  
Pauline Latham

Jeremy Lefroy  
Mr Michael McCann  
Fiona O'Donnell  
Chris White

**2. Democracy and Development in Burma**

*Ordered*, That written evidence from the APPG on Population, Development and Reproductive Health, and Marie Stopes International, relating to Democracy and Development in Burma, be reported to the House for publication on the internet.

**2. Department for International Development's Departmental Annual Report & Accounts 2012-13**

*Ordered*, That written evidence from a development professional, relating to the Department for International Development's Departmental Annual Report & Accounts 2012-13, be reported to the House for publication on the internet.

**3. The Independent Commission for Aid Impact's Report on the Department for International Development's Trade Development Work in Southern Africa**

*Ordered*, That written evidence from the Department for International Development, relating to the Commission for Aid Impact's Report on the Department for International Development's Trade Development Work in Southern Africa, be reported to the House for publication on the internet.

**4. Disability and Development**

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

Accessibility Organisation for Afghan Disabled  
African Network Campaign Education for All  
Basic Needs  
Children's Book Project, Tanzania  
Lakeside Cross Disability Self Help Group  
VSO UK  
Women's Refugee Commission.

Mahesh Chandrasekar, International Policy and Campaigns Manager, Leonard Cheshire Disability, Edwin Osundwa, Country Representative for Kenya, Sense International, and Ola Abu Alghaib, Regional Disability Rights and Advocacy Consultant, gave oral evidence.

Bob McMullan, former Australian Parliamentary Secretary for International Development Assistance, Lorraine Wapling, disability and development consultant with experience at AUSAID and DFID, and Dr Susie Miles, Senior Lecturer in Inclusive Education, University of Manchester, gave oral evidence.

[Adjourned till Wednesday 15 January at 9.30 a.m]

**WEDNESDAY 15 JANUARY 2014**

Members present:

Sir Malcolm Bruce, in the Chair

Hugh Bayley	Jeremy Lefroy
Fiona Bruce	Sir Peter Luff
Sir Tony Cunningham	Mr Michael McCann
Fabian Hamilton	Fiona O'Donnell
Pauline Latham	

**1. Department for International Development's Departmental Annual Report & Accounts 2012-13**

Mark Lowcock, Permanent Secretary, Joy Hutcheon, Director General for Country Programmes, and Richard Calvert, Director General for Finance and Corporate Performance, gave oral evidence.

[Adjourned till Tuesday 21 January at 9.30 a.m]

**TUESDAY 14 JANUARY 2014**

Members present:

Sir Malcolm Bruce, in the Chair

Hugh Bayley	Jeremy Lefroy
Fiona Bruce	Mr Michael McCann
Sir Tony Cunningham	Fiona O'Donnell
Fabian Hamilton	Chris White
Pauline Latham	

**1. The UK's Development Work in the Middle East**

*Ordered*, That Eva Svoboda, be appointed a Specialist Adviser to assist the Committee in relation to the inquiry into The UK's Development Work in the Middle East. (*For declaration of interests see Appendix.*)

*Ordered*, That the following written evidence relating to the UK's Development Work in the Middle East, be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

Alexander H Joffe  
Alliance for Middle East Peace  
Arava Institute for Environmental Studies  
BBC Media Action  
Bicom  
Centre for Near East Policy Research  
Dr Asaf Romirowsky  
Einat Wilf  
Embassy of Israel in London  
Friends of AlAqsa  
GISHA  
Givat Haviva  
Hadassah Medical Organisation  
Hand in Hand, Centre for Jewish-Arab Education in Israel  
Heartbeat UK  
International Association for Jewish Lawyers and Jurists  
Kids Creating Peace

Meet Middle East through Technology  
Middle East Forum  
MIFALOT Education and Society Enterprises  
Moon Valley Enterprises Limited  
NGO Monitor  
OneVoice Europe  
Palestine Solidarity Campaign  
Palestinian Media Watch  
Peaceplayers International Middle East  
Peres Centre for Peace  
Premiere Urgence-Aide Medicale Internationale  
Rabbis for Human Rights  
Save a Child's Heart  
Shaare Zedek UK  
Tearfund  
The Abraham Fund Initiatives  
The Jerusalem Foundation  
The Jerusalem Intercultural Centre  
The Parents Circle: Families Forum  
Trade Union Friends of Israel  
World Vision UK.

