



Helping the Innocent: Symposium on the Reform of the Criminal Cases Review Commission

30 March 2012

Norton Rose LLP, 3 More London Riverside, London, SE1 2AQ

PROGRAMME

Time	
9.15 am – 9.45 am	Registration
9.45 am – 10.00 am	Welcome <i>Dr Michael Naughton, Founder and Director of INUK</i>
10.00 am – 10.15 am	Launch of Symposium <i>Chris Mullin, Former MP</i>
10.15 am – 10.30 am	The case of Ray Gilbert <i>Bruce Kent, Chair of Progressing Prisoners Maintaining Innocence</i>
10.30 am – 10.50 am	The campaign for the creation of the Royal Commission on Criminal Justice (RCCJ) and the Criminal Cases Review Commission (CCRC) <i>Harry Fletcher, Assistant General Secretary of National Association of Probation Officers (NAPO)</i>
10.50 am – 11.10 am	The INUK Dossier of Cases <i>Gabe Tan, Executive Director, INUK</i>
11.10 am – 11.30 am	Break
11.30 am – 11.50 am	Perspective of an alleged victim of wrongful conviction <i>Susan May</i>
11.50 am – 12.10 pm	Does the CCRC live up to what the RCCJ envisaged? <i>Professor Michael Zander QC, Emeritus Professor, London School of Economics; Member of the RCCJ</i>
12.10 pm -12.30 pm	A view from an ex-Commissioner of the CCRC <i>Laurie Elks, former Commissioner</i>
12.30 pm – 12.50 pm	A view from an ex-Commissioner of the CCRC <i>David Jessel, former Commissioner, author and broadcaster</i>

12.50 pm – 1.10 pm	Q & A
1.10 pm – 2.00 pm	Lunch
2.00 pm – 2.20 pm	Perspective of an alleged victim of wrongful conviction <i>Eddie Gilfoyle</i>
2.20 pm – 2.40 pm	A practitioner's view <i>Mark Newby, Solicitor Advocate, Quality Solicitors Jordans</i>
2.40 pm – 2.45 pm	A practitioner's view (contribution to be read by Aine Kervick) <i>Mark George QC, Garden Court North</i>
2.45 pm – 3.10 pm	A practitioner's view <i>John Cooper QC, 25 Bedford Row</i>
3.10 pm – 3.30 pm	An academic's view <i>Professor Richard Nobles, Queen Mary University</i>
3.30 pm – 3.50 pm	A campaigner's view <i>Dr Andrew Green, Co-Founder of United Against Injustice</i>
3.50 pm – 4.10 pm	Break
4.10 pm – 4.30 pm	A view from an investigative journalist <i>Dr Eamonn O'Neill, Director of University of Strathclyde Innocence Project</i>
4.30 pm – 4.50 pm	Reflections of a victim of wrongful conviction <i>Paddy Joe Hill, one of the Birmingham Six</i>
4.50 pm – 5.10 pm	The need for reform <i>Dr Michael Naughton, Founder and Director, INUK</i>
5.10 pm – 5.30 pm	Q & A
5.30 pm	Feedback/Close of Symposium

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