

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

FRIENDS OF THE NATIONAL PENSIONERS CONVENTION

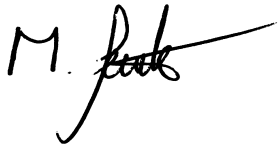
Five years ago "Friends of the NPC" was launched at the TUC conference in a letter signed by all the leading Trade Union General Secretaries, and in the 40th anniversary year of the National Pensioners Convention we are asking you to renew this support by making a regular donation to help ensure that the NPC continues to represent and campaign for the rights of older people when they retire.

The NPC's founding Declaration of Intent states: *"This Convention declares that every pensioner has the right to choice, dignity, independence and security as an integral and valued member of society."*

The NPC is an umbrella organisation representing around 1.2 million older people in over 1,000 different organisations across the UK. It is the only National campaign group in the country which is run by pensioners for pensioners and it relies on affiliation fees and donations to maintain a modest office and a small number of staff members to carry out its important campaigns on behalf of all of us – today's and tomorrow's pensioners.

At a time of crisis in health and care, pensions, and the need to defend universal benefits like concessionary travel and the free TV licence for over 75s, we are certain you agree that we need to make sure that the NPC can continue to develop its organisation and strengthen its influence. By making a regular small donation to "Friends of the NPC" you will be acting to stand up for and defend your own rights in retirement.

Best wishes, fraternally,



Mark Serwotka, PRESIDENT



Frances O'Grady, GENERAL SECRETARY

SIGN UP TO BECOME A FRIEND OF THE NPC

Either complete this form and return to the NPC (details below) or set up a Standing Order online directly with your bank. Whatever you decide, please email us at info@npcuk.org to let us know you have become a Friend of the NPC. Thank you.

STANDING ORDER to: The Manager _____ Bank

Bank Address: _____

Postcode: _____

From: (Insert your name and address) _____

Email: _____

Please pay the sum of £ on the day of (month and year) and then yearly thereafter

From my Account Name: _____

Account Number: _____ Sort Code: _____

To: Friends of the NPC, Account Number: 20234814, Unity Trust Bank PLC, Sort Code: 60-83-01, Nine Brindley Place, Birmingham B1 2HB

Signed:

Date:

National Pensioners Convention, Marchmont Community Centre,

Marchmont Street, London WC1N 1AB

Tel: 020 7837 6622 . Email: info@npcuk.org . Web: www.npcuk.org

Campaigning for dignity in retirement

