



University of Leicester Students’ Union Policy Folder March 2023



If you have any queries regarding any of the policies or wish to get involved with the ongoing implementation of the policies email [su-voice@le.ac.uk](mailto:su-voice@le.ac.uk) 

Contents

[Strike Funding 3](#_Toc131156307)

[Climate Emergency 4](#_Toc131156308)

[Free Education 5](#_Toc131156309)

[International Volunteering Opportunities 6](#_Toc131156310)

[Children-friendly room 7](#_Toc131156311)

[Children-friendly room 7](#_Toc131156312)

[Bianca-Eugenia Semczuk 7](#_Toc131156313)

[Student Support for UCU Strikes 9](#_Toc131156314)

[Student Support for UCU Strikes 9](#_Toc131156315)

[adnan rahman, education officer 9](#_Toc131156316)

[Wasted Food 12](#_Toc131156317)

[Boycott The Sun Newspaper until Page 3 is removed 13](#_Toc131156318)

[Black Role Models 15](#_Toc131156319)

[To support the campaign for DSA 16](#_Toc131156320)

[Workers’ Rights Consortium 17](#_Toc131156321)

[Leafleting during Elections 18](#_Toc131156322)

[To make exams fairer for all by implementing an ‘exams48’ policy 19](#_Toc131156323)

[Support for the Prescription Charges Coalition 20](#_Toc131156324)

[Listing the full ingredients on all products in the Library Café and Delicious 22](#_Toc131156325)

# Strike Funding

**Renewal Date: 2023/24**

This motion instructs the Students’ Union to initiate a debate with the University over how the funds generated from striking staff salaries should be used and this debate should be steered by the discussion in this room tonight

* Disabled students (82)
* Mental Health(69)
* Environmental support (67)
* International students (66)
* Refugees and asylum seekers(58)
* UCU Strike fund (50)
* Commuter Students (42)
* Sports inclusion fund – passed (30)
* Security with focus on library – not passed (10)
* Opportunities fund – not passed (7)

# Climate Emergency

**Renewal Date: 2023/24**

This motion instructs the Students’ Union to declare a Climate Emergency and develop an action plan to demonstrate how it will build solidarity with the University and other Universities in tackling the crisis facing our planet

# Free Education

**Renewal Date: 2023/24**

This motion instructs the Students’ Union to reaffirm its commitment to the principle that access to a University education should be free and ensure this is built into its education strategy for the years ahead

# International Volunteering Opportunities

**Renewal Date: 2023/24**

This motion instructs the Students’ Union to cease offering international volunteering opportunities, due to the environmental impact and damage to the infrastructure of countries impacting by voluntourism

# Children-friendly room

**Renewal Date: 2023/24**

|  |
| --- |
| Children-friendly room |
| |  |  | | --- | --- | | Bianca-Eugenia Semczuk | | | ***Overview*** | Due the disadvantage the students with dependent children are put at, I proposed the idea of a children-friendly room - a space where the parents in the presence of their kids can have access to the library’s facilities, be able to study and do their assignments. | | ***Facts*** | 1. According to HESA\*, in the academic year 2017/2018, the University of Leicester admitted 5430 mature students out of the total amount of 5580. (see appendix A) 2. Such children-friendly rooms already exist in some universities, such Sussex, Derby or Aberdeen. 3. The idea had 3 positive comments from students with kids, all of them supporting the concept. (see appendix B) 4. On paper, there are many grants, allowances or scholarships for students with children. In reality, not everyone qualifies for them, especially some of the international students. (see appendix C)   \*HESA = Higher Education Student Statistics (<https://www.hesa.ac.uk/>) | | ***Opinions*** | Our student body includes a large number of students with dependent children. They have to combine work, study and childcare commitments, which can be pretty challenging and overwhelming. Sometimes they have to stay extra hours after nursery/school studying for exams or writing assignments - which involves investing even more money in childcare or baby-sitting.  I strongly believe that students they are put at disadvantage around the campus, in particular when it comes to using the Library. I think that a family-friendly study space for the exclusive use of students with children would be extremely beneficial and help them improve their academic performance as well. | | ***Actions/Outcomes*** | 1. Immediate implementation of such room 2. We consider the security issues, therefore the access to the room would preferably be made by card access or a code provided only to the students applying for the utilities of such room. 3. The presence of a third party to look after kids is not requested, as the students would not leave their children unattended. 4. The parents can sign at the beginning a document stating that the university/library is not responsible for anything that happens. 5. The age range for the children: 0 to 12 6. Ideal venue: Library | |

