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COMMENTARY

Please note that Alistair will be away from this Friday morning, the 15th September, and will return to the office on Monday 25th September. How cover will work for Members is detailed below.

We have now been able to pin down a series of dates for further Fire Webinars, the first two in Conjunction with Visit England and the Home Office, and two in Conjunction with the DMO's in SW England (Visit Cornwall, Visit Devon etc). There are several more which will be taking place with self-catering agencies and their owners and with other DMO's in England. More information below on that.

August 2023 was the PASC UK year end, and post coming back from leave we will produce an end of Year report for Members. Much has been achieved this year and the Association has grown substantially over the last year.

We will also write a report on just how the news coverage is turning against the sector (mostly conflating with second homes) in the UK, and how this may impact Government thinking. Just this morning we have a piece come in that headlines how the Conservative Mayor of St Ives has resigned over the 'holiday lets' problem. The report will link to hundreds of such articles.

<https://www.cornwalllive.com/news/cornwall-news/mayor-st-ives-resigns-tory-8738290>

This is why it is imperative that as many of you as possible take part in the surveys and petitions that we ask you to. The surveys gather the data, the petitions pressure the MP's and MS's.

The Petition in Wales passed 2175 letters at 0700 this morning, with the English one, launched a week later, at 850. These are a great start but we need more, each of the key influencing MP's and MS's need to get as many as possible, so that they can see that there is another side to the story, our side.

We are able to track on iParl how many petitions each MP/MS is getting and follow up appropriately, and the results are already promising.... the survey numbers are 1391 in Wales and 1108 in England so we desperately need all of you that have not done so yet, to spend a couple of minutes supporting your own sector. Details of how to do so are below.

Thanks to everyone who continues to recommend their supplier fill in the form for the Trade Directory, which is growing nicely, one small problem, the Directory is not currently showing the region, it is there, it's just not showing, the back office team are trying to rectify this asap.

Any questions please let us know. Best regards

Alistair

CHAIR ON LEAVE, HOW COVERAGE WORKS

There will be emergency phone and email cover for Members next week, and a short Newsletter update will also be delivered to all.

Email should still be sent to chair@pascuk.co.uk and the out of office email will give details of how the email will be attended to.

On working days between Friday the 15th September to Friday 22nd September there is the following Emergency Number for MEMBERS ONLY PLEASE. This will be answered by Louise who will check your Membership. This number will only operate for that period.

Emergency Number 07496 409207

If you need to email about a password reset, or a query with Membership, please email Justin at admin@pascuk.co.uk

Outstanding emails and phone messages to the Chair will be answered on his return.

Thanks for your consideration and support with this.

UPDATE ON THE GREAT BRITISH HOLIDAY



The two key things for the next two weeks are to get as many surveys completed and as many petition letters in as possible. Meetings are taking place regularly with Ministers, MP's and Officials as we try to hammer home the message that Statutory Registration must come BEFORE any planning changes to our sector are considered. Good data must form the basis of any proposed changes, not the negative narrative that exists today.

VITAL ENGLAND SURVEY FOR YOU TO TAKE PART IN

TOTAL 1108 at 0700 Tuesday 12 September. Need to push this over 1,250 asap please.

Here is the first step for you to take to help protect our sector in England, through the Great British Holiday campaign. This short survey, it will take no more than two minutes of your time, is a vital basis for data gathering for our campaign.

We want to show that the sector is not a 'come lately' addition to the scene, solely responsible for the housing crisis. We want to show the local economic value of the sector, and to debunk various myths. The survey is anonymous, and it is vital that as many of you as possible, **and there are thousands of you reading this, actually click on the link and participate.** We will share updates each week.

<https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/B59L2ZT>

PETITIONING ENGLISH MP'S

TOTAL 850 at 0700 Tuesday 12 September. Need to push this over 1,500 asap please.

Please support the work that we are doing, alongside the wider self-catering sector under the collective banner of the Great British Holiday, to ensure that the Westminster Government implements a robust enough Statutory Registration scheme that weeds out the 'bad actors' and provides accurate data to make good policy decisions, BEFORE making any further changes to planning. After clicking on the link, all you need to do is enter your postcode, your MP will come up, you enter your address and press send.

You are able to modify the letter should you wish to.

