**All-Party Parliamentary Group on Human Trafficking and Modern Slavery**

**8th March 2022 Annual General Meeting**

**Minutes**

**Attendees**

Karen Bradley MP

Baroness Butler-Sloss

Lord McColl of Dulwich

Alex Norris MP

Jackie Doyle-Price MP

Andrew Selous MP

Baroness Hamwee

Lord Coaker of Gedling

Alistair Redfern

Anthony Steen

Jess Templeman

Rebecca Kirby

Jasmine Selby

**AGM Notes**

Rt Hon Karen Bradley MP and Baroness Elizabeth Butler-Sloss were proposed by Jackie Doyle-Price and seconded as Co-Chairs and were duly elected. Alex Norris and Lord McColl were proposed and seconded as Secretaries and were duly elected. Darren Jones, Andres Selous, Lord Randall and Jackie Doyle-Price were proposed and seconded as Vice Chairs and were all duly elected. Lord Purvis of Tweed was proposed and seconded as an Officer and was duly elected. It was agreed that it was not currently necessary to confirm members. Finally, it was confirmed that the Anthony Steen will continue as Specialist Advisor and the Human Trafficking Foundation will continue to act as Secretariat.

**APPG Notes Following AGM**

Rt Hon Karen Bradley MP ran through the APPG programme of work for 2022, including three panel events for Parliamentarians. The first on local authority licencing and the risk of trafficking with the GLAA in spring, the second on law enforcement and modern slavery prosecutions with the DPP in autumn and the third on the impact of the Nationality and Borders Bill at the end of the year. Baroness Butler-Sloss raised that the final event should include a discussion on what progress has been made since the review of the Modern Slavery Act. Andrew Selous MP asked the group what work they are doing to address global trafficking and it was confirmed that the APPG would organise a joint talk with the APPG on Sport, Modern Slavery and Human Rights before the Commonwealth Games. Rt Hon Karen Bradley MP noted that the APPG are writing to the Foreign Secretary to ask whether the UK could introduce forced labour hot good provisions like those in the US. She also raised her upcoming visit of India with the CPA and will give officers a debrief on this work on her return. Finally, it was confirmed that the APPG would meet with the Anti-Slavery Commissioner to thank her for all her work in post.

**Nationality and Borders Bill Update**

The 8th March is the final day of Report Stage in the Lords where Part 5 will be discussed. Lord Randall’s amendment to Clause 62 will be put to a vote. Ian McColl’s amendment 70 was discussed, pushing for a whole year of Leave to Remain to be included in the Bill and Baroness Hamwee discussed her amendment on trauma informed work. Jasmine was asked to send Officers in the Commons a summary on all amendments voted on.

Baroness Butler-Sloss closed the meeting by thanking the group, remarking how grateful the Co-Chairs are for the valuable members of the APPG.