### **3. Democracy and Development in Burma**

*Ordered,* That the following written evidence relating to Democracy and Development in Burma, be reported to the House for publication on the internet:

Commonwealth Parliamentary Association UK  
Department for International Development  
Hamish Ogston CBE  
Professor Jane Dacre  
Royal College of Physicians.

### **2. Department for International Development's Departmental Annual Report & Accounts 2012-13**

*Ordered,* That written evidence from a development professional, relating to the Department for International Development's Departmental Annual Report & Accounts 2012-13, be reported to the House for publication on the internet.

### **4. Afghanistan: Development progress and prospects after 2014:**

*Ordered,* That DFID's one-year update to recommendations in the Committee's Sixth Report, Session 2012-13, be published on the internet.

### **4. Disability and Development**

Tim Wainwright, Co-Chair, BOND Disability and Development Group, Aleema Shivji, Director, Handicap International, and Barbara Frost, Chief Executive, WaterAid, gave oral evidence.

Professor Nora Groce, Director, Leonard Cheshire Disability and Inclusive Development Centre, University College London, Dr Tom Shakespeare, Senior Lecturer, Norwich Medical School and former disability specialist at the World Health Organisation, and Professor Graham Thornicroft, Professor of Community Psychiatry, Kings College London, gave oral evidence.

[Adjourned till Thursday 23 January at 9.30 a.m]





## APPENDIX

### DECLARATIONS OF MEMBERS' INTERESTS

#### 13 July 2010:

**Hugh Bayley:**

declared the following interests: he sponsors a parliamentary pass for a research assistant paid by the Royal African Society to enable her to work in support of the Africa All-Party Parliamentary Group which he chairs. He declared a non-pecuniary interest in that he was a Council Member of the Overseas Development Institute, a Member of the Board of International Service, and Chair of the Parliamentary Network on the World Bank.

**Malcolm Bruce:**

Remunerated employment, office, profession etc: Donation made direct to a charity on my behalf by Ipsos MORI for completing a survey (Registered 24 November 2009).

Sponsorships: Mackie's of Scotland; Deveron Homes, Huntly, Aberdeen; and William Alexander Dean.

**Richard Burden:**

declared the following interests: hospitality: 11th July 2010, two passes to British Grand Prix at Silverstone provided by the Motor Sports Association. 11th July 2010, two passes to British Grand Prix at Silverstone provided by the British Racing Drivers Club. (Registered 13 July 2010). He also declared the following non-pecuniary interests: Chair of the British-Palestine All-Party Group, regular donations to medical aid for Palestinians, an Executive Member of the Labour Middle East Council and an executive member of the All Party Yemen Group.

**Pauline Latham:**

Land and Property: Apartment in Brussels, Belgium, from which rental income is received.

**Jeremy Lefroy:**

Remunerated Directorships: Executive director for African Speciality Products Ltd, 9 Highway Lane, Keele, Staffordshire, ST5 5AN (supplier of coffee and cocoa; management services) (Remuneration ceased on 31 May 2010.) Schluter Ltd, Mersey House, Unit 15, 140 Speke Road, Garston, Liverpool L19 2P (coffee trading). I have resigned as a director of the company with effect from 22 May 2010.

Sponsorships: JCB Research Ltd, Rocester, Staffordshire; Dr Janet Lefroy.

Shareholdings: African Speciality Products Ltd; Blue Mountain Coffee Farms Ltd; African Organic Produce AG.

Miscellaneous: Chartered accountant (non-practising).

**Chris White:**

Sponsorships: Alan Rhead, Barford, Warwick; Peter Allen, Southam, Warwick; and Coventry Turned Parts Ltd, Warwick.

