NEW YEAR HONOURS 2019 – HIGH AWARDS

KNIGHTS COMMANDER OF THE ORDER OF THE BATH (KCB)

Richard Heaton CB

Richard Heaton is Permanent Secretary at the Ministry of Justice. He began his career as a legal adviser before becoming the Legal Adviser for Constitutional Reform at the Cabinet Office and heading up the Legal Services team at the Lord Chancellor's Department. He was instrumental in successfully guiding government through significant developments such as new laws around human rights, devolution and freedom of information. He led the legal teams in DWP and DH before becoming Director General, Pensions at DWP, overseeing significant pensions reform and the introduction of automatic enrolment. He became First Parliamentary Counsel and Permanent Secretary at the Cabinet Office in 2012, before becoming Permanent Secretary at the MoJ in 2015, where he has delivered a new prison reform white paper, and a Global Britain strategy for legal services. He has a passion for improving diversity within the Civil Service, and is the Civil Service Race Champion. He has been Chair of the Board of Trustees for United St Saviour's charity, Southwark since 2014.

Jonathan Michael Thompson

Jon Thompson is Chief Executive of HM Revenue and Customs. He has a hugely successful track record across local and national Government and the private sector. He began his career at Norfolk County Council, going on to become CFO at North Somerset Council and then Finance Director at Ofsted. He joined central Government in 2007, holding senior finance posts at DCSF and MoD, where he successfully delivered Future Force 2020, and a 10 year plan to reduce expenditure by around £75bn. He was head of the Government Finance Profession, leading the accountancy community across government, and driving high standards of professionalism across this critical part of the Civil Service. He was appointed as Permanent Secretary at the MoD in 2012 where he was the driving force behind Defence Transformation, and moved to HMRC in 2016. He was the first Socio Economic Background champion for the Civil Service and is head of the Operational Delivery Profession.

DAME COMMANDER OF THE ORDER OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE (DBE)

Professor Madeline Julia Atkins CBE

Madeline Atkins, lately Chief Executive of the Higher Education Funding Council for England, has had a long and distinguished career in higher education, most recently providing outstanding leadership in ensuring a smooth transition between HEFCE and the new Office for Students and Research England. She has been a long standing advocate for the professionalisation of teaching at higher education institutions, and played a key role in the development and delivery of the Teaching Excellence Framework. She has been a tireless advocate on safeguarding and access issues. She has given particular service to the West

Midlands. As Vice-Chancellor at Coventry University, she was widely recognised as delivering a high quality student experience and securing good employment outcomes for students, many of whom came from disadvantaged backgrounds. She has been a Trustee and Board Member for Nesta and was until recently a Deputy Lieutenant in the West Midlands. She is now President of Lucy Cavendish College, Cambridge University.

Jayne-Anne Gadhia CBE

Jayne-Anne Gadhia, lately Chief Executive Officer of Virgin Money, headed up one of the UK's most successful and well-recognised challenger banks and has introduced a wide range of innovations into the retail banking sector, including the first truly fee-free account. She has led the way in getting more women into senior roles in the financial services sector, and led a Government review into why women are so under-represented in the sector, which led to the development of the Women in Finance Charter. 300 financial services firms have signed up to the Charter, with many reporting a major change in the emphasis placed on gender equality in their workplace. In 2015, she oversaw the development of the Virgin Money charitable foundation, which distributes £8m to community projects, and with a focus on the sustainable regeneration of economically and socially deprived communities.

Ann Heron Gloag OBE

Ann Gloag is a leading philanthropist and one of the most successful female entrepreneurs in the UK. As co-founder of the Stagecoach Group, she grew the business into a global transportation company, covering 20% of the UK bus and rail market, and employing 40,000 across Europe and North America. The Gloag Foundation supports projects that prevent or relieve poverty and encourage the advancement of education and health in the UK and overseas. As a qualified nurse, she has a particular interest in improving health care provision and is a trustee for Mercy Ships UK, a charity providing free medical care in some of the world's poorest areas. In 2007 she donated £1m towards a Napier University-NHS Lothian project to improve compassionate care in nursing and in 2014 joined the Bill Gates' Giving Pledge, donating some £250m to charitable causes. In 2011 she became the first Scot to be honoured with the prestigious Eleanor Roosevelt Val-Kill Medal.

