

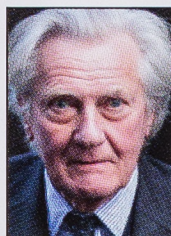
WRONG THEN . . . Some leading business figures and politicians claim the EU is vital to our prosperity. The same people told us we had to join the Euro or go bust. Thank goodness we didn't listen to them . . . **WRONG NOW**



Lord Peter Mandelson

"Until we come off the fence over joining the Euro . . . we will slip backwards in Europe."

FACT: since then our economy has grown while theirs stagnated.



Lord Michael Heseltine

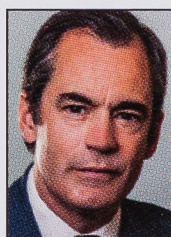
"Our non-membership of the Eurozone is threatening great swathes of British Industry."

FACT: since then, unemployment in Europe has soared.



Ken Clarke MP

"The Euro has exposed the absurdity of many anti-European scares . . . public opinion is already changing as people can see the success of the new currency."



Roland Rudd – Business for New Europe, Chair of Finsbury Group

"Business Leaders appreciate the success of the Euro over its first decade. It has defied the doomsayers who predicted failure."



Alex Salmond MP

"Scotland would successfully flourish if the country cut its ties with sterling and embraced the European single currency."



Sir Martin Sorrell – CEO of WPP

"If the Government rules out membership of the Euro (it) would be damaging for British-based business."

FACT: since then UK businesses have grown at a faster rate.



Nick Clegg MP

Nick Clegg 1999 "We must join the euro."

Nick Clegg 2011 "Joining the euro would have been a huge, huge error."



Nissan CEO - Carlos Ghosn

"Why do you want to take the currency risk with the Pound if you have the possibility of being risk-free in the Euro?"



Niall Fitzgerald - CEO Unilever

"Britain will float away from being a central part of Europe and lose influence, investment, jobs and economic growth."



CBI president Sir Clive Thompson

"The majority of firms were very much in support of joining the euro."

FACT: There is no substance to such statements – then, or now!

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**Thank goodness we
ignored their poor advice
a decade ago.**

VOTE TO LEAVE THE EU

It's time to leave the EU and join the World

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Labour supporters are campaigning to save our NHS and railways from Brussels interference.

We need to keep our £19bn contribution to Brussels and spend it on OUR priorities: our NHS, public services, steel and manufacturing and farming and fishing communities.

The Chilling Facts

- **The UK gives Brussels £50m every day - £350m every week - £19bn every year.** We get less than half back but Brussels stops us spending on OUR priorities for jobs in manufacturing, energy, regeneration, agriculture or fisheries.
- **Our NHS and public services** need this money to improve our schools, build more hospitals and protect our public services.
- **TTIP: remaining in the EU risks our NHS,** railways and public services. It is a trade deal that helps multinational corporations undermine the UK's key public services.
- **The EU threatens workers' rights,** promoting zero hours contracts and suspending free collective bargaining in Ireland, Greece, Portugal and Romania. Free movement of labour has driven down wages – according to the Bank of England.
- **5 million EU jobs depend on exporting to the UK** –we import far more from them than they import from us. Our EU trade deficit is -£62bn. Our trade surplus with the rest of the world is +£27bn The EU won't let tariffs hit 5 million EU jobs.
- **The EU Agriculture budget takes £43bn-a-yr - 40% of EU spending.** But farming generates less than 5.5% of EU jobs and produces only 1.6% of EU output. The CAP adds £7 a week to each household's food bill. EU fishing rules have devastated our coastal communities. The EU has to import 60% of fish consumed - from Norway and Iceland.
- **The UK's security is best protected by us leaving,** says Sir Richard Dearlove, ex-Head of MI5. The EU has leaked security information like a colander.
- **The EU supports tax-dodging multinationals** – Luxembourg has become their tax haven of choice, protected by the European Court.

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