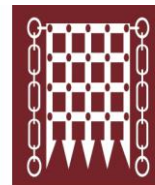


## Westminster Legal Policy Forum keynote seminar

### Next steps for the reformed probation service - key issues for the new system, rehabilitation and reoffending, collaboration with partners, and workforce priorities

Timing: Morning, Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> July 2022

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- 8.30 Registration
- 9.00 **Chair's opening remarks**  
Senior Parliamentarian
- 9.05 **Priorities for the new probation system**  
**Justin Russell**, HM Chief Inspector of Probation  
Questions and comments from the floor
- 9.30 **Key issues for service improvement - recovery following the pandemic, public protection, transition to the target operating model, the role of voluntary and private organisations, and addressing workforce culture tensions**  
**Simon Creighton**, First Tier Tribunal Judge and Consultant, Bhatt Murphy  
**Andy Keen-Downs**, Chief Executive, Prison Advice and Care Trust  
**Alex Osler**, Head of Operations, Probation Service East of England  
**Tania Bassett**, National Official, Press, Parliament & Campaigns, NAPO  
Questions and comments from the floor
- 10.20 Break
- 10.25 **Options for reforming the Dynamic Framework and commissioning**  
**Richard Oldfield**, author of a review for the MoJ of the dynamic framework of the NPS, June 2021
- 10.50 **Chair's closing remarks**  
Senior Parliamentarian
- 10.55 Break
- 11.05 **Chair's opening remarks**  
Senior Parliamentarian
- 11.10 **Rehabilitation and reducing reoffending - voluntary sector partnerships, multi-agency working, coordination and information exchange, and supporting reintegration and employment outcomes**  
**Philip Bowen**, Director, Centre for Justice Innovation  
**Mark Johnson**, Founder, User Voice  
**Val Wawrosz**, Managing Director and Founder, TempusNovo  
**Steve Freer**, CEO and Founder, TempusNovo  
Senior representative, local authority  
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.00 Break
- 12.05 **Priorities for the probation workforce - training quality and standards, improving recruitment and retention, and supporting current staff**  
**Mary-Anne McFarlane**, Acting Chair, Probation Institute  
**Lauren Crowley**, National Officer for Ministry of Justice, FDA  
Senior representative, university  
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.35 **Next steps for the probation service**  
**Jim Barton**, Executive Director, Probation Reform Programme, Ministry of Justice  
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.55 **Chair's and Westminster Legal Policy Forum closing remarks**  
Senior Parliamentarian  
**Sean Cudmore**, Deputy Editor, Westminster Legal Policy Forum