Marianne Griffiths

Marianne Griffiths is Chief Executive of the Western Sussex Hospital Trust, recently rated as outstanding. Formed in 2009, its three legacy organisations had a poor reputation, with poor performance and extremely low staff morale. The transformation in service delivery and performance under her leadership is unrivalled within the NHS. The changes she has led are driven by care and compassion, and the Trust has consistently been the top performer nationally for safety, quality and financial performance. Previously she was interim Chief Executive of the Royal West Sussex NHS Trust during the months before its merger with Worthing and Southlands Hospitals. She joined the hospitals from NHS South East Coast, where she was Deputy Chief Executive and Director of Commissioning and Delivery, prior to

which she was Chief Executive at Kent and Medway Strategic Health Authority. Her many roles in the NHS have also included a joint appointment in West Sussex as Head of Commissioning Social Services and Director of Strategic Development for the Health Authority. She is now stepping in to support transformation in the region, having assumed leadership of the under-performing Brighton and Sussex University Hospitals NHS Trust from April 2017.

Lesley Lawson

Lesley Lawson best known as Twiggy, is a world renowned supermodel and British cultural icon. She is an award winning actor and musician, securing Golden Globe Awards for her role in Boy Friend, a Tony Award nomination for her leading role on Broadway, and a best selling author. Her modelling career began in the 1960s, landing the covers of Vogue and Tatler, and building a presence in countries across the globe. She continues to be a highly successful model, performer and designer. She is a long-standing campaigner for animal welfare, Vision Aid Overseas, and in support of breast cancer research, and numerous children's charities.

Louise Livingstone Martin CBE

Louise Martin is a leading and inspirational figure in sport in Scotland, and across the Commonwealth. As Chair of Commonwealth Games Scotland, she led the successful Glasgow 2014 Commonwealth Games bid. As Vice Chair of the Organising Committee, she was a hugely influential figure in the successful delivery of the Games, which were described by the Commonwealth Games Federation as the stand out competition in the Games' history. As Chair of SportScotland, she led a significant reform of the organisation, securing an increased budget and overseeing SportScotland's contribution to Scottish athletes delivering their best ever Olympic performance at London 2012 and Glasgow 2014. Under her stewardship, SportScotland invested £30m in facilities used during the 2014 Games, which went on to provide fantastic facilities for the people of Scotland. They have contributed to a continued ability to secure major international events and competitions such as the 2018 European Sports Championships. She was elected President of the Commonwealth Games Federation at the General Assembly in 2015.

Mary Thérèse Ney

Mary Ney has had a distinguished 40-year career in local government, culminating in her serving as the Chief Executive of the Royal Borough of Greenwich for 14 years during a period of major regeneration and service transformation in the borough and the hosting of venues for London 2012. The Borough won Council of the Year in 2013. In February 2015, Mary became one of five commissioners at Rotherham Metropolitan Council, and was lead Commissioner from 2017, tasked with improving the council's performance and helping rebuild the trust of local residents. She currently serves as a NED at MHCLG.

Alison Nimmo CBE

Alison Nimmo is the first female Chief Executive of The Crown Estate. She is an exemplary public sector leader who has transformed the Estate into a customer facing sustainable property business and has combined her deep commitment to delivering sustainable development across the Estate with outstanding financial performance. She has developed the capacity for offshore wind power in the UK, resulting in wind turbines supplying electricity to over five million homes, whilst returning profits to the Exchequer. She was a member of the HS2 taskforce reporting to Government on how to maximise economic growth and opportunities from HS2. She played a central role in the London 2012 bid team, and as the Director of Design and Regeneration at the ODA, led on the overall design, planning and early delivery, legacy and sustainably of most of the venues and parklands on the Olympic Park. She is a philanthropist and a longstanding champion of gender equality. She is a Trustee of the UK Green Building Council and Imperial College London, Chair of the CBI Economic Growth Board and a Non Executive Director at Berkeley Group.

