



# Political Affairs Digest

A daily summary of political events affecting the Jewish Community

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### Home Affairs Committee

**The Macpherson Report: twenty-two years on: Government Response to the Committee's Third Report of Session 2021–22**

<https://committees.parliament.uk/publications/22402/documents/165350/default/>

### Crown Prosecution Service (CPS)

#### **Member of proscribed group jailed for three years**

A member of National Action, a proscribed Neo-Nazi terror group has been sentenced to three years' imprisonment, with an extended period on licence of 12 months, after pleading guilty to membership of a proscribed organisation contrary to section 11 of the Terrorism Act 2000.

David Musins, 36, was sentenced ... at the Old Bailey after admitting his guilt at an earlier hearing.

Nick Price, Head of the CPS Counter Terrorism Division, said: "David Musins continued to associate with members of a banned right-wing group which perpetrated hateful and racist views. It is right that faced with the evidence against him he admitted this offence and has been sentenced today.

"There is no place in society for these beliefs. Our team at the CPS has prosecuted a number of National Action cases since it became a proscribed organisation, and we will continue to prosecute all cases involving banned organisations where possible." ...

**To read the full press release see**

<https://www.cps.gov.uk/cps/news/member-proscribed-group-jailed-three-years>

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## Relevant Legislation \*\* new or updated today

### UK Parliament

#### **Higher Education (Freedom of Speech) Bill**

<https://bills.parliament.uk/bills/2862>

#### **\*\* Online Safety Bill**

<https://bills.parliament.uk/bills/3137>

Notice of amendments

[https://publications.parliament.uk/pa/bills/cbill/58-03/0004/amend/online\\_rm\\_pbc\\_0527.pdf](https://publications.parliament.uk/pa/bills/cbill/58-03/0004/amend/online_rm_pbc_0527.pdf)

#### **\*\* Schools Bill**

<https://bills.parliament.uk/bills/3156>

Notice of amendments

<https://bills.parliament.uk/publications/46559/documents/1846>

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## Consultations \*\* new or updated today

#### **\*\* closes in 4 days**

**Independent Review of Social Cohesion and Resilience** (closing date 2 June 2022)

<https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/independent-review-of-social-cohesion-and-resilience-call-for-evidence/independent-review-of-social-cohesion-and-resilience-call-for-evidence>

**Public Participation at the Scottish Parliament** (closing date 30 June 2022)

<https://yourviews.parliament.scot/cppp/participation-2022/>

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