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**From:** Mark R Davies [GRO]  
**on behalf of** Mark R Davies [GRO]  
**Sent:** 10/12/2014 09:48:24  
**To:** Belinda Crowe; GRO [GRO]  
**CC:** Melanie Corfield [GRO]  
**Subject:** Re: ONE show

This now supported by press release just sent - this means working group has collapsed.

Suggest we today need to:

- write to Tony Hooper saying scheme no longer works in face of this breach
- ditto JFSA
- get a Board call
- advise BIS
- prepare lines

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Mark Davies  
Communications and Corporate Affairs Director  
Mobile: [GRO]

Sent from my iPhone

On 10 Dec 2014, at 09:38, "Belinda Crowe" [GRO] wrote:

> FYI  
>  
> Belinda Crowe  
> 148 Old Street, LONDON, EC1V 9HQ

[GRO]

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> -----Original Message-----  
> From: Rodric Williams  
> Sent: 10 December 2014 09:38  
> To: Patrick Bourke; Belinda Crowe; Mark Underwood1; Jessica Barker  
> Subject: Fw: ONE show  
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> ----- Original Message ----- [GRO]  
> From: BARTY, Susan [mailto: [GRO]  
> Sent: Wednesday, December 10, 2014 09:23 AM  
> To: Rodric Williams  
> Subject: RE: ONE show  
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> Hi Rodric  
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> I saw it just now and have recorded it to get a transcript done, though I appreciate you guys will be getting one done.  
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> I have just seen this on Matt Prodger's Twitter:

> Matt [GRO] \* 20m 20 minutes ago  
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> Subpostmasters recruit Hillsborough victims lawyers Edwin Coe 4 class action against post office over IT system. Follows mediation collapse.  
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> Best wishes  
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> Susan

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> Susan Barty  
> Partner  
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> -----Original Message-----  
> From: Rodric Williams [mailto:

**GRO**

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> Sent: 09 December 2014 20:58  
> To: BARTY, Susan  
> Subject: Fw: ONE show  
>  
> Just FYI - they ran the One Show piece tonight, one day earlier than they told us. Maybe this was  
driven by events, but I would think it suits us to get it all out in one go.  
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> Attention now seems to have turned to what might happen in Westminster...  
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> ----- Original Message -----  
> From: Mark R Davies  
> Sent: Tuesday, December 09, 2014 08:17 PM  
> To: Belinda Crowe  
> Cc: Melanie Corfield; Tom Wechsler; Patrick Bourke; Ruth X Barker; Belinda Crowe; Rodric Williams; Jane  
Hill  
> Subject: Re: ONE show  
>  
> Copying Jane to be aware - we may need to call in some support from MPs.  
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> Mark Davies  
> Communications and Corporate Affairs Director  
> Mobile: 

**GRO**

  
> Sent from my iPhone  
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> On 9 Dec 2014, at 20:14, "Belinda Crowe" 

**GRO**

 wrote:  
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>> Thanks Mel  
>> Tom, I couldn't see anything about a debate but some slots not yet announced. If you were able to find  
something in the obscure corners that would be helpful.  
>> I will email Peter Batten to ask his party branch to keep an eye out.  
>> Mark, if anyone knows some friendly MPs it would be you but happy to assist with briefing if helpful.  
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>> Best wishes  
>> Belinda  
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**GRO**

  
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>> ----- Original Message -----  
>> From: Melanie Corfield  
>> Sent: Tuesday, December 09, 2014 08:01 PM  
>> To: Mark R Davies; Tom Wechsler  
>> Cc: Patrick Bourke; Belinda Crowe; Ruth X Barker  
>> Subject: Re: ONE show  
>>  
>> Ruth is getting us a full transcript. Will do some rough notes shortly and send round for anyone who  
can't see it tonight.  
>> Mel  
>> Mel Corfield  
>> Communications Team  
>> Mobile: 

**GRO**

  
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>> ----- Original Message -----  
>> From: Mark R Davies  
>> Sent: Tuesday, December 09, 2014 07:56 PM  
>> To: Tom Wechsler  
>> Cc: Melanie Corfield; Patrick Bourke; Belinda Crowe; Ruth X Barker  
>> Subject: Re: ONE show  
>>

>> Thanks all. I missed it. Think it suits us to get it all out in one go and I agree a parliamentary debate could be ideal. We would have to work hard to get some friendly MPs involved.

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>> We have a drop in session for MPs tomorrow PM in parliament. Arbuthnot and Bridgen say they will be coming.

