

Paedophilia

Belfast SDLP council candidate convicted of child pornography offences -

<http://www.newsletter.co.uk/news/regional/former-teacher-and-would-be-belfast-councillor-admits-child-porn-charges-1-6611968>

Tory Oxford councillor slammed in child sex report linked to Cameron's campaign team -

<http://www.mirror.co.uk/news/uk-news/councillor-linked-david-camerons-election-5260110>

Former Tory leader of Oxford council admits child grooming was 'swept under the carpet' during time at helm -

<http://www.oxfordmail.co.uk/news/11834061.1.couldn.t.have.done.things.differently.as.council.leader/>

Former Barrow Tory councillor bailed on child sex offence charges -

<http://www.nwemail.co.uk/news/ulverston/barrow-impresario-bailed-after-arrest-for-alleged-child-sex-offence-1.1200886>

Former Lib Dem councillor escapes jail in Bradford despite acting like 'predatory paedophile' -

<http://www.mirror.co.uk/news/uk-news/ex-lib-dem-councillor-who-behaved-5365975>

Longstanding former Sinn Fein councillor accuses party of abuse cover-up -

<http://www.belfasttelegraph.co.uk/news/northern-ireland/councillor-brendan-currnan-accuses-sinn-fein-of-abuse-coverup-31086147.html>

Saddleworth Lib Dem councillor charged with child pornography offences after tip from Canadian police -

<http://www.manchestereveningnews.co.uk/news/greater-manchester-news/councillor-charged-making-possessing-indecent-8878388>

Ashfield & Eastwood Lib Dem PPC stands down following arrest for alleged sexual assault of a schoolboy -

<http://www.mirror.co.uk/news/uk-news/liberal-democrat-candidate-stands-down-5406616>

Lib Dem campaigner and 'close associate' of PPC suspended for child sex offences used party office for porn movies -

<http://www.mirror.co.uk/news/uk-news/liberal-democrat-activist-uses-local-5460386>

Tory peer 'too unwell' to stand trial over historic child abuse allegations -

<http://www.thejc.com/news/uk-news/134148/lord-janner-unfit%E2%80%99-stand-trial-over-child-abuse-allegations>

Green leader Natalie Bennett's partner's blog defends paedophilia, schoolgirl sex and rape fantasies -

http://order-order.com/2015/04/20/barely-legal-sick-childhood-sexuality-shame-of-bennetts-boyfriend/#_@/OQxoZa1QZw-94Q

Lib Dems & Tories 'colluded' to prevent release of file which showed Thatcher knew of Cyril Smith abuse -

<http://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-2984529/Cabinet-office-child-abuse-cover-MoS-beats-attempt-No10-gag-VIP-file-shows-Thatcher-knew-paedophile-MP-Cyril-Smith.html>

Leicester Labour deputy mayor fired after plan left hundreds of vulnerable children at risk of abuse (shes still a Cllr) - <http://www.leicestermercury.co.uk/Senior-sackings-Leicester-City-Council-left/story-26141171-detail/story.html>

Tory Bucks councillors 'cared more about tarnished reputation than protecting children' says independent report - <http://www.bucksherald.co.uk/news/more-news/council-bosses-cared-more-about-tarnished-reputation-than-protecting-children-says-leaked-government-report-1-6624960>

Former Labour leader of Rotherham council 'does not see' why he should return OBE despite sex abuse scandal - <http://www.halifaxcourier.co.uk/news/regional/ex-council-boss-won-t-return-obe-1-7150075>

Child abuse victim stands for UKIP in Nottingham in attempt to unseat Labour administration he holds responsible - <http://www.nottinghampost.com/Campaigner-contest-council-leader-seat/story-26157886-detail/story.html>

Former Labour mayor of Rotherham pleads not guilty to sex attack on girl - <http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-england-south-yorkshire-31833160>

Sinn Fein faces more sex abuse accusations, says rape victim - <http://www.belfasttelegraph.co.uk/news/northern-ireland/ira-abuse-claims-there-are-many-more-sex-victims-like-paudie-mairia-cahill-tells-sinn-fein-31057419.html>

Rotherham Labour deputy leader finally admits under-16 Roma girls are married after being asked 6 times (by UKIP Cllr) - <http://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-2994377/Roma-gipsy-girls-young-12-forced-live-arranged-marriages.html>

