

COURT OF



ALDERMEN

SIR/MADAM

YOUR Worship is desired to be at a Court of Aldermen, in the Aldermen's Court Room, on **Monday** next, **the 15th day of MAY, 2023.**

**The Lord Mayor will take the Chair at 12.30 pm
of the clock in the afternoon precisely.**

The public meeting will be accessible at:
<https://www.youtube.com/c/CityofLondonCorporation/videos>

(if unable to attend please inform the Town Clerk at once.)

TIM ROLPH,
Swordbearer.

Swordbearer's Office, Mansion House,
Thursday, 4th May 2023

- 1 Question - That the Minutes of the last Court are correctly recorded? (Pages 3 - 12)
- 2 Resolutions on retirements, Congratulatory Resolutions, Memorials etc.
- 3 Applications for the Freedom of the City (Pages 13 - 26)
- 4 Applications of the following to be recorded as a Freeman of the City, and in the Company Named:

Name

Judy Hadden
Mark Norman Huxley
Philippa Tamsin Watmough

Company

Entrepreneurs
Entrepreneurs
Entrepreneurs

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5 Report: General Purposes Committee of Aldermen

6 Report: Action Taken since the Court's Last Meeting (Pages 27 - 30)

To receive a report of action taken by the Court of Aldermen in accordance with the Court's urgency procedures (Standing Order No. 46) since its last meeting on 21st March 2023.



LYONS, MAYOR LUDER, LOCUM TENENS COURT OF ALDERMEN

Tuesday, 21 March 2023

PRESENT

Alderman Ian David Luder
Alderman Sir David Wootton
Alderman Sir Charles Bowman
Alderman Sir Peter Estlin
Alderman Sir William Russell
Alderman Alison Gowman

Alderman Timothy Hailes
Alderman Robert Howard
Alderman and Sheriff Alastair King DL
Alderman Gregory Jones KC
Alderman Professor Emma Edhem
Alderwoman Susan Langley

Alderman Bronek Masojada
Alderman Alexander Barr
Alderman Christopher Makin
Alderman Tim Levene
Alderman Kawsar Zaman
Alderwoman Susan Pearson

Minutes: Resolved: - That the minutes of the Court of Aldermen held on 7th February 2023 were correctly recorded.

Minutes, Common Council: [The minutes of the Court of Common Council were on the table.]

Resolutions on Retirements, Congratulatory Resolutions, Memorials, etc: There were no resolutions.

Applications for Freedom: The Chamberlain presented the names of one hundred and twenty-nine persons to be made free of this City, and it is Ordered that they be admitted into the Freedom of this City accordingly, as follows:-

Name	Occupation	Address	Company
Daniel Thomas Aherne	a Seafood Company Chief Executive	Richmond Thames, Surrey	Upon Fishmongers
Faris Bin Ahmad Kabeer Ahmad	a Banking Business Manager	Poplar, London	International Bankers
Taner Akcesme	a Bank Head Representative	Poplar, London	International Bankers

Yusuf Allali	a	Management Consulting Company Director	Bethnal Green, London	Paviors
Martin Allison	a	Bank Director	Leeds, West Yorkshire	International Bankers
Darren James Almeida	a	Barrister-at-Law	Hanwell, London	Loriners
Nicola Catherine Arcedeckne-Butler	a	Wine Merchant Company Director	Alresford, Hampshire	Vintners
Dame Mary Doreen Archer, DBE	a	Museum Group Chair	Grantchester, Cambridgeshire	Salters
Dominik Timo Arni	an	Architecture Company Director	Cripplegate, in the City of London	Chartered Architects
Frank Henry Aylett	a	Printing Company Sales & Marketing Director, retired	Tring, Hertfordshire	Engineers
Alan David Bainbridge	a	Broadcasting Company Department Director	Chesterfield, Derbyshire	Chartered Surveyors
Clive Andrew Bairsto, CBE	a	Management Consultant	Brackley, Northamptonshire	Distillers
Kimberly Christina Bartlett	a	Lighting Design Consultant	Stevenage, Hertfordshire	Lightmongers
Charles Beausire	a	Chartered Structural Engineer	Chiswick, London	Salters
Marc Paul Begg	a	Metal Fabrication Company Director	Christian Malford, Wiltshire	Ironmongers
Brian John Best	an	Information Technology Manager	Ipswich, Suffolk	Information Technologists
Rev Paul Bigmore, JP	a	Parish Priest, retired and Musician	Cardiff, Wales	Musicians
Heather May Bond	a	Nurse	West Ealing, London	Nurses
The Hon. Henry Martin Mitford Bowyer	a	Barrister	Kilburn, Derbyshire	Carmen
Christopher Breiner	a	Virtual Environment Consultancy Director	Surrey Quays, London	Constructors

Jack William Brown	a Lecturer	Walthamstow, London	Educators
Piers Edward Brown	a Fire and Security Services Operations Director	Erith, Kent	Security Professionals
Michaela Grace Jasmine Bygrave	a Chartered Surveyor	Watford, Hertfordshire	Chartered Surveyors
Ferdia Thomas Byrne	an Actuary	South Kensington, London	Actuaries
Julian William Giovanni Cacchioli	a Wellness Corporate Affairs Vice President	Tring, Hertfordshire	Communicators
Oliver Peregrine Chadwyck-Healey	a Retail Buyer	Upper Basildon, Berkshire	Fishmongers
Penelope Margaret Chafer	a Specialist Respiratory Nurse Practitioner	Layer Breton, Essex	Nurses
Captain Dale Alexander Checksfield	a Master Mariner	Blackhill, Durham	Master Mariners
Imran Idris Choudhury	a Wine Distributor National Account Director	Balham, London	Vintners
Ahzaz-ul-Rouf Chowdhury	a Corporate Affairs Consultancy Senior Partner	Croydon, London	Entrepreneurs
Timothy John Clarke	a Barrister	Worcester, Worcestershire	Scriveners
Richard Andrew Claydon	a Fire Officer, retired	Wendover, Hampshire	Firefighters
Henry James Lyndon Clifford	a Coffee Trader	Balham, London	Fishmongers
Eileen Coles	a Specialist Breast Cancer Nurse	Potters Bar, Hertfordshire	Nurses
David Paul Edward Cooper	a Financial Technology Company Sales Director	Fulham, London	Haberdashers
Duncan Hayward Couper	a Hotelier	Midhurst, West Sussex	Innholders
Commander John Cox	a Human Resources Head of Reward	Wivenhoe, Essex	Human Resource Professionals
James Peter Cracknell	a Chef	Cuffley, Hertfordshire	Cooks

