

Jeremy Corbyn – Real reason for today's failure is grubby deal Government did with the DUP

Jeremy Corbyn, Leader of the Labour Party, responding to the joint press conference with Theresa May and Jean-Claude Juncker, said:

"The real reason for today's failure is the grubby deal the Government did with the DUP after the election.

"It is disappointing that there has not been progress in the Brexit negotiations after months of delays and grandstanding.

"Labour has been clear from the outset that we need a jobs first Brexit deal that works for the whole of the United Kingdom.

"Each passing day provides further evidence that Theresa May's Government is completely ill-equipped to negotiate a successful Brexit deal for our country."