Police launch investigation into Westminster child sex ring cover-up lasting decades - <http://www.theguardian.com/politics/2015/mar/17/westminster-child-abuse-paedophile-ring-failure>

'I can prove my innocence' says 'risk to children' Cornwall Lib Dem councillor at centre of child porn row - <http://www.plymouthherald.co.uk/Councillor-claims-proof-innocence-risk-children/story-25797130-detail/story.html>

Former Scarborough Tory mayor and paedophile Peter Jaconelli's gravestone disappears from graveyard - <http://www.fileymercury.co.uk/news/local/jaconelli-headstone-gone-from-grave-1-7029381>

Labour Mayor of Stanley given suspended sentence for historic abuse of teenage boy - <http://www.chroniclelive.co.uk/news/north-east-news/former-stanley-town-councillor-handed-8376144>

Nottinghamshire's Labour PCC denies cover up over child abuse investigation - <http://www.nottinghampost.com/Police-Crime-Commissioner-vows-cover-child-abuse/story-25808106-detail/story.html>

More than 150 kids at risk of grooming in Labour controlled Bradford in 6 months, report reveals - http://www.thetelegraphandargus.co.uk/news/local/localbrad/11706461.More_than_150_Bradford_children_deemed_at_risk_of_being_sexually_exploited_in_six_months/

Devon Tories 'buried' critical child sexual exploitation report by publishing it on Xmas Eve - <http://www.westernmorningnews.co.uk/Devon-County-Council-s-inadequate-child/story-25811773-detail/story.html>

Labour MPs sue Yorkshire UKIP MEP & councillor over Rotherham child abuse despite; claim they 'didn't know' about it - <http://www.yorkshirepost.co.uk/news/main-topics/politics/ukip-mep-handed-high-court-papers-as-labour-sues-over-abuse-claims-1-7046534>

Huntingdon Tory councillor admits perverting course of justice over false references for son facing sex charges - <http://www.cambridge-news.co.uk/Huntingdon-8217-s-mayor-Cllr-Saeed-Akthar-admits/story-25888863-detail/story.html>

Former Labour mayor of Devizes convicted of historic sexual abuse of young boy, awaits sentence - http://www.gazetteandherald.co.uk/news/11743790.Former_Devizes_mayor_convicted_of_child_sex_offences/

Rotherham Labour councillors face jail after release of grooming report says they 'systematically withheld truth' - <http://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-2939129/Two-local-councillors-corrupt-police-officer-accused-having-sex-victims-Rotherham-abuse-scandal.html>

Epping Forest Lib Dems 'unaware' of child sex charges against leading activist - http://www.guardian-series.co.uk/news/11771407.Lib_Dems_were_unaware_of_child_sex_charges_against_activist/

2 Rotherham Labour councillors accused of having sex with abuse victims - <http://www.independent.co.uk/news/uk/home-news/two-rotherham-councillors-and-police-officer-accused-of-having-sex-with-abuse-scandal-victims-10022666.html>

Epping Lib Dem activist had 18,385 child porn photos on computer sent for trial at Crown Court over grooming charge - http://www.guardian-series.co.uk/news/11786216.Scout_leader_had_18_385_indecent_images_of_children/

Longstanding Labour official in Peterborough jailed for child sex offences, record stretches back to 1979 - <http://www.peterboroughtoday.co.uk/news/latest-news/exclusive-peterborough-labour-party-official-jailed-for-sex-crimes-1-6588155>

Slough's Labour mayor stands down after he attends sentencing of man convicted of child grooming - <http://www.sloughexpress.co.uk/News/All-Areas/Slough/Mayor-of-Slough-resigns-over-serious-error-19022015.htm>

Death of former Rochdale Labour councillor following sexual assault arrest judged suicide by family: 'he was innocent' - <http://www.manchestereveningnews.co.uk/news/greater-manchester-news/family-councillor-found-dead-week-8711853>

Rape

HnH activist, Labour member & former head of Gloucester Race Equality Council jailed for rape - <http://www.gloucestercitizen.co.uk/Gloucester-stalwart-Paul-Mathurin-jailed-raping/story-26231363-detail/story.html>

Hancock to defend Portsmouth South seat despite sexual assault - will Lib Dems put up serious fight against him? - <http://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-3016845/Disgraced-MP-Mike-Hancock-quit-Lib-Dems-sexual-advances-vulnerable-constituent-stand-Parliament-AGAIN.html>

