

SPORTS GROUNDS SAFETY AUTHORITY – BOARD MEMBER DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

This register was last updated on 29 January 2021.

For each Board member the region where they live is noted. Apart from the Chair, Board members are not involved in licensing decisions which affect grounds within the regions that they live, or grounds where they have a connection to the club that plays there.

Alan Coppin (Chair) – South East

On 29 January 2021 Alan declared the following interests which either give rise to a conflict of interest with his membership of the Board of the Sports Grounds Safety Authority or which might reasonably be perceived to give rise to such a conflict:

Public NGO or other roles/interests:

Honorary Fellow, Windsor Leadership Trust
Senior Independent Panel Member, DCMS Public Appointments

Rimla Akhtar – London

On 29 January 2021 Rimla declared the following interests which either give rise to a conflict of interest with her membership of the Board of the Sports Grounds Safety Authority or which might reasonably be perceived to give rise to such a conflict:

Business or other financial interests:

Managing Director, RimJhim Consulting

Public NGO or other roles/interests:

Member, FA Council
UEFA Match Delegate
Non-Executive Director, Rugby Football League
Council Member, Institute of Chartered Accountants of Scotland

Janet Johnson – North East

On 29 January 2021 Janet declared the following interests which either give rise to a conflict of interest with her membership of the Board of the Sports Grounds Safety Authority or which might reasonably be perceived to give rise to such a conflict:

Public NGO or other roles/interests:

Season ticket holder, Newcastle United Football Club

Susan Johnson – East of England

On 29 January 2021 Susan declared the following interests which either give rise to a conflict of interest with her membership of the Board of the Sports Grounds Safety Authority or which might reasonably be perceived to give rise to such a conflict:

Public NGO or other roles/interests:

Equality and Human Rights Commission, Commissioner and Board Member
Local Partnerships, Non-Executive Director
Gentoo Group, Independent Member Audit and Risk Committee
Health and Safety Executive, Non-Executive Director
Local Government Boundary Commission for England, Commissioner
Power to Change Trust, Protector

Philip Kolvin - London

On 29 January 2021 Philip declared the following interests which either give rise to a conflict of interest with his membership of the Board of the Sports Grounds Safety Authority or which might reasonably be perceived to give rise to such a conflict:

Business or other financial interests:

11KBW: Barrister

Public NGO or other roles/interests:

Director of Crystal Palace Park Trust
Recorder of the Crown Court
Associate Fellow, University of Westminster

David Mackinnon – South East

On 29 January 2021 David declared the following interests which either give rise to a conflict of interest with his membership of the Board of the Sports Grounds Safety Authority or which might reasonably be perceived to give rise to such a conflict:

Public NGO or other roles/interests:

Racecourse Association Safety Committee, Member

Jil Matheson - London

On 29 January 2021 Jil declared the following interests which either give rise to a conflict of interest with her membership of the Board of the Sports Grounds Safety Authority or which might reasonably be perceived to give rise to such a conflict:

Public NGO or other roles/interests:

Trustee, NatCen Social Research
Honorary Secretary and Trustee, Academy of Social Science
Season ticket holder, Derby County Football Club

Jane Sawyers – West Midlands

On 29 January 2021 Jane declared the following interests which either give rise to a conflict of interest with her membership of the Board of the Sports Grounds Safety Authority or which might reasonably be perceived to give rise to such a conflict:

Public NGO or other roles/interests:

Season Ticket Holder, Port Vale Football Club
Trustee, Police Arboretum Memorial Trust
Visiting Professor and lecturer, Staffordshire University
Board Member, YMCA North Staffordshire