

Liberal Party Special Assembly – 4th July 2020

UK Green Scrappage Scheme

"The Liberal Party would like to push Britain's Green environmental goals and projects to reduce our impact on the environment and reduce the nation's Carbon Footprint.

We propose and support a 'Scrappage scheme' for 'White goods' and televisions to replace them with new, energy efficient alternatives of a rating of A and above.

These measures not only allow for an individual effort on a national level for Britain's environmental pledges, but also help reduce their energy bill with less income being spent and more being kept as disposable income, uplifting those who would benefit from it best.

As a party, we are conscious that any goods that are replaced should be of 10 years age or have reached the end of their useful life and should not be prematurely retired as this a waste of resources already invested in their manufacture and adds to disposal and transport costs. Any good received must be repurposed or recycled after collection.

We believe that such a scheme should emphasize UK manufactures over imports and should run from the 1st January 2021 to coincide with the end of the transition period with the European Union"

Policy Development Committee

Loss of Domestic Gardens to Developments

The Liberal Party is concerned with the loss of Domestic gardens which are being developed as new housing. It calls for Planning Law to be amended to stop the practice. Domestic gardens should not be regarded as Brown Field Sites. There is concern that Developers are deliberately purchasing houses with large gardens for the purpose of such development.

The Liberal Party also condemns the practice of demolishing bungalows to be replaced with houses when there is a severe shortage of bungalows for the use of the disabled and senior citizens.

Planning authorities should be mindful of balanced and sustainable communities in a local plan.

Camborne/Redruth Constituency Liberal Association.

Emergency Motion – China The Unreliable Partner

In light of the People's Republic of China passing security laws which disregard the 1997 enacted Sino British joint agreement relating to the administration of Hong Kong and its one country two system principles,

the Liberal Party believes the People's Republic of China to be an unreliable partner in regards to international agreements and calls for the UK government to:

Take steps to regenerate a world class British telecom's industry and to withdraw the offer of a 5G deal to Huawei as this may compromise our national security.

We also reiterate our call for Hong Kong's British Nationals Overseas passport holders and their families to be offered full and unconditional UK citizenship.

Moved by Paul Bradshaw Seconded by Steve Radford