Edward David Fleming Cree	a	Chartered Surveyor	Lilley, Hertfordshire	Chartered Surveyors
Michael John Daniels	a	Stockbroker & Yoga Teacher	Southwark, London	Chartered Architects
Paul Thomas Davies	a	Brewery Chief Executive Officer	Ascot, Berkshire	Brewers
Cary Edward Dawes	a	Lens Manufacturing Company Chief Sales Officer	Esher, Surrey	Spectacle Makers
John Steven Dickinson-Lilley	a	Communications Director	Forest Hill, London	Communicators
Rosalinde Emrys- Roberts	a	Rights of Way Consultant	Hertford, Hertfordshire	Farriers
Matthew Kevin Enskat	a	Financial Services Chief Administrative Officer	Esher, Surrey	Butchers
Paul Andrew Harald Everington	an	Electronics Manufacturer Managing Director	Crawley, West Sussex	Scientific Instrument Makers
Cher-leigh Eyles- Thomas	a	Security Company Finance Manager	Birling, Kent	Security Professionals
Timothy John Finch	an	Insurance Underwriter	Farnham, Surrey	Makers of Playing Cards
Frederick John Forsyth	a	National Accounts Director	Keswick, Cumbria	Environmental Cleaners
Paul Jonathan Fosh	a	Chartered Surveyor	North Fambridge, Essex	Farmers
Colin Thomson Fraser	an	Art and Antiques Company Director	Edinburgh, Midlothian	Cutlers
Stephen Brian Garside	a	Chartered Accountant	West Kensington, London	Clockmakers
Georgi Mariyan Georgiev	an	Energy Sector Quality Lead	Poplar, London	Gold & Silver Wyre Drawers
Daniel Scott Glaser	an	Operating Partner	New York City, New York, United States of America	Insurers
Thomas Edward Gray	a	Chartered Building Engineer	Battle, East Sussex	Chartered Architects
David Mark Greenhalgh-Todd	a	Solicitor	Hackney, London	Human Resource Professionals

Gerard Kevin Hanley	a Meat Trader	Ravensdale, County Louth, Ireland	Butchers
Dr Ryan Nicholas Harper	a Hedge Fund Manager	Ickleford, Hertfordshire	Girdlers
William Frederick George Hess	a Tax Adviser	South London Croydon,	Wax Chandlers
Brian John Holliday	a Pilot, retired	Heathfield, Sussex	East Air Pilots
Darren Neil Horobin	a Council Project Manager	Mickleover, Derby	Lightmongers
Timothy David How	an Army Officer	Fulham, London	Communicators
Tanyia Ingham	a Livery Company Clerk	Tonbridge, Kent	Joiners & Ceilers
Fen Jin	a Solicitor	North London Finchley,	Solicitors
Frederick Duncan Walker Joseph	a Systems Specialist	Fair Oak, Hampshire	Bakers
Tobias Elliott Kelly	a Turkey Farmer	Chelmsford, Essex	Poulters
Justin Edward Kerslake	a Chemical Manufacturing Company Director	Skipton, North Yorkshire	Launderers
Jonathan Robert Kingston	a Music Director	Banbury, Oxfordshire	Musicians
James Nicholas Cade Kramer	a Passive Fire Protection Engineer	Welwyn Garden City, Hertfordshire	Paviors
David Leathem	an Insurance Underwriter	Croydon, London	Insurers
Matthew Leopold	Adam a Head of Marketing	Wandsworth, London	Coopers
Francis Peter Liming	a Technical Services Director	Highbury and Islington, London	Ironmongers
Robert Charles Lodge	a Bus and Coach Company Director	Chelmsford, Essex	Carmen
Major Iain Macdonald McLean	a Casework Manager	Kilincadzow, Lanarkshire, Scotland	Launderers
Marco Mihira Namal Marambe	a Consulting Company Managing Director	Deals Gateway, London, Lewisham	Bakers
David Basil Margrett	an Insurance Broker, retired	Colchester, Essex	Insurers

Duncan James Marsh	a	Food Manufacturing Company Managing Director	St Albans, Hertfordshire	Butchers
Derek Terence Mathewson	an	Auctioneer	Scarborough, Yorkshire	North Carmen
Cliff James May	a	Meat Processing Company Sales Director	Loughton, Essex	Butchers
Matthew Richard Mayes	a	Social Impact Company Co-Founder	Brockley, London	Stationers & Newspaper Makers
Leanna Katie Miles	a	Transport Consultant	Nuneaton, Warwickshire	Carmen
Michaela Morris	a	Chief Nursing Officer	Fitzrovia, London	Nurses
Natasha Morrison	an	Innovation Manger	Stotfold, Hertfordshire	Information Technologists
Felicite Jane Murrant	a	Staff Nurse	Carlisle, Cumbria	Nurses
Angus Macdonald Moore Murray	a	Lawyer	Cambridge, Cambridgeshire	Tin Plate Workers Alias Wire Workers
Guy Simon Negretti	a	Consultant Ophthalmologist	Reigate, Surrey	Spectacle Makers
Neal Eric Neilinger	a	Banker	Greenwich, Connecticut, United States of America	Tobacco Makers Pipe & Tobacco Blenders
Bracken Idris Newman-Hirst	a	Residential Valuation Surveyor	Walthamstow, London	Chartered Surveyors
Benjamin Arthur Portnoy Noar	a	Design Engineer	Highgate, London	Scientific Instrument Makers
Professor James O'Higgins Norman	a	University Professor	Castleknock, County Dublin, Ireland	Educators
Dr Paul Henry Olding	a	Television Producer	Lee, London	Vintners
Yemisi Osho, MBE	a	Nurse	Romford, Essex	Nurses
Andrew Michael Paine	a	Sales Consultant	Havant, Hampshire	Butchers
Christopher David Patnoe	a	Technology Company Disability and Inclusion Lead	Belsize Park, London	Information Technologists