Glamorgan Labour councillor appears in court to face charges of sexual assault on 17 year old girl - <http://www.southwales-eveningpost.co.uk/Labour-councillor-appears-court-accused-Skomer/story-26330721-detail/story.html>

Terrorism

Rochdale Labour councillor's son arrested in Turkey attempting to reach Syria to join ISIS - <http://www.telegraph.co.uk/news/worldnews/islamic-state/11512305/Rochdale-family-arrested-trying-to-reach-Syria-from-Turkey.html>

Sinn Fein councillor arrested in terror probe attacks PSNI over the cost of his (and a colleague's) arrest - <http://www.derryjournal.com/news/cost-of-arrests-in-paramilitary-probe-questioned-1-6517122>

Racism

Complaints against 3 Coventry Labour councillors being investigated after they brand constituents racist - <http://www.coventryobserver.co.uk/2015/03/02/news-Outraged-residents-accused-of-racism-by-Coventry-Labour-councillors-lodge-complaints-128199.html>

Selby Labour councillor denies racism despite 'Polish piss artists' tweet - http://www.yorkpress.co.uk/news/11829586.Councillor_defends_Polish_drinkers_comments/

Labour Leicester candidate was telling people to vote BNP on Facebook just 2 years ago (at bottom of page) - <http://www.leicestermercury.co.uk/Fred-Leicester-Column-Donuts-Keith-Vaz-shameful/story-26105111-detail/story.html>

White, middle class Green Party has fewer minority candidates than any other party including UKIP - <http://www.standard.co.uk/news/politics/greens-have-fewer-ethnic-minority-candidates-than-any-party-even-ukip-10105932.html>

Tories finally suspend Dudley North candidate who attempted race-hate deal with EDL - <http://www.independent.co.uk/news/uk/politics/generalelection/afzal-amin-tory-candidate-told-to-fess-up-over-alleged-plot-to-stop-fake-edl-mosque-protest-10125655.html>

UKIP demands Tory Portsmouth South candidate resign after labelling all UKIP voters 'racist' - <http://www.portsmouth.co.uk/news/local/tory-candidate-brands-ukip-voters-as-racists-1-6641818>

Groby Tory councillor vows to appeal deselection over 'racist, sexist & pornographic' e-mails to colleagues - <http://www.leicestermercury.co.uk/Tory-councillor-deselected-racist-sexist/story-26216437-detail/story.html>

Complaints about Coventry Labour councillors who labelled constituents 'racist' deferred until after elections - <http://www.coventryobserver.co.uk/2015/03/25/news-Delay-after-residents-complain-of-racism-slurs-by-Coventry-Labour-councillors-130083.html>

Questions continue over whether Chichester Tories will mount serious challenge to former councillor expelled for racism - <http://www.midhurstandpetworth.co.uk/news/local/sussex-decides-growing-tradition-of-independent-councillors-in-the-midhurst-area-1-6640859>

Coventry Labour councillor apologises to parish councillors for calling them Nazi for raising immigration concerns - <http://www.coventryobserver.co.uk/2015/03/31/news-Coventry-Labour-councillors-private-apology-for-Nazi-slur-is-not-enough--130444.html>

'Nazi uniform' Tory MP criticised for calling constituents 'rude' and complaining about 'low pay' - <http://www.expressandstar.com/news/2015/03/28/arrogant-burley-criticised-for-talking-of-rude-constituents/>

Plaid Cymru stand by candidate who called English-born Welsh residents Nazis - <http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/election-2015-wales-32215894>

Groby Tories fail to field candidates following deselection of former leader following racist & sexist email row - <http://www.leicestermercury.co.uk/Conservative-candidate-stand-Groby-election-time/story-26317832-detail/story.html>

Dover Tories seek to ditch controversial councillor ahead of elections in favour of bland replacement - <http://www.kentonline.co.uk/deal/news/tory-party-moves-to-oust-29422/>

Still no action against New Forest 'nigger in woodpile' Tory councillor: imagine the fuss had he been UKIP! - <http://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-2892885/Deputy-mayor-racism-storm-comparing-flood-prevention-n-woodpile-council-meeting.html>

Nottingham Labour councillor suspended for Auschwitz tweet - <http://www.jewishnews.co.uk/exclusive-labour-councillor-suspended-auschwitz-tweet/>

