

STATEMENT

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STATEMENT FROM THE JUDICIAL CONDUCT INVESTIGATIONS OFFICE

Mrs Rosemary Fretwell

A spokesperson for the Judicial Conduct Investigations Office said:

"The Lord Chancellor and Lord Chief Justice have removed Mrs Rosemary Fretwell, a member for the Social Entitlement Chamber, from office for remarks she made to a colleague which suggested that she holds views incompatible with the requirements of her role."

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