Link here: <https://www.greatbritishholiday.org/help-our-campaign/>

UPDATE ON REVIEW 182

Excellent progress in Wales with Review 182, lots of partner organisations, including the Wales Tourism Alliance, UKHospitality Cymru and the CLA Cymru plus many more are spreading the word.

The ambition of this campaign is to secure a meeting with Ministers to confirm a date for a review of the 182 day threshold, and to secure some further much needed exemptions.



VITAL WALES SURVEY FOR YOU TO TAKE PART IN

TOTAL 1391 at 0700 Tuesday 12 September. We have launched Phase Two of 'Review 182'

Huge support for this from operators in Wales, and well supported by other organisations in the Visitor Economy there too. Still more responses needed.

If you have not yet completed the survey, please do so here:

<https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/M8HNPLD>

PETITIONING WELSH MS'S

TOTAL 2175 at 0700 Tuesday 12 September. We need to pass 3,000 asap please.

Please support the work that we are doing, alongside the wider Visitor Economy Sector in Wales under the collective banner of Review 182, to ensure that the Welsh Government agrees to meet to discuss reviewing the 182 day threshold and to discuss further exemptions from Council Tax premiums. After clicking on the link, all you need to do is enter your postcode, your MS will come up, you enter your address and press send.

You are able to modify the letter should you wish to. <https://pascuk.eaction.online/182Wales>

PASC UK WEBINAR PROGRAMME FOR SEPTEMBER 2023

We are running a series of Fire Webinars with Visit England, the Home Office and with local DMO's (Destination Marketing Organisations, e.g., Visit Cornwall, Visit Cumbria) during this period. More information will be available next week as we organise the schedule.

Next Week there will be two Fire Webinars held in Conjunction with Visit England and the Home Office.

These will be on:

Monday 18 September at 1100

Register here:

<https://visitbritain.webex.com/weblink/register/r5c5479beef22a0d20ec282646bfd1b4e>

Thursday 21 September at 1100

Register here: <https://visitbritain.webex.com/weblink/register/r6572f5fa10aa9b3ed6a89f539e9c9e8e>

Host: Visit England: Janet Uttley

Guest Speaker: Matthew Armer, Head of Fire Policy at the Home Office

Guest Speaker: Paul Bray GFireE, Fire Safety Consultant and Fire Risk Assessor

Guest Speaker: Alistair Handyside, Chair PASC UK

The following week, there are two further Fire Webinars in support of Visit Cornwall, Visit Devon, Visit Somerset, Visit Dorset, destination Plymouth, English Riviera and Visit Exmoor.

When registering for these you will need to add which DMO you are a Member.

TWO FREE FIRE WEBINARS FOR BUSINESSES IN THE SOUTH WEST

SW ENGLAND FREE FIRE WEBINARS

1/ Tuesday 26 September at 1100

This free fire webinar is applicable to anyone who has paying guests in SW England. From the 1st of October 2023 everyone who lets even a room must have a written Fire Risk Assessment by law. Fire Risk Assessments should follow the Government Guidance provided by the Home Office.

This webinar will cover..... what has changed, what this means to you as a business, how you can find all the necessary free information to help you complete your Fire Risk Assessment and much more. It will be followed by a Q&A.

The following will be presenting and answering your questions.

- Matthew Armer: Head of Fire Policy at the Home Office
- Paul Bray GFireE: Fire Safety Consultant and Fire Risk Assessor
- Alistair Handyside: Chair, PASC UK

To register for this meeting, click on the link below, where it will ask for your business name and which DMO area you are from.

https://us06web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_oRli1w8jSASbSfaX4QCsYw

Once registered you will receive a link confirming your place at the webinar.

Or

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2/ Wednesday 27 September at 1100

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https://us06web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_6VLS3G7uQBiwLoamDTXQHQ

Further Fire Webinars will be announced shortly.

Previous webinars and meetings can be viewed on the PASC UK Website at:

<https://www.pascuk.co.uk/webinars/> Members only recordings are in the Members area.

PASC UK RESPONSE TO SCOTTISH TOURISM LEVY

The Scottish Government, on top of all the other woes it has thrown at the self-catering sector has a Consultation running on a Tourism Levy, and yes, of course it's not a Tourism Levy at all, it's a Bed Tax, just like in Wales.

PASC UK does not directly lobby the Scottish Government, two is quite sufficient, and that is done by the ASSC.