#### 9 November 2010:

**Mr Michael McCann:**

Remunerated employment, office, profession etc:

Councillor, and until 31 May 2010 deputy leader, South Lanarkshire Council, Almada St Hamilton ML3 0AA  
Received £1,890.12 net for council work in May 2010. Hours: about 85 (Registered 9 August 2010)  
Received £1,119.28 net for council work in June 2010. Hours: about 85 (Registered 9 August 2010)  
Received £1,235.34 net for council work in July 2010. Hours: about 85 (Registered 9 August 2010)

Received £622.67 net for council work in August 2010. Hours: about 85 (Registered 9 August 2010)  
Received £647.16 net for council work in September 2010. Hours: about 85 (Registered 30 August 2010)  
Received £20.88 final payment (Registered 1 October 2010)

Survey for COMRES 4 Millbank London SW1P 3JA, £75, donated to a local charity. Hours 1 hour.  
(Registered 10 August 2010)

Survey for COMRES on 13 October 2010, £75, donated to a local charity. Hours 1 hour. (Registered 22  
October 2010)

Survey for Ipsos MORI, 79-81 Borough Road, London SE1 1FY, £150, donated to a local charity. (Registered  
11 October 2010)

Survey for Opinion Leader Research Ltd, Holborn Gate, 26 Southampton Buildings, London WC2A 1AH,  
£50, donated to a local charity. (Registered 22 October 2010)

Sponsorships:

(a) Donations to the constituency party or association, which have been or will be reported by the party to the  
Electoral Commission:

Name of donor: Strathclyde Truck and Plant Ltd  
Address of donor: 22 Melford Road Righead Industrial Estate Bellshill M4 3LR  
Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £3,300  
Donor status: company (Registered 4 June 2010)

Name of donor: GMB Scotland  
Address of donor: Fountain House 1/3 Woodside Crescent Charing Cross, Glasgow G3 74J  
Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: £2,500  
Donor status: trade union (Registered 4 June 2010)

## **26 June 2012:**

**Fiona O'Donnell:**

Land and Property: I receive rental income from a house in Edinburgh.

Declared an interest as a member of Amnesty International

## **5 November 2012:**

**Fiona Bruce:**

Remunerated employment, office, profession etc

Fiona Bruce & Co LLP; solicitors practice.  
Address: Justice House, 3 Grappenhall Rd, Stockton Heath, Warrington WA4 2AH. Consultancy fees  
received:  
October 2011, £1,117. Hours: 5 hrs. (Registered 7 November 2011)  
November 2011, £1,117. Hours: 7 hrs. (Registered 6 December 2011)  
December 2011, £1,117. Hours: 4 hrs. (Registered 16 January 2012)  
January 2012, £1,117. Hours: 4.5 hrs. (Registered 6 February 2012)  
February 2012, £1,117. Hours: 3 hrs. (Registered 5 March 2012)  
March 2012, £1,117. Hours: 8.5 hrs. (Registered 2 April 2012)  
April 2012, £1,117. Hours: 4.5 hrs. (Registered 2 May 2012)

April 2012, £16,562. No additional hours. (Registered 14 May 2012)  
May 2012, £1,166.00. Hours: 2.5 hrs. (Registered 21 June 2012)  
May 2012, £6,667. No additional hours. (Registered 21 June 2012)  
June 2012, £1,166. Hours: 4 hrs. (Registered 2 July 2012)  
June 2012, £6,667. No additional hours. (Registered 2 July 2012)  
July 2012, £1,166. Hours: 6 hrs+. (Registered 1 August 2012)  
July 2012, £6,667. No additional hours. (Registered 1 August 2012)  
August 2012, £1,166. Hours: 4 hrs. (Registered 10 September 2012)  
September 2012, £1,166. Hours: 3 hrs. (Registered 11 October 2012)

#### Land and Property

Two residential properties in Warrington, Cheshire, from which rental income is received.  
Four commercial properties in Warrington, Cheshire, from which rental income is received.  
One commercial property in Knutsford, Cheshire, from which rental income is received.