Jane Frances Patten	a Nurse & Midwife	Emsworth, Hampshire	Nurses
Dr Harsh Ram Pershad	a Motor Company Hydrogen Director	Wanstead, London	Salters
Christopher Philipsborn	Edwin a Communications Consultancy Managing Partner	Brighton, East Sussex	Communicators
Damian Robert Pickard	a Warehousing and Logistics Accountant	Northampton, Northamptonshire	Carmen
Keith Owen Povey	a Clerk of A Livery Company	Rochester, Kent	Chartered Secretaries & Administrators
John Herbert Prizeman	a Motor Trade Company Director, retired	Chandlers Ford, Hampshire	Masons
George Robertshaw	a Student	Peterborough, Cambridgeshire	Joiners & Ceilers
Nicholas Ernest Room	Anthony a Wine Industry Consultant	Sonning Common, Berkshire	Vintners
David Saunders	Jonathan a Customer Service Employee	Chigwell, Essex	Carpenters
Paul Daniel Sheedy	a Technology Company Chief Executive Officer	Woodford Green, Essex	Constructors
Caroline Sheridan	Fiona an Executive Coach and Mediator	Radlett, Hertfordshire	Human Resource Professionals
Caroline Shuldham, OBE	Mary a Health & Social Care Nurse	Cobham, Surrey	Nurses
Gordon Trevor Slater	a Chartered Tax Adviser, retired	Camden Town, London	Tax Advisers
Nicola Anne Squelch	a Life-Long Learning Head of Engagement	South Bermondsey, London	Human Resource Professionals
Dr Callum John Stirling	a Silicon Photonics Research Fellow	Southampton, Hampshire	Scientific Instrument Makers
Josephine Studham	Margaret a Registered Nurse/lecturer	New Malden, Surrey	Nurses
Angela Karen Taylor	a Management Consultant	Millhouses, Sheffield	Tin Plate Workers Alias Wire Workers

James Christian Goodiff Taylor	a Teacher	Hook, Hampshire	Gardeners
Laura Katherine Taylor	a Wine Merchant Company Director	Aylesbury, Buckinghamshire	Vintners
Suraya Tegally	a Solicitor	Grange Park, London	Solicitors
Dewi Myrddin Thomas	an Employee Volunteering Group C.E.O.	South Warnborough, Hampshire	Curriers
Mark Thompson	a Software Company Chairman and Director	Coldstream, Scotland	Wheelwrights
Graham Tomkins	a Warehouse Company Chief Executive Officer	Lapley, Staffordshire	Carmen
John Andrew Valentine	a Marketing Agency Co-Director	Bury St. Edmunds, Suffolk	Fruiterers
William Thomas Anthony Waller	a Construction and Engineer Chartered Surveyor	Winchester, Hampshire	Paviors
Fiona Mary Wallis	a Registered Nurse, retired	Helperby, Yorkshire	North Nurses
Emily Westphal Camilla	a Logistics Administrator	Sutton, London	Vintners
Christopher Wheeler William	a Watchmaker	Worthing, Sussex	Clockmakers
Timothy Paul Wheeler	a Horologist	Worthing, Sussex	Clockmakers
Christopher Whittaker John	a Lawyer	Brent, London	Solicitors
Andrew Wilkinson Philip	a Recruitment Company Director	Shenfield, Essex	Human Resource Professionals
Rhodri William Meurig Williams	a Door Manufacturing Company Technical Director	Sawbridgeworth, Hertfordshire	Joiners & Ceilers
Gary Paul Wyatt	a Business Consultant	Wimbledon, London	Vintners
Robert John Zipfel	a College Lecturer, retired	Thetford, Norfolk	Joiners & Ceilers

Application, Translation Mother Livery: Application of the following to be recorded as having Translated their Mother Livery Company from the Company of Fruiterers to the Company of Skinners:

Name	Companies
Keith David Forbes Bottomley	Wheelwrights to Pattenmakers

Read and Agreed to.

Application, Freeman in the Company named Application of the following to be recorded as a Freeman of the City in the Company named:-

Name	Company
Andrew Lester Ball	Butchers

Read and Agreed to.

Thanks to the Spital Sermon Preacher: **Resolved:** that the thanks of this Court be given to The Very Reverend Dr Robert Willis, lately retired as Dean of Canterbury Cathedral, for the Spital Sermon preached by him before this Court and the Governors of the several hospitals of this City, at the Guild Church of St Lawrence Jewry on Thursday, 9th March 2023.

Report – General Purposes Committee of Aldermen:

Petition of the Company of Nurses for Company with Livery Status

The Court of Aldermen considered a recommendation of the General Purposes Committee of Aldermen relative to the petition of the Company of Nurses for Company with Livery Status.

The General Purposes Committee had noted the resolutions of the Magistracy and Livery Sub Committee concerning the petition of the Company of Nurses to be constituted as a Livery Company of the City of London, and after some debate had agreed to bring forward the Company of Nurses' petition for final approval at its meeting of May 2024. The Chairman of the General Purposes Committee now therefore asked that this Court note the same and also agree to bring forward the petition for final approval and facilitate the Company of Nurses designation as the 111th Livery Company at its meeting of May 2023.

