

Extracted policy statements from PDC for approval by RPAG (taken from PDC working copy manifesto v2.2 and Health extracted for Ann)

Approved, except where noted

Elected Greens would change the working visa system so that the exploitation of overseas workers in the care sector is ended, making it illegal for agents to charge commission, and ensuring that carers are free to change employer in the UK. Extension HE1502

Elected Greens would support 'Gloria's Law', giving everybody who needs care unrestricted in-person support from at least one essential Care Supporter (a person important to them such as a relative or friend). It would place a duty on the health and care system to facilitate this contact wherever the person is receiving care and support, and ~~regardless of how it is funded~~. Policy extension SW615 (RPAG asked for the ~~strikeout text to be removed~~)

Financial services Policy extension (various refs)

Financial services have a crucial part of play in achieving a rapid transition to a zero-carbon economy and ensuring that nature is protected. Elected Greens would aim to ensure that this industry is supported in becoming a force for good. Making finance available to the right types of businesses and individuals for the right purposes is critical to reaching a fair, balance and zero carbon economy. EC663

Any company holding a UK banking licence would be required to present an investment strategy outlining a clear pathway to divestment of its current fossil fuel assets as soon as possible, and at least by 2030. CC150

The Bank of England's mandate will be changed so that funding the sustainability transition becomes a central objective, alongside the maintenance of price stability. The Bank would also be required to mainstream the climate crisis into its strategic thinking and to produce a climate-neutrality roadmap for the financial system, including forward planning scenarios consistent with a 1.5oC warming limit and the equity obligations of the Glasgow Accord. Spring 2022 ROPS

The Bank of England should adopt a policy of credit guidance with minimum but rapidly increasing quotas of lending to fund a just and urgent sustainability transition (to sustainable energy sources). There will be credit bans/ceilings for unsustainable activities. These targets will be mandatory for all banks relying on the central bank as a lender of last resort. CC150

Non-bank financial institutions, such as UK pension funds, investment funds, mutual funds, brokers and insurance companies that sell policies in the UK, will need to remove fossil fuel assets from their investment portfolios, securities transactions and balance sheets by 2030. CC150

The Financial Conduct Authority (FCA) will develop targets to eliminate all equities relating to fossil fuel exploitation from the UK stock market, and immediately prohibit the issuing of any new shares for those purposes. CC150

The government is projecting further cuts so that it can cave in to the pressure from high-earners and the wealthy to see their taxes cut. We don't think that's fair and neither do

64% of Britons (rising to 73% of Conservative voters) who support maintaining or increasing taxes while only 16% support cutting taxes if it means cuts to public services. Meanwhile, Labour is falling into the same trap—meeting the needs of the City and the newspaper barons at the expense of the future of the country. Extension EC728

Elected Greens will push for a wealth tax. This will tax the wealth of individual taxpayers with assets above £10 million at 1% and assets above £1 billion at 2% annually. The vast majority of taxpayers would not be subject to the wealth tax.
policy extension EC728

Elected Greens will push for a Clean Air Act, which will set new air quality standards for the UK. We would enshrine the right to breathe clean air in the law.
Policy extension PL410

Elected Greens would push for a ban on breeding of dogs (and other animals) whose conformations cause them health problems. Policy extensions on re conformations
AR419

We support the provision of free school breakfast clubs for all primary school pupils.
Policy extension: ED190 It will be a minimum requirement that all children are provided free of charge with a balanced nutritious lunch

Policy extension TR201 The Green Party believes that all levels of government have responsibilities for setting service levels to cover all public transport, whether privately or publicly provided, which they would have responsibility for enforcing. Service levels would cover such factors as frequency of bus and train services and would take into account the size of locations served and their remoteness from the nearest centre where a wide range of local services are available. Local transport users must be fully involved in decisions on service levels.

TR232 All rail franchises that exist from rail privatisation would be cancelled, with compensation given only for any money that the franchisee has actually invested in the railway in excess of any profits the franchisee has taken from the railway.

policy extension TR244 The Green Party believes that long-distance service provision should not concentrate on high speeds where this will affect local service provision or take up an excessive amount of limited resources. The Green Party supports the principle of a new north-south high speed line which would reduce the number of short-haul flights within the UK.

Give local authorities to be given discretionary powers to exempt socially and economically essential local enterprises from business rates. Policy extension 2019 manifesto

Work with international partners to enlarge membership of the TPNW and ensure that all states meet their commitments under the Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty. Policy extension PSD533

SW313 Elected Greens would push for children in foster care **or who have been adopted [added by GPRC]** to be consistently offered counselling from a trained counsellor until they either no longer require therapy, or they leave the care system. We

will fund councils to extend staying put arrangements, to enable fostered young people to stay with foster parents until they are 21. SW313

Diversion programs for young low level offenders. **Agreed** by consensus.

Domestic violence as a key measurable priority. **Agreed** by consensus.

Young people not to be strip searched. **Agreed** by consensus.

Youth workers rather than police in schools. **Agreed** by consensus.