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>> Mark

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>> Mark Davies  
>> Communications and Corporate Affairs Director  
>> Mobile: **GRO**

>> Sent from my iPhone

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>> On 9 Dec 2014, at 19:50, "Tom Wechsler" **GRO** wrote:

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>>> Is there a backbench day? Failing that, it could be Westminster Hall or Adjournment.

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>>> Will hunt around the less-travelled bits of the order paper later. Whatever it is, if we get BIS in the right place it could be a good opportunity to get our stats out.

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>>> ----- Original Message -----

>>> From: Melanie Corfield  
>>> Sent: Tuesday, December 09, 2014 07:43 PM  
>>> To: Patrick Bourke; Belinda Crowe; Mark R Davies; Ruth X Barker  
>>> Cc: Tom Wechsler  
>>> Subject: Re: ONE show

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>>> Just before his sofa bit NW just says as voiceover: next week there will be a special debate in parliament where MPs will hold the PO to account. For people like Sue (Knight) it can't come soon enough.  
>>> Just watched it through. Will do some notes round shortly but rest as expected really, though we def need full transcript.

>>> It is on iPlayer on One Show part of BBC website if you are somewhere you can get it.

>>> Mel  
>>> Mel Corfield  
>>> Communications Team  
>>> Mobile: **GRO**

>>> ----- Original Message -----

>>> From: Patrick Bourke  
>>> Sent: Tuesday, December 09, 2014 07:39 PM  
>>> To: Melanie Corfield; Belinda Crowe; Mark R Davies; Ruth X Barker  
>>> Cc: Tom Wechsler  
>>> Subject: Re: ONE show

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>>> Really ? Where that come from ?

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>>> ----- Original Message -----

>>> From: Melanie Corfield  
>>> Sent: Tuesday, December 09, 2014 07:32 PM  
>>> To: Belinda Crowe; Mark R Davies; Ruth X Barker  
>>> Cc: Tom Wechsler; Patrick Bourke  
>>> Subject: Re: ONE show

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>>> Well seen part of it - still trying to watch rest - but NW says special debate in parliament next week.

>>> Mel  
>>> Mel Corfield  
>>> Communications Team  
>>> Mobile: **GRO**

>>> ----- Original Message -----

>>> From: Belinda Crowe  
>>> Sent: Tuesday, December 09, 2014 07:19 PM  
>>> To: Melanie Corfield; Mark R Davies; Ruth X Barker  
>>> Cc: Belinda Crowe; Tom Wechsler; Patrick Bourke  
>>> Subject: Re: ONE show

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>>> Thanks Mel. Not surprising but like many other related matters - disingenuous.  
>>> But at least it all happened on one day and they may have decided to bring it forward in light of all else that has happened today.

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>>> Best wishes  
>>> Belinda  
>>> GRO  
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>>> ----- Original Message -----  
>>> From: Melanie Corfield  
>>> Sent: Tuesday, December 09, 2014 07:14 PM  
>>> To: Belinda Crowe; Mark R Davies; Ruth X Barker  
>>> Subject: Re: ONE show  
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>>> Only caught very end with Nick on sofa giving his view. Included bits to give our view but said nub  
of dispute is how widespread problems are. He said PO know there are problems but have never said how  
widespread. Need of course to see whole thing so will see when iPlayer link will come up...  
>>> Very cheeky that their lawyer's letter said Wed and they have never told us running tonight...but  
perhaps not surprising.  
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>>> Mel Corfield  
>>> Communications Team  
>>> Mobile GRO  
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>>> ----- Original Message -----  
>>> From: Belinda Crowe  
>>> Sent: Tuesday, December 09, 2014 07:02 PM  
>>> To: Melanie Corfield; Mark R Davies; Ruth X Barker  
>>> Subject: Re: ONE show  
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>>> ~~on train will~~ see what reception I can get on iPad. B  
>>> GRO  
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>>> ----- Original Message -----  
>>> From: Melanie Corfield  
>>> Sent: Tuesday, December 09, 2014 06:53 PM  
>>> To: Mark R Davies; Belinda Crowe; Ruth X Barker  
>>> Subject: ONE show  
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>>> Hi all  
>>> Nick Wallis has just tweeted he is in dressing room waiting to do ONE show so am thinking it might be  
tonight.  
>>> I am 20 mins from home and will check when I get there. But if anyone near a telly...  
>>> Mel  
>>> Mel Corfield  
>>> Communications Team  
>>> Mobile GRO  
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