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TOMORROW'S PEOPLE NEW BOARD APPOINTMENTS

Employment charity Tomorrow's People, which runs programmes helping the long-term unemployed back to work, has appointed two new members to its Board of Trustees. Christine Glenn, Chief Executive of the Parole Board for England and Wales and Elaine Gibson-Bolton, Partner and EU, competition and regulatory law specialist at SJ Berwin LLP. Both are long-standing supporters of Tomorrow's People and their enthusiasm for the charity's mission and their respective talents and breadth of expertise are a considerable asset.

In addition to their 'day jobs' each is very active in the broader sphere - Christine sits part-time as an Immigration Judge and Parking and Traffic Adjudicator. She is also a tutor in strategy on the Open University MBA programme and Deputy Chair of the London Region Her Majesty's Courts' Service Audit and Risk Committee as well as being a member of the Courts' Board for the Thames Valley; Elaine is a member of the Institute of Advanced Legal Studies, the Law Society's European Group, a member of the European Aviation Association and has recently become a Freeman of the Worshipful Company of Fuellers.

Christine said of her appointment: "I was proud to be asked to join the Board of Tomorrow's People – an organisation with a can-do approach that touches lives and changes them for the better. I look forward to contributing in whatever way I can."

Elaine said of her appointment: "SJ Berwin's CSR strategy is based on unlocking people's potential. We are therefore delighted to have appointed Tomorrow's People as our official charity because their philosophy sits at the heart of our strategy. As part of the Board, I am looking forward to forging a deeper relationship between the Firm and the charity to ensure we engage and galvanise our partners and staff into helping them to maximum effect. It is a challenge I know we are keen to embrace and one which I hope will be a lot of fun". "

Debbie Scott, Chief Executive of Tomorrow's People, said of the charity's newest Board members: "Tomorrow's People works hard to help as many people as possible into sustainable employment. To do that we need to operate to the highest professional standards and in that regard, we are delighted to welcome Chris and Elaine to the Board."



Formed in 1984, Tomorrow's People, which has operation centres across England and in Scotland, engages with the people who are the hardest-to-reach by giving them one-to-one support in the community, helping them find the right job and to keep it long term. On average, 76% of people helped by Tomorrow's People are still in employment 12 months on.

A focus on partnering with employers is a key feature of the work of Tomorrow's People. The charity helps employers to fill their recruitment needs with skilled, job-ready candidates and contributes to the regeneration of the local economy, matching the supply and demand sides of the labour market to improve business productivity and help those who are out of work.

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Notes to Editors:

Tomorrow's People is a national charity that has helped change the lives of over 400,000 people across the UK who had been resigned to long-term unemployment and welfare dependency, since it was established in 1984.

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