#### **Mark Pritchard:**

Remunerated employment, office, profession etc

Consultant offering general advice to The Soufan Group; strategic security consultancy. Address: The Soufan Group, 26 York Street, London W1U 6PZ.

Received payment of £1,666.66. Hours: 16.5 hrs. (Registered 5 November 2011)  
Received payment of £1,666.66. Hours: 16.5 hrs. (Registered 8 December 2011)  
Received payment of £1,623.62. Hours: 16.5 hrs. (Registered 23 January 2012)  
Received payment of £1,666.66. Hours: 16.5 hrs. (Registered 23 January 2012)  
Received payment of £1,635.22. Hours: 16.5 hrs. (Registered 1 February 2012)  
Received payment of £1,635.22 for February 2012. Hours: 16.5 hrs. (Registered 2 March 2012)  
Received payment of £2,074.52 for March 2012. Hours: 16.5 hrs. (Registered 16 April 2012)  
Received payment of £1,244.72 net for April 2012. Hours: 13.5 hrs. (Registered 4 May 2012)  
Received payment of £1,244.72 net for May 2012. Hours: 13.5 hrs. (Registered 6 June 2012)  
Received payment of £1,244.72 net for June 2012. Hours: 13.5 hrs. (Registered 27 July 2012)  
Received payment of £1,244.72 net for July 2012. Hours: 13.5 hrs. (Registered 01 August 2012)  
Received payment of £2,074.52 gross for August 2012. Hours: 13.5 hrs. (Registered 19 September 2012)  
Received payment of £2,074.52 gross for September 2012. Hours: 13.5 hrs. (Registered 2 October 2012)  
Received payment of £2,074.52 gross for October 2012. Hours: 13.5 hrs. (Registered 1 November 2012)

Payments from Express Newspapers, the Northern & Shell Building, 10 Lower Thames Street, London EC3R 6EN:

Payment of £250 for column. Hours: 3 hrs. (Registered 7 November 2011)  
Consultant offering general advice to The CCA; Consumer Finance, Queens House, Queens Road, Chester CHI 3BQ:  
Payment of £1,250. Hours: 12.5 hrs. (Registered 5 November 2011)  
Payment of £1,250. Hours: 12.5 hrs. (Registered 8 December 2011)  
Payment of £1,250. Hours: 12.5 hrs. (Registered 6 January 2012)  
Payment of £1,250 for August 2011. Hours: 12.5 hrs. (Registered 10 January 2012)  
Payment of £1,250 for October 2011. Hours: 12.5 hrs. (Registered 10 January 2012)  
Payment of £1,250. Hours: 12.5 hrs. (Registered 23 January 2012)  
Payment of £1,250. Hours: 12.5 hrs. (Registered 23 January 2012)  
Payment of £1,250. Hours: 12.5 hrs. (Registered 1 February 2012)  
Payment of £1,250 for February 2012. Hours: 12.5 hrs. (Registered 2 March 2012)  
Payment of £1,500 for March 2012. Hours: 12.5 hrs. (Registered 16 April 2012)  
Payment of £900 net for April 2012. Hours: 11.5 hrs. (Registered 4 May 2012)  
Payment of £900 net for May 2012. Hours: 11.5 hrs. (Registered 6 June 2012)  
Payment of £900 net for June 2012. Hours: 11.5 hrs. (Registered 27 July 2012)  
Payment of £900 net for July 2012. Hours: 11.5 hrs. (Registered 1 August 2012)

Payment of £1,500 gross for August 2012. Hours: 11.5 hrs. (Registered 19 September 2012)  
Payment of £1,500 gross for September 2012. Hours: 11.5 hrs. (Registered 2 October 2012)  
Payment of £1,500 gross for October 2012. Hours: 11.5 hrs. (Registered 1 November 2012)  
Payment of £335.60 from Telegraph Media Group Ltd, 111 Buckingham Palace Road, London SW1W 0DT,  
for article in Daily Telegraph. Hours: 5 hrs. (Registered 7 April 2012)  
Adviser to International Management Partners Ltd; a management consultancy company:  
Payment of £1,999.99 net for April 2012. Hours: 15 hrs. (Registered 4 May 2012)  
Payment of £1,999.99 net for May 2012. Hours: 15 hrs. (Registered 6 June 2012)  
Payment of £1,999.99 net for June 2012. Hours: 15 hrs. (Registered 27 July 2012)  
Payment of £1,999.99 net for July 2012. Hours: 15 hrs. (Registered 1 August 2012)  
Payment of £3,333.33 gross for August 2012. Hours: 15 hrs. (Registered 19 September 2012)  
Payment of £3,333.33 gross for September 2012. Hours: 15 hrs. (Registered 2 October 2012)  
Payment of £3,333.33 gross for October 2012. Hours: 15 hrs. (Registered 1 November 2012)

