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ALLEGATIONS OF CHILD SEXUAL OFFENCES INVOLVING MEMBERS
AND ASSOCIATES OF THE LABOUR PARTY
PART 1 OF 3: MASTER INDEX, EXECUTIVE SUMMARY & OFFENCE-TYPE ANALYSIS

ANALYST WARNING: This bulletin compiles allegations drawn from a single partisan political source (labour25.com, 2025–2026). The originating platform has an explicit political agenda. All entries require independent verification through court records, police statements, and reputable news archives before operational or legal use. The presumption of innocence applies to all persons listed as merely arrested or charged. This document does **not** constitute evidence of guilt.

1. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

- 1.1. This Part 1 bulletin presents a structured master index of 79 individuals associated with the UK Labour Party who have been named in allegations related to child sexual offences. The allegations span a period from the 1970s to 2026 and involve a range of roles including elected councillors, Members of Parliament, peers, party officials, school governors, and teachers.
- 1.2. The source material comprises two PDF documents published by labour25.com: a 9-page web-archive PDF dated January 2026 and a 2-page summary list dated 2025. Both documents are openly partisan in nature and have not been independently fact-checked by JAOC Investigations.
- 1.3. Of the 79 entries, 47 (59.5%) are recorded as having been convicted, found guilty, or having pleaded guilty. 17 (21.5%) are recorded as arrested or charged with offences pending. 15 (19.0%) are recorded as alleged or caught without a recorded conviction at the time of source publication.

METRIC	COUNT	PERCENTAGE
Total Individuals Indexed	79	100%
Convicted / Sentenced to Prison	25	31.6%
Found Guilty (sentence not specified)	21	26.6%
Pleaded Guilty / Confessed / Admitted	1	1.3%
Arrested / Charged (pending)	17	21.5%
Alleged / Caught / Under Investigation	15	19.0%

1.4. Role Category Breakdown

ROLE CATEGORY	COUNT	NOTES
Councillors (District / County / City / Parish)	59	Includes nominees & candidates
Lord Mayors	8	Includes former mayors
MPs / Peers / Shadow Ministers	4	Parliamentary-level figures
Party Officials / Advisers / Activists	8	Includes spin doctors & aides
School Governors / Teachers ¹	17	Overlaps with other categories

¹ Some individuals hold multiple roles (e.g., Councillor & School Governor). The School Governor count reflects role mentions, not unique individuals.

2. SOURCE RELIABILITY MATRIX

2.1. All intelligence assessments are graded using the standard NATO/Admiralty source-and-content matrix. The matrix below rates both the reliability of the source and the confidence in the content.

CRITERION	RATING	ASSESSMENT
Source Reliability	F — UNRELIABLE	Single partisan political website (labour25.com). No independent editorial oversight. Explicit political agenda. No named authors.
Information Accuracy	D — DOUBTFUL	Many entries reference real court cases verifiable through open-source media. However, selection bias, framing, and potential omissions mean the overall picture may be distorted.
Information Currency	C — FAIR	Documents dated 2025–2026. Some cases span decades. Legal outcomes may have changed since original reporting.
Overall Confidence	LOW — MODERATE	Individual cases may be verifiable. The aggregate compilation and any inferred patterns should be treated with extreme caution.

3. METHODOLOGY & SCOPE

3.1. **Data Extraction.** Two PDF documents were received and subjected to structured text extraction. All named individuals, roles, alleged offences, and reported outcomes were catalogued and assigned a sequential reference number (001–079).

3.2. **Normalisation.** Role titles were standardised for consistency (e.g., 'Councillor', 'Lord Mayor', 'MP', 'Peer'). Offence descriptions were transcribed verbatim where possible, with minor grammatical corrections for readability. No new allegations were introduced.

3.3. **Legal Status Coding.** Each entry was coded into one of five categories: (a) Convicted / Jailed; (b) Found Guilty; (c) Pleaded Guilty / Confessed / Admitted; (d) Arrested / Charged; (e) Alleged / Caught / Under Investigation. Coding was based solely on the language used in the source document.

3.4. **Limitations.** This bulletin does not assess the credibility of individual allegations, the fairness of trials, or the possibility of acquittals, appeals, or overturned convictions. It is a compilation, not an investigation.

4. OFFENCE-TYPE ANALYSIS

4.1. The 79 entries have been grouped into five offence-type categories for analytical purposes. An individual may appear in more than one category if multiple offence types are alleged.

CATEGORY	COUNT	DESCRIPTION
A. Production / Making of CSAM	~22	Creation, filming, or manufacture of child sexual abuse material including images and video.
B. Distribution of CSAM	~6	Sharing, distributing, or transmitting child sexual abuse material via internet or other means.
C. Contact Offences	~28	Physical sexual offences including rape, molestation, sexual assault, and indecency.
D. Grooming / Online Enticement	~4	Use of online platforms or in-person contact to groom or entice children for sexual purposes.
E. Bestiality-Related Charges	~6	Possession or production of material depicting sexual acts with animals, often in conjunction with CSAM.

