

LISTS OF JUDGES WHO ACCEPTED INVITATIONS TO THE JUDGES' SERVICE IN OCTOBER 2014

1. There follows a list of the judges who accepted invitations to attend the Judges' Services at Westminster Abbey in October 2014.

2. In response to a request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, the equivalent lists for 2011, 2012 and 2013 were disclosed in December 2013 by the Crown Office (part of the Ministry of Justice). Normally the MoJ publishes on its website its monthly FoI log of its responses to such requests, but it did not do so for these lists. So, they were being published here for the first time and the 2014 list similarly. The MoJ has advised that lists of judges who actually attended these services are not kept. These lists are therefore the closest approximation.

3. The MoJ has stated that invitations are issued:

- each year to all Supreme Court, Court of Appeal and High Court Judges;
- on a three-year rota to Circuit Judges, Tribunal Judges, Masters and Registrars; and
- annually to a proportion of District Judges and some other judges.

The lists for this year thus cover those judges subject to that rota, except any recently appointed who may not yet have received an invitation.

4. Invitations are issued jointly by the Secretary of State for Justice and Lord Chancellor (a government minister) and the Dean of Westminster Abbey (a Church of England clergyman). The Judges' Services are held as religious services within the rites of the Church of England, but have not been open to the public; media representatives were invited to attend in 2014 for the first time. Judges participate in their official capacities, wearing judicial robes, in working time, and at considerable public expense.

5. The publication of these lists enables any criminal defendant or civil party or their representatives, where a religious issue is likely to be, or becomes, material in the case, to see if the judge hearing that case has accepted an invitation to participate in such a service.

6. Thus consideration can be given to raising a legal argument that, if the judge did so attend, his or her impartiality on the religious issue may have been compromised, or be seen to have been compromised, on the basis of an actual or perceived personal interest. Such an argument might apply in connection with a recusal application or when advancing grounds for appeal.

7. These lists include some persons who are not UK judges.

**List of Judiciary who accepted invitations
to the Judges' Service in Westminster Abbey in October 2014**

Category	Title	Name
LORD PRESIDENT OF THE COURT OF SESSION	The Right Honourable	Lord President of the Court of Session
LORD CHIEF JUSTICE OF NORTHERN IRELAND	The Right Honourable	Lord Chief Justice of Northern Ireland
LCJ NI NOMINATION	The Honourable	Mr Justice Maguire
LCJ ROI NOMINATION	The Honourable	Mr Justice Clarke
LCJ ROI NOMINATION	The Honourable	Mr Justice Carney
HEADS OF DIVISIONS & SUPREME COURT	The Right Honourable	The Lord Chief Justice of England and Wales
	The Right Honourable	The Master of the Rolls
	The Right Honourable	The Lord Neuberger of Abbotsbury
	The Right Honourable	The Baroness Hale of Richmond
	The Right Honourable	The Lord Mance
	The Right Honourable	The Lord Kerr of Tonaghmore
	The Right Honourable	The Lord Clarke of Stone-cum-Ebony
	The Right Honourable	Lord Wilson of Culworth
	The Right Honourable	Lord Sumption OBE
	The Right Honourable	Lord Reed
	The Right Honourable	Lord Carnwath of Notting Hill CVO
	The Right Honourable	Lord Toulson
	The Right Honourable	Lord Hughes of Ombersley
	The Right Honourable	Lord Hodge
	The Right Honourable	The President of The Queen's Bench Division
	The Right Honourable	The President of the Family Division
LORDS JUSTICES OF APPEAL	The Right Honourable Lord Justice	The Chancellor of the High Court Laws
	The Right Honourable Lady Justice	Arden DBE
	The Right Honourable Lord Justice	Longmore
	The Right Honourable Lord Justice	Moore-Bick
	The Right Honourable Lord Justice	Richards
	The Right Honourable Lady Justice	Hallett DBE
	The Right Honourable Lord Justice	Jackson
	The Right Honourable Lord Justice	Aikens
	The Right Honourable Lord Justice	Elias
	The Right Honourable Lord Justice	Patten
	The Right Honourable Lord Justice	Pitchford
	The Right Honourable Lady Justice	Black DBE
	The Right Honourable Lord Justice	Tomlinson
	The Right Honourable Lord Justice	Gross
	The Right Honourable Lady Justice	Rafferty DBE
	The Right Honourable Lord Justice	McFarlane
	The Right Honourable Lord Justice	Davis
	The Right Honourable Lord Justice	Kitchin
	The Right Honourable Lord Justice	Lloyd Jones
	The Right Honourable Lord Justice	Treacy
	The Right Honourable Lord Justice	McCombe