Professor Ann Louise Robinson

Ann Robinson is committed to improving older people's quality of life and the care they receive. She is Regius Professor of Ageing and Director of the Newcastle University Institute for Ageing, which brings together over 700 academics in ageing research and innovation; and she remains a general practitioner in a busy Newcastle practice. In 2012 she was appointed NIHR Research Professor to lead the 'Living Well with Dementia' programme and in 2017 she became Director of the NIHR Global Health Group on Dementia Prevention and Enhanced Care. As Primary Care Lead for the National Institute for Health and Care Excellence's health and social care dementia guidelines group, her work has a direct practical impact, ensuring that primary care for people with dementia is based on sound research evidence. Other national roles include the Royal College of General Practitioners National Clinical Champion for Ageing and Older People (2009-12); and their Champion for Dementia (2012-15). She is also an Alzheimer's Society Ambassador and leads one of only three National Alzheimer Society Centres of Excellence, helping to transform dementia prevention and care.

KNIGHTS BACHELOR

Richard John William Alston CBE

Richard Alston is a pioneer and leading figure in contemporary dance, and has been credited with the development of a contemporary dance scene in the UK. He established the UK's first independent dance company, Strider, in 1972 (later becoming Second Stride) and was appointed Resident Choreographer with Ballet Rambert in 1980, creating 25 new works, alongside additional commissions for the Royal Ballet and the Royal Danish Ballet. He became Artistic Director at The Place in 1994, and established the Richard Alston Dance Company. Its education programme, Essential Alston, runs dance workshops in secondary schools across the UK, teaching sections of his repertoire to GCSE and A Level students. The Dance Company is firmly established as one of the most popular and celebrated in the UK and Richard has continued to produce new work, including for the New York Theatre Ballet, The Barbican, Ballet Theatre Munich and Ballet Black.

William Blackledge Beaumont CBE DL

William (Bill) Beaumont has made an exceptional contribution to the sport of Rugby Union and is held in the highest regard as an international sportsman, former captain of England and the British Lions, and for his services to sports administration and charity. As Chair of the RFU, he worked to ensure the success of the European Club Rugby Competition. As a Director of Rugby World Cup Ltd, he oversaw the planning for the 2011 tournament in New Zealand before being appointed to the England 2015 Rugby Board, to oversee the staging of the World Cup on home soil. In May 2016 he became Chair of World Rugby, where he has placed particular emphasis on promoting the growth of the sport and particularly across Europe and Asia. He implemented Governance changes in World Rugby by increasing their Council to include women. He continues to be involved with a range of charities including the Wooden Spoon, Aspired Futures, the Injured Players Foundation, the RNLI and the Lancashire Boys and Girls Club. He was appointed a Deputy Lieutenant of Lancashire in 2012.

Ian Craig Blatchford

Ian Blatchford is Director of the prestigious Science Museum Group, and has presided over record visitor numbers, a renowned schedule of exhibitions, and a £145m programme to renovate permanent galleries. He has had a long and varied career within the Arts and Museums sectors, working at senior levels with the Arts Council, the Royal Academy of Arts and the Victoria and Albert Museum. As Director of the Science Museum has has established a new exhibitions department, building the Museum's reputation for internationally successful exhibitions. He played a vital role in the creation of the Clockmakers Museum, securing a home for the world's largest collection of clocks and watches, and ensuring it now operates on a sound financial basis. He has overseen a 30% increase in visitor numbers to the Science Museum and oversaw the first ever exhibition outside Russia about the Russian Space Programme. He is Chair of the National Museum Directors Council.

Donald Hood Brydon CBE

Donald Brydon is an outstanding and experienced FTSE 100 Chairman and currently Chair of the London Stock Exchange, the Sage Group and the Medical Research Council. He has a transforming approach. At the MRC he has overseen the successful delivery of the Francis Crick Institute and the Dementia Research Institute. As Chair of Royal Mail he was integral in leading the company through the implementation of the Hooper Review recommendations, significant modernisation, and subsequently through privatisation, raising just under £2bn for the Exchequer. He is Chair of Chance to Shine's Board of Trustees, and was previously Chair of EveryChild and has encouraged philanthropy among young city executives. He is Chair of the Science Museum Foundation.

The Rt Hon Alan Campbell MP

Alan Campbell has served as the MP for Tynemouth since 1997, and has given unstinting service to his local constituents, the North East, and to Parliament. He has held a number of Ministerial and Government posts, serving two Prime Ministers, and has served as Opposition Chief Whip since 2010. His significant contribution in this role - including working across Parliament with colleagues from all Parties - was recognised by his appointment to the Privy Council. He has been a long standing advocate for seaside and coastal towns, and of maintaining North Shields as the premier fishing port on the east coast. He has a strong track of working to tackle violence against women and girls, instigating changes to the law to better protect victims, including trafficked women.

