



TRADE AND INDUSTRY COMMITTEE

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PRESS NOTICE

NEW INQUIRY

Inquiry into UK Employment Regulation

The Trade and Industry Committee announces its intention to conduct an inquiry into UK Employment Regulation.

During the course of its inquiry the Committee will consider issues including:

- the contribution labour market flexibility makes to the UK economy;
- whether the current degree of flexibility is appropriate or desirable, and, if not, what measures the Government should take.

The Committee would welcome written evidence on these or any other related issues by **18 June 2004**. Details of any oral evidence will be announced shortly after that date.

Written evidence

If possible, written evidence should take the form of a memorandum with numbered paragraphs and should be submitted, as a MS Word document, by e-mail to tradeindcom@parliament.uk with a single hard copy sent to the Clerk at the address above.

For further information please contact the Committee Office on 020 7219 5777/ 5779.

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Note to Editors

The Committee is appointed under Standing Order No. 152 of the House of Commons to examine the expenditure, administration and policy of the Department of Trade and Industry and associated public bodies. It has the power to send for persons, papers and records.

The Members of the Committee are:

Mr Martin O'Neill MP (Chairman)	(Lab, Ochil)	Mr Lindsay Hoyle, MP	(Lab, Chorley)
Mr Nigel Evans MP	(Con, Ribble Valley)	Mr Andrew Lansley, MP	(Con, Cambridgeshire South)
Mr Roger Berry MP	(Lab, Kingswood)	Judy Mallaber MP	(Lab, Amber Valley)
Mr Richard Burden MP	(Lab, Birmingham, Northfield)	Mrs Linda Perham MP	(Lab, Ilford North)
Mr Michael Clapham MP	(Lab, Barnsley West & Penistone)	Sir Robert Smith MP	(Lib Dem, West Aberdeenshire and Kincardine)
Mr Jonathan Djanogly MP	(Con, Huntingdon)		

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