4.2. Notable Patterns

- **Institutional Access:** 17 individuals (21.5%) held roles as school governors, teachers, head teachers, or nursery school governors, indicating potential exploitation of positions of trust.
- **Severity Gradient:** Contact offences account for the largest single category (~28 entries). Production of CSAM is the second-largest (~22 entries). Several entries involve both contact offences and CSAM possession.
- **Temporal Spread:** Cases range from the 1970s–1980s (e.g., Tom O'Carroll / PIE) to 2026. The concentration of cases in the 2000s–2010s may reflect increased reporting, changes in legislation, or source selection bias.
- **Geographic Spread:** Allegations span England, Scotland, and Wales. Notable clusters: Greater Manchester, Sunderland, Leeds, London boroughs.

5. MASTER INDEX — ALL 79 ENTRIES

5.1. The following table presents all 79 indexed individuals in sequential reference order. Entries are transcribed from the source documents without editorial addition. Legal status reflects the source's wording at time of publication.

REF	NAME	ROLE / POSITION	ALLEGATION / OFFENCE	STATUS / OUTCOME
001	Brian Gate	CLlr & School Governor (child welfare)	Downloading child pornography	Arrested
002	Graham Pearson	Lord Mayor; School teacher & Nursery Governor	Possession of child porn images	Arrested
003	Richard Harris	CLlr Candidate & School Governor	Offering children money for sex	Arrested
004	Malcolm Ford	CLlr & Head teacher (Skelmersdale)	Child rape	Convicted — 15 yrs
005	Paul Diggert	CLlr Candidate & School Governor	Downloading child pornography	Caught
006	Cyril Smith	CLlr & teacher, Cambridge House Boys Home (later Liberal)	Sexual abuse of boys	Historical allegations
007	Timothy Edmeades	Party organizer / Lord Mayor asst / Scout Leader	Child rape	Alleged
008	John Friary	CLlr & School Governor	Grooming a child for sex	Guilty
009	Keith Rogers	CLlr & School Governor	Making 2,000 child rape images	Guilty
010	Alec Dyer Atkins	CLlr & School Governor	42,000 images of child abuse	Convicted — 2 yrs
011	Adrian Circet	CLlr & School Governor	Child porn	3-yr community order
012	Steve Carnell	CLlr & School Governor	Child porn	Found guilty
013	Greg Vincent	CLlr & School Governor	Child pornography	Guilty
014	Nelson Bland	CLlr & School Teacher	Making child porn images	Guilty
015	Keith Potts	CLlr & School Governor	Making child porn images	Guilty
016	John Johnson	CLlr	Downloading child pornography	Guilty
017	Manish Sood	MP Candidate	Offering school children money for sex	Alleged
018	Mark Tann	Party Activist (knew the Blairs)	Raped two young girls	Alleged
019	Peter Tuffley	Party Adviser to Hazel Blears	Kidnapped a child for sex	Alleged
020	Mark Trotter	Activist (Liverpool & Hackney councils)	Raped children whilst diagnosed with AIDS	Alleged
021	Ian Rankin	CLlr Candidate	Making horrific child porn movies	Guilty
022	Tim Russo	Party Adviser	Convicted paedophile child abuser	Convicted
023	Phillip Lyon	Party Adviser & aide to Tony Blair	Making child pornography	Caught
024	Willie Smith	Council Leader	Child pornography	Arrested
025	Samuel Gamlin	Party Spin Doctor	Making child porn; accessing child porn sites	Alleged
026	Yusef Azad	Rep for London Mayor Ken Livingstone on GLA	Child porn charges	Arrested
027	Sean Coughlan	Walsall CLlr leader / Prospective mayoral candidate	Two child sex offences	Pleaded guilty
028	Susan Smith	CLlr (Lambeth, London)	Raping a minor in transvestite lover's flat	Convicted — 18 mos
029	Sam Chaudhry	Lord Mayor	Multiple rape of children as young as 5	Imprisoned
030	Nicholas Green	Lord Mayor	Rape and molestation of 3 children aged 6–10	Convicted — 10 yrs
031	Alan Prescott	CLlr & Senior Magistrate	Molesting ~70 children in care	Convicted — 2 yrs
032	Gilbert Benn	CLlr	Molesting an 11-year-old male child	Convicted — 5 yrs
033	Iestyn Tudor Davies	CLlr	Raping a 9-year-old girl (South Wales)	Convicted — 7 yrs
034	Les Sheppard	CLlr	Molesting three children (County Durham)	Convicted — 10 yrs
035	Martyn Locklin	CLlr	8 counts rape and sex assaults on 3 young boys	Convicted — 12 yrs
036	David Spooner	CLlr	Indecency in front of two children	Convicted — 12 mos
037	Neil Redrup	CLlr	Spy camera to film child on toilet in flat	Convicted — 4 mos
038	Mark Burton	CLlr	Molesting child at party; child pornography	Guilty
039	Liam Temple	Lord Mayor	Inciting child into gross indecency for money	Guilty
040	Stewart Brown	Lord Mayor	Distributing images of child abuse over internet	Guilty
041	Toren Smith	CLlr	Over 90,000 images of children being raped	Guilty
042	Joseph Shaw	CLlr	Child abuse images	Caught

