

# ALL PARTY PARLIAMENTARY GROUP

## Pandemic Response and Recovery

Monday 11 November 2024, 5.30pm, Room R

### MINUTES

**In attendance:** Rt Hon Esther McVey MP, Graham Stringer MP, Lord Robathan, Baroness Foster of Oxtou, Lord Strathcarron, Baroness Morrissey.

**Apologies:** Yasmin Qureshi MP, Danny Kruger MP, Rupert Lowe MP, Rt Hon Sir Iain Duncan Smith MP, Rt Hon Sammy Wilson MP, Sir Christopher Chope MP, Lord Ashcombe, Lord Frost, Baroness Fox of Buckley, Lord Alton of Liverpool, The Earl of Leicester, Lord Reay, Lord Lilley, Lord Brady of Altrincham.

1. Introduction and welcome from Rt Hon Esther McVey MP.
2. The Group heard from two speakers, Kath Samson, founder of campaign group Sling the Mesh, and Dr Kevin Bardosh, Director and Head of Research at Collateral Global about conflicts of interest in medicine, medical and scientific research, proposals for a Sunshine Payment Act, mandatory yellow card reporting, how public health agencies could and should be reformed under the central principles of decentralisation, transparency, accountability and freedom of speech.
3. Following each presentation the meeting was opened up for questions and discussion.
4. The Chair then thanked all those who attended and brought the meeting to a close.
5. Date of next meeting: Monday 20 January 2025.