Jailed Labour Wigan councillor had history of abusing power, incurring costs and racism before arrest and conviction - <http://www.wigantoday.net/news/local/mcgurkin-had-abused-her-position-of-power-1-7035203>

Tory mayor of Bristol compares cyclist tweet to Jim Crow racism in 60's America - <http://www.westerndailynews.co.uk/Bristol-Mayor-George-Ferguson-compares-cyclist/story-25825093-detail/story.html>

Moroccan born Muslim mayor of Rotterdam tells Muslims who don't like the west 'pack your bags and f**k off': <http://www.mirror.co.uk/news/world-news/charlie-hebdo-mayor-rotterdam-tells-4970496>

Bradford Labour councillor condemned after posting video suggesting Paris shootings were fake - http://www.thetelegraphandargus.co.uk/news/local/localbrad/11722764.Former_Lord_Mayor_in_fake_video_row/

Inverness councillor expelled from Lib Dems over Britain First in new racism row over anti-Semitic comments - <http://www.inverness-courier.co.uk/News/Inverness-councillor-in-racism-row-16012015.htm>

Groby Tory councillor forced to apologise for sending racist, sexist and pornographic e-mails - <http://www.mirror.co.uk/news/uk-news/top-tory-forced-grovel-after-5037897>

Lib Dem minister defends 'immigration causes pub closures' comments, denies racism - http://www.independent.co.uk/news/uk/politics/liberal-democrat-minister-defends-comments-suggesting-immigration-causes-pub-closures-10005993.html?fb_ref=Default

Norwich Labour councillor quits party in racism row over 'totally unacceptable' comments over Palestine - http://www.edp24.co.uk/news/politics/norwich_labour_councillor_quits_party_in_race_row_over_facebook_comments_1_3930024

Ringwood Tory councillor in racism row now at centre of bullying claims as party declines to act - http://www.bournemouthecho.co.uk/news/11764267.Ringwood_racism_row_reignites_as_mayor_accuses_councillor_of_bullying/

Tory councillor slammed over 'racist' gypsy remark in Bury St Edmunds - http://www.eadt.co.uk/news/politics_2_480/conservative_councillor_s_racist_remarks_comparing_travellers_and_gypsies_to_criminals_at_st_edmundsbury_borough_council_meeting_leads_to_apology_from_robert_clifton_brown_1_3951319

Waltham Forest Labour councillor suspended over 'anti-Muslim' comments on Facebook in row with fellow councillor - http://www.guardian-series.co.uk/news/11804143.Councillor_at_a_loss_to_understand_suspension_after_Facebook_spat/

Labour Party 'bears hallmarks of institutional racism' says Rahman in quote not carried in national press - http://www.asianimage.co.uk/news/11811826.Mayor_accuses_party_of_institutional_racism/

Sexism/Homophobia

Former Chesterfield Lib Dem MP given reprimand over bullying of female candidate - <http://www.derbyshiretimes.co.uk/news/grassroots/former-chesterfield-mp-paul-holmes-is-reprimanded-for-bullying-1-7155336>

Hartlepool Labour councillor asked questioner 'have I slept with you?' & says 'I don't need your pussy votes' - <http://www.hartlepoolpost.co.uk/>

Green Party sacks Liverpool press officer over sexism on social media -

<http://www.liverpoolecho.co.uk/news/liverpool-news/green-party-candidate-sacks-volunteer-8917100>

Call for tougher sanctions over Hartlepool Labour Cllr at public meeting who asked questioner if he'd

slept with her - <http://www.hartlepoolmail.co.uk/news/local/tougher-sanctions-demanded-after-hartlepool-councillor-asks-woman-have-i-slept-with-you-1-7184278>

The 'Joy of Sexism' in the Labour Party, by Tory MP on receiving end of 'sexist' barbs by Labour rival -

<http://www.telegraph.co.uk/women/womens-politics/11498910/Ed-Milibands-Labour-is-dangerous-for-women.-Heres-why.html>

Quilliam Foundation head and Lib Dem PPC Maajid Nawaz 'considering future' after sexist lap dance

video - <http://www.ibtimes.co.uk/lib-dem-hopeful-maajid-nawaz-considers-future-cut-throat-politics-after-election-1496124>

