

## Variation notice

### PENAL NOTICE

IF ANY PERSON DISOBEYS THIS NOTICE, THE MATTER MAY BE CERTIFIED TO THE HIGH COURT WHICH MAY HOLD THAT PERSON TO BE IN CONTEMPT AND THAT PERSON MAY BE IMPRISONED, FINED OR HAVE THEIR ASSETS SEIZED

ANY PERSON WHO KNOWS OF THIS NOTICE AND DOES ANYTHING WHICH HELPS OR PERMITS ANY PERSON TO BREACH THE TERMS OF THIS NOTICE MAY ALSO AFTER CERTIFICATION TO THE HIGH COURT BE HELD TO BE IN CONTEMPT AND MAY BE IMPRISONED, FINED OR HAVE THEIR ASSETS SEIZE

### The Inquiries Act 2005, section 20(7)

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### VARITATION NOTICE

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Pursuant to section 20(7) of the Inquiries Act 2025, the restriction order dated 29th November 2012 issued by Sir Brian Leveson during the Leveson Inquiry into the culture, practices and ethics of the press **IS HEREBY VARIED** as set out below:

1. Copies of the following documents, originally disclosed to the Leveson Inquiry, may be used by the Claimants in the claims listed below, and their legal advisers, solely for the purposes of these claims (including any appeals):
  - a. Daily Mail ledger cards recording payments to private investigators (URNs: MOD100021713 to MOD100021793 inclusive); and
  - b. The Mail on Sunday ledger cards recording payments to private investigators (URNs: MOD100021683 to MOD100021712 inclusive).
2. The legal proceedings are the following claims brought against Associated Newspapers Limited:
  - a. Baroness Lawrence of Clarendon OBE (KB-2022-003316)
  - b. Elizabeth Hurley (KN-2022-003317)
  - c. Sir Elton John CBE and David Furnish (KB-2022-003318)
  - d. Sir Simon Hughes (KB-2022-003340)
  - e. Prince Harry, The Duke of Sussex (KB-2022-003357)
  - f. Sadie Frost Law (KB-2022-003404)
3. Further dissemination and use of the documents listed above shall be a matter for the Court dealing with the claims.

Dated 29 February 2024

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**THE RT HON LUCY FRAZER MP  
SECRETARY OF STATE FOR CULTURE, MEDIA AND SPORT**

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "James Cleverly". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

**THE RT HON JAMES CLEVERLY MP  
SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE HOME DEPARTMENT**