We do though always send a response, in support of colleagues north of the border. If you wish to read it, or make a submission yourself, please see our response at <https://www.pascuk.co.uk/reports/>

NEW SHADOW MINISTER FOR TOURISM

Sir Keir Starmer has finished the reshuffle of his junior shadow minister ranks.

Erstwhile Tourism Minister, Jeff Smith MP, has been moved to Energy Security and Net Zero and Barbara Keeley MP (Lab, Worsley and Eccles South) has been appointed Shadow Minister for Music and Tourism.

Barbara Keeley has been in the shadow DCMS team since 2022 but covering the arts and heritage brief.



We welcome Barbara to the role and will be making contact with her office when the Chair returns from leave.

Along with her new Shadow DCMS Secretary, Thangam Debbonaire, this presents a good opportunity to re-engage with the Labour Party's key tourism figures in advance of the general election and to try and dispel some of the myths about our sector.

PORTABLE APPLIANCE PAT TESTING UPDATE REPEAT

You no longer need to attach a label to your appliances following Portable Appliance Testing (PAT). The Health and Safety Executive (HSE) now says:

There is no legal requirement to label equipment that has been inspected or tested, nor is there a requirement to keep records of these activities. However, a record and / or labelling can be a useful management tool for monitoring and reviewing the effectiveness of the maintenance scheme – and to demonstrate that a scheme exists.

A wide array of equipment should undergo PAT, not just hairdryers, lamps and phone chargers: computers, printers, fridges and freezers are all subject to PAT. The 'portable' part of the PAT name is now a misnomer. New equipment does not need to be tested, in its first year of operation.

While PAT is not strictly a legal obligation, and there is no set testing period other than 'regularly', we suggest that annual testing of all equipment will meet your legal obligation to ensure that all your electrical equipment "is maintained in order to prevent danger".

A key risk of not doing it regularly would be to invalidate insurance claims in the event of a claim. Probably best to ask your insurers what they deem 'regularly' the most common answer we have seen is every two years, but you should check, we have heard every year quoted too.

Any electrical equipment brought onto your premises by guests will obviously fall outside your testing regime. You may wish to have a policy regarding such equipment in your terms and conditions.

If you have a considerable amount of equipment on site to test, you may wish to consider PAT training, so that you can conduct your own testing. You do not need to be a qualified electrician to conduct PAT, but you do need to undertake training, and to have certain equipment.

You can find further information about PAT on the HSE website, for example:

<https://www.hse.gov.uk/electricity/faq-portable-appliance-testing.htm>

<https://www.hse.gov.uk/pubns/indg236.htm>

FIRE GUIDANCE WHERE TO FIND IT ALL?

Previous updates can be found in the recent newsletters, so just a summary of all the papers available today. Just the new FAQ's above.

Recent additional Fire Papers

1/ Fire FAQ's pt 2

2/ England Fire Regs Summary

3/ Wales Fire Regs Summary

These are short docs that summarize the current situation with Fire Regs in self-catering in England and Wales. They signpost you to all the regulations, the Government produces Guidance, the additional PASC UK papers and more.

They can be found here: https://www.pascuk.co.uk/fire_checks_and_safety/

If you are looking for information on why the regs are now law in England, and coming in Wales, or what a Responsible person is, please refer to recent Newsletters.

<https://www.pascuk.co.uk/newsletters/>

You can also find lots of information here: https://www.pascuk.co.uk/fire_checks_and_safety/

Main Home Office Papers

Home Office Guidance on Making your small paying guest accommodation safe from fire 2023

This paper covers small units, without open plan downstairs, not more than four bedrooms, sleeping no more than twelve in two storey buildings.

https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/1147723/A_guide_to_making_your_small_paying-guest-accommodation_safe_from_fire.pdf

Fire Safety Risk Assessment Sleeping Accommodation

This paper goes some way to helping with larger properties, but is an old paper, published in 2006 and is currently being updated by the Home Office. Earliest date expected is around the end of the year.

https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/422192/9281_Sleeping_Accommodation_v2.pdf

Additional PASC UK Supporting Papers

To help owners navigate through this, and to supplement the Government Papers mentioned above, we have commissioned three initial papers from our Fire expert, Paul Bray, GFireE, Fire Safety Consultant.

