

# The Women in Prison Archive

# (WIP)

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Administrative/Biographical History: Women in Prison (WIP), is an organisation which is built on the lived experience of Chris Tchaikovsky, who was moved to take action by what she had experienced and seen while imprisoned in Holloway in the 1970s. Chris had seen the specific need of women in prison and the damaging effect prison sentences were having on women first hand and noticed that they were completely missing in public and political discussions. So in 1983, alongside international criminologist Pat Carlen, Chris founded WIP in order to expose the scandal and campaign for change. Despite the organisation having no official backing, being run on short-term voluntary staff, and being extremely under-funded in the early years, its founders managed to get the group established and begin a series of campaigns to help women within the prison system.

In the early years WIP focused on several campaigns, including; increasing public awareness of harsh regimes in female prisons, the struggle of women held in close confinement or under strict regimes (e.g. Durham Prison H Wing), and the difficulties women have after being released from prison. The organisations campaigning methods in the early period included; demonstrating outside Holloway, producing a book called, 'Criminal Women', media interviews, political lobbying, public lectures and providing information and services for women after their release.

From the outset WIP was aware of the disproportionate numbers of female prisoners from ethnic minority groups. Therefore, WIP realised the importance of liaising with organisations catering for black and foreign women in prison. Around the same time two other organisations were formed: HIBISCUS, founded by Olga Heaven for foreign national women prisoners; and WISH, for Women in Special Hospitals, founded by Prue Stevenson, both of which WIP worked closely with.

From the early 1990s, WIP expanded beyond campaigning to begin to deliver direct to support by women affected by the criminal justice system. This included providing support for women while they were in prison, but also providing support for women in the community after release.

Chris Tchaikovsky died in 2002, but her legacy still lives on as the organisation continues to fight for justice for women in trouble with the law. The organisation today focuses on refusing to accept the inequalities that lead women and girls into contact with the criminal justice system, as well as continuing to campaign for the rights of female prisoners and provide advice, guidance and services for them. WIP's vision is of a society which no longer accepts the structural inequalities that lead women and girls into contact with the criminal justice system.

**Custodial History:** Deposited with Bishopsgate Institute by Nicola Drinkwater on behalf of Women in Prison, November 2023

### **Scope and Content:**

Papers and visual material relating to the campaign group Women in Prison (WIP), their work, services, and campaigns that they were involved in. Material includes: founding documents/administrative documents; Annual Reports; correspondence; works relating to WIP and Chris Tchaikovsky; magazines; mother and babies in custody; mental health campaign; BAME campaign; HMP Holloway; Durham H Wing Campaign; death in custody; campaign work, 1980's & 1990's; other work; joint work with other organisations; external research; campaign and service work 1999 onwards; forums and networks; The Corston Report; and visual material and ephemera (1977-2023)

N.B. The dates of the material within this archive pre-date the foundation of WIP because it contains research literature published before 1983.

**System of Arrangement:** The Women in Prison Archive is divided into the following sections:

WIP/1: Founding documents/administrative documents WIP/2: Annual Reports WIP/3: Correspondence WIP/4: Works relating to WIP and Chris Tchaikovsky WIP/5: Magazines WIP/6: Mother and babies WIP/7: Mental Health Campaign WIP/8: BAME Campaign WIP/9: HMP Holloway WIP/10: Durham H Wing campaigns work WIP/11: Death in custody WIP/12: Campaign work, 1980's & 1990's WIP/13: Other work WIP/14: Joint work with other organisations WIP/15: External research WIP/16: Campaign and service work 1999 onwards WIP/17: Forums and networks WIP/18: The Corston Report WIP/19: Visual material and ephemera WIP/20: Comp Language/scripts of material:

English

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# WIP/1 Founding documents/administrative 1983-2003 documents

Documents relating to the founding and governing of Women in Prison (WIP), including: constitution and policies; GLC Women's Committee; Charitable Trust status; progress reports; Management Committee meetings/AGM; WIP aims, objectives and campaigns; membership and affiliation; and new member lists (1983-2003) **SEE INDIVIDUAL FILES** 

### WIP/1/1 Founding documents

Material relating to the early days/founding of WIP and the process of gaining charitable status. Including: Constitution and policies; GLC Women's Committee; Charitable Trust Status (1983-1998) SEE INDIVIDUAL FILES

### WIP/1/1/1 Constitution and policies

Documents relating to the composing and altering of a Constitution and policies for Women in Prison (WIP) (1983-1995). Includes:

- original constitution (1983)

1983-1995

altered constitution [1985]
correspondence and notices relating to the alteration of the constitution (1985)
WIP policy document [1983]
OPEN

#### WIP/1/1/2 GLC Women's Committee

1982-1983

Papers relating to the establishment of GLC Women's Committee, and the related setup of WIP (1982-1985). Includes:

- Proposed structure, draft policy GLC Women's Committee (annotated) [1982] - Report by Chair of GLC's Women's Committee (June 1985) - Correspondence from WIP to Chair of GLC Women's Committee regarding GLC Prison Policy (April 1985) - Minutes of pre-meeting of the Women's Committee, 27 November (1984) - Correspondence regarding points for coordinating group meeting of Women's Committee (September 1982) - Correspondence and report regarding setting up of the GLC Women's Committee (May 1982) - Request to advertise WIP job in City Limits (November 1983) - GLC/Women's Committee Prison Policy/WIP [1983] - Outreach report from GLC Women's Committee [1982]

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#### WIP/1/1/3 Charitable Trust Status

1990-1998

Papers relating to WIP legally becoming a Charitable Trust and related management committee papers (1990-1998). Includes:

Correspondence between WIP and solicitors (1991-1992)
Draft copies and templates of Declaration of Trust (1991-1992)
photocopy of the final signed copy of the Declaration of Trust for WIP signed on 7 September (1992)
Management Committee Skills Audit documents (May 1998)

- Correspondence from solicitors to WIP regarding draft Trust Deed (June 1990) **CLOSED** WIP/1/2 **Reports, Aims and Objectives** [1983-1992] Material relating to the governance of WIP, including: progress reports, aims and objectives of WIP [1983-1992] SEE INDIVIDUAL FILES WIP/1/2/1 WIP Aims, Objectives and Campaigns [1991-1992] Papers relating to Information Pack produced by WIP [1991-1992]. Includes: - Information pack giving brief introduction to the work of WIP, including what the organisation is and does, and campaigns that they are involved in [1991] - Notes from WIP Policy Day, 19 June (1992) - Loose copies of pages from information pack [1991] **OPEN** WIP/1/2/2 1983-1985 **Progress Reports** Progress Reports by Women in Prison (1983-1985). Includes: - WIP Progress Report, March - July (1983) - WIP Progress Report, August - October (1983)- WIP Progress Report, January - July (1984) - WIP Progress Report, January - July (1985) - WIP Progress Report, March - September (1985)- 'WIP The Second Year' (1985) - Short report/history of WIP (n.d.) **OPEN WIP/1/3** Membership 1983-1994 Material relating to membership of WIP,

including: membership and affiliation and new members lists 1994 (1983-1994) SEE INDIVIDUAL FILES

WIP/1/3/1	Membership and affiliation	1983-1985
	Receipts, notes and correspondence relating to the affiliation of organisations with WIP and individual memberships (1983-1985) <b>CLOSED</b>	
WIP/1/3/2	New Members Lists 1994	1994
	Membership book for new members (1994) CLOSED	
WIP/1/4	Management Committee Meetings	1983-2003
	Agenda's, minutes and related papers from WIP Management Meetings (1983-2003). <b>SEE INDIVIDUAL FILES</b>	
WIP/1/4/1	Management Committee Meetings 1983- 1984	1983-1984
	Minutes and related papers from WIP management meetings (1983-1984). Includes:	
	<ul> <li>Minutes of WIP meeting (2 July 1983)</li> <li>Minutes of WIP meeting (8 August 1983)</li> <li>Minutes of WIP meeting (5 September 1983)</li> <li>Minutes of WIP meeting (7 November 1983)</li> <li>Minutes of meeting (9 January 1984)</li> <li>Agenda and minutes of meeting (6 February 1984)</li> <li>Minutes of meeting (1 March 1984)</li> <li>Minutes of meeting (27 April 1984)</li> <li>Minutes of meeting (4 June 1984)</li> <li>Minutes of meeting (19 September 1984)</li> <li>Correspondence, agenda and minutes of Urgent Finance Meeting (6 November 1984)</li> <li>APPLY TO ARCHIVIST</li> </ul>	
WIP/1/4/2	Management Committee Meetings 1985- 1986	1985-1986
	Minutes and related papers from WIP management meetings (1985). Includes:	
	<ul> <li>Minutes of meeting (14 January 1985)</li> <li>Typed and handwritten copy of minutes for extraordinary general meeting (11 February 1985)</li> </ul>	

