



10 DOWNING STREET

Prime Minister

Attached are the Motions selected by the Conference Agenda Sub-Committee on Tuesday, 29th July. They will be recommended to the General Purposes Committee on 13th August. The Debates, which at this stage look as though they could provide a little controversy are:-

The Constitution (Norman St. John Stevas)
Party Policy and Public Relations (Angus Maude)
Race Relations (William Whitelaw)

As you will see a Motion has been chosen on Water Authorities (Tom King). This is the result of the large number of Motions to be put up by constituencies on this subject.

As far as the Balloting Motion is concerned, QUANGOS, the Civil Service and Europe are the present front runners. Although of course Europe will have an opportunity to raise its head during the Agriculture and Foreign Affairs Debates.

1st August, 1980

Richard Ryder.

Wouldn't Quinlan reply
on the Constitution? Or
are his views less
strong on this subject.
Christopher Jones - as leader
of the HL. ?

Area letter & number K65Proposer Mr. A.S. Nicholas **ST. JOHN STEVAS.**St. Ives

Association

CO

" In the light of the Socialist commitment to abolish the House of Lords and the likelihood that a future left wing government intent on perpetuating itself would establish a single chamber Parliament as a step towards the creation of a Marxist state, this Conference urges that the composition and powers of the Upper House should be strengthened and firmly established as a safeguard against arbitrary government."

Area letter & number H. 62Proposer Roger Moate, Esq., M.P. **FOWLER.**Faversham

Association

TT

" That this Conference congratulates Her Majesty's Government on the steps it has taken to increase the freedom and enterprise of our transport system and urges Her Majesty's Government to continue with a programme that encourages private investment in public transport and frees the motorist from unnecessary restrictions."

Area letter & number D36Proposer CLLR. F. ESLEY **HESELTINE.**Doncaster

Association

ET

" This Conference welcomes the Government's efforts to control public expenditure particularly by fixing cash limits on Local Authority spending but calls upon the Government to introduce measures, as soon as is practicable, to abolish the present inequitable rating system"

Area letter & number G 71Proposer RICHARD BAMFORD **BRITAIN**ISLE OF ELY

Association

CD

" This Conference calls on Her Majesty's Government to introduce speedily an education programme to encourage members of the public to protect themselves from the consequences of a nuclear attack and urges that consideration be given to the re-introduction of a civil defence programme."

Area letter & number A.237

Proposer Mrs. Joyce Foster, J.P. CARLISLE.

Hendon South

Association

FD

"This Conference urges Her Majesty's Government to ensure that the money available for education is spent on improving standards in reading, writing and arithmetic in our schools, on increasing the standard of qualification required in teacher training colleges and is not spent on services for which parents should be responsible."

Area letter & number TU 8

Proposer CTU NATIONAL COMMITTEE JOSEPH.

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Association

FR

" This Conference greatly concerned at the present high rates of unemployment, insufficient training places, and job prospects, calls on industry to think specifically about the new manufacturing facilities in which Britain should be engaged by 1990, the amount of finance required, together with the projected job prospects and the necessary training required to satisfy the above criteria."

Area letter & number K35

Proposer Mr. G.W. Johnson WALKER.

West Devon

Association

FM

" This Conference asks that as the country moves into the 1980's Her Majesty's Government should review its policy on food and agriculture and, in particular, with regard to the need for the better marketing and export of British food products into Europe."

Area letter & number L 15

Proposer Mr. S.T. Hudson KING.

Pembrokeshire

Association

ET

" This Conference urges the Government to examine the method of calculating water charges and calls for Water Authorities to be made more publicly accountable".

Area letter & number E31

Proposer Mr. W.R. Adams PRIOR.

West Nottingham

Association

EM

" This Conference supports the view of Her Majesty's Government that the proper role of the Trade Union movement is to advise and to be consulted but not to negotiate with the elected Government in the name of the working people of this country. It therefore urges Her Majesty's Government to continue the review of the privileges afforded to the Trade Unions so as to bring the law closer to the views of the majority of the people of this country."

~~Area letter & number~~ WNAC1

Proposer MRS HUNTER JENKIN

Women's National Advisory Committee

~~ASSOCIATION~~

HE

"This Conference, recognising the valuable contribution made by voluntary organisations towards the care of the sick, the disadvantaged and the elderly, urges Her Majesty's Government and local authorities to encourage the continuance of these efforts and to provide support wherever possible."

Area letter & number C53

Proposer Mr. M. A. Naqui RAISON

Oldham

Association

IM

"This Conference congratulates the Home Secretary on changes so far made to strengthen the legal position of immigrants in the country, and welcomes the introduction of a White Paper on British Nationality Law as laying the essential foundations for the improvement of race relations in Britain. It believes that changes in the attitudes of the people of this great country can be brought about only by peaceful means, through the goodwill of the people, and not through unenforceable legislation or coercion."

Area letter & number B11

Proposer Cllr. N.S. Smith WHITEHAVEN

SOUTH SHIELDS

Association

LA

"That this Conference is concerned at the alarming rise in the level of crimes of violence"

It urges that full support, both active and moral, be given to our Police in their fight against crime on behalf of the people of this country.

That the penalties inflicted upon convicted criminals be made so severe as to present a formidable deterrent to those people who would break our laws."

Area letter & number M20

Proposer Mr. Robert Miller-Bakewell HOWELL

Scottish Conservative and Unionist

Association

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"That this Conference urges Her Majesty's Government to encourage the most rapid development of our oil resources tolerable to the oil companies and markets and that the revenue thus generated be used to further our second industrial revolution and research new and less limited sources of energy supply."

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Area letter & number D12 Proposer Cty. Cllr. C. Richardson

Bradford West Association

MAUDE. PK

" This Conference, whilst welcoming the progress made in restoring the balance of power away from the State and in favour of the individual, believes that the Government is failing to communicate its message to the people and calls upon all Conservatives to restate and follow Conservative principles, and to counter the myths put across by Socialists, Liberals and other opposition Parties"

Area letter & number J9 Proposer Mr. C.G. Mundie

North Hampshire Association

HOWE.

EC

" This Conference believes that, if a long-term economic recovery is to be achieved, the Government must not weaken in its resolve to reduce its spending, its borrowing and the overall levels of taxation, especially direct taxation. This Conference believes that only such measures, implemented with determination, will create the economic climate in which enterprise and investment may flourish."

Area letter & number J23 Proposer County Councillor M.G. Bond,

South Dorset Association

O.B.E., M.C. STANLEY.

HL

" This Conference, while recognising the social and economic merits of home ownership, notes with apprehension the decline of the rented sector which alone can meet the urgent needs of many (both young and old); and urges the Government by legislative and other changes to do everything possible to increase the availability of flats and houses to rent in the private sector."

Area letter & number F.27 Proposer MR. P. TAYLOR

BURTON Association

PYM.

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" That this Conference welcomes the Government's action in difficult economic circumstances in building up the nation's defences and applauds its determination that Britain should play its full part within NATO."

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Area letter & number A.22

Proposer Mr. Peter Martin CARRINGTON.

Richmond (CPC)

Association

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" This Conference, believing the Atlantic Alliance to be the most effective barrier against further Soviet expansionism, urges the Government to strengthen the Alliance by ensuring that European and American diplomatic initiatives are co-ordinated and considers that this co-operation is the best guarantee for world peace."