HIGH COURT JUDGES

The Right Honourable Lord Justice	Gloster DBE
The Right Honourable Lord Justice	Ryder TD
The Right Honourable Lord Justice	Underhill
The Right Honourable Lord Justice	Briggs
The Right Honourable Lord Justice	Floyd
The Right Honourable Lord Justice	Fulford
The Right Honourable Lady Justice	Macur DBE
The Right Honourable Lord Justice	Christopher Clarke
The Right Honourable Lady Justice	Sharp DBE
The Right Honourable Lord Justice	Vos
The Honourable Mr Justice	Holman
The Honourable Mrs Justice	Hogg DBE
The Honourable Mr Justice	Ouseley
The Honourable Mr Justice	Mitting
The Honourable Mr Justice	Cooke
The Honourable Mr Justice	Peter Smith
The Honourable Mrs Justice	Pauffley DBE
The Honourable Mr Justice	Wood
The Honourable Mr Justice	Mann
The Honourable Mr Justice	Bean
The Honourable Mr Justice	Walker
The Honourable Mr Justice	Openshaw
The Honourable Mrs Justice	Swift DBE
The Honourable Mr Justice	Langstaff
The Honourable Mr Justice	Ramsey
The Honourable Mr Justice	Irwin
The Honourable Mr Justice	Teare
The Honourable Mr Justice	Henderson
The Honourable Mr Justice	King
The Honourable Mr Justice	Moylan
The Honourable Mr Justice	Morgan
The Honourable Mr Justice	Norris
The Honourable Mr Justice	Foskett
The Honourable Mr Justice	Akenhead
The Honourable Mr Justice	Blake
The Honourable Mr Justice	Barling
The Honourable Mr Justice	Coulson
The Honourable Mr Justice	Blair
The Honourable Mrs Justice	Eleanor King DBE
The Honourable Mr Justice	MacDuff
The Honourable Mr Justice	Burnett
The Honourable Mrs Justice	Parker DBE
The Honourable Mr Justice	Sales
The Honourable Mrs Justice	Proudman DBE
The Honourable Mr Justice	Arnold
The Honourable Mr Justice	Sweeney
The Honourable Mrs Justice	Slade DBE
The Honourable Mr Justice	Hamblen
The Honourable Mr Justice	Hickinbottom
The Honourable Mr Justice	Holroyde
The Honourable Mr Justice	Nicol
The Honourable Mr Justice	Kenneth Parker
The Honourable Mr Justice	Baker
The Honourable Mr Justice	Newey
The Honourable Mrs Justice	Nicola Davies DBE
The Honourable Mrs Justice	Thirlwall DBE

	The Honourable Mr Justice	Mostyn
	The Honourable Mr Justice	Supperstone
	The Honourable Mr Justice	Spencer
	The Honourable Mr Justice	Peter Jackson
	The Honourable Mr Justice	Lindblom
	The Honourable Mrs Justice	Theis DBE
	The Honourable Mr Justice	Globe
	The Honourable Mr Justice	Popplewell
	The Honourable Mr Justice	Moor
	The Honourable Mr Justice	Haddon-Cave
	The Honourable Mr Justice	Males
	The Honourable Mrs Justice	Asplin DBE
	The Honourable Mr Justice	Stuart-Smith
	The Honourable Mr Justice	Leggatt
	The Honourable Mr Justice	Cobb
	The Honourable Mr Justice	Jeremy Baker
	The Honourable Mr Justice	Stewart
	The Honourable Mr Justice	Birss
	The Honourable Mrs Justice	Rose DBE
	The Honourable Mr Justice	Keehan
	The Honourable Mr Justice	Jay
	The Honourable Mr Justice	Dingemans
	The Honourable Mr Justice	Lewis
	The Honourable Mrs Justice	Carr DBE
	The Honourable Mr Justice	Hayden
	The Honourable Mr Justice	Phillips
	The Honourable Mrs Justice	Andrews DBE
	The Honourable Mr Justice	Nugee
	The Honourable Mrs Justice	Patterson DBE
	The Honourable Mr Justice	Green
	The Honourable Mrs Justice	Simler DBE
	The Honourable Ms Justice	Russell DBE
	The Honourable Mr Justice	William Davis
	The Honourable Mr Justice	Newton
	The Honourable Mrs Justice	Roberts DBE
	The Honourable Mr Justice	Warby
	The Honourable Mr Justice	Edis
	The Honourable Mr Justice	Knowles CBE
	The Honourable Mr Justice	Goss
		Thornton
CIRCUIT JUDGES SITTING AS HIGH COURT	His Honour Judge	
CIRCUIT JUDGES SITTING AS HIGH COURT	His Honour Judge	Hacon
CIRCUIT JUDGES - BY VIRTUE OF OFFICE	His Honour Judge	Stockdale
COUNCIL OF HER MAJESTY'S CIRCUIT	His Honour Judge	Dutton
	Her Honour Judge	Hughes
	Her Honour Judge	Newton
	His Honour Judge	Bidder QC
CIRCUIT JUDGES - BY VIRTUE OF OFFICE	His Honour Judge	Barker QC
	His Honour Judge	Hilliard QC
	The Honourable Mr Justice	McCloskey
UPPER TRIBUNAL JUDGES	Resident Judge	Deans