Minutes of meeting (22 April 1985)
Minutes of extraordinary general meeting (25 September 1985)
Agenda and minutes of meeting (10 February 1986)

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# WIP/1/4/3 Management Committee Meetings 1988- 1988-1989 1989

Minutes and related papers from WIP management meetings (1988-1989). Includes:

- Minutes of meeting Re Prison Week between WIP, BFPS, CAST/Cleanbreak, and WRPC (27 January 1988) - Minutes of Management Committee meeting (11 April 1988) - Minutes of Management Committee meeting (20 June 1988) - Minutes of Management Committee meeting (8 August 1988) - Minutes of Management Committee meeting (26 September 1988) - Minutes from Management Committee Meeting, (26 September 1988) - Minutes of Management Committee meeting (13 February 1989) - Minutes of Management Committee meeting (10 April 1989) - Minutes of Management Committee meeting (12 June 1989) - Minutes of Management Committee meeting (3 July 1989) - Minutes of Management Committee meeting (9 October 1989) - Minutes of Management Committee meeting (4 December 1989) **APPLY TO ARCHIVIST** 1990-1991 Management Committee Meetings 1990-1991

Minutes and related papers from WIP management meetings (1990-1991). Includes:

WIP/1/4/4

Minutes of WIP Management Committee meeting (7 February 1990)
Minutes of Management Committee meeting (4 April 1990) Minutes of Management Committee meeting (6 June 1990)
Minutes of Women In Prison Management Committee meeting (7 November 1990)
Minutes of Management Committee meeting

(5 December 1990) - Minutes of Management Committee meeting (6 February 1991)

- Minutes of Policy Day meeting (12 April 1991)

- Minutes of Management Committee meeting (1 May 1991)

- Minutes of Management Committee meeting (3 July 1991)

- Minutes of Management Committee meeting (2 October 1991)

- Minutes of Management Committee meeting (4 December 1991)

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### WIP/1/4/5 Management Committee Meetings 1992- 1992-1995 1995

Minutes and related papers from WIP management meetings (1992-1994). Includes:

- Minutes of Management Committee meeting (6 January 1992)

- Minutes of Management Committee meeting (3 February 1992)

- Minutes of Management Committee meeting (9 March 1992)

- Minutes of Management Committee meeting (30 March 1992)

- Minutes from Management Committee

Meeting (5 October 1992)

- WIP(CT) Minutes of Management

Committee meeting (2 November 1992)

- Minutes of Management Committee meeting (7 December 1992)

- Minutes of Management Committee meeting (7 January 1993)

- Minutes of Management Committee meeting (30 March 1993)

- Minutes of Management Committee meeting (4 May 1993)

- Minutes of Management Committee meeting (1 June 1993)

- Minutes of the WIP Management Committee meeting (5 October 1993)

- Minutes of the WIP Management Committee meeting (2 November 1993) - Minutes of Management Committee meeting (11 January 1994) - Minutes of Management Committee meeting (1 February 1994) - Minutes of Management Committee meeting (1 March 1994) - Draft revised equal opportunities policy for discussion and ratification (if agreed), at staff development committee, March 8 1994 [March 1994] - Draft demands for m/c [1994] - Minutes from Management Committee meeting (3 May 1994) - Minutes from Management Committee meeting (7 June 1994) - Minutes from Management Committee Meeting, 8 August [1994] - Minutes from Policy Day & Management Committee meeting (September 1994) - Minutes from Management Committee meeting (6 December 1994) - Minutes from Management Committee meeting (7 February 1995) **APPLY TO ARCHIVIST** 

#### WIP/1/4/6 Management Committee Meetings 1998-2000

1998-2000

Minutes and related papers from WIP management meetings (1998-2000). Includes:

- Minutes of Management Committee meeting (7 July 1998)

- Director's Report (8 September 1998)

- Minutes of WIP Management Committee meeting (19 January 1999)

- Minutes of WIP Management Committee meeting (2 March 1999)

- Minutes of WIP Management Committee meeting (2 November 1999)

- Agenda for WIP Management Committee meeting (30 March 2000)

- Notes from Extraordinary meeting of WIP M/C (10 April 2000)

- Minutes of WIP Management Committee meeting (11 July 2000)

- Director's Report, 1 June - 11 July (2000)