Resolved Unanimously: - That the Court of Aldermen support the bringing forward of the Company of Nurses petition for Company with Livery status for final consideration at their May 2023 meeting.

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Agenda Item 3

List of applicants for the Freedom of the City:

Name	Occupation	Address	Company
Jayne Victoria Abel	an Optometrist and Eyewear Company Chief Executive	Hagley, Worcestershire	Spectacle Makers
Jane Alison Adam	a Jewellery Designer	Teddington, Middlesex	Goldsmiths
Asif Ahmed	a Chartered Accountant	Aldenham, Hertfordshire	Chartered Accountants
Ahmed Rufai Abiodun Ajala	a Finance Director	Westminster, London	Fletchers
Shruti Ajitsaria	a Lawyer	Hampstead, London	Haberdashers
Ali Burak Akdemir	a Ship Owner	Nine Elms, London	Shipwrights
Kirsty Amanda Akroyd-Wallis	a Systems Engineer	Leighton Buzzard, Buckinghamshire	Engineers
Professor Peter Anthony Allen	an Academic	Bristol	Woolmen
Elizabeth Margaret Anderson	a Charity Chief Operating Officer	Longfield, Kent	Chartered Secretaries & Administrators
Alice Marguerite Archer	a Wine Company Sales Manager	Holt, Norfolk	Vintners
Stuart Barber	a Gunmaker	Kingswood, Surrey	Gunmakers
Dr Sarah Helen Barker	a Dentist	Dorchester, Dorset	Broderers
Briony Anne Courtenay Barnett	a Casting Director	Brent, London	Merchant Tailors
Simon Gregory Barrell	a Chartered Accountant	Warlingham, Surrey	Carmen
Jodi Lynn Bartin	a Corporate Finance Company Chief Executive	Fleet, Hampshire	Information Technologists
Michael Sudagar Basi	a Wealth Management Company Director	Brentwood, Essex	Fan Makers
Dr Wolfgang-Andreas Christian Bauer	a Fund Manager	Wimbledon, London	Salters
Kuljit Singh Bawa	a Software Company Regional Managing Director	Chesham, Buckinghamshire	Fan Makers
John Andrew Beckner	an Aerospace Company Chief Executive	Munich, Bavaria, Germany	Coachmakers & Coach Harness Makers

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Name	Occupation	Address	Company
Ashley Christopher Hodsoll Behagg	a Farmer	Huntingdon, Cambridgeshire	Farmers
Christopher Lawrence Bell	a Sea-Going Engineer, retired	Bradford On Avon, Wiltshire	Stationers & Newspaper Makers
Michelle Alexis Boothroyd	a Property Company Chief People Officer	Oxshott, Surrey	Human Resource Professionals
James Richard Bore	a Security Consultancy Director	Stanmore, London	Security Professionals
Helen Katharine Botfield	a Public Relations Consultant	Ealing, London	Glovers
Christian Dominic Boyd	a Clergy	Waukesha, Wisconsin, USA	Fletchers
Michelle Elizabeth Brampton	a Drinks Education Organisation Chief Executive	Teddington, Richmond-upon-Thames	Vintners
Gary Peter Brook	a Building Society Head of External Affairs	Horsforth, Leeds	Communicators
Janine Roxborough Bunce	a Public Relations Consultant	Westminster, London	Human Resource Professionals
Alexis Livingstone Burgess	a Wholesale Whisky Company Director	Hackney, London	Distillers
Kely Burman	a Midwife, retired	Orsett, Essex	Nurses
The Rt Hon The Lord Ian Duncan Burnett of Maldon	The Lord Chief Justice	Tolleshunt Knights, Essex	Drapers
Christopher Peter Alan Burton	an Estate Agency Partner	Thames Ditton, Surrey	Cutlers
Simon David Burton	an Executive Search Company Director	Eltham, London	Stationers & Newspaper Makers
Iona Helen Campbell	a Charity Event Manager	Battersea, London	Tallow Chandlers
John Burnet Campbell	an Architect, retired	Cellardyke, Fife, Scotland	Carpenters
George David De Lerisson Cazenove	a Communication Company Director	Fulham, London	Dyers

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Name	Occupation	Address	Company
André Eugene Chapman	a Distillery Managing Director	Bexley, Kent	Distillers
Laurent Jean-Robert Charbonnier	a Mining Company Chief Commercial Officer	Westminster, London	Tobacco Pipe Makers & Tobacco Blenders
Richard James Charlesworth	an Investment Company Director	Greenwich, London	Stationers & Newspaper Makers
Himanshu Chopra	a Shipping Company Managing Director	Pinner, Middlesex	Shipwrights
Mathew Robert Coleman	an Eye Surgery Company Marketing Director	Southwater, West Sussex	Spectacle Makers
Amy Rose Cook	a Nurse	Peckham, London	Nurses
Dr Frederick John Cooper	an Engineering Manager	Gloucester, Gloucestershire	Tin Plate Workers Alias Wire Workers
Jason Thomas Joseph Court	a Director of Development	Purley, Surrey	Stationers & Newspaper Makers
David John Cox	a Solicitor	Lincoln, Lincolnshire	Carmen
Arnold Eric Craven	a Gas Industry Public Affairs Manager	Wakefield, West Yorkshire	Communicators
Commodore Andrew Martin Cree, CBE	a Royal Navy Officer	Fareham, Hampshire	Merchant Tailors
Thomas Patrick Crotty	a Chemical Company Director	Bunbury, Taporley, Cheshire	Salters
Diana McKeown Cummings	a Musician and Music Teacher	Kilburn, London	Musicians
Sally Diane Cumner	a Telematics Company Sales and Marketing Director	Cheltenham, Gloucestershire	Carmen
Keith Russell Dalton	a Training Consultancy Company Director	Felmersham, Bedfordshire	Cutlers
Sean Brendan Daly	an Electrical Contracting Company Director	Enfield, London	Constructors