# Student Support for UCU Strikes

**Renewal Date: 2023/24**

|  |
| --- |
| Student Support for UCU Strikes |
| |  |  | | --- | --- | | adnan rahman, education officer | | | ***Overview*** *(100 words)* | The University & College Union (UCU) which is the biggest representative union for academic lecturers, phD student researchers and professional staff have voted to strike nationally over the following issues:   * Pay * Pensions * Equalities (gender and race pay gaps) * Casualisation and Precarious Employment (phD students)   Each local branch has voted on whether to strike or not. Leicester UCU is one of 74 University branches that has voted in favour of 14 days of strike action commencing on Thursday 20th February. Student support is integral to successful disruption and overall better working & learning conditions for students & staff. | | ***Facts***  *Statements that are true, please provide appropriate references* | UCU has announced 14 days of strike action on the following dates:   * Week One: Thursday 20th and Friday 21st February * Week Two: Monday 24th, Tuesday 25th and Wednesday 26th February * Week Three: Monday 2nd, Tuesday 3rd, Wednesday 4th and Thursday 5th March * Week Four: Monday 9th, Tuesday 10th, Wednesday 11th, Thursday 12th and Friday 13th March   Universities UK which is the national governing and representative board for British universities has asked that lecturers contribute more to their existing pensions deal.  Staff pay has declined by 17% over a decade, further compounded by gendered and racialized pay gaps. UCU are asking for a 3% increase in pay plus a cost of living pay rise. Comparatively, Vice-Chancellors across the UK got an average pay rise of 3.5% last year. (<https://www.nus.org.uk/en/news/press-releases/everything-you-need-to-know-about-the-ucu-strike/>)  The local UCU branch here have now agreed a deal with the University whereby any strike pay will now be deducted across five months and UCU will hold all protests on designated picket lines as opposed to protesting on and across campus.  The Students’ Union (SU) have agreed a mitigation deal with UCU and the University whereby students are not assessed on any topics that are not covered in lectures, that any lecturers going on strike communicate that to students and explain why. We have also asked that when asking students to not cross pickets in solidarity, that UCU bear in mind that students without EU passports need to sign in so as not to jeopardise any student’s license to remain in the country. More details of this can be found in Leicester UCU’s Strike Handbook - <https://www.uculeicester.org.uk/ucu/strike-handbook-feb-mar-2020/>  There will also be a pot of money, similar to last time, where we as an SU can decide how and where to prioritise that money – that is something we can present and explore in future union council meetings.  The National Union of Students (NUS) have already expressed solidarity with the UCU nationally - <https://www.nus.org.uk/en/news/press-releases/everything-you-need-to-know-about-the-ucu-strike/> | | ***Opinions***  *What should the Union think or believe on this topic/issue?* | The SU should stand in full solidarity with UCU and striking University staff, many of whom themselves are phD students on precarious contracts, as the conditions in which they teach & work are the conditions in which we learn. If our lecturers and support staff are unsupported and not valued, then they are unable to deliver the quality of education we all come to University for. | | ***Actions/Outcomes***  *What are the things you would like to see happen?* | Students should not cross pickets in solidarity but that is at an individual’s discretion.  Full-time Executive Officers would be mandated to support the strikes and not cross pickets – i.e. not attend any university meetings during strikes in university buildings, instead holding any meetings over the phone or in the SU office in solidarity, thereby remaining engaged with the University whilst maintaining solidarity with striking staff. | |

# Wasted Food

**Renewal Date: 2024/25**

**This Union Notes:**

1. That a signiﬁcant amount of food produced by the Studentsʼ Unionʼs commercial outlets is wasted each week due to not being purchased before the sell-by date.
2. That a signiﬁcant amount of food ordered for Studentsʼ Union events is wasted.
3. That the use of food banks is at a ʻrecord numberʼ.

**This Union Believes:**

* That wasted food is a bad thing, and that when possible, should be avoided.
* That no-one should have to go hungry because of the circumstances they ﬁnd themselves in.