#### Gifts, benefits and hospitality (UK)

Name of donor: JTI Address of donor : Members Hill, Brooklands Rd, Weybridge, KT13 0QU  
Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: two tickets to Chelsea Flower Show; value  
£1,132.80  
Date of receipt of donation: 23 May 2012  
Date of acceptance of donation: 23 May 2012  
Donor status: company, registration 01501573 (Registered 18 July 2012)

#### Overseas visits

Name of donor: Parliamentarians for Global Action  
Address of donor: 211 East 43rd Street, Suite 1604, New York, NY 10017, USA.  
Amount of donation (or estimate of the probable value): £2,000  
Destination of visit: Sri Lanka  
Date of visit: 26-29 October 2011  
Purpose of visit: to attend the 33rd Annual Forum of Parliamentarians for Global Action, meet with key  
opposition leaders, cross-party MPs and to participate in discussions on armed conflict and its impact on  
development and human rights. (Registered 7 November 2011)

Name of donor: Qatar International Academy Security Studies  
Address of donor: Doha, Qatar  
Amount of donation (or estimate of the probable value): Flights and accommodation worth £3,000-£4,000  
Destination of visit: Doha, Qatar  
Date of visit: 20-22 February 2012  
Purpose of visit: To attend and participate in security and counter-terrorism conference and attend the launch  
of a study on counter-violent extremism (Registered 27 February 2012)

Name of donor: Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Government of Barbados  
Address of donor: Government Headquarters, Bay Street, St Michael, Barbados  
Amount of donation (or estimate of the probable value): hotel accommodation for my wife and me; value  
£1,000  
Destination of visit: Barbados, Date of visit: 4-11 August 2012  
Purpose of visit: to discuss bi-lateral relations, trade, regional policy and Commonwealth matters (Registered  
18 September 2012)

#### Land and Property

Residential property in London, from which I receive rental income. (Registered 4 October 2012)

**14 February 2013:**

**Fabian Hamilton:**

Nil.

**5 November 2013:**

**Sir Tony Cunningham:**

Nil.

**12 November 2013:**

**Peter Luff:**

Remunerated directorships:

Chairman of Democracy Forum Ltd, 34 South Molton Street, London W1K 5RG; a not-for profit organisation promoting peace and democracy. Remuneration: retainer of £12,000 per annum, unrelated to hours worked, which average about one day per month.

Received on 23 January 2013, £1,000. (Registered 28 January 2013; updated 28 February 2013)

Received on 24 February 2013, £1,000. (Registered 28 February 2013)

Received on 15 March 2013, £1,000. (Registered 23 March 2013)

Received on 15 April 2013, £1,000. (Registered 23 April 2013)

Received on 15 May 2013, £1,000. (Registered 20 May 2013)

Received on 17 June 2013, £1,000. (Registered 21 June 2013)

Received on 15 July 2013, £1,000. (Registered 29 July 2013)

Received on 15 August 2013, £1,000. (Registered 19 August 2013)

Received on 16 September 2013, £1,000. (Registered 8 October 2013)

Received on 15 October 2013, £1,000. (Registered 28 October 2013)

Non-executive director of Marlin Group Holdings plc, suppliers of advanced industrial automation systems, from 2 February 2013. Address: Marlin House, Johnson Road, Fernside Park, Wimborne, Dorset BH21 7SE. Annual remuneration of £25,000 per annum unrelated to hours worked, but which are expected to be about 1.5 days per month. (Registered 4 February 2013)