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Christopher James William Daniels	a Machine Learning & Drones Entrepreneur	Marylebone, London	Entrepreneurs
Juan Francisco Dávila Y Verdin	an Education Organisation Director	Ealing, London	Information Technologists
Michael Durham Davison	a Solicitor	Tooting, London	Solicitors
Omar John De Bary	a Human Resources Professional	Nuremberg, Bavaria, Germany	Human Resource Professionals
Olivier Pierre Décombes	an Insurance Loss Adjusting Firm Director	Tower Hamlets, London	Joiners & Ceilers
Professor Timothy John Denison	a Professor of Engineering Science	Oxford, Oxfordshire	Scientific Instrument Makers
Stephen Mark Dixon	an Archivist, retired	Harwich, Essex	Stationers & Newspaper Makers
Margaret Christine Dorman	an NHS Director of Nursing	Camberwell, London	Nurses
Farren Dominic Francis Drury, MBE	a Management Consultancy Company Founder	Westbury, Wiltshire	Distillers
Peter Edward Duff	a Construction Company Chief Financial Officer	Reigate, Surrey	Turners
Joseph Paul Dunn	a Chartered Engineer	Havant, Hampshire	Engineers
Vivian Marie Eiroa Flefil	a Cigar Company Business Manager	Kensington, London	Tobacco Pipe Makers & Tobacco Blenders
Ann Margaret Elmer	a Tax Adviser	Highgate, London	Tax Advisers
Peter David Fanning	a Chartered Institute of Taxation C.E.O, retired	Leytonstone, London	Tax Advisers
Felix Franz-Josef Filson	a Student	Lund, Sweden	Plumbers
Olga Maria Filson	a Student	Lulea, Sweden	Plumbers
Isobel Lucy Fish	a Criminal Paralegal	Cobham, Surrey	Girdlers

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Name	Occupation	Address	Company
Nora Flanagan, OBE, KC	a Director of Nursing	Beckenham, Kent	Nurses
Michael Walter Fleckney, JP	a Fire and Rescue Company Consultancy Director	Biggin Hill, Kent	Air Pilots
Sian Louise Johnston Flynn	a Curator	Sevenoaks, Kent	Joiners & Ceilers
Dr Adrian Ford	an Information Technology Manager	Essex Wharf, London	Information Technologists
Andre Radiah Ford	a Civil Servant	Essex Wharf, London	Tylers & Bricklayers
Helen Louise Forrest	a Training and Communications Manager	Hampton Magna, Warwickshire	Salters
Kristina Louise Foster	a Real Estate Fund Manager	Cheam, Surrey	Chartered Surveyors
James Christopher Fowler	an Educational Consultant	Denham, Buckinghamshire	Merchant Taylors
Clunie Fretton	a Sculptor, Woodcarver and Gilder	Fitzrovia, London	Joiners & Ceilers
Wing Commander Peter Huw Gilbert, QVRM TD DL	a General Practitioner	Rochester, Kent	Apothecaries
Andrew Simon Giles	a Quantity Surveyor	Rochester, Kent	Constructors
William Glover, JP	an Academic	Reigate, Surrey	Farriers
Janet Susan Hails	a Teacher and Charity Trustee	Reigate, Surrey	Glovers
Imran Ismail Hakim	an Optometrist and Entrepreneur	Bolton, Lancashire	Spectacle Makers
Jarmila Caroline Vera Halovsky-Yu	a Marketing Consultancy Managing Director	Lightwater, Surrey	Marketors
Grant David Hannaford	an Optician	Glen Alpine, New South Wales, Australia	Spectacle Makers
Thanh Da-Thao Hannaford	an Optometrist	Glen Alpine, New South Wales, Australia	Spectacle Makers

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Carrie Lynn Hartle	an Investment Manager	Teddington, Richmond-upon-Thames	Chartered Surveyors
Gary Patrick Hayden	a Building Company Director	Dagenham, Essex	Joiners & Ceilers
Robert John Stanley Hearnden	a Chartered Surveyor	Petham, Kent	Constructors
Linda Grace Henry	a Human Resources Manager	Shenfield, Essex	Human Resource Professionals
Justin Daniel Auffrey Heron	a Sales Manager	Liverpool, Mersey Side	Shipwrights
Irene Dorothy Heywood Jones	a Nurse Educator, retired	Pinner, Middlesex	Nurses
Dr Robina Kate Hiscocks	a Consultant Physician	Ramsbury, Wiltshire	Haberdashers
Gregory Lionel Hobbs	a Director of Brewing	Hackney, London	Brewers
Barry Holt	a Management Consultant	Blandford Forum, Dorset	Gold & Silver Wyre Drawers
Bernard Maurice Howard	a Recruitment Company Executive	Hampstead, London	Entrepreneurs
Steven David Howling	a Chartered Surveyor	Alresford, Hampshire	Chartered Surveyors
Briony Elizabeth Hudson	a Museum Director	Princes Risborough, Buckinghamshire	Apothecaries
Keith William Hutchinson	a Naval Architect and Ship Designer	Hebburn, Tyne and Wear	Shipwrights
Dr Frances Catherine Hyde	a Senior Lecturer	Colchester, Essex	Marketors
Himanshu Jain, DL	a Technology Consultant	Barking, London	Information Technologists
Damian James	an Analytics Company Director	Wilmslow, Cheshire	Arbitrators
Dr Philip Michael Jeffrey	a Patent Attorney	Brighton, East Sussex	Gunmakers
Neal Martin Jennion	a Management Consultant	Cambridge, Cambridgeshire	Coachmakers & Coach Harness Makers

