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Post Office (Horizon System) Compensation Bill (Amendment Paper)

This document lists all amendments tabled to the Post Office (Horizon System) Compensation Bill. Any withdrawn amendments are listed at the end of the document. The amendments are arranged in the order in which it is expected they will be decided.

★ New Amendments.

New Amendments: 1 and NC1

Mr Kevan Jones

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★ Clause 1, page 1, line 7, at end insert—

“(c) to provide for an independent inquiry into alleged errors by the Post Office beyond the Horizon system.”

Mr Kevan Jones

NC1

★ To move the following Clause—

“Eligibility of potential claimants

The Secretary of State must amend the schemes to which this Act applies to ensure that—

- (a) all persons affected by the Horizon system who have had their convictions quashed are compensated on the same basis, regardless of the rationale of the decision to quash the conviction; and
- (b) all persons affected by the Horizon system with extant convictions relating to the Horizon system are compensated on the same basis as those claimants with quashed convictions, with the exception of those claimants whose convictions were based on clear, compelling and corroborated evidence.”