043	Johnathan Phillips	Cllr	Child porn on memory stick	Found guilty
044	Lee Benson	Cllr	Child pornography images on computer	Found guilty
045	Raymond Coates	County Cllr	Multiple child rape (with son)	Arrested
046	Graham White	Parish Cllr	Filming child doing sex acts	Guilty
047	John Murray	Lord Mayor	Sexual assault on a child	Alleged
048	Michael Tombs	Council nominee & School Governor	Child porn & grooming	Arrested
049	Peter McLaughlin	Chairman of Stanley Town Council	Raping a male child	Admitted
050	Terry Power	Cllr (Dagenham, London)	Raping homeless children	Arrested & charged
051	Andrew Palmer	Party election agent	Multiple counts of paedophilia	Third prison term
052	Simon Carter	Cllr	16 counts of making rape images of children	Charged
053	Jonathan Burns	Cllr	Molesting a child	Arrested
054	Terry Brookes	Cllr	Possession of child pornography	Arrested
055	Richard Smith	Cllr	Child pornography offences	Confessed / faces prison
056	David Royle	Cllr (Manchester)	Rape of a child	Arrested
057	Tom O'Carroll	Member; founding member of PIE	Conspiracy to corrupt public morals; distributing child rape images (>¼ ton seized)	Convicted — 2 yrs (1981); 2.5 yrs (2006)
058	David Fagan	Cllr	Possessing hoard of child rape images	Arrested & charged (Sept 2016)
059	Steven Bayes	Cllr (Hull)	Making and hoarding rape images of children	Charged
060	Tom Neilson	Cllr	Thousands of child rape images (some with animals)	3-yr community order + 180 hrs
061	Sean Morton	Cllr (Moray)	Photographing & distributing rape images of children (some with animals)	Charged (4 counts)
062	Neil Taggart	Lord Mayor (Leeds)	Downloading & distributing child porn (children under 5, violent rape, bestiality)	Convicted — 32 mos
063	Derrick Hemingsley	Cllr (Dudley)	Taking pornographic pictures of a child	Charged
064	Roger Spackman	UNISON branch sec. & Exeter City Cllr	Making pornographic photographs of children	Arrested
065	Eric Joyce	Shadow Minister	Making sex movie with 1-year-old child	Sex Offenders Register
066	Thomas Wright	Sunderland Cllr	Sex attacks on children	Convicted — 15 yrs
067	Paul Middleton	Sunderland Cllr	Explicit online sex chat with person thought was a child	Found guilty
068	Craig Edward	West Dunbartonshire Cllr	Making and hoarding child pornography	Jailed
069	Nazir Ahmed	Peer (Rotherham)	Attempted rape of young girl; sexual assault of boy under 11	Convicted — 5.5 yrs
070	Paul Clark	MP (Gillingham)	Mass distribution of child pornography (victims as young as 3)	Convicted
071	Abdul-Majid Rahman	Newport City Cllr	Child sexual assault of two children under 6; distribution of child porn	Convicted — 3+ yrs
072	James Shaw	Leader of Wyre Forest Council & School Governor	Indecent image of a child	Convicted — 6 mos
073	John Robert Reynolds	Lancaster City Cllr	Attempting to meet underage boy for sex (extreme online conversations)	12-mo suspended sentence; SOR 10 yrs
074	Tom Dewey	Hackney Cllr	Possession of child pornography and bestiality	Found guilty
075	Adam Buckenham	Andover Town Cllr	Raping a child	Convicted — 20 yrs
076	Ewan Dillon	Stirling Cllr	Child pornography (children as young as 5)	Found guilty
077	Desmond Gibbons	Gedling Borough Cllr	Possession of indecent images of children (as young as 3) and bestiality	Found guilty
078	Ron Graham	Leeds Cllr	Indecent assault; attempted buggery; attempted rape of a child	Convicted
079	Paul Tweed	Merseyside Mayor & Cllr	Possession of extreme Category A child rape images (children as young as 5, possibly younger; bestiality)	Found guilty

END OF PART 1 OF 3 — This bulletin contains the master index, executive summary, and offence-type analysis. Part 2 will contain detailed individual profiles. Part 3 will contain annexes including source verification matrices, geographic distribution maps, and chronological timelines.

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