The papers are number 1,2 and 3. They can be found here: <https://www.pascuk.co.uk/reports/> and also here: https://www.pascuk.co.uk/fire_checks_and_safety/

Paper One: The Regulatory Reform Fire Safety Order 2005

This is a background paper explaining the legal background of the Fire Regs and the Fire Regs.

Paper 2: Additional Notes to the Home Office Guidance on Making your small paying guest accommodation safe from fire 2023

This paper provides additional notes to use in conjunction with the Home Office Guidance on Making your small paying guest accommodation safe from fire paper.

Paper 3: Applying the Sleeping Risk Guide to existing holiday accommodation

This paper provides the first paper on providing additional information for larger properties.

These have been followed by....

Fire Checks at Changeover, Routine maintenance and Testing V1

This provide a guide to fire checks at changeover, and a testing regime.

How to find a Competent Fire Risk Assessor?

This provides the websites where you can find authorised fire experts.

Updated Fire Risk Assessment

Suitable for use with the 'Small' guide from the Home Office and Welsh Fire, with the addition of a 'Review Date' box.

Train as a Competent Fire Risk Assessor

Lots of request about how to become a Competent Fire Risk Assessor. This is probably only feasible and of interest to those with multiple properties or agencies.

Additional Fire Safety Notices (without What3Words)

We have produced some further Fire Safety Notices without a space at the bottom for What3Words. We really do recommend that you include creating a What3Words reference for your property as the vast majority of emergency services all over the country use it.

What3 Words explained

What3Words is and how to use it.

FAQ's

We have published the first two sets of FAQ's, the most commonly asked fire questions. This will be regularly updated and when updates are made they will also appear in the newsletter.

These can all be found at https://www.pascuk.co.uk/fire_checks_and_safety/

Next Steps

In addition, PASC UK **will be providing the following over the coming weeks.**

- Further Papers and Webinars (See Webinar Programme) **(Underway)**
- Regular updates on mitigation measures for buildings outside the **Home Office Guidance on Making your small paying guest accommodation safe from fire 2023 (Underway)**
- Work with Home Office and Fire Experts to come up with reasonable and proportionate mitigations for those with properties outside the **Home Office Guidance on Making your small paying guest accommodation safe from fire 2023. (Underway)**
- Prepare a case study of a Fire Risk Assessment (FRA) of our own property for Members, this will include a FRA covering our large, ten-bedroom, three storey property with open plan kitchens. **(Underway)**
- More will be added over the coming weeks

Members questions are welcome on any issues that they have with their Fire Risk Assessments, and we will answer as best we can. We are not ourselves fire safety experts and will do our best to try and offer solutions or signposts to solutions. We are afraid that we cannot answer non-Members questions on fire issues.

NEW TRADE DIRECTORY

Please suggest to your trusted suppliers that they can be listed for free on the PASC UK Trade Directory, just send them the second link in this article, ten added in last week 😊

Last week, we also launched the Trade Directory. We intend for this to be a resource where you can find all kinds of services that you need to run your business. We have started with the suppliers that many of you have sent in. Here are the initial listings, with clear categories.

<https://www.pascuk.co.uk/business-directory/>

We are looking for many, many more. There is no charge for suppliers to list here and we have created a simple form for them to apply to be listed, so if you have a good Fire Risk Assessor, or photographer, or accountant, please get them to fill in the really simple form here:

<https://www.pascuk.co.uk/add-a-business-listing/>

Thanks, with all your help we can build a really comprehensive directory. Comments welcome.

RESETTING YOUR PASSWORD FOR THE PASC UK MEMBERS AREA

You are able to check your account details and download any of the 25 Members only PASC UK papers. The full list of the PASC UK Members Papers is detailed below.

Anticipated questions:

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On the main PASC website you will see a link in the top right-hand corner called "Member Login". Click this link and enter your email address and password. Once logged in you will be in the members area.

2/ I can't find my password.

Click on the "Member login" link on the far right of the menu on our website and click the "forgot password" link which is in blue text just below the "log in" button. Enter your email address in the field and click "request password reset" button.

3/ Who do I contact if I cannot get in?

If you are having difficulty, please email admin@pascuk.co.uk and Justin will investigate for you.

4/ My username doesn't match my email address, does it matter?