Received on 29 April 2013, £6,250. (Registered 2 May 2013)

Non-executive director of Parity Group plc, providers of information technology, recruitment and digital media marketing services, from 26 September 2013. My duties include attendance at meetings of the Board and advising senior management on a range of issues. Annual remuneration of £40,000 per annum unrelated to hours worked, but which are expected to be about 1.5 days per month. (Registered 8 October 2013)

28 October 2013, received £3,794.87. (Registered 28 October 2013)

Remunerated employment, office, profession etc:

Payments from ComRes, 4 Millbank, London, SW1P 3JA, for completing parliamentary panel surveys.

Payments donated to local charities.

£75 received on 24 February 2013. Hours: 45 mins. (Registered 28 February 2013)

£75 received on 26 March 2013. Hours: 45 mins. (Registered 23 April 2013)

£75 received on 17 May 2013. Hours: 45 mins. (Registered 11 June 2013)

£75 received on 29 August 2013. Hours: 45 mins. (Registered 11 September 2013)

£200 received on 10 September 2013 from Ipsos MORI, 9-81 Borough Road, London SE1

1FY, for opinion survey. Hours: 1.5 hrs. Fee donated to local charity (Registered 11 September 2013) 186

Gifts, benefits and hospitality (UK):

Name of donor: QinetiQ (personal invitation of Leo Quinn, CEO)

Address of donor : Cody Technology Park, Ively Road, Farnborough GU14 0LX

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: a day's shooting in Gloucestershire, with meals and accommodation; approximate value £2,000

Date of receipt of donation: 15 December 2012

Date of acceptance of donation: 15 December 2012

Donor status: company, registration no 45862941 (Registered 15 December 2012)

Name of donor: QinetiQ (personal invitation of Leo Quinn, CEO)

Address of donor: Cody Technology Park, Ively Road, Farnborough GU14 0LX

Amount of donation or nature and value if donation in kind: a day's shooting in Wiltshire, with meals and accommodation; approximate value £1,500

Date of receipt of donation: 25 October 2013

Date of acceptance of donation: 25 October 2013

Donor status: company, registration no 45862941 (Registered 28 October 2013)

Land and Property:

Two small residential properties, one in Worcester and one in London, both jointly owned with my wife, from which a registrable income is derived.

Miscellaneous:

Unremunerated post on the Advisory Board of NDI, a supply chain development association. (Registered 28 November)

## DECLARATION OF SPECIALIST ADVISERS' INTERESTS

**June 2012:**

**Professor Simon Maxwell:**

A. Affiliations:

- a. Senior Research Associate, Overseas Development Institute
- b. Director, Simon Maxwell Ltd

B. Paid employment:

- a. Current contracts include:
  - (i) Executive Chair, Climate and Development Knowledge Network funded by UK and Dutch Governments, contracted through PwC;
  - (ii) Project Leader, European Development Co-operation Strengthening Programme, funded by DFID through the Overseas Development Institute;
  - (iv) Specialist Adviser, International Development Committee;
  - (v) Various small advisory contracts as a Senior Research Associated of ODI (Other recent contracts; DANIDA; KPMG)

C. Other interests:

- a. Board Member, Fair Trade Foundation
- b. Member Advisory Council, Institute of Public Policy Research
- c. Member, Scientific Advisory Board, EU Development Cooperation
- d. Member, World Economic Forum Global Agenda Council on Poverty
- e. Trustee, Fundacion Para Relaciones Internacionales y Desarrollo Exterior (FRIDE) (Madrid)

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1970-72	UNDP
1973-77	UNDP
1977-78	UNDP
1978-81	UK Government (ODA)
1981-97	University of Sussex
1997-2009	Overseas Development Institute

**8 February 2013:**

**Dr Lyndsay McLean Hilker:** Often works as an international consultant for UN Women and DFID in the field of Violence against Women, but has no contract with DFID at present.

**May 2013:**

**Dirk Willem te Velde:** Nil.