**Private and confidential**

23 October 2023

Dear Sirs,

I am writing in support of Mr Christopher Harborne. He is both a personal friend and a supporter of my office. He is also a long-standing supporter of the Conservative Party in the UK.

Christopher Harborne is a successful businessman. His political donations have been duly declared to the Electoral Commission and published by them (the relevant regulator in the U.K). He has passed due diligence checks carried out by the Conservative Party on many occasions and has supported successive Conservative governments since 2010.

I am aware of no suggestion or evidence whatsoever that Christopher is in any way supportive of the Russian government, or has links to Russia commercial or otherwise. On the contrary, I know him to be a longstanding supporter of NATO and Ukraine and indeed Poland.

He came with me on a recent trip to Ukraine and I know him to be a passionate opponent of the Putin regime.

My office can provide any further information you require.

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Yours faithfully,

Rt Hon Boris Johnson

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