



THE DEFENCE OF LITERATURE AND THE ARTS SOCIETY)

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Maria Eagle MP House of Commons London SWIA OAA

Madam,

## NON-PHOTOGRAPHIC IMAGES OF CHILDREN

This country has the strictest laws governing pornography in the Western world. If anything, they need to be reduced not increased.

As David Hockney has stated, the type of criminalisation you have suggested risks affecting classical and renaissance art with its cherubs and puttos.

Yours for freedom of expression,

E Goodman Chair of CAC