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**Reference to support your application**

Please ask your referee to complete the reference below and tick the box to show they endorse your application. Your referee may also include a reference to endorse your application; this is optional.

One statement is included for party members and another for independent candidates. Please complete the section which is appropriate for you.

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**Statement for Party members**

Name of party:

Position held within party:

I confirm that I know       [insert name of applicant], that they are a member of       [insert name of political party], and that he/she is standing for election or applying to be considered for selection  (tick this box to confirm your statement).

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Job title:

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