

Following request after request from members of the public we have pleasure in presenting the Constitution of the PLC Party.

PLC Party



**People b4Politics
Commonsense b4Law**

**The Constitution of the PLC Party
Party of British-at-home and British-abroad**

Preamble

The Founder and Treasurer in Conference

Placing our Faith and Trust in the Almighty God

Considering that human beings are, by the very nature of their existence, a product of Nature;

Considering that it is not always possible to anticipate what the future holds or to envisage the consequences of our own actions in the ordinary course of events;

Knowing that the environment in which people live is more pervasive than those who habitually live within any such environment;

Believing in the orderliness of Nature;

Accepting that there can be no appeal against the judgment or verdict of Nature;

Noting that uniformity, integration and, conformity are the essential ingredients of peace, co-existence and co-operation, at all levels of interactions;

Paying due respect to democratically elected governments of other nation states;

Having confidence in the judgments of other nation states to vindicate the collective rights, entitlements and, freedoms of their citizens and nationals;

Subscribing to the aspirations of the Union of Europe and Institutions functioning under its auspices

HAVE AGREED:

Definitions

1. The adoption of The RIGHT OF HABITATION, Complementary to the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, as the Constitution of the PLC Party, to the following extent

PLC Party means

2. A political party set up to contest one or more relevant elections in Great Britain and one or more elections to the European Parliament in the combined region

1. In furtherance of the enjoyment of the Entitlements contained in The RIGHT OF HABITATION, the PLC Party intends:
2. (i) To develop, promote, and pursue civic and or community interest programmes in the areas of compensation, restitution, grant aid, and or assistance, both at Westminster and in the European Parliament, on behalf of British-at-home and British-abroad, who, due to circumstances beyond their control are having to endure interruptions in their daily lives;
3. Promote the elimination of exploitation in all aspects of life in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland;
4. To **curtail** state intervention in the lives of the people of the country;
5. **To revive the Welfare Council for the Elderly, which was originally set up in 1968;**
6. To promote the establishment of a “World Peace Law Parliament and Secretariat”
7. To campaign for the abolition, and to ensure the repeal of, any law that appears to endorse a form of slave trade, or restricts access to the courts and justice;
8. To promote the unification of the two branches of the legal profession, upon the ground that a two-tier system of legal profession is an anachronism and it is wasteful of public funds, but more important, it does not promote the cause of civil or criminal justice;
9. To improve the living conditions of the greater number, to a standard compatible with human dignity and the exceptional wealth of Great Britain;
10. To promote laws or local laws that would have the effect of reducing the importance of passports as proof of citizenship, which it is not – it is only a travel document
11. To co-operate with all, and every lawful association where practicable for joint political and other action towards the achievement of the Party’s aims and objects including organisations in other countries and international organisations and associations, including the European Union and to seek in common with such organisations the promotion of peace and establishment and defence of basic human rights or rights of habitation and the radical readjustment of existing social and economic standards on equitable human principles;
12. The Motto of the PLC Party is **“People before Politics, Commonsense before Law”**

13. The emblem of the PLC Party is a red and green motif with the words STOP Racism and the words People b4Politics Commonsense b4Law

14. The Executive Committee

The Executive Committee of the Party shall comprise of:

- (i) Founder
- (ii) Treasurer
- (iii) Regional Treasurer x 3
- (iv) Citizen of England
- (v) Citizen of Scotland
- (vi) Citizen of Wales
- (vii) British Chinese
- (viii) British Asian
- (ix) Black British

7. The Administrative Unit

- (i) Founder – Chairman
- (ii) Treasurer
- (iii) Regional Treasurer x 3
- (iv) Head of Administration
- (v) Head of Public Affairs
- (vi) Campaigns Officer x 3
- (vii) Committees Officer x 3

8. Legal Affairs Unit

- (i) Law Librarian
- (ii) Deputy Law Librarian
- (iii) Law Officers x 3
- (iv) Prison Visit Committee
- (v) Convalescent Home Committee
- (vi) Mental Health Committee
- (vii) Hospital Visit Committee

9. Women’s Unit

- i. Regional Coordinators x 3
- ii. Regional Campaign Officers x 3

10. Membership

- i. Membership of the PLC Party shall be confined to British-at-home and British-abroad, above the age of 17 years.
- ii. A member of any of the existing Parties on the Register of the Electoral Commission may also apply for membership of the PLC Party;

11. Subscriptions

Every member shall pay an annual subscription of **twenty-five pounds (twelve pounds for those in-between employments)** and shall be deemed to be in good standing if he is not in arrears of subscription.

12. Organising Members

- i. The Executive Council may by simple majority of those present appoint any member of the Party who is a British citizen or national to be an Organising Member.

- ii. Only Organising Members may elect, or be members of the Executive Council.

