

UKIP MANIFESTO SUMMARY

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BREXIT: a complete and total withdrawal from the European Union and all its agencies

NHS

- end of health tourism
- termination of PFI contracts
- end of ruinous US-style litigation in favour of Australian-based system
- abolition of hospital car-parking charges

SOCIAL CARE

- increased funding by £2bn per annum to pay for additional residential, nursing and home care services
- improved mental health care for young people

WELFARE & DISABILITY POLICY IN ENGLAND

- use of qualified medical practitioners in place of unfair ATOS-style work capability assessments
- inclusion of disabled in the workplace whenever possible
- scrapping of bedroom tax, which adversely affects many disabled
- end to child benefit being paid for non-UK resident children of foreign citizens
- no benefits to UK-resident foreign nationals until they have paid tax for 5 years

IMMIGRATION

- end to mass immigration - introduction of selective and limited Australian style points-based system
- strict limits to immigration for permanent settlement
- immigration for workers on work permits and students to be strictly controlled and time-limited
- migrants barred from claiming public housing or other benefits until they have been a tax-paying resident in UK for a continuous five years
- all entrants to UK to possess private health insurance unless covered by reciprocal agreement
- revocation of UK assent to the Barcelona Declaration (1995) and the Marrakesh Declaration (2018)

HOUSING

- end to social housing for immigrants on the same basis as British citizens - the latter get priority
- end of tax arrangements for overseas investors favouring property investment at high end of market

EDUCATION & TRAINING

- reduction of bureaucracy and refocus on actual teaching
- establishment of new grammar schools, a proven path to social mobility for working class children
- encouragement of range of different types of school, including grammar schools, technical, vocational, general and specialist secondary schools within a geographical area, creating a more flexible choice
- waiving of tuition fees for further and higher education in subjects vital to national life: science, technology, engineering, mathematics and medicine - ONLY for graduates working in the UK for five years
- more trade apprenticeships and apprentice degree courses
- end of artificial target of 50% of people going to higher education
- end of gender confusion ideologies and cancellation of compulsory LGBT-inclusive relationships education in primary schools

TRANSPORT

- **scrapped:** HS2 - all road tolls - unfair penalisation of diesel drivers - Certificate of Professional Competence (CPC) which has been severely damaging to the UK haulage industry
- **supported:** driverless car technology & electric vehicles, incl. charging infrastructure & off-street parking
- nationalisation of rail franchises to be run by new govt agency
- no expansion of Heathrow but investment in regional airports

FOREIGN POLICY, AID & DEFENCE

- avoidance of foreign wars not in our direct national interest
- scrapping of target of 07% GNI for Overseas Aid to save £14 billion p.a. to assist our own citizens in UK
- government support for genuine disaster relief and humanitarian aid
- continuation of tax-relief donations to foreign aid charities
- continued commitment to NATO - no involvement in EU army - rebuilding of decimated armed forces - prioritisation of UK companies in material procurement
- maintenance of Trident nuclear deterrent

VETERANS

- Veterans Administration Dept. to promote vets' interests in housing, health care, education and training
- end of legal persecution of vets years after active service
- aim to guarantee a job offer with the police, prison service, UK Border Force, or emergency services for anyone who has successfully served in the Armed Forces for minimum of twelve years
- aid to vets seeking to set up own skills-based businesses

POLICE & CRIMINAL JUSTICE

- root and branch Royal Commission review of policing
- repeal of all EU-inspired legislation that binds us to EU legal institutions and legal instruments
- restoration of adequate funding, currently at £73bn = half the Overseas Aid budget (to be abolished)
- end of direct entry to the senior ranks of policing - all recruits to the police start careers as constables
- abolition of CPS and return of prosecution powers to police forces and their own prosecution lawyers
- end of CPS guidelines on entirely subjective "hate crime"
- requirement to investigate real crimes against the person and property as a priority and not social media hate speech accusations - London's Metropolitan Police reportedly has 900 plus officers dedicated to investigating "hate-crime" while the city endures a stabbing and acid attack epidemic
- zero-tolerance approach to unacceptable "cultural practices" such as female genital mutilation (FGM)

ECONOMY, TRADE & INDUSTRY

- end of all EU-based trading legislation - WE will decide what regulations we need
- Post BREXIT, Britain will regain independent seat on WTO and be free to make its own global trade deals
- increased trading links with Commonwealth, with possibly a Commonwealth Free Trade Agreement
- reduction in Zero-Hour Contracts except where mutually beneficial to employee and employer
- reversal of decline in UK manufacturing: a 20-year programme of manufacturing expansion worth £90 billion of increased added value, costing ca £50 billion of repayable public loans, paid by cancelling HS2
- investment in new capital goods industries including ship-building for a post BREXIT fishing fleet and coastal protection vessels, and for a new generation of factory-built modular homes