**This Union Resolves:**

1. To mandate the Campaigns and Involvement Ofﬁcer to implement a regular food collection scheme similar to the one during the up-coming Go Green Week.
2. To mandate the Union Development Ofﬁcer to meet with the managers of the Studentsʼ Union commercial outlets to discuss food wastage.
3. To mandate the Campaigns and Involvement Ofﬁcer to work with local charities to provide those who cannot afford food with the otherwise wasted SU commercial food.
4. To mandate the Campaigns and Involvement Ofﬁcer to investigate supporting the ʻEnough Food IFʼ campaign.
5. To introduce a responsible food usage policy for Studentsʼ Union events.

**Proposed By**: Michael Rubin, Ofﬁcer without Portfolio – Social Sciences & Social Sciences College Rep

# Boycott The Sun Newspaper until Page 3 is removed

**Renewal Date: 2024/25**

**This Union Notes:**

1. There is a national campaign to remove Page 3 from The Sun Newspaper.
2. Over 29 Universities have boycotted The Sun until Page 3 is removed. These include: LSE, UCL, Manchester Met, Manchester University, Chester, Abertay, Birmingham City, Edinburgh, York St John, Dundee, Stirling, Cardiff, Durham, Sheffield, Newcastle, Essex, Cambridge University, University of East Anglia, Brasenose College, St Hugh’s College, New College, University College and St Edmund Hall, Oxford.[[1]](#footnote-1)
3. There is currently a campus campaign backing No More Page 3 with over 720 signatures.
4. Sexpression also back this campaign
5. The Irish Sun no longer have Page 3.
6. Since Page 3’s inception (1970), only 5 women of colour have been represented. That’s 5 out of over 2000 articles.
7. Until 2003, 16 year olds posed semi-naked for Page 3.
8. The Sun is a family newspaper.
9. Children can see Page 3.
10. Ex-glamour models support the No More Page 3 campaign.[[2]](#footnote-2)
11. Government-commissioned Sexualisation of Young People Review, Dr Linda Papadopoulos, February 2010: There is ‘a clear link between consumption of sexualised images, a tendency to view women as objects and the acceptance of aggressive attitudes and behaviour as the norm’.[[3]](#footnote-3)
12. Amongst many charities, the No More Page 3 national campaign is supported by charity, Zero Tolerance.

**This Union Believes:**

1. In promoting equality amongst students and does not promote/reinforce/tolerate sexism and misogyny any more than it should racism or homophobia.
2. Students should feel safe and confortable in an environment of education.
3. The support of students is essential in achieving an equal working environment.
4. When SU speaks up together they can influence national issues.
5. The Sun eroticizes violence against women. Case: Reeve Steenkamp placed on Page 1, scantily clad, the day she was murdered by her partner Oscar Pistorius. She was not named, merely referred to as ‘girlfriend of’ and ‘Pistorius’ Lover’. This case is not held in isolation.
6. The Sun promotes sexual violence/casual objectification of women. Personal stories of rape and humiliation spurred on by Page 3 can be found here: <http://page3stories.org/category/stories/>
7. Page 3 promotes one, very limited view of women and beauty.

**This Union Resolves:**

1. To boycott The Sun from all retail outlets in the union until Page 3 is removed from the paper.
2. To ask the University to back the National campaign.
3. To actively support a campaign around women’s objectification in the media, including No More Page 3.
4. Elicit support from future NUS delegates to back any action on No More Page 3 at national conference.
5. We are not BANNING The Sun. We are BOYCOTTING it until Page Three is removed.

# Black Role Models

**Renewal Date: 2024/25**

**This Union Notes:**

1. That racism occurs in the UK and across Europe.
2. That the UK media routinely victimises immigrants and people of colour.
3. That political parties that base the ideology on fascism are on the rise across the UK and Europe and that these organisations blame the loss of prosperity on the influx of immigrants.
4. Mainstream politicians and political party’s priorities changing to speaking aggressively about immigration and thus targeting black people for the ills of society and economy.
5. Through such a divisive discourse it is evident that black people have formed the target of a wide range of aspects of society as being a negative contributor.
6. The culmination of all of the above factors resulting in the rise of Far Right Political Parties at the European Elections.

**This Union Believes:**

1. Positive role models of Black people and leaders needs to be expressed to the current generation of decision makers.
2. The history and context of the struggle for equal rights for people of colour such as the Civil Rights Movement in America and the Anti-Apartheid movement in South Africa is provided.
3. The issue of racism needs to be explained again to a whole new generation that has been exposed to a Far Right discourse so that a balanced view may be more evident as a result.
4. Talk is easy so significant and institutional steps need to be taken to provide regular and physical reminders of positive images and role models for students, staff, partners and visitors to the University of Leicester Students’ Union.

