

Department for Work and Pensions

Meetings with external organisations including meetings with newspaper and other media proprietors, editors and senior executives¹

Period: 1 October to 31 December 2012

Secretary of State for Work and Pensions The Rt Hon Iain Duncan Smith MP

Date of Meeting	Name of External Organisation	Purpose of Meeting
Oct	Oxford Institute	Universal Credit Payments
Oct	Go on UK	Digital Inclusion
Oct	Motability	Motability
Oct	Business Disability Forum Fujitsu American Express Ernst & Young	Removing barriers for disabled people to work in the labour market
Nov	Firstcare Consultancy	Universal Credit
Nov	Money Saving Expert	Financial Education and Welfare Reform
Nov	Home Renaissance Foundation	Childcare and Early Intervention
Nov	Citizens Advice Bureau	Universal Credit
Nov	XLP	Gangs
Nov	Trillium	London Living Wage
Dec	Levi Roots	Youth contract and Black and Minority Entrepreneurs

Minister of State (Minister for Employment) Mark Hoban MP

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Oct	A4E Avanta Careers Development Group EOS Employment & Skills Group G4S Ingeus Interserve Interserve – Rehab JHP Maximus NCG Intraining Pertemps People Development Group Prospects	Work Programme

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	Reed Seetc Serco Working Links	
Oct	Darnells	Employment
Oct	British Medical Association	Work Capability Assessment
Oct	Prospects Avanta A4E Pertemps People Development Group Working Links JHP Employability Employment Related Services, Intraining EOS Ingeus Papworth Trust Remploy Sercro Welfare Services Employment & Skills Group Maximus G4S Welfare to Work Reed in Partnership Interserve	Work Programme
Oct	International Labour Organization	Introductory Meeting
Oct	Youth at Risk	Youth Unemployment
Oct	Working Links	Work Programme
Oct	Rehab Jobfit	Work Programme
Oct	Chartered Institute of Personnel and Development	Introductory Meeting
Oct	ATOS	Work Capability Assessment
Oct	Admiral Insurance Friends Life Group UK General Insurance/Zurich Aviva Plc Prudential Legal & General Investment Management JLT Group Allianz Insurance plc ACA UK Old Mutual Group Chartis	Youth Employment
Oct	Reed	Work Programme
Oct	Care Leavers' Foundation	To discuss Care Leavers

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Oct	Virgin Care Limited Care UK Saga Bupa Care Services Barchester Health Care Minster Care Group Dimensions	Youth Employment
Oct	Prince's Trust Groundwork Catch 22 Foyer Foundation Banardos	Youth Policies
Nov	Seetec	Work Programme
Nov	Caritas Social Action Network	Helping disadvantaged people back into work
Nov	Confederation of British Industry	Unemployment & Health & Safety
Nov	British Telecom Pinnacle People KPMG Maximus Serco Welfare Services Interserve Capita G4S Business Services Association	Work Programme
Nov	National Council for Voluntary Organisations Papworth Trust Prince's Trust Shaw Trust Business in the Community Employment Related Services Association Ixion Gingerbread Scope Community Links Royal British Legion Industries Salvation Army Tomorrow's People 3SC The Citizen's Trust St Mungos National Housing Federation London Voluntary Service Council Bootstrap New Deal of the Mind	Voluntary Community Sector Employment Programmes

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	Mencap Crisis The Conservation Volunteers Community Enterprise Derby Community Integrated Care Homeless Link Drugscope	
Nov	Gloucestershire County Council	Youth Employment & Skills Event
Nov	Employment Related Services Association	Work Programme Data
Nov	Institution of Occupational Safety and Health	Health & Safety
Nov	Ingeus	Work Programme
Nov	Avanta	Work Programme
Nov	EOS	Work Programme
Nov	Atos Assessment Centre	Work Capability
Nov	British Chambers of Commerce	Youth Unemployment
Nov	The Passage	To discuss the Homeless
Nov	The Peverel Group	Work Programme
Nov	Addaction	Work Programme
Nov	Advanced Personnel Management	Work Programme
Nov	Maximus	Work Programme
Nov	Deloitte	Work Programme
Dec	Tomorrow's People	Work Programme
Dec	Scope	Work Capability Assessment
Dec	Prince's Trust Accenture Barclays Direct Line Land Securities Marriott International Matalan Marks & Spencer	Youth Employment
Dec	KPMG	Work Programme
Dec	Capita	Work Programme
Dec	Policy Exchange	Work Programme
Dec	City & Guilds	To discuss Skills
Dec	Centre for Economic Social Inclusion Recruitment & Employment Confederation Association of Employment & Learning Providers Create Microsoft	Employers and Employability Group

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	Confederation of British Industry Employment Related Services Association Chartered Institute of Personnel & Development Federation of Small Businesses	
Dec	National Grid	Investment Plans
Dec	Ixon	Work Programme
Dec	Rapanui	Apprenticeships/pre-apprenticeship Employment
Dec	Gurit Artigiano Isle of Wight College Wightlink Isle of Wight Council GKN Aerospace	Employment & the Isle of Wight economy
Dec	Siemens	Employment
Dec	Arts Council	Creative Employment Programme
Dec	Turning Point	Work Programme
Dec	Royal College of Psychiatrists	Work Capability Assessment
Dec	Gingerbread	To discuss their 'Make it work for Single Parent' Campaign
Dec	Association of Employment & Learning Providers Association of Colleges British Chambers of Commerce British Retail Consortium The Manufactures' Organisation Forum of Private Businesses Federation of Small Businesses National Institute of Continuing Adult Education Trade Unions Congress UK Commission for Employment & Skills 157 Group	Employers Forum

