



**The Prime Minister,
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OPEN LETTER TO THE PRIME MINISTER - Tuesday, April 20th, 2021, by Email.

THE RBS SCANDAL; AND WHY IT REALLY MATTERS - CONFLICTS OF INTEREST? LIES? SUICIDES?

Dear Prime Minister,

I write to you in my capacity as Founder of the Transparency Task Force, a Certified Social Enterprise dedicated to helping ensure the public are treated fairly by the finance sector.

Sir, I witnessed several speakers at an event I hosted last week giving detailed accounts of serious conduct and regulatory failure issues in our financial services sector.

The speakers provided what can only be described as an exposé of malpractice, malfeasance, misconduct and mis-selling on a range of matters, particularly in relation to The Royal Bank of Scotland.

I found what was explained to be shocking, especially as the claims made were backed up by clear, compelling and credible evidence.

The speakers' presentations bring these questions to mind:

- Are there untenable conflicts of interest at play between the Financial Conduct Authority and The Royal Bank of Scotland, NatWest, HSBC and Barclays?
- Did the Governor of the Bank of England lie to the Treasury Select Committee when he was the Chief Executive of the Financial Conduct Authority?
- How many members of the public have committed suicide following a problem with The Royal Bank of Scotland, NatWest, HSBC, Barclays or any associated bank? And why did they kill themselves?

These questions are obviously a major public interest issue, I would appreciate your answers, please.

As one of the biggest providers of banking services in the United Kingdom, The Royal Bank of Scotland has a long history. Founded in 1727, its name reflects the royal charter that was granted when it was formed. At an appropriate time, I shall therefore be writing to Her Majesty the Queen to establish if she also has concerns about the matters raised by the evidence given.

You can watch the video recording of last week's symposium by clicking [here](#); and if you haven't yet done so, please watch these earlier ones - [here](#), [here](#) and [here](#).

Having done that, hopefully you can then publicly share your thoughts on what you feel must be done.

I/we look forward to hearing from you.

Respectfully yours,

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