**This Union Resolves:**

1. To mandate the BAME Officer to organise and promote a week long commemoration of Black History Month.
2. To mandate all the Executive Officers to promote this event.

# To support the campaign for DSA

**Renewal Date:2024/25**

**This Union Notes:**

1. Disabled Students’ Allowances (DSAs) are a non means-tested financial help for UK domiciled disabled students.
2. To receive DSA, students must prove they have a disability or long-term health condition, a mental health condition, or a specific learning disability such as dyslexia or dyspraxia.
3. In 2013, there were 215,370 disabled students in the UK, which represents 8.6% of all higher education students. However, only a minority (46%) of disabled students receive DSA.
4. Expenditure on DSA is already decreasing.
5. That we have 1472 students at the University of Leicester that are registered as disabled.
6. The NUS has begun a campaign to lobby MPs about these proposals.
7. The University of Leicester Students’ Union has already worked with Leicester College to get students to sign the following petition: <http://www.change.org/en-GB/petitions/the-government-leicester-students-against-disabled-students-allowance-dsa-cuts?share_id=bhhDlevJLv&utm_campaign=autopublish&utm_medium=facebook&utm_source=share_petition>
8. Currently we have had over 2000 people sign our ‘Leicester students against DSA cuts’ petition.
9. On Friday 30th May there was an event at the Clock Tower in which students talked with local people and asked them to sign the petition.
10. On Friday 30th May we also got Jon Ashworth MP to sign the petition.

**This Union Believes:**

1. The announced changes to the DSA will jeopardize disabled students’ access and success in higher education.
2. The loss of funding for specialist IT equipment and non-medical help threatens to make University a non-viable option for many disabled students who already face important financial difficulties.
3. Disabled students’ number one priority in choosing a University is access. Cutting DSA will offer less viable options for disabled students.
4. The circumstance of an individual’s birth should not define their chances in life and that this Union is committed to retaining DSA because without it Disabled students will struggle to get the same grades as non-disabled students.
5. No matter what a student’s race, gender, disability, sexual orientation, or financial situation every individual should have the same life chances as everyone else and that any changes in government policy which negatively affect social mobility must be challenged.

**This Union Resolves:**

1. To support the NUS campaign against the changes to the DSA.
2. To lobby MPs and to encourage students to lobby MPs to sign our petition.
3. To work with other groups and educational institutions in order to stop the changes to the DSA.

# Workers’ Rights Consortium

**Renewal Date: 2024/25**

**Notes**

* The Workers’ Rights Consortium monitors the supply chain of garments for institutions
* This monitoring helps tackle the exploitation of workers, including unfair and dangerous working conditions, the prevention of Unions.
* In April 2010 the WRC exposed Nike for failing to pay redundancy money to its employees. Through universities engaging with the company, Nike agreed to pay its redundant employees the wages they were legally owed. [[4]](#footnote-4)
* In 2011 WRC reports exposed several university suppliers for not paying the minimum wage in India to over 100,000 garment workers, which forced the Indian government to enforce minimum wages in the sector.[[5]](#footnote-5)
* 10 UK Universities have already affiliated with the WRC, including Edinburgh, Cardiff and Sheffield with others such as Swansea Union currently pressuring their institutions to.
* The University of Leicester Students’ Union is currently affiliated with Workers Rights’ Consortium through NUSSL along with 82 other Student Unions. [[6]](#footnote-6)
* A recent People and Planet Society campaign saw over 300 students call on the University to affiliate.

**Believes**

* That Higher Education Institutions have a social and ethical responsibility to ensure no one is exploited in delivering their aims.
* The Workers’ Rights Consortium is currently the most effective method of monitoring procurement of garments.

**Resolves**

* To lobby the University to affiliate with the Worker’s Rights Consortium.
* For the Students Union to affiliate with the Worker’s Rights Consortium independently if for whatever reason it was no longer affiliated through NUSSL.

Proposed by:  
  
James Farndon  
Campaigns and Involvement Officer

# Leafleting during Elections

**Renewal Date: 2024/25**

**This Union Notes:**

1. That there is currently no leafleting allowed in the Students’ Union Building.
2. Before an election the Students’ Union’s Executive meet up to decide whether to temporarily allow leafleting for the duration of the election process.
3. With the present apathy surrounding elections, if candidates are not allowed to leaflet in the Students’ Union building, less people would engage with the election process.
4. That this is not a very green policy.