Minister of State (Minister for Pensions)
Steve Webb MP

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Meeting	Organisation	
Oct	Alliance Bernstein United Technologies Corporation	Pensions
Oct	Lloyds Banking Group Scottish Widows	Pensions
Oct	Teachers Insurance and Annuity Association – College Retirement Equities Fund	Private pensions
Oct	National Grid	Pensions
Oct	Resolution	Child Maintenance
Oct	Gingerbread	Child Maintenance
Oct	Magistrates Association	Child Maintenance
Oct	Institute of Chartered Accountants of Scotland	Private Pensions
Oct	Fidelity	Private Pensions
Oct	Trustees of the following organisations: Sainsburys Pension Fund Superannuation Arrangements - University of London (SAUL) Pitmans Trustees Ltd GKN Pension Scheme Combined Nuclear Pension Plans Amey Comax/BRE Pension Scheme Fairpensions Association of Member- Nominated Trustees	Private Pensions
Nov	Tesco	Pensions
Nov	Association of British Insurers	Private Pensions
Nov	Barnardos	Child Maintenance
Nov	Daycare Trust Family and Parenting Institute	Childcare
Nov	MetLife Assurance	Private Pensions –
Nov	Society of Pension Consultants	Private Pensions
Nov	National Association of Pension Funds Trade Unions Congress Which? AGE UK	Private Pensions
Nov	Charity Finance Group	Private Pensions
Dec	4Children	Childcare
Dec	AGE UK	State Pensions
Dec	Nissan	Private Pensions

**Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State (Minister for Disabled People)
Esther McVey MP**

Date of Meeting	Name of External Organisation	Purpose of Meeting
Oct	People First	Disability Benefits
Oct	UK Disabled People's Council	Introductory Meeting
Oct	Arise Ltd	Disability Employment
Oct	Full of Life	Introductory Meeting
Oct	Employment Related Service Association	Welfare to Work Programmes
Nov	Carers UK	Carers Allowance
Nov	BAC O'Connor	Drugs and Alcohol Policy
Nov	Essex Coalition for Disabled People	Access to Work
Nov	Family Fund	Introductory Meeting
Nov	National Autistic Society	Disability
Nov	Ambitious about Autism	Introductory Meeting
Nov	Adsetts Partnership	Introductory Meeting
Nov	Newlife Foundation	Benefits for Disabled Children
Nov	Performance Telecom	Disability Employment
Dec	Develop a Dream	Training for Disabled People
Dec	Innovative Creative Excellence Ltd	Pathways to Life Programme
Dec	Red Balloon Learner Centre	Bullying of Children and Education

**Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State (Minister for Welfare Reform)
Lord Freud**

Date of Meeting	Name of External Organisation	Purpose of Meeting
Oct	Big Society Org & Stephenson Harwood expert member	Social Investment
Oct	Association of British Insurers	Mesothelioma
Oct	Bromford Housing Group Shropshire Council Sanctuary Wrekin Housing Trust	Direct Payments project
Oct	One Parent Families Scotland Action for Children Gingerbread Child Poverty Action group	Welfare Reform Act Regulations and Childcare
Oct	Faculty of Medicine Society of Occupational Medicine	Sickness Absence
Oct	Online Centre	Digital Inclusion
Oct	Chartered Institute of Housing National Housing Federation	Universal Credit and Welfare Reform Act

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	Shelter St Mungo's Mencap Barnardos Homeless Link Crisis	Regulations
Oct	National Farmer's Union Royal Agricultural Benevolent Institute	Welfare Reform Act Regulations
Oct	Policy Exchange Social Market Foundation Institute for Fiscal Studies Joseph Rowntree Foundation Centre for Social Justice	Welfare Reform Act Regulations
Oct	Women's Aid Refuge	Welfare Reform Act Regulations
Oct	Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales Prince's Trust	Welfare Reform Act Regulations
Oct	National Association of Landlords	Housing
Oct	Fairbanking Foundation	Universal Credit
Nov	CE Local Government Association	Welfare Reform Act Regulations
Nov	Association of Personal Injury Lawyers	Mesothelioma
Nov	CE Wandsworth Council	Universal Credit
Nov	Save the Children	Welfare Reform Act Regulations
Nov	Greater Manchester Asbestos Support group	Mesothelioma
Nov	Health Advisory Group	Sickness Absence review
Nov	Citizens Advice Bureau	Universal Credit and Welfare Reform Act Regulations
Nov	Scottish Federation of Housing	Welfare Reform
Nov	Councillors From Dumfries, Galloway, West Dumbartonshire and North Lanarkshire	Universal Credit Local Authority Pilots
Nov	Third Sector - West Edinburgh Action	Employment Services
Nov	Citizens Advice Bureau	Universal credit and Welfare Reform Act
Nov	Northern Ireland Council for Voluntary Action	Welfare Reform
Dec	2nd Chance UK Organisation	Youth Unemployment
Dec	Association of British Insurers	Mesothelioma

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	Zurich	
Dec	Local Government Association Rushcliffe Borough Council	Universal Credit Claimant Support Framework

1 Does not normally include meetings with Government bodies such as other Government Departments, NDPBs, Non-Ministerial Departments, Agencies, Government reviews and representatives of Parliament, devolved or foreign governments.