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Wednesday, October 26, 2016

Dear Sister/Brother

The Annual General Meeting is scheduled to take place on Wednesday 1st February 2017. Overleaf you will find the 2017 affiliation and delegates' credential form. This year we are again asking for telephone numbers and e-mail addresses. We hope, if you prefer, in the next few months to continue sending some correspondence by e-mail.

The affiliation fee is 12 pence per member, per year, with a minimum payment of £10.00. Cheques should be made payable to Newcastle upon Tyne TUC and sent to the Treasurer as soon as possible. Delegates may be elected on the following basis:

Up to 100 affiliated members: *1 delegate.*

101 - 200 affiliated members: *2 delegates.*

201 - 350 affiliated members: *3 delegates.*

351 - 500 affiliated members: *4 delegates.*

501 - 750 affiliated members: *5 delegates.*

For every 250 additional affiliated members (or major part of) – *a further delegate.*

Up to a maximum of 10 delegates per branch.

The Trades Council aims to encourage women's participation, and therefore additional women delegates (over and above the maximum entitlement) may be sent for a minimal charge.

The nomination form for Officers and Representatives of the Trades Union Council for the coming year is also enclosed. Please give particular consideration to the nominations for Officers and the Executive Committee.

Branches that have not yet affiliated for 2016 will be ineligible to nominate for, and vote at, the 2017 AGM, even if **2017** affiliation fees are paid. Please take the opportunity now to ensure that your Branch is up to date. If you are unsure of the situation, please check with the Treasurer, Bro Alan Lubbock (address below). While we hope that Branches will affiliate the whole of their membership, we would rather see a partial affiliation than none at all. **£10 now will secure a vote at the AGM** (N.B. last year's forms available on website).

Yours in solidarity

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NEWCASTLE UPON TYNE TRADES UNION COUNCIL

AFFILIATION AND DELEGATE CREDENTIALS RENEWAL FORM 2017

I Confirm that the _____ Branch of _____
 has elected the following delegates to serve as delegates to Newcastle upon Tyne Trades Union Council for 2017

Name	Name
Address	Address
Postcode	Postcode
Email	Email
Phone	Phone
Mobile	Mobile
Name	Name
Address	Address
Postcode	Postcode
Email	Email
Phone	Phone
Mobile	Mobile
Name	Name
Address	Address
Postcode	Postcode
Email	Email
Phone	Phone
Mobile	Mobile

Affiliation Details		Secretary	
Membership (total)		Address	
Membership (Affiliated)			
Affiliation fee due	£		
Signed (Branch Secretary)		Postcode	
		Email	
		Phone	
Date		Mobile	

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