**This Union Believes:**

1. That it is important to strive for a high turnout.
2. That leafleting allows candidates to reach more students.
3. That the Executive allow leafleting during elections anyway; a policy from Council ensures it always remains that way.
4. That leafleting in the Union is not the best or the only way to engage with the student body during an election campaign; however it contributes and remains important.
5. That appropriate steps should be taken to limit the impact on the environment.

**This Union Resolves:**

1. To allow leafleting in the Percy Gee Building, during cross campus Union-wide election campaigns.
2. For those running the elections to work hard to ensure that all leaflets are recycled.

# To make exams fairer for all by implementing an ‘exams48’ policy

**Renewal Date: 2024/25**

**This Union Notes:**

1. Many students face relentless examinations during both exam periods, this impacts on physical and mental wellbeing as well as exam performance.
2. Last year’s 2nd year Economics students had 5 exams in one week, during a 3 week long exam period. This is despite the fact that most Economics module grades are 100% based on exam performance.
3. Media students had 3 exams in 2 days this January, during the 2 week exam period.
4. Giving some students extra time than usual between exams will inevitably mean some students have less time between exams, however it will make examination periods fairer for all.

**This Union Believes:**

1. Exams should be a test of knowledge, not stamina.
2. That every student deserves a minimum of 48 hours between each examination they face, in order to mentally rest and recover.
3. The university should agree with us that every student deserves the same chance of success, and especially those whose degree class is solely decided on exam results should be enabled to achieve their best performance.

**This Union Proposes:**

1. That the policy of our Students’ Union should be ‘exams48’, to give every student a fair and equal chance of success.
2. Mandate the Academic Affairs officer to prioritise achieving this goal for the January exams, to lobby the university to implement this guarantee, and to report back to council on the progress at the penultimate council meeting of the term, or earlier.
3. Mandate the Camps and Invs officer to investigate making this a priority campaign for next year and to report his decision to council at the penultimate council meeting of term, or earlier.

Proposed by: Ryan O'Hare, Webmaster

# Support for the Prescription Charges Coalition

**Renewal Date: 2024/25**

**This Union Notes:**

1. In England, the current charge of one item of prescription medication on the NHS stands at £7.85.
2. Some English people are exempt from paying prescription charges on the grounds of having certain long-term health conditions such as cancer.
3. Most long-term health conditions however do not qualify the sufferer for a prescription charge exemption. These conditions include (but are not limited to): HIV, asthma, Crohn’s disease, long-term mental health conditions, and cystic fibrosis.
4. The Prescription Charges Coalition is a group of healthcare charities who are lobbying the government to extend prescription charge exemption to all people with long-term health conditions.
5. The Prescription Charges Coalition conducted an investigation published in 2014. Their findings included facts such as: 37% of those surveyed stated that the cost of their medication prevented them from taking it correctly, and 74% of that group explained that this impacted on their ability to work. 35% of those surveyed who paid for each individual prescription item had not collected medication because of the cost. [[7]](#footnote-7)
6. An earlier study by the Prescription Charges Coalition resulted in similar findings. Verbatim answers included statements such as : “I have used money allocated for gas and electricity and put these on emergency credit so that I could

have my prescriptions”, “I have had a couple of days off work to save the cost of petrol as I could not afford both.”, “I constantly worry over money especially having two small children to care for, we never have new clothes or any treats, I struggle to pay for little things for my child’s school even the £2 school disco.”, and ““I have had to borrow money to get them”.[[8]](#footnote-8)

1. Other similar research echoes the difficulties faced by people with long-term medical problems who are not exempt from paying prescription charges. For example, research by Rethink Mental Illness revealed that 38% of people with severe mental health problems have had to choose between buying their medication or paying household bills. Citizens Advice Bureau also found that in 2007 over 800,000 people in England failed to collect a prescription medicine because of the cost involved in doing so. [[9]](#footnote-9)

**This Union Believes:**

1. That access to free healthcare is a basic human right.
2. That the current prescription charges scheme particularly places an unfair burden on those with chronic health conditions and disabilities who as a result regularly require prescriptions.
3. Disabled people should never be unable to access their medication due to cost and that when they do this results in negative implications for society as a whole because their health may deteriorate further resulting in even more costly hospital stays and the inability to work.
4. Students of our union, particularly those with long-term health conditions, would benefit from further support and advice with regards to affording their prescription medication.

