



PLEASE REPLY TO: The Secretary.

15th May 2004

To: Stuart Howard
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Dear Mr Howard,

REVIEW OF PRSOTITUTION LAW

We urge that this includes the abolition of the common law offence of conspiracy to corrupt public morals, as defined in the leading case of Shaw v DPP (1959). In a modern free society there is no justification for preventing prostitutes from advertising their services, which are in themselves legal.

Yours,

E Goodman Chair of CAC

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