No, it doesn't, usually your username would be your email address, but through address changes and mistyping, some don't match up. However, the only place those are used is in the login field, all correspondence will go to your usual email address. Unfortunately, it isn't possible to change the username once it has been set.

NEWSLETTER INDEX (WHERE TO FIND PREVIOUS INFORMATION)

All previous content is indexed and can be found on the 2022/23 Index on the Newsletter page. Look for PASC UK Index 2022/23. This will be updated weekly.

<https://www.pascuk.co.uk/newsletters/>

WALES INFORMATION AND WHERE TO FIND IT

If you are affected by what is happening in Wales and do not get the direct Wales only communications, please email me at chair@pascuk.co.uk put **Wales Newsletter** in the subject line and we will add you to the Wales Only circulation list.

Previous Wales Newsletters can all be found here: <https://www.pascuk.co.uk/wales-182-days-reports/>

GENERAL INFORMATION SECTION

PASC UK SOCIAL MEDIA

Please consider following PASC UK on Social Media, it gives us a way to contact you quickly in the event of any changes or announcements that are made. We promise not to bombard you and to try to keep it relevant and topical.

PASC UK on Twitter @PascUK

PASC UK on Facebook @pascukltd

This is where the latest news between newsletters gets posted.

MEMBERS AREA IS NOW LIVE

The Members area of the PASC UK website opened last week. Initially you will be able to check your account details and download any of the 25 Members only PASC UK papers. No longer will you need to ask Justin or myself 😊. The full list of the PASC UK Members Papers is detailed below. No longer will you need to ask Justin or myself 😊 We will add additional features over the next couple of weeks.

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PASC UK MEMBERS ONLY PAPERS

This is the current list of Members Only papers available in the Members area of the website.

- [PASC UK Business Rates Claim Note England](#)

A guide to 'Claiming' your property in England. You cannot 'check' You cannot 'Check' your properties Business Rates until you have done this.

- [PASC UK Business Rates Check Note England](#)

The guide will take you through 'checking' your Business Rates in England. It is vital that you book a call with the Chair before completing and submitting this 'Check'.

- [PASC UK Template Privacy Policy June 2022](#)

All businesses in the UK are required to have an up-to-date Privacy and Cookie. Not having one can lead to fines. This document provides you with a template policy.

- [PASC UK Template, Privacy Policies explained June 22](#)

This document explains Privacy Policies

- [PASC UK Template Cookie Policy and Guidance June 22](#)

This document gives further guidance on Cookie and Privacy Policies

- [PASC UK Guidance on using CCTV 2021](#)

Having CCTV at business premises can bring benefits, however there are several stages of legal compliance that you need to go through to operate such a system.

- [PASC UK Template CCTV Policy June 2022](#)

This document provides you with a basic CCTV Template Policy.

- [PASC UK Guidance on completing a short form LIA](#)

A 'Legitimate Interests Assessment' is a requirement if you have CCTV. This will guide you through creating one.

- [PASC UK Template LIA](#)

This document is a template Legitimate Interests Assessment for CCTV

- [PASC UK Template Breach Risk Assessment \(Req if you have a GDPR breach\)](#)

This template will guide you through the steps to take if you have a breach of GDPR.

- [PASC UK Record of Processing \(This is what data that you store and for how long?\)](#)

This template gives you the headings for the types of data that you store and for how long.

- [PASC UK Template Internet Fair Usage Policy](#)

This template document can be inserted into your Terms and Conditions to cover fair internet usage at your business.

- [PASC UK EV Charging Guidance \(This is about to be updated for 2023, launch expected end of May 2023\)](#)

This guidance takes you through putting together an EV Charging Policy at your business, necessary even if you do not have EV charge points, to help protect against charging out of the window.

- [PASC UK EV Charging Policy for Member's T's & C's](#)

This template document can be inserted into your Terms and Conditions to cover EV charging at your business, whether you provide the facility or not so as to help maintain insurance cover.

- [PASC UK Ghosting Report](#)

Ghosting is the practice that is employed by some self-catering agents whereby they leave your property on their website after you have left, with 'this property no longer available' Book one of these. This report tells you the steps you can take to have the property removed.

- [PASC UK Risk summary of 3rd Party suppliers at Holiday lets](#)

Having third party suppliers giving services to our guests at our businesses requires careful planning, in order not to void insurance. This paper explains the steps to take to maintain insurance cover. Covers chefs, mobile cooking companies, hot tub rental, bouncy castles. Entertainers etc.