- Minutes of WIP Management Committee

Meeting (7 September 2000) - Director's Report for September M/C meeting (2000) - ETC Report for Management Committee meeting (14 November 2000) - Minutes of WIP Management Committee meeting (14 November 2000) - Directors report for M/C meeting (14 November 2000) - Minutes of WIP Management Committee meeting (11 December 2000) APPLY TO ARCHIVIST

## WIP/1/4/7 Management Committee Meetings 2001- 2000-2003 2003

Minutes and related papers from WIP management meetings (2001-2003). Includes:

- Minutes of Annual Planning & Policy day meeting (8 January 2001) - Minutes of WIP Management Committee meeting (23 April 2001) - Agenda for WIP Management Committee meeting (12 June 2001) - Directors Report for WIP Management Committee meeting (June 2001) - Minutes of Women in Prison Trust Management Committee meeting(18 September 2001) - Minutes of Women in Prison Trust Management Committee meeting (11 October 2001) - Minutes of Women in Prison Trust Management Committee meeting (20 November 2001) - Minutes of Women in Prison Trust Management Committee meeting (27 February 2002) - Minutes of Women in Prison Trust Management Committee meeting (24 April 2002) - Minutes of Women in Prison Trust Management Committee meeting (21 May 2002) - Minutes of Women in Prison Trust Management Committee meeting (26 June 2002) - ETC Report for Management Committee Meeting - Progress Report (since February 27

2002) (26 June 2002)

- Minutes of Women in Prison Trust Management Committee meeting (22 July 2002)

 Minutes of Women in Prison Trust Management Committee meeting (28 August 2002)

- Chair's Report (16 October 2002)

- ETC Report for MC meeting (16 October 2002)

- ETC Report for Management Committee Meeting - Progress Report (since August 28) (16 October 2002)

- Youth resettlement worker progress report, 25 June - 27 September (2002)

- Minutes of WIP Management Committee meeting (16 October 2002)

- Minutes of Women in Prison Management Committee meeting (20 November 2002)

- Minutes of Women in Prison Management Committee meeting (21 January 2003)

- ETC Management Committee Report prepared for MC meeting (21 January 2003)

- WIP Director's Report (January 2003)

- WIP Director's Report (February 2003)

- Minutes of Women in Prison Management Committee meeting (4 March 2003)

- ETC Management Committee Report -

prepared for MC meeting (4 March 2003)

- Minutes of Women in Prison Management Committee meeting (6 May 2003)

- WIP Director's Report (May 2003)

- WIP Director's Report (July 2003)

- ETC Management Committee Report prepared for MC meeting (17 July 2003)

- ETC Management Committee Report -

prepared for MC meeting (9 September 2003) - Report on floppy disc [September 2003] (not currently accessible)

- ETC Management Committee Report prepared for MC meeting (11 November 2003) - WIP Agenda and Minutes for Management Committee meeting (11 November 2003) - WIP Agenda for Management Committee meeting (11 December 2003)

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#### WIP/1/5 WIP Annual General Meetings

Agenda's, minutes and related papers from WIP AGM's (1988-2005). **SEE INDIVIDUAL FILES** 

#### WIP/1/5/1 AGM's 1980's

1988-1989

Minutes and related papers from WIP AGM's (1988-1989). Includes:

Minutes and correspondence from WIP AGM (3 October 1988)
Minutes and correspondence from WIP AGM (16 October 1989)
Women in Prison report (February 1989)
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#### WIP/1/5/2 AGM's 1990's

1990-1994

Minutes and related papers from WIP AGM's (1990-1994). Includes:

- Minutes, correspondence and annual report from WIP AGM (1990)

- Minutes of WIP AGM (7 November 1991)

- Minutes, department reports and annual report from WIP AGM (1991)

- Minutes of WIP AGM (1992)
- Minutes of WIP AGM (7 December 1993)
- Agenda and Minutes from WIP AGM (7
- March 1995)

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#### WIP/1/5/3 AGM's 2000's

2000-2005

Minutes and related papers from WIP AGM's (2000-2005). Includes:

- Minutes of Women in Prison Charitable Trust AGM (23 March 2001)

- Minutes of Women in Prison Charitable Trust AGM (15 January 2002)

- Chairs Report for AGM (4 March 2003)

- Agenda and minutes from WIP AGM (8 May 2000)

- Agenda, handwritten notes and related correspondence from WIP AGM (8 November 2005)