Alastair Nathan Cook CBE

Alastair Cook is one of the most prolific batsmen of the modern era. The fifth highest Test run scorer of all time, he is England's most capped player and has captained the team in a record 59 Tests and 69 One Day Internationals. He is the leading run scorer in test matches for England, and the youngest player (and only Englishman) to reach 12,000 Test runs. He has scored a record 33 Test centuries for England and is the first England player to take part in 50 Test victories. He announced his retirement from international cricket at the conclusion of the successful 2018 series against India. He is a longstanding supporter of Chance to Shine, and Patron of the David Randall Foundation.

Professor Jeremy James Farrar OBE

Jeremy Farrar, Director of the Wellcome Trust, has made a substantial contribution to the knowledge and treatment of infectious diseases including tuberculosis, infections of the brain, malaria, influenza, dengue, and typhoid fever. His work has changed how we treat patients and has changed global policy. As Director of the Wellcome Trust, he has also ensured the global impact of British science, including the development and use of the ebola vaccine. He has led the evolution of the Wellcome Trust - the world's second largest charity - to focus on achieving impact on global challenges from epidemics and drug resistant infections to the impact of climate change on human health. He has been a key leader in the creation of new international partnerships, such as the Coalition for Epidemic Preparedness and Innovation

which will create new vaccines for epidemic diseases. He established the Farrar Foundation in 2011 which supports young people in science, education, sports and the Arts, in Asia, Africa and the UK.

Professor Michael Anthony John Ferguson CBE FRS

Michael Ferguson, Regius Professor of Life Sciences at the University of Dundee, is one of the UK's most eminent life scientists. He built the University of Dundee's Drug Discovery Unit that has attracted over £75m investment and which works with international health agencies and pharmaceutical companies to combat diseases such as Chagas' disease and tuberculosis, including developing an anti-malarial drug now in human trials. Recently he contributed to the establishment of the Wellcome Centre for anti-infectives research. In 2012 became a Director of the Medicines for Malaria Venture supporting their mission to eliminate malaria. His collaboration with the Foundation for Innovative New Diagnostics (Switzerland) led to a new rapid diagnostic test for human trypanosomiasis (sleeping sickness) that should contribute to disease elimination. He has supported new start-up businesses that are driving the economic future of the Dundee city region, leading the University's bid to grow the Tayside Biomedical Cluster. In 2012 he was appointed a Governor of the Wellcome Trust, becoming Deputy Chair in 2017.

Professor Melvyn Francis Greaves

Melvyn Greaves, Biologist at The Institute of Cancer Research, is the author of landmark research which assessed the most comprehensive body of evidence collected on acute lymphoblastic leukaemia (ALL), the most common type of childhood cancer. His research concludes that ALL is caused through a two-step process of genetic mutation and exposure to infection, and it may be preventable with treatments to prime the immune system in infancy. He challenged previous reports of possible environmental causes and presented strong evidence for a 'delayed infection' theory causing ALL. His work suggests that childhood leukaemia might in future be preventable if a child's immune system is properly 'primed', potentially sparing children the trauma and lifelong consequences of chemotherapy. He was the first to advance this hypothesis and now his life's work supports it, with implications for approaches to child-rearing. He is now investigating if earlier exposure to harmless 'bugs' could prevent leukaemia in mice – with the possibility that it could be prevented in children through measures to expose them to common but benign microbes. This is an important body of science for the care of children which is recognised worldwide.

