

WHAT CAN I DO TO SUPPORT REFORMS TO THE GENDER RECOGNITION ACT?

Contact your MP

- 1. Find out who your MP is. You can find out here: www.writetothem.com
- 2. Find out what their stance on LGBT+ issues has been in the past. You can do that here: https://www.theyworkforyou.com/
- 3. Stay positive if they haven't got a good track record with LGBT+ issues in the past. It is important that they hear a more personal account of how GRA reform would benefit their constituents. However, use your knowledge of their voting record to tailor your communications with them.
- 4. Decide whether you want to write to your MP by e-mail or letter, or whether you want to visit them in person at their constituency office.
- 5. Writing to your MP:
 - Introduce yourself.
 - Tell them why reforms to the Gender Recognition Act (GRA) are needed.
 - Explain your personal experiences (or the experiences of a trans person you know) in relation to the GRA.
 - Tell what changes to the GRA are needed.

Not sure what to say? Have a look at our guide to GRA reform.

Tell other people about it

- Tell friends, family and colleagues.
- Share information about the reforms on social media.
- Talk to local community groups and ask for their support: Women's Institute, Trade Union branches, local political party branches, LGBT+ social groups.
- Contact the local paper If you intend to do this, visit www.transmediawatch.org for guidance and remember that local stories sometimes go national.
- Use TransActual flyers and guides to support you.

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