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Diane Abbott MP, Labour's Shadow Home

Secretary, speaking in response to the release of Home office data, said:

“This serious discrimination is widespread. It is unacceptable that the Home Office's own report states that the level of discrimination is little changed from previous years.

“The Prime Minister says she wants to tackle burning injustices. But this Tory Government is presiding over a policing system which still discriminates against black people. Warm words are not enough. It is long past time that the government acted to address these unacceptable disparities.”