Professor Alexander Norman Halliday FRS

Alexander Halliday, lately Professor of Geochemistry and head of science and engineering at the University of Oxford, is an internationally-renowned leader in isotope geochemistry. His most influential work is to understand the origin and early evolution of the Earth, Moon, and rocky planets, made possible by his pioneering developments with Multi-Collector ICP Mass Spectrometry. This has advanced discovery across the Earth Sciences and planetary geology on issues as different as the weathering of continents and the separation of the

metallic core from the mantle. His scientific accomplishments have been recognised with the Murchison Medal of the Geological Society (2003) and the Urey Medal of the European Association of Geochemistry (2012) among others. He has contributed to the Natural Environment Research Council (2004-11) and served two terms as a Trustee of the Natural History Museum (2006-14). As Vice-President of the Royal Society, he was a member of the Government's review of research funding (2016), where his input formed many of the recommendations

Professor David Klenerman FRS

David Klenerman, Royal Society GSK Research Professor at the University of Cambridge, co-invented Next Generation DNA sequencing with Professor Sir Shankar Balasubramanian. This is one of the most significant advances in biology and medicine in recent decades. Previously it took billions of dollars and over 10 years to sequence a single human genome. Today, it takes around \$1000 in less than 24 hours. He co-founded the company Solexa to commercialise the technology (sold to Illumina in 2007 for US\$600m) and his technology now produces 90% of all DNA sequencing data. The technology allows new knowledge and understanding of biological processes and diseases across human, animal, plant and microbial biology. The UK's 100 Thousand Genomes project to understand human disease would not have been feasible without the invention of Solexa sequencing.

James Henry Leigh-Pemberton CVO

James Leigh-Pemberton has combined a celebrated career in financial services with a distinguished record of public service. As CEO and then Chair of UK Financial Investments, he has overseen over £100bn of Government investments in the financial sector and the return of Lloyds Banking Group fully to the private sector, securing over £21bn in proceeds for the taxpayer. Prior to this he had a distinguished 35 year career in the City and was a key adviser to the UK Government on its response to the financial crisis. He is the Receiver General of the Duchy of Cornwall, a trustee of the Charities Aid Foundation, the Duke of Cornwall's Benevolent Fund and the Royal Collection Trust and a member of the Development Committee of the National Trust.

John Henry James Lewis OBE

John Lewis is an outstanding philanthropist who has demonstrated extraordinary personal commitment to the Arts and considerable private support in the form of finances, collection loans, advice and energy. He is a passionate collector of sculpture and has loaned pieces out widely, and has since 2013 been Chair of the Public Monuments and Sculpture Association which founded the 'Sculpture Journal' project, Britain's foremost scholarly journal devoted to sculpture in all its aspects. He has held a wide number of Trustee posts, including with the Henry Moore Foundation, the Watts Gallery, the British Heritage Committee and the Hertford House Trust. He was Chair of the Wallace Collection until 2004. He is credited with having ensured the financial stability of the Attingham Trust for Historic Houses, an

organisation he has chaired for 28 years and his stewardship of Attingham courses has benefited the professional development of huge numbers of heritage and museum professional.

James Mackey

James Mackey, Chief Executive of Northumbria Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust, has been a visionary in healthcare, building an outstanding trust deeply involved in its community, and one of the few to provide adult social care. He instils strong partnerships between clinical staff and managers, securing very high quality along with financial discipline. Services for which patients would travel miles are now accessed locally. He has managed difficult and challenging changes for the good of patients, including the reconfiguration of services, with work on emergency care culminating in a new hospital that provides 24/7 consultant led care: a rare achievement. He chairs a group of North East Chief Executives who work collectively on the challenges facing the NHS and share learning about patients' experiences. Between 2015-17, he was the inaugural Chief Executive of NHS Improvement, where he quickly established his credibility as a trusted adviser to Government and leader of the NHS provider sector. With his strong leadership, NHSI was able to tackle poor care through the successful special measures regimes for quality and financial control. In 2016/17 he reduced the provider deficit of £2.4bn to a deficit of £0.8bn in a year. He personally championed initiatives such as Getting It Right First Time and the agency staffing programme, which reduced spend by £0.7bn in 12 months.

Professor Jonathan Robert Montgomery

Jonathan Montgomery, has been founder Chair of the Health Research Authority since 2012, protecting the interests of patients in health and social care research. His leadership has been instrumental in establishing HRA Approval, which simplifies the approval of health research, thus reducing the time and cost of setting up studies. Internationally he has attracted praise for his contribution to the debate on ethics in pandemics. During the Ebola crisis and other epidemics, HRA ensured that research studies could proceed expeditiously with good governance and oversight. He is regarded as an authority on healthcare law. He chaired the UK's Human Genetics Commission (2009-12) and the Nuffield Council on Bioethics (2012-17). He was a panel member on the Morecambe Bay Investigation into maternal and neonatal deaths (2013-15). He was a member of the Organ Donation Taskforce for its work on presumed consent and of the Medical Ethics Committee of the British Medical Association. He is a Non Executive Director of Health Data Research UK, which supports world-leading analytical health research. Between 1998 and 2013 he chaired NHS Boards in Hampshire and the Isle of Wight health system.