	Resident Judge	Pinkerton
	Upper Tribunal Judge	Gill
	Upper Tribunal Judge	Lane
	Upper Tribunal Judge	Coker
	Upper Tribunal Judge	Craig
	Upper Tribunal Judge	Dawson
	Upper Tribunal Judge	Lane
	Upper Tribunal Judge	Goldstein
	Upper Tribunal Judge	Kebede
	Upper Tribunal Judge	Kekic
	Upper Tribunal Judge	Jordan
	Upper Tribunal Judge	King
	Upper Tribunal Judge	Jacobs
	Upper Tribunal Judge	Lloyd-Davies
	Upper Tribunal Judge	Mitchell
	Regional Employment Judge	Swann
	Regional Employment Judge	Taylor
	Regional Employment Judge	Lee
	Regional Tribunal Judge	Curran
CIRCUIT JUDGES ROTA B	His Honour Judge	Ader
	His Honour Judge	Altham
	His Honour Judge	Ansell
	His Honour Judge	Armitage QC
	His Honour Judge	Arran
	Her Honour Judge	Atkinson
	His Honour Judge	Barker QC
	His Honour Judge	Bartfield
	His Honour Judge	Beddoe
	Her Honour Judge	Beech
	His Honour Judge	Bird
	His Honour Judge	Black
	Her Honour Judge	Blacksell QC
	His Honour Judge	Blake
	His Honour Judge	Bray
	His Honour Judge	Burgess
	Her Honour Judge	Burn
	Her Honour Judge	Butler QC
	His Honour Judge	Byrne
	His Honour Judge	Carr
	His Honour Judge	Clark
	Her Honour Judge	Coello
	Her Honour Judge	Collier QC
	His Honour Judge	Coltart
	His Honour Judge	Cooke
	His Honour Judge	Cornwall
	Her Honour Judge	Cryan
	His Honour Judge	Curl
	His Honour Judge	QC
	His Honour Judge	Cutler CBE
	Her Honour Judge	Dudley
	His Honour Judge	Enright
	His Honour Judge	Evans
	His Honour Judge	Farquhar
	His Honour Judge	Farrell QC

Her Honour Judge	Fisher
His Honour Judge	Fletcher CBE
His Honour Judge	Fraser MVO
His Honour Judge	Freeland QC
His Honour Judge	Gaskell
His Honour Judge	Gibson
His Honour Judge	Gledhill QC
His Honour Judge	Gosnell
His Honour Judge	Goymer
His Honour Judge	Greene
His Honour Judge	Griffith
His Honour Judge	Griffith-Jones QC
Her Honour Judge	Hallam
His Honour Judge	Hammond
Her Honour Judge	Hampton
His Honour Judge	Hand QC
His Honour Judge	Hart
His Honour Judge	Hayward
His Honour Judge	Hernandez
His Honour Judge	Hone QC
His Honour Judge	Horton
His Honour Judge	Hughes QC
His Honour Judge	Hughes QC
His Honour Judge	Inman QC
His Honour Judge	Jarman QC
His Honour Judge	Hume Jones
Her Honour Judge	Jones
Her Honour Judge	Joseph QC
His Honour Judge	Joy
His Honour Judge	Juckes QC
His Honour Judge	Kemp
His Honour Judge	Keyser QC
His Honour Judge	Knopf
His Honour Judge	Lamb QC
His Honour Judge	Lawson QC
His Honour Judge	Lea
His Honour Judge	Levey
Her Honour Judge	Levy
His Honour Judge	Lewis
Her Honour Judge	Lloyd
Her Honour Judge	Lunt
Her Honour Judge	Lyon
His Honour Judge	Lyons CBE
Her Honour Judge	Marshall
Her Honour Judge	Matthews QC
Her Honour Judge	May QC
His Honour Judge	McCahill QC
His Honour Judge	McGregor-Johnson
His Honour Judge	Milford QC
His Honour Judge	Moloney QC
Her Honour Judge	Molyneux
His Honour Judge	Moore
His Honour Judge	Mort
His Honour Judge	Moss QC
Her Honour Judge	Munro QC
Her Honour Judge	Murfitt

