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Recall petition campaigner Guidance and information for individuals and organisations that campaign for the success or failure of a recall petition. On this page, you will find guidance and information for individuals and organisations that campaign for the success or failure of a recall petition. We call these individuals and organisations recall petition campaigners. There are rules recall petition campaigners must follow on campaign spending, donations and reporting. Our guidance is to help recall petition campaigners comply with the rules. You do not have to follow this guidance but if you do, you will normally be doing enough to comply with the law. Factsheet Recall of MPs 2015 This part covers: When will a recall petition be triggered? Roles Spending and donations rules summary Introduction to the Recall of MPs Act 2015 Guidance Spending and donations This part covers: How much you can spend The activities covered by the rules Checking permissibility Recording and reporting Working together with other campaigners Recall: Spending and donations Forms Spending and donations return This part covers: Recall spending return PDF Recall spending return Excel Recall spending return notes Factsheets Further information This part covers: Recall campaigner imprints Recall flowchart

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