**This Union Resolves:**

1. To publicly support the Prescription Charges Coalition including raising awareness of the research it has done.
2. To mandate the relevant executive officer to write to the Prescription Charges Coalition to express our support as a Union for their campaign.
3. To mandate the relevant executive officer to e-mail our local MP(s) to ask them for their public support of the campaign using the template provided by the Prescription Charges Coalition. [[10]](#footnote-10)
4. To further publicise the existing opportunities for students to acquire partial or total exemption from prescription charges, and to mandate the relevant executive officer to inquire about the possibility of having the relevant forms on campus for people to fill out, ideally at big events such as Fresh Fair and to include information on how to apply for a Prescription Pre-Payment Certificate.

# Listing the full ingredients on all products in the Library Café and Delicious

**Renewal Date: 2024/25**

* Brought by the Free From Society

Overview

Currently, if you were to buy a sandwich from either Delicious or the Library Café, you would find that not all the ingredients in these products are listed. The products in both these cafes may say if they are Gluten Free, Vegan or Vegetarian, but they do not list every ingredient. This makes it difficult for students and staff with allergies and intolerances to be absolutely sure of what they are eating. The Free From society would like products in all campus outlets to have a full list of ingredients clearly labelled on each product. Failing this, a product booklet with ingredients listed which would be easily available for students to consult would at least be progress.

Facts:

1. Nearly 1 in 5 of the UK population consider themselves to have either a food allergy or a food intolerance.

2. The Free From society at the University is a new society this year which has been set up for those with dietary requirements.

3. By Law, food products which are packaged by the shop itself or are sold loose, must say if they contain any of the following allergens: celery, cereals, crustaceans, eggs, fish, lupin, milk, molluscs, mustard, nuts, peanuts, sesame seeds, soya beans or sulphur dioxide.

Opinions:

1. The Union should wish to cater for all its members without possibly causing illness because of bad labelling.

2. As a Coeliac UK accredited University, the Union should carry on its commitment to providing for all allergies and intolerances, not just the common ones. For example, some Coeliacs can eat oats whereas some can’t; it is unclear at the moment whether the products labelled ‘gluten free’ would be suitable for those Coeliacs who can’t eat oats.

3. The Union should give support to the new Free From Society who, new this year, are able to highlight issues surrounding food allergies which may previously have been overlooked or not raised.

Actions/Outcomes:

1. The Union should actively take part in discussions with the Free From Society and the management of these Catering Outlets to discuss the possible solutions.

2. We would like these outlets to provide clear labelling of all ingredients used on every product so that students and staff with food requirements can make safe choices.

3. If it becomes clear that labelling can’t be done, then a booklet should be provided at each catering outlet which can be easily accessible for students and which should list all the ingredients and allergens.

1. <http://nomorepage3.org/news/students-no-more-page-3-needs-you/> [↑](#footnote-ref-1)
2. <http://nomorepage3.org/news/comments-from-ex-topless-models/> [↑](#footnote-ref-2)
3. <http://dera.ioe.ac.uk/10738/1/sexualisation-young-people.pdf> [↑](#footnote-ref-3)
4. <http://blog.peopleandplanet.org/2010/04/nike-just-pay-it-the-worker-rights-consortium-in-action/> [↑](#footnote-ref-4)
5. <http://peopleandplanet.org/WRCFAQ> [↑](#footnote-ref-5)
6. <http://peopleandplanet.org/navid13694> [↑](#footnote-ref-6)
7. ‘Paying the Price – Prescription Charges and Employment’, the Prescription Charges Coalition, February 2014. http://www.prescriptionchargescoalition.org.uk/uploads/1/2/7/5/12754304/prescription\_charges\_and\_employment\_report\_feb\_2014.pdf [↑](#footnote-ref-7)
8. ‘Paying the Price – Prescription Charges and People with Long-Term Health Conditions’, the Prescription Charges Coalition, March 2013. http://www.prescriptionchargescoalition.org.uk/uploads/1/2/7/5/12754304/paying\_the\_price\_report.pdf [↑](#footnote-ref-8)
9. http://www.prescriptionchargescoalition.org.uk/ [↑](#footnote-ref-9)
10. http://e-activist.com/ea-action/action?ea.client.id=66&ea.campaign.id=19432 [↑](#footnote-ref-10)