	His Honour Judge	Newell
	His Honour Judge	O'Dwyer
	His Honour Judge	Oliver
	His Honour Judge	Orrell
	Her Honour Judge	Parry
	His Honour Judge	Patrick
	His Honour Judge	Pearson
	His Honour Judge	Pegden QC
	His Honour Judge	Pontius
	His Honour Judge	Ralls QC
	Her Honour Judge	Rees
	His Honour Judge	Roach
	Her Honour Judge	Robinson
	His Honour Judge	Robinson
	His Honour Judge	Rook QC
	His Honour Judge	Rose
	His Honour Judge	Rudland
	His Honour Judge	Seed QC
	His Honour Judge	Serota QC
	His Honour Judge	Seys Llewellyn QC
	His Honour Judge	Simpkiss
	His Honour Judge	Sloan QC
	His Honour Judge	Stewart
	His Honour Judge	Taylor
	His Honour Judge	Thomas QC
	His Honour Judge	Thomas QC
	His Honour Judge	Thornton QC
	His Honour Judge	Twomlow
	Her Honour Judge	Waddicor
	His Honour Judge	Waller
	His Honour Judge	Wilkinson
	His Honour Judge	Winstanley
	His Honour Judge	Wood
	His Honour Judge	Wood
	His Honour Judge	Worster
	His Honour Judge	Wulwik
	His Honour Judge	Mooncey
	His Honour Judge	Sycamore
PRESIDENT FIRST TIER TRIBUNAL, HEALTH, EDUCATION & SOCIAL CARE CHAMBER AND FIRST TIER TRIBUNAL JUDGES	His Honour Judge	Michell
FIRST TIER TRIBUNAL JUDGES	His Honour Judge	Thomas
SENIOR AND CHIEF MASTERS AND	The Senior Master and Queen's Remembrancer	Master Leslie
	Master	Yoxall
	Master	Roberts
	The Admiralty Registrar	Master Kay
	Senior Costs Judge	Master Reed
	Master	Haworth
	Master	Leonard
	Master	Rowley
	The Chief Chancery Master	Master Marsh
	Master	Teverson

32 DISTRICT JUDGES

Her Honour Judge	Gibson
Her Honour Judge	MacGregor
Her Honour Judge	Reid
His Honour Judge	Robinson
The Chief Bankruptcy Registrar	Mr Registrar Baister
Master	Gidden
Senior District Judge	Riddle
District Judge (Magistrates' Court)	Arbuthnot
District Judge (Magistrates' Court)	Stobart
District Judge (Magistrates' Court)	Williams
District Judge (Magistrates' Court)	Gillespie
District Judge	Jordan
District Judge	Ayers
District Judge	Godwin
District Judge	Hall
District Judge	Goodchild
District Judge	Henthorn
District Judge	Anson
District Judge	Stuart
District Judge	Hywel Morgan
District Judge	James
District Judge	Stamenkovich
District Judge	Murdoch
District Judge	Rich
District Judge	Matthews
District Judge	Chesterfield
District Judge	Boora
District Judge	Payne
District Judge	Wright
District Judge	Matthews
District Judge	Parker
District Judge	Silverman
District Judge	Walker
District Judge	Worthington
District Judge	Gill
District Judge	Wright
District Judge	Major
District Judge	Lightman
District Judge	Sparrow
District Judge	Waterworth
District Judge	Jenkins