Hampshire Lib Dem council leader who said woman was 'too ugly to be raped' steps down from

party - <http://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-2896186/Lib-Dem-council-leader-quits-party-saying-no-one-want-rape-British-woman-claims-sexually-assaulted-Italian-nightclub.html>

Cambridge Green candidate accused of transphobia, apologises for offence caused -

<http://www.cambridge-news.co.uk/Cambridge-Green-Party-parliamentary-candidate/story-25907843-detail/story.html>

Hinckley Tory leader apologises for sending racist and sexist jokes, no further action taken -

<http://www.hinckleytimes.net/news/local-news/top-tory-apologises-sending-racist-8538861>

Labour's Harriet Harman denies telling councillor she was 'too pretty for politics' in sexism row -

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-politics-31446263>

Glamorgan former Labour councillor faces investigation for 'retweeting photocopied picture of

woman's breasts' - <http://www.mirror.co.uk/news/uk-news/councillor-rapped-retweeting-picture-photocopied-5187737>

South Yorks Tory candidate resigns over homophobic comments on Twitter -

<http://www.thestar.co.uk/news/local/conservative-resigns-over-homophobic-tweet-1-7113509>

Drugs

Former Labour deputy mayor of Liverpool bidding to regain seat admits previous resignation was

over caution for class A drugs - <http://www.liverpoolecho.co.uk/news/liverpool-news/paul-brant-class-drugs-shame-8985937>

Abuse of Poor

Aylesbury Tory councillor deletes food bank tweets, suspends Twitter account after labelling users

'mentally ill & drug abusers' - <http://www.mix96.co.uk/news/local/1493523/aylesbury-councillor-creates-twitter-storm-over-foodbank-comments/>

How Labour controlled Waltham Forest are throwing out poor council tenants to play at property developing - <http://www.theguardian.com/commentisfree/2015/jan/13/families-cheated-homes-poor-labour-council-gentrification>

Mental Health

Pontypridd Lib Dem PPC under fire after calling council chiefs 'retards' - <http://www.walesonline.co.uk/news/wales-news/would-be-lib-dem-mp-apologises-8782496>

Expenses

Decision on Hawick SNP councillor who claimed expenses to attend colleagues funeral delayed - <http://www.hawick-news.co.uk/news/local-headlines/delay-over-decision-on-cranston-probe-1-3710509>

Labour MP for Rotherham claimed £17 expenses for Remembrance Day poppy wreath - <http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-england-south-yorkshire-31895703>

Tory Dudley South MP claimed £ 10.80 to attend Kingswinford Remembrance Sunday service - <http://www.expressandstar.com/news/2015/03/20/mp-under-fire-after-claiming-10-for-remembrance-trip/>

Tory Wandsworth Council leader gets £27k trip to Cannes paid for by consortium behind controversial development - http://www.wandsworthguardian.co.uk/news/11879166.Wandsworth_Council_leader_Ravi_Govindias_trip_to_Cannes_paid_for_by_developers/

Motherwell Labour faces legal action for sacking of senior councillor who questioned housing contract - <http://www.motherwelltimes.co.uk/news/local-headlines/councillor-takes-labour-to-court-over-sacking-1-3728201>

Buxton Tory convicted of falsifying expenses & barred from public office now running 'Buxton Independents' campaign - <http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-england-derbyshire-32215977>

Luton Labour vice-chair to fight seat of Labour councillor suspended over expenses irregularities - <http://www.luton-dunstable.co.uk/Luton-Labour-vice-chair-Yasmin-Waheed-stand-place/story-26314819-detail/story.html>

Salmond aide & ex-SNP cllr faces jail after failing to carry out community service after expenses fraud conviction - <https://www.pressandjournal.co.uk/fp/news/highlands/551845/undefined-headline-294/>

Benefit Fraud

Labour councillor convicted of benefit fraud nominated as deputy mayor of Stafford - <http://www.expressandstar.com/news/2015/02/26/benefit-fraud-councillor-nominated-for-stafford-deputy-mayor/>

Tiverton Lib Dem councillor convicted of defrauding own authority has charity money in personal bank account - <http://www.middevongazette.co.uk/Tiverton-councillor-admits-having-charity-money/story-26230576-detail/story.html>

Melton Tory councillor pleads not guilty to benefit fraud charges (not the same one who was convicted of £3k theft!) - <http://www.meltontimes.co.uk/news/local/melton-borough-councillor-gary-bush-pleads-not-guilty-to-benefit-fraud-charges-1-6670053>