- Contact details for Trustees and

Management committee members of WIP [2005] - Invitation to speaker for 2004 WIP AGM (24 August 2004) APPLY TO ARCHIVIST

WIP/2 Annual Reports

1986-2004

Annual letters, reports and related material documenting the projects, campaigns and progress of Women in Prison, including: Annual General Letter, 1986-1987; Annual General Letter, 1989; Annual Report, 1990; Annual Report, 1991; Annual Report, 1991-1992; Annual Report 1992-1993; Annual Report, 1993-1994; Annual Report, 1995; Annual Report, 1996; Annual Report, 1997; Annual Report, 1999; Annual Report, 2001 and Annual Report, 2003-2004 (1986-2004) **OPEN** 

# WIP/2/1 Annual General Letter, 1986-1987 1986-1987

Annual general letter, sent out in place of an annual report, documenting what WIP had been working on 1986-1987 (September 1987) **OPEN** 

## WIP/2/2Annual General Letter, 19891989

Annual general letter, sent out in place of a report, documenting what WIP had been working on, and including their, 'Equal Opportunities General Statement of Policy' (September 1989) **OPEN** 

WIP/2/3Annual Report, 19901990Three copies of Women in Prison Annual<br/>Report (1990)<br/>OPENPrison Annual<br/>Prison AnnualWIP/2/4Annual Report, 19911991

Women in Prison Annual Report (1991) **OPEN** 

WIP/2/5	Annual Report, 1991-1992	1991-1992
	Women in Prison annual reports (1991-1992), including:	
	<ul> <li>WIP Annual Report, 1991-1992, featuring report of Networking Project (1992)</li> <li>WIP Annual Report, 1992 (updated draft), mostly including report of AGM, 7 November 1991 (1992)</li> <li>OPEN</li> </ul>	
WIP/2/6	Annual Report, 1992-1993	1992-1993
	Women in Prison annual reports (1992-1993), including:	
	- WIP Annual Report, 1992-1993 (November 1993)	
	- Two copies of WIP booklet, providing information about the WIP agenda, what the organisation has said and done, and various campaigns it has organised [1993] OPEN	
WIP/2/7	Annual Report, 1993-1994	1993-1994
	Two copies Women in Prison Annual Report (1993-1994) <b>OPEN</b>	
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WIP/2/12	Annual Report, 2001	2001
	Women in Prison Annual Report (2001) OPEN	
WIP/2/13	Annual Report, 2003-2004	2003-2004
	Women in Prison Annual Report (2003-2004) <b>OPEN</b>	
WIP/3	Correspondence	1983-2003
	Correspondence between Women in Prison (WIP) and various other organisations and individuals regarding topic such as; events and conferences; campaigns; prison service matters; personal prisoner cases; other campaign groups; invitations to meetings; fundraising; and articles and publications (1983-2003). <b>SEE INDIVIDUAL FILES</b>	
WIP/3/1	Correspondence, 1983-1987	1983-1987
	Correspondence and related material regarding various topics, including: Chris Tchaikovski's application to be co-opted into Islington Women's Committee; policies regarding the treatment of women in the penal system; WIP reports; events and conferences; lobbying local councillors and MP's; prison medical services; strip-searching; writing articles; other campaign groups; parliamentary debates and educational talks (1983-1987) <b>APPLY TO ARCHIVIST</b>	
WIP/3/2	Correspondence, 1988	1988
	Correspondence and related material regarding various topics, including: taking part in seminars, rallies and events; prison service matters; integrated staffing in prison; press articles; prison safety; invitations to meetings about penal system; involvement in TV series regarding feminism; fundraising; strip searching and physical abuse of female prisoners; foreign female prisoners; articles for publications; membership to various organisations; and cases of various female	

inmates, their experiences an treatment in prison (1987) APPLY TO ARCHIVIST

#### WIP/3/3 Correspondence, 1989

Correspondence and related material regarding various topics, including: organising educational talks; articles for various publications; project regarding treatment of prisoners; tv documentaries; publications and literature, taking part in conferences; other campaign groups; reports from prison visits; privatisation of remand system; self-mutilation; safety measures for prisoners; new members of WIP; prison education; personal cases of prisoner mistreatment; receipt of correspondence by various MP's; removal of Crown Immunity from penal establishments and fundraising and grants (1989) **APPLY TO ARCHIVIST** 

#### WIP/3/4 Correspondence, 1990

Correspondence and related material regarding various topics, including: involvement in conferences; conference programmes