

Resignation Peerages 2016

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Nominations from the former Leader of the Conservative Party

1. Gabrielle Bertin – lately Director of External Relations at Number 10
2. Olivia Bloomfield – lately Partner at Atlantic Superconnection Corporation and Chairman of the Pump House Project
3. Jonathan Caine – lately Special Adviser to Theresa Villiers
4. Camilla Cavendish – lately Head of the Number 10 Policy Unit
5. Andrew Fraser – Treasurer of the Conservative Party
6. Jitesh Gadhia – lately Senior Managing Director at Blackstone and currently Board Member of UK Financial Investments and UK Government Investments
7. Timothy Kirkhope – MEP for Yorkshire and Humber and former Member of Parliament for Leeds North East
8. Rt Hon Ed Llewellyn OBE – lately Chief of Staff to the Prime Minister
9. Mark McInnes CBE – Conservative Councillor for the Meadows/Morningside Ward in Edinburgh and Director of the Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party
10. Philippa Roe – Leader of Westminster City Council
11. Liz Sugg CBE – lately Head of Operations at Number 10
12. Charlotte Vere – Executive Director of the Girls' Schools Association and former Executive Director at Conservatives In
13. Laura Wyld – lately Head of the Prime Minister's Appointments Unit

Nominations from the Leader of the Labour Party

14. Shami Chakrabarti – Chancellor of the University of Essex and former Director of Liberty

Nominations for Crossbench Peerages

15. Sir Nicholas Macpherson – lately Permanent Secretary to Her Majesty's Treasury (2005-2016)

16. Sir Peter Ricketts – lately Her Majesty's Ambassador to France (2012-16), National Security Adviser (2010-12) and Permanent Under Secretary FCO and Head of the Diplomatic Service (2006-10)

Notes to editors

Laura Wyld will not take up her House of Lords appointment until the beginning of the next Parliamentary session in May 2017.