- [PASC UK ICO Registration Paper](#)

This paper explains whether or not your business needs to register with the ICO. In 99% of cases PASC UK Members will need to do so. It costs £40 to register.

- [PASC UK ICO Registration FAQ's](#)

This document answers the most common questions about registering with the ICO and why you need to.

- [PASC UK Guidance on damage caused by guest and your T's & C's](#)

This document provides Members with another clause for their T's and C's. this one to protect you if guests cause damage to the property such that you have to cancel subsequent bookings and who pays.

- [PASC UK Template for clause in T's C's ref guest damage](#)

This is the template clause to add to your Terms and Conditions to protect you if guest damage causes future cancellations.

- [PASC UK Guest Comms Paper](#)

Improving the flow of Guest Communications from initial contact prebooking to post departure is one of the key elements to improving guest satisfaction and driving up repeat bookings. This paper should be taken in conjunction with the webinar on this subject in the Webinars section.

- [PASC UK Influencer Paper](#)

Many Members have reported being contacted by influencer or media offering coverage of your property in exchange for a free stay. There are several legal aspects to Members being offered this that they need to be aware of. These are covered in this Paper.

PASC UK MEMBERS LOGO UPDATED

We have updated the logos for Members to display on their websites. We now have a full set of Welsh versions too. A full variety of shapes and formats are available to suit all layouts.



MEMBER BENEFITS SUMMARISED

To carry out the lobbying work that we do on behalf of the Sector we need funding. 90% plus of this funding comes from Membership Subscriptions.

Members will get.

- Access to Telephone Support
- Prompt email support
- Access to Members Benefits and Discounts. (Buying Group Membership details below)
- Members only Webinars, (Including ask the Chair sessions)
- Book Appointments with the Chair
- Specific Discounts on key products
- PASC UK Guides to reducing Business Rates
- Hard Copy of the Visit England Pink Book
- 25 and growing Special Interest Papers including legal docs such Privacy and Cookie Policies

What will be available to non-members?

- The PASC UK newsletters
- Email support when available. (Members support comes first).
- Free Webinars
- Fire protocols
- Some General interest Papers

We are currently making major investments in supporting you better and all this costs money, these include.

- Sponsorship of the Visit England Pink book, to help promote the safe and legal aspects of our sector
- Membership fees to the Tourism Alliance, UK Hospitality and Wales Tourism Alliance
- Surveys and reports to use data-based arguments to win support for the sector
- Legal papers to help inform and protect Members.

If you have not yet joined PASC UK, please consider joining NOW. Details below the Buying Club information. <https://bit.ly/3ptd4RU> Thanks.

BUYING CLUB MEMBER BENEFIT FOR PAID PASC UK MEMBERS

We are really pleased to announce a partnership with Purchasing for Business.

More details on the new PASC UK website here: <https://bit.ly/3ptd4RU>

This is a Buying Club, it's free to join if you are a paid up PASC UK Member. There will be no additional fee for Members to join the Club.

SUPPORT LOBBYING BY JOINING PASC UK

There is a huge amount of work and lobbying to do to help support you all in the self-catering sector. We don't ask very often, however, if we are to fight on so many fronts, we simply need more funds. There are thousands of you that have had the benefit of this newsletter and the lobbying done on behalf of the sector.

We are now asking that as many of you as possible join PASC UK. The fight is on so many fronts, and we get much better results when we engage proper legal advice and proper PR firms to assist with campaigns. Memberships to other organisations that provide common lobbying, information feeds and support also cost many thousands of pounds a year.

Membership fees are as follows: All per annum.

- Single cottage £70
- 2 – 4 Units £125
- 5 – 10 Units £200
- 11 + Units £300

For companies like cleaning firms, or industry support companies, Trade Membership is £200, and you will get a listing in the Trade Directory on the new website.

Members get telephone support and priority email support.

You can join here, simple form, takes 2 mins, and you'll get an invoice, payable by BACS or Credit Card. Just click on this link to go to the joining page: <https://www.pascuk.co.uk/join-pasc-uk/>

Wishing each and every one of you all the best during these trying times.

Best regards

Alistair Handyside MBE

Executive Chair

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