Small Business

- improved access to trade credit insurance especially relating to exports to remove drag on growth for businesses struggling to secure loans and allow small traders to expand
- encouragement of local trade by pushing local authorities in the country to offer at least 30 minutes free parking in town centres and shopping parades
- freezing of Insurance Premium Tax, which is especially hard on smaller traders

CHILDREN & FAMILIES

- use the taxation and benefits system to help families more cost effectively
- end to disempowerment of parents by the state, whereby its institutions are increasingly dictating the norms and values children learn and supplanting the role of parents - the education system to focus on education and not indoctrination
- safeguards in the operation of Family Courts to ensure that injustices are not perpetrated on parents

ENERGY

- removal of the 5% VAT levy on domestic fuel
- scrapping of the Climate Change Act (2008) - calculated to cost £720 billion over a period of 40 years
- end of subsidies for wind turbines and solar panels but support for renewable energy where competitive
- rejuvenation of UK coal industry wherever possible

AGRICULTURE

- UK will have tailor-made agricultural policy rather than one designed to benefit continental farmers
- introduce wide range of grants with tackling anti-microbial resistance as major priority
- re-establish Agricultural Wages Board for England to protect incomes and conditions of farm workers
- legislate for food-labelling to show country of origin, method of production, transport and slaughter

FISHING

- total withdrawal from the EU's Common Fisheries Policy with no transition period when we leave EU
- full control of the UK's full 200-mile Exclusive Economic Zone (EEZ) as per international law
- complete overhaul of fisheries systems for a fairer allocation of post-Brexit fishing opportunities; priority given to the low-impact, small-scale fishers
- end of discard system, with no fish going to waste
- major investment in British ports and fishing infrastructure

CONSTITUTIONAL & POLITICAL REFORM

UKIP would convene an all-party constitutional convention, charged with addressing the many anomalies in our political system that need to be corrected if we are to be a modern democracy: major topics will be FPTP, postal voting and the House of Lords

SEXUAL EXPLOITATION & CHILD ABUSE

- end to PC culture and Islamofawning that allowed huge sexual abuse of children over four decades
- independent enquiry into failure of police and other authorities to pursue claims of abuse and the prosecution of those found complicit
- UK laws to be applied fully and impartially, irrespective of the culture, ethnicity or beliefs of perpetrators
- FGM, forced marriage and child marriage to be criminalised

ISLAMIC EXTREMISM

- no overseas funding of mosques and imams by extremist ISLAMIC states: Qatar, Saudi Arabia & Pakistan
- a security-based screening policy to restrict any limited migration from Islamic countries to those we can be sure, as far as possible, do not follow a literalist and extremist interpretation of Islam
- separate prisons for Muslims who promote extremism or try to convert non-Islamic prisoners
- repeal of legislation that gives legal recognition for Sharia law courts

ENGLISH IDENTITY ISSUES

- a restoration of English identity: all but submerged by PC anti-Englishness
- reform of the Westminster Parliament to adopt a system whereby only MPs representing English constituencies vote on laws exclusively affecting England
- review of UK constituent funding to ensure fairness, in particular re the Barnett Formula for Scotland

FREE SPEECH & POLITICAL CORRECTNESS

- the promotion of free speech and an end to PC culture
- repeal of “hate speech” guidelines; pre-existing laws will deal with ‘insulting or threatening behaviour’ or ‘behaviour likely to cause a breach of the peace’, etc.
- repeal of Public Space Protection Orders (PSPOs) introduced in 2014 which have been abused by local authorities to curtail lawful protest and criminalise free speech
- repeal of the Equality Act 2010 which gives special rights and privileges to certain groups with ‘protected characteristics’ - reversion to pre-existing equality laws
- the BBC will not be allowed to advertise BAME (Black Asian Minority Ethnic) only internships and training schemes which discriminate against white youth - all Brits to be equal before the law & all regulations
- abolition of Equalities and Human Rights Commission and Government Equalities Office and end their PC social engineering - also saving about £67 million per annum

FINANCE

UKIP believes in allowing people to keep as much of their own income and wealth to spend as they see fit.

- the personal tax allowance to be raised to £13,000 to help those on low earnings
- outside the EU, the UK will have control over VAT and will zero-rate certain goods, such as domestic fuel, sanitary products and repairs to commercial, residential buildings and historic and listed buildings
- Council Tax is outdated and will undergo a full and thorough review

The following to be abolished:

- inheritance tax: assets purchased out of taxed income should not be taxed again when their owners die
- Stamp Duty: a tax on people moving house, which often affects parents with a growing family
- BBC TV licence - BBC World Service to be retained under Government control
- EU tax avoidance schemes: particularly used by large companies
- Channel 4 to be sold on the commercial market