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Vice Admiral, Sir Clive Charles Carruthers Johnstone, KBE, CB, CBE	an Engineering Consultancy Group Strategy Director	Fleet, Hampshire	Shipwrights
Stuart Michael Jolly	an Optical Retail Strategy Consultant	Cumming, Georgia, USA	Spectacle Makers
Clifford James Jones	a Sustainability Director	Dormansland, Surrey	Human Resource Professionals
David Allan Jones	a Construction Industry Forum Chief Executive	Wrea Green, Lancashire	Constructors
Anne Mary Kaiser	a Legal Services Project Manager	Colchester, Essex	Fletchers
Dr Sunil Tulsidas Kakkad	a Dental Surgeon	Edgware, Middlesex	Needlemakers
Michael Anthony Keisner	a Manufacturing Companies Group Chairman	Elstree, Hertfordshire	Constructors
Kyriakos Kostarelos	a Tax Adviser	Tallaght, Dublin, Ireland	Tax Advisers
Daphne Latreille	a Manufacturing Company Director	Battle, East Sussex	Nurses
Naomi Alicia Laurie	a Drinks Company Sales and Marketing Director	Amstelveen, The Netherlands	Distillers
Melissa Luvinia Lawrence	a Charity Chief Executive	Finsbury Park, London	Communicators
Jacqueline Elizabeth Leitch	a Human Resources Company Director	Welwyn Garden City, Hertfordshire	Human Resource Professionals
Leo Henry Arthur Leman	an Information Technology Consultant	Stratford, London	Innholders
Paul Nicholas David Lewis	a Publisher	Brighton, East Sussex	Stationers & Newspaper Makers
Elisabeth Laura Lewis-Jones	a Public Relations Company Director	Bromsgrove, Worcestershire	Communicators
Dr Margarette Ellen Lincoln	a Writer and Historian	Deptford, London	Stationers & Newspaper Makers
Tamasin Bernardine Little	a Solicitor, retired	Twickenham, Middlesex	Haberdashers

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Crispin Henry Joseph Lyden-Cowan	an Accounting Firm Partner	Putney, London	Tallow Chandlers
Russell John Macdonald	a Chief Technologist	Lancing, West Sussex	Information Technologists
Mary Elisabeth Mackaness	an Estate Agent, retired	Lutterworth, Leicestershire	Framework Knitters
Shaun Richard Mackaness	a Livery Company Clerk, retired	Lutterworth, Leicestershire	Framework Knitters
Dr Matthew Buckingham Matson	a Hospital Consultant	Loughton, Essex	Apothecaries
Helen Emily Maxwell	a Technical Manager	Yateley, Hampshire	Butchers
His Honour Judge Simon Peter Mayo, KC	a Senior Circuit Judge	Woodford Green, London	Pewterers
Richard Jeffrey Mayson	a Wine Writer	Ashford in the Water, Derbyshire	Vintners
Robert James McCarthy	a Digital Consultant	Tewkesbury, Gloucestershire	Pattenmakers
Charlotte Elizabeth Theresa McGonigle	a Group Marketing Manager	Twickenham, Richmond-upon-Thames	Farriers
Joshua Peter McGonigle	a Head of Planning	Twickenham, Richmond-upon-Thames	Farriers
Melinda McLean	a Hotelier	Woking, Surrey	Communicators
James Stanley Gibson McMeckan	a Builders Merchants Director	West Horsley, Surrey	Builders Merchants
Rupert Kenneth McNeil	a Battery Recycling Company Chairman	Oxford, Oxfordshire	Haberdashers
Marie Christine McWhinney	a Nutritionist	Clerkenwell, London	Cooks
Steven Carl Meyerhoff Victoria Helen Middleton	a Solicitor a Forensic Accountant	Longridge, Lancashire Islington, London	Carmen Chartered Accountants
Christopher Frank Miller-Jones	an Investment Adviser	Fritwell, Oxfordshire	Barbers
Dimple Mistry	a Head of Human Resources	Hatfield, Hertfordshire	Human Resource Professionals

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Name	Occupation	Address	Company
Helen Emma Jacqueline Mitchell	a Human Resources Professional	Silvertown, London	Human Resource Professionals
Agnes Virag Moricz	a Leather Goods Designer	Hackney, London	Curriers
Mark Aaron Murawski	a Military Officer	Arlington, Virginia, USA	Fletchers
Ulrike Maria Murphy	a City of London Guide	Belsize, London	Stationers & Newspaper Makers
Major John Nevitt	an Army Officer	Talbot Green, Pontyclun, Wales	Launderers
Elizabeth Anne Newton	an Executive Coach	Westminster, London	Human Resource Professionals
Suk Nyan Ng	a Graduate Student	Oxford, Oxfordshire	Water Conservators
Richard David Nicholl	a National Trust Senior Engineering Consultant	Craigavon, County Armagh, Northern Ireland	Engineers
Turlough Nolan	a Civil Engineer	Blessington, County Wicklow, Ireland	Gunmakers
Eleanor Patricia Mary O'Connor	a Spiritual Teacher	Chalfont St. Giles, Buckinghamshire	Educators
Dr Anil Kumar Ohri	an Entrepreneur	Salisbury, Wiltshire	Entrepreneurs
Alexander James Ormston	an Investment Banker	Harpenden, Hertfordshire	International Bankers
Colin David Page	a Wholesale Meat Company Director	Portsmouth, Hampshire	Butchers
Stephen Paul De Graeve Patrick	a Leather Company Director	Sutton Coldfield, West Midlands	Curriers
Jessica Elizabeth Sarah Pay	a Scrivener Notary	Upper Holloway, London	Scriveners
James Melville John Petrie	an Insurance Company Director	East Grinstead, West Sussex	Ironmongers
Simon John Phillips	a Pet-Care Services Retail Logistics Manager	Tamworth, Staffordshire	Carmen
Dr Feargus Alexander Croft Pitcher	a Hospital Doctor	Sheffield, South Yorkshire	Gunmakers
Eleanor Eve Pomeroy	a Financial Public Relations Consultant	Kensington, London	Fletchers

