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PLEASE REPLY TO:-

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Ms M Miller, Secretary of State for Culture
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16th September 2012

Dear Secretary of State,

URGENT LAW REFORM

We welcome your recent appointment and request priority for the following urgent reform. The criminalisation of mere possession of extreme pornography (Sections 63 to 67 Criminal Justice & Immigration Act 2008) is causing great distress to harmless people and needs to be repealed. Over one thousand persons per year are being prosecuted for merely having images which the man on the Clapham omnibus considers extreme. eg. lawful sado-masochist play acting by consenting adults and zoophile sex (which features in Greek mythology). This is persecution of intellectual and sexual minorities. Other Western countries only prohibit possession of child pornography.

We can supply details of the injustice this victimless offence is causing.

Yours for freedom of expression,

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