





After Galloway's 'alarming' by-election win, PM's powerful and personal attack on extremists trying to tear us apart

## RISHI DELIVERS SPEECH BRITAIN NEEDED TO HEAR



TO the authentically British backdrop of drizzle, a distant heckler and the piccolo patter of a Downing Street tree sparrow, Rishi Sunak confronted the 'poison' of Islamist and far-Right extremism. It needed saying and it needed saying well. Our Prime Minister did that.

Arc-lit by TV cameras as Friday afternoon slipped into evening, a deadly serious Sunak said: 'This situation has gone on long enough. Our great achievement in building the world's most successful multi-ethnic, multi-faith democracy is being deliberately undermined. There are forces here at home trying to tear us apart. We must not allow that to happen.'

'Forces here at home trying to tear us apart.' Those simple words were, when you thought about it, astonishing. Yet their truth was incontestable. This was a call to the breach



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