13. Organisation

- i. The Party Conference shall be the supreme authority enunciating the principles of Party policy.
- ii. The Conference of Organisers of the Party shall be the authority of the Party empowered to elect the Executive Council and by simple majority to deal with all matters of detailed policy, administration, membership, amendments of Constitution, and all other matters concerning the Party. The decisions of the Conference of Organisers are binding on all Party members.
- iii. The Executive Council shall have all the powers and authority of the Conference of Organisers and the Party Conference within the framework of directives received from these organs, including the power to amend the Constitution.

14. Party Conference

- i. The Party Conference shall take place once a year, in **Leeds**
- ii. A Party Conference shall also be held on requisition by 20% of the membership of the Party in good standing.
- iii. The Agenda of the Party Conference shall include: A Report from the Executive Council and Resolutions submitted or approved by the Executive Council.

15. Conference of Organisers

- i. The Conference of Organisers shall be held annually.
- ii. The Chairman of the Party, the Executive Council, or 10% of the Organising Members of the Party may at any time call a Special Conference of Organisers for specific purposes to be indicated.
- iii. Only members of the Party who have been appointed Organising Members shall be entitled to be present at Conferences of Organisers and vote.
- iv. Every Conference of Organisers, other than a Special Conference, shall receive from the Executive Council the Report and Accounts of the work of the Party keeping in mind the need for genuine inter-racial co-operation and representation of the people, elect an Executive Council of:
 - One Chairman
 - One Secretary-General and 14 other members of the Executive Council to serve until the next Conference of Organisers;
- v. Decide on any Resolutions which may be submitted or approved for consideration by the Executive Council.

16. Convening of Conferences

One month before the day fixed for a Party Conference or a Conference of Organisers (whether Ordinary or Special) the Secretary-General shall in writing send notices to all members of the Party eligible to attend, i.e. as regards Party Conferences all members of the Party in good standing including Organising Members, and as regards the Conference of Organisers, all Organising Members in good standing, informing them of the date, time and place fixed for the meeting, and thereafter, as soon as practicable he shall communicate to the said members a copy of the Agenda of the proposed meeting, including all resolutions tabled for discussion.

17. Executive Council

- i. The Executive Council of the Party shall be elected by the Conference of Organisers including the Chairman and Secretary-General, and shall consist in all of members and may itself co-opt not more than (?) Organising members.
- ii. The Executive Council shall elect from its members one or more Vice-Chairman, Treasurer and such other officials as it deems necessary.
- iii. The Executive Council may nominate persons from the Organising Membership of the Party to fill vacancies within its body whether amongst the elected or co-opted members.
- iv. The Executive Council, if satisfied that the conduct of any member is contrary to the principles or aims or objects of the Party or prejudicial to the welfare of the Party, may suspend or expel such member from any post in the Party, and demote him to the status of ordinary member if an Organising Member, and expel him from membership of the Party.
- v. Such member may at the next Conference of Organisers attend exclusively for purposes of submitting a resolution seeking to revoke the decision to suspend or demote or expel him, and the Conference may by simple majority of those present and voting either pass or reject that motion without debate. If passed, such member shall be re-instated as of the date of expulsion. If the motion is lost, such person shall at no time thereafter be admitted as a member of the Party.
- vi. The Executive Council may appoint and dismiss Committees whether standing or ad hoc with such terms of reference and regulations as it may direct, including the power to co-opt but without the power of delegation.

18. Branches

- i. The Party may establish a Headquarters Branch, and not more than three main Branches, and as many subsidiary Branches as may be advisable in every electoral division in different parts of the country.
- ii. (b) The Executive Council shall draw up regulations for the establishment, management, and all other matters in connection with the Branches.
- iii. (c) All members shall be deemed to be attached to the Headquarters Branch if not attached to any existing Branch.
- iv. Members shall be deemed to be attached to the Branch formed in the area in which they reside, unless they opt in writing to be attached to another Branch.

7. General

- i. A member shall be deemed to have resigned from the Party the moment a notice of his resignation in writing is received by the Leader of the Party.
- ii. Only such person as may be specifically authorised thereto by the Executive Council may issue Press Statements in the name of the Party and give Press interviews.
- iii. The Executive Council may formulate, revoke or amend Standing Orders and Regulations for any appropriate purpose.
- iv. The ruling of the Chairman of the meeting as to the construction of this Constitution and every part thereof and as to the procedure to be adopted where provision is not made therefore shall be final and shall not be open to challenge.
- v. Any person acting as Chairman, Secretary-General, Treasurer or any other post created by the Executive Council, shall have all the powers of the substantive holder of the post.

8. Elections

The Party may nominate members as candidates for election to public office, and each nominee shall be required to take a solemn oath or affirmation to support the principles of the Party, and to comply with Party discipline in major decisions of policy, and to be honest and frank in all his dealings with the Party and the people of Great Britain and elsewhere in the European Union

7. Standing Order of the Party

Any member of the Executive Council, who has absented himself from three consecutive Executive Council meetings without being excused by the Executive Council, should be deemed to have resigned and shall fall to cease to be a member thereof, but without loss of any other privileges of the membership of the Party.

Written in Clapham, London in March 1983
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