

Election Address – Re-election as a Court Assistant

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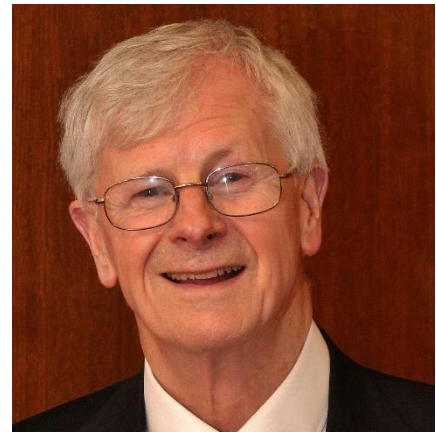
Seconders: PM Patrick Chapman, CA Nanette Young

On being re-elected to the Court of Assistants of the WCoMC

Although my initial term on Court, following my term as Master, has now expired, several members have very kindly indicated that they would like me to stay on for one more term.

I am happy to do that if, indeed, it is felt that I can continue to make a positive contribution. The current difficult circumstances we are all facing suggest that there will soon be some new and difficult choices to be made. It may be that my experience on Court and in roles with the Education Committee and the CMCE, will prove helpful to those involved.

At the beginning of the year, as its chair, I initiated a fundamental review of the Company's Charitable Fund and its operations. A preliminary report is now in the hands of the trustees and, on their behalf, I will be happy to present their conclusions to Court and, in due course, to support my successor in implementing its recommendations. Improving members' understanding of, and active support for, the way the Fund's resources are deployed in furthering the Company's charitable aims, is an important area that may also benefit from my remaining an Assistant.



PM David Peregrine-Jones

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