

The Religious Liberty Commission: one voice for the persecuted church. We believe that everyone should have the right to choose, the right to change, and the right to practise their religion.

Elections are a prime time to ensure that the right to freedom of religion and belief is on the agenda of every candidate of every party.

So often it is relegated to the side-lines. But it's too important an issue to ignore. And this time, on the doorstep, and by showing up at hustings, you set the agenda.

That's why the Religious Liberty Commission is urging you to raise the persecution of Christians and other religious minorities with candidates – ensuring that they commit to promoting and protecting freedom of religion or belief. Below are three suggested questions for you to raise at hustings events or wherever you meet a candidate.

Would each candidate commit, if elected, to...

1. pressing the new government and their own party to have freedom of religion or belief as a Foreign and Commonwealth Office human rights priority?
2. personally pursuing and holding the government to account in ensuring freedom of religion or belief is considered in every aspect of foreign policy, including diplomacy, aid and trade?
3. ensuring that the UK is a vocal defender of the right to freedom of religion or belief at the international level, including at the European Union and the United Nations?

The Religious Liberty Commission (RLC) is a commission of the Evangelical Alliance. The RLC brings together organisations working on behalf of persecuted Christians to speak with one voice, encouraging the Church to stand with its persecuted brothers and sisters through prayer, advocacy and practical help, and calling on governments to use their influence. Current RLC partners are Christian Solidarity Worldwide, Open Doors and Release International.



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