Philip Nicholas Outram Pullman CBE

Philip Pullman is a world renowned author. His Dark Materials trilogy has sold 17 million copies in 40 languages and his most recent work, The Book of Dust, was a global best seller. His works have been adapted for theatre and film audiences, and have had a significant

impact on the tourism industry in Oxford. He is an active campaigner on behalf of the Society of Authors, and as President ensured that the Public Lending Right continued to be paid to authors when books were borrowed from libraries in electronic form. He has successfully campaigned for fairer payment for writers, and led to improved fees for those appearing at literary festivals. He works with a range of charities, and recently helped to raise £30,000 to support those affected by the Grenfell Tower fire.

Rt Hon John Alan Redwood MP

John Redwood has served as the Member of Parliament for Wokingham since 1987. He has been an outstanding Parliamentarian, making considerable contributions in a range of Government and Shadow Cabinet roles and then on the backbenches. He was a Minister from 1989, joining the Cabinet in 1993. He was Head of the Prime Minister's policy unit under Mrs Thatcher where he developed privatisation. He has written about policy and influenced it for many years, including as Chair of the Conservative Party's Economic Policy Groups. As a Distinguished fellow of All Souls College and a Visiting Professor at Middlesex University Business School he has published sixteen books mainly on economic and political subjects including Third Way financing, privatisation, globalisation, electoral participation and the Euro. He played a leading role in setting out the case to keep the pound. He is Parliamentary Ambassador for Variety, the children's charity.

Roy Alexander Stone CBE

Roy Stone is an outstanding senior civil servant and has been Principal Private Secretary in the Government Chief Whip's Office since 2000. He is responsible for the effective operation of the House of Commons Business Management team, which includes the Chief Whip's Office, the Government and Opposition Whips' Offices and the Office of the Leader of the House of Commons. He has given unstinting service to twelve Chief Whips, and has played a vital role in delivering the Government's legislative priorities over this period. He is the Apprentice Champion within the Cabinet Office, establishing exchange programmes to encourage and support interchange between the public and private sectors. He is an active volunteer in his home town of Rayleigh, working to support and raise funds for the Air Cadets and other charities to which he has family links.

Gary Nicholas Streeter MP

Gary Streeter has served as the Member of Parliament for South West Devon since 1997 and has been a long standing advocate for the region, campaigning for improved transport links to, and the armed forces community in, the South West. He has held a wide range of Ministerial and Opposition front bench posts, with a particular focus on foreign affairs. He has made an outstanding contribution to Parliament and its day to day running, serving on a range of Select Committees, and as a member of the Panel of Chairs since 2009. Most recently he sat as Chair of the Committee of the Whole House Stage for the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018, a reflection of his cross party standing in the House. He is the long-

term Chair of the APPG Christians in Parliament which seeks to encourage and equip Christians in all parties.

Dr Patrick John Thompson Vallance

Patrick Vallance, lately President of Research and Development at GSK, made it possible for academic researchers to gain access to the powerful investigative facilities of GSK. This created a synergistic relationship from which outstanding clinical research will lead to dramatic improvements in human health. His efforts are informed by his own academic research on nitric oxide (NO) and the control of vascular tone. He published the first papers on NO in humans and identified two enzymes that metabolise natural inhibitors of nitric oxide and he discovered a drug for one of these enzymes for septic shock. He was quick to recognise that Open Science partnerships would allow academics to work freely with industry to undertake the discovery and translational science that is so important for drug development. The academic research effectively de-risks use of innovative approaches, giving the industrial partner the confidence required to invest time and resources in the development of new, more effective interventions. He has initiated the SHARE system, hosted by the Wellcome Trust, which provides access to clinical trial data from pharmaceutical industry trials. This now involves thirteen pharmaceutical companies and has posted over 2,800 clinical trials data sets.