Labour Milton Keynes council denies using press watchdog to try and silence paper over expenses story - <http://www.miltonkeynes.co.uk/news/local/council-denies-attempt-to-silence-the-press-1-6670786>

Cornwall councillor repaid thousands in false benefit claims to avoid court, council declines to name and shame them - <http://www.cornishguardian.co.uk/Councillor-pay-benefits/story-25781927-detail/story.html>

Wife of former Labour councillor in Irvine pleads guilty to £5000 benefits fraud - <http://www.irvinetimes.com/news/kilwinning/articles/2015/01/16/521394-pled-guilty-to-fraudulently-claiming-5000-in-benefits/>

Benefits fraud conviction Stafford Labour councillor stands down from party (Labour took no action) - <http://www.expressandstar.com/news/2015/02/05/labour-councillor-steps-down-after-benefit-fraud-conviction/>

Theft/Fraud

Spelthorne Tory councillor's wife convicted of £2k theft from school PTA - <http://www.getsurrey.co.uk/news/local-news/councillors-partner-convicted-2000-pta-8732216>

Sandwell Labour councillors resign as investigation continues into fraudulent sales of council land - http://www.halesowennews.co.uk/news/11824975.Breaking_news_Under_fire_Sandwell_Council_deputy_leader_resigns/

Fraud trial of Scunthorpe Labour councillor told he was repeatedly chased for council tax payments - <http://www.scunthorpetelegraph.co.uk/Court-told-ex-mayor-pursued-council-tax-arrears/story-26083856-detail/story.html>

Tory ex councillor in Wycombe jailed for fleecing old ladies of savings - http://www.bucksfreepress.co.uk/news/11853028.Former_councillor_jailed_for_fraud/

Melton Labour councillor pleads guilty to theft of £3.2k from lunch club - his Lab group leader faces benefits fraud charges - <http://www.leicestermercury.co.uk/councillor-admits-theft-charge/story-26160171-detail/story.html>

Senior Somerset Tory councillor resigns after breaches of code over sales of public land - <http://www.westerndailynews.co.uk/Senior-Somerset-County-Councillor-David-Huxtable/story-26148678-detail/story.html>

Suspended Stockton Tory councillor 'sold town railings for scrap and replaced them when caught' - http://www.darlingtonandstocktontimes.co.uk/news/11857051.Councillor_at_centre_of_missing_railings_mystery_row_publicly_identifies_himself_and_defends_his_record/

Two corruption charges dropped against former Tory leader of Dorset CC, one continues - http://www.bournemouthcho.co.uk/news/11855968.Two_charges_dropped_against_former_council_leader_Spencer_Flower/

Sandwell Council - whose Labour deputy leader faces fraud investigation - bars critical blogger from meetings - <http://www.expressandstar.com/news/local-news/2015/03/18/twitter-bars-blogger-over-harassment-of-sandwell-council-leader/>

Labour council leader defends Blackpool councillors summonsed for unpaid council tax - <http://www.blackpoolgazette.co.uk/news/community/community-news/leader-defends-councillors-over-unpaid-tax-bills-1-7157743>

Tendring councillor and former Tory rebailed in fraud charges relating to grants from Sport England - http://www.gazette-news.co.uk/news/local/clacton/11867261.Tendring_councillor_arrested_on_suspicion_of_defrauding_Sport_England_is_bailed_again_by_police/

Scunthorpe Labour councillor Jawaid Ishaq jailed for 3 1/2 years for fraud after impersonating dead friend - <http://www.scunthorpetelegraph.co.uk/BREAKING-NEWS-Jawaid-Ishaq-jailed/story-26205450-detail/story.html>

SNP run Perth & Kinross council under fire after leadership rules out fraud probe into 'dodgy' recruitment contract - <http://www.dailyrecord.co.uk/news/local-news/council-under-fire-after-ruling-5365029>

Probe into former SNP deputy leader of Edinburgh council over undeclared links to lobbyist in contracts row - <http://www.heraldscotland.com/politics/scottish-politics/ex-snp-edinburgh-leader-faces-questions-over-links-to-lobbyist.121242831>

Plymouth Labour councillor to face trial next month for fraud by abuse of position - <http://www.plymouthherald.co.uk/City-councillor-face-trial-month-suspicion/story-26236255-detail/story.html>

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