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Helen Diana Reader	a Master Saddler	Carmarthen, Carmarthenshire, Wales	Saddlers
Paul James Reeve	a Trade Association Director	Maidenhead, Berkshire	Lightmongers
Michael Sean Robinson	a Teacher, retired	Tring, Hertfordshire	Merchant Taylors
Andrew John Ross	a Banker	Gerrards Cross, Buckinghamshire	Plumbers
Samuel Peter Rowe	a Fruit Marketing Company Chief Executive	Towcester, Northamptonshire	Fruiterers
John William Rowland	a Political Consultancy Company Director	Weybridge, Surrey	Communicators
Professor James Mark Saker	a Professor of Retail Management, retired	Knighton, Leicester	Coachmakers & Coach Harness Makers
Richard Benjamin Savage	an Entrepreneur	Hampstead	Entrepreneurs
Faris Peter Sawa	a Construction Business Development Director	Guildford, Surrey	Plasterers
Dr Emma Louise Sceats	a Sales and Marketing Company Vice President	Hemel Hempstead, Hertfordshire	Salters
Helen Ruby Scott	a Red Meat Company Regional General Manager	Bedford, Bedfordshire	Butchers
Christopher James Seaton	a Communications Company Director	Helpston, Cambridgeshire	Carmen
Julie Sefton	a Senior Banking Consultant	Chertsey, Surrey	International Bankers
Dr Cem Selcuk	a Head of Business Development	Duxford, Cambridge	Founders
Dipak Shah	an Accountancy Company Director	Virginia Water, Surrey	Tax Advisers
Jane Shepherd, MBE	a Public Resources Company Director	Calton, Staffordshire	Communicators

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Dr Douglas Crawford Simmonds	a Food Industry Technical Director, retired	Pocklington, York	Drapers
Nicholas John Skinner	a Human Resources Professional	Blackheath, London	Human Resource Professionals
Benedict James Christopher Skipper	a Written and Communications Principal	Elston, Nottinghamshire	Communicators
David Raymond Small	a Medical Device Regulation Consultancy Chief Executive	Blackpool, Lancashire	Spectacle Makers
Christopher John Sokol, KC	an Antiquarian Bookseller	Mayfair, London	Tobacco Pipe Makers & Tobacco Blenders
Richard Donal Spilsbury	a Chartered Accountant	Bath	Stationers & Newspaper Makers
Andrew Colin Streeter	a Packaging Innovation and Consultancy Director	Saffron Walden, Essex	Stationers & Newspaper Makers
Matthew Thomas Strickland	a Distiller	Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, USA	Distillers
John Bairstow Sugden	a Tailoring Company Director and Owner	Beauly, Inverness-Shire, Scotland	Weavers
Keir Morton Sword	a Whisky Merchant, retired	Carlops, Peeblesshire, Scotland	Distillers
Professor Kathleen Elizabeth Tanner, OBE	a Biomedical Materials Professor	Shadwell, London	Engineers
Jai Thakrar	a Produce Importer and Distributor	Gerrards Cross, Buckinghamshire	Fruiterers
Professor Angela Eleine Thomas, OBE	a Paediatric Haematologist, retired	Edinburgh, Scotland	Apothecaries
James Alexander Thompson-Schwab	an Estate Owner, retired	Goudhurst, Kent	Gunmakers
Eileen Edith Tipping	a Property and Funicular Railway Director	Beccles, Suffolk	Plumbers

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Name	Occupation	Address	Company
Clare Davina Rose Tollemache	a Photographer	Belgravia, London	Woolmen
James Justin Turpin	a Chartered Surveyor	Hurstbourne Tarrant, Hampshire	Chartered Surveyors
Kenneth William Vally	a Start-Up Company Consultancy Owner	Hitchin, Hertfordshire	Entrepreneurs
Dr Albin Edwin Wallace	a Teacher, retired	Titchmarsh, Northamptonshire	Educators
Jeannette Marie Warner, DL	a Printing Company Director	Oakham, Rutland	Stationers & Newspaper Makers
Richard Graham Wassell	an Oil Engineer	Ashtead, Surrey	Fuellers
Francis William West	a Cyber Security Company Director	Chipperfield, Hertfordshire	Information Technologists
Margaret Philipa White	a Banker, retired	Saint James, London	International Bankers
Richard John White	a Construction Company Director	Christchurch, Dorset	Constructors
Robert Ronald Wilkinson	a Property Investment Company Director	Broadstairs, Kent	Master Mariners
Nicholas David Oliver Williams, TD JP DL	an Engineering Company Director, retired	Hope Valley, Derbyshire	Ironmongers
Stuart Kenneth Mathieson Williams	a Commercial Property Company Director	Tower Hamlets, London	Tylers & Bricklayers
Christopher Barry Wilton	an Energy Sector Delivery Consultant	Maidenhead, Berkshire	Cutlers
James Edward Winspear	an Airline Pilot	Langton Green, Kent	Air Pilots
Elena Marie Aenida Woods	a Nurse, retired	Sutton, Surrey	Nurses
Trevor Winston Worth	a Legal Services Company Director	Plymouth, Devon	Entrepreneurs
Luke Jeremy Wren	an Optical Practices Head of Business Development	Clitheroe, Lancashire	Spectacle Makers
Christina Yeardley	a Home Maker	Hotham, East Yorkshire	Carmen

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Name	Occupation	Address	Company
Peter John Zanatta	a Telecommunication s Consultant	Hammersmith, London	Coachmakers & Coach Harness Makers

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Committee(s): Court of Aldermen	Dated: 15 May 2023
Subject: Report of Action Taken: Appointment of Secondary and Applications for Freedom of the City (in the companies named)	Public
Which outcomes in the City Corporation’s Corporate Plan does this proposal aim to impact directly?	N/A
Does this proposal require extra revenue and/or capital spending?	No
If so, how much?	N/A
What is the source of Funding?	N/A
Has this Funding Source been agreed with the Chamberlain’s Department?	N/A
Report of: Town Clerk	For Information
Report author: Gemma Stokley, Principal Governance and Member Services Manager	

Summary

This report advises Members of action taken by the Town Clerk, in consultation with the Chairman of the Court of Aldermen, in accordance with Standing Order No. 46 (Court of Aldermen).

Recommendation:- That Members note the decision taken in accordance with the Court of Aldermen’s Standing Order No.46 to approve a) the Appointment of the Secondary and b) applications for Freedom of the City (in the companies named).

Main Report

Appointment of Secondary

Background and reason for urgency:

1. The post of Secondary has been vacant since 2017 when the previous postholder left the City Corporation’s employment. At the request of the Chairman, the Remembrancer raised the concept of re-engaging the position at the General Purposes Committee of Aldermen meeting on 7 February 2023. He added at the time that this would potentially require an alteration to an Act of Common Council and that he was discussing the matter further with the Recorder of London. He reported that appointment to this position was within the remit of the Court of Aldermen and that he would look to report back further on this to this Committee in due course.

2. The Chairman of the General Purposes Committee confirmed that discussions on the position had been pursued with past Sheriff Fiona Adler who the Recorder had also agreed would be an appropriate appointee. At the time, the

Aldermen stated that they would be extremely supportive of having this role reinstated.

3. Following the discussion and supportive steer offered at the General Purposes Committee, the Chairman asked that the Remembrancer seek the opinion of the law officers on the current status of the post of Secondary.. In short, the opinion sets out that the post of Secondary is now a sinecure - an honorary position devoid of all but notional duties. The post is in the appointment of the Court of Aldermen.
4. This being the case, the Chairman of the General Purposes Committee of Aldermen was keen to confirm the appointment of Ms Fiona Adler as Secondary on an honorary basis with immediate effect. The City of London Sheriffs' Society were hosting their AGM and lunch on 13th April 2023. As part of the agenda here, they formally elect a new Chairman of the Society. It was also considered opportune to be able to announce the appointment of a Secondary on this same occasion as opposed to awaiting the next meeting of the General Purposes Committee and Court of Aldermen to be held on 15th May to confirm this.
5. The Chairman was not of the view that a special meeting was necessary to discuss the proposal given the strong support already voiced for it at the February General Purposes Committee meeting. He did, however, seek the views of all Aldermen via email as to this proposal ahead of its formal consideration under urgency. Responses received were all supportive with some suggestion that the arrangement should be reviewed after one year to ascertain how it was working and a call for the Remembrancer to present a new Job Description of sorts for the honorary position of Secondary in due course.

Action Taken:

6. In accordance with Standing Order no.46, on 6th April 2023 following consultation with Alderman Sir William Russell (as Chairman of the General Purposes Committee of Aldermen) and the Rt. Hon. The Lord Mayor, Alderman Nicholas Lyons the Town Clerk agreed that: -

“The General Purposes Committee of Aldermen recommend to the Court of Aldermen that Fiona Adler be appointed as Secondary on an honorary basis with immediate effect with the position, as re-engaged, to be reviewed by the General Purposes Committee by no later than May 2024.

In turn, the Court of Aldermen, in noting the recommendation of the General Purposes Committee of Aldermen, approved the appointment of Fiona Adler as Secondary on an honorary basis with immediate effect”.

Applications for Freedom of the City (in the companies named)

Background and reason for urgency:

7. In light of the decision earlier this year to shift the May 2023 meeting of the Court of Aldermen originally scheduled for 2nd May 2022, to 15th May 2023, on account of the two Bank Holiday periods at the beginning of the month, a small number of applications for Freedom of the City in the Companies named required approval by the Court of Aldermen under urgency.
8. As arrangements for admission/ 'clothing' ceremonies had already been made by some Livery companies, based on the Court of Aldermen dates originally communicated to them by the Chamberlain's Court in October 2022, a deferment of consideration of the applications could result in significant inconvenience to both the applicants and their respective companies and ultimately generate a backlog of freedom application ceremonies which would have to be managed at a later date. Thus, approval of the list of applications was sought in accordance with the Court of Aldermen's Standing Orders (46).
9. The list of three applications for Freedom of the City (in the Companies named) that required approval ahead of the 15th May Court of Aldermen meeting is as set out below:

Ref	Name	Livery	Adm Details	Court Date
2022548A	KATHERINE FAITH-BASTEA DIMANDESCU	The Worshipful Company of Stationer...	2023-05-05 12:00	2023-05-02
20221764A	RICHARD NICHOLAS JAMES GRAHAM	The Worshipful Society of Apothecaries	2023-05-05 10:30	2023-05-02
2023297A	THOMAS EDWIN HULME	The Worshipful Company of Fruiterers	2023-05-11 14:00	2023-05-02

Action taken:

10. In accordance with Standing Order no.46, on 24 April 2023 the Lord Mayor (on behalf of the Court of Aldermen) was consulted by the Town Clerk about the list of applications for Freedom of the City (in the companies named). Thereafter, on 26 April 2023, approval was granted by the Town Clerk for the above list of three applications for Freedom of the City (in the Companies named) and for the Clerk to the Chamberlain's Court to be instructed accordingly so that their admission ceremonies may take place as planned on 5th and 11th May respectively..

Conclusion:

11. Members are asked to note the decisions taken in accordance with the Court of Aldermen's Standing Order No.46 to appoint a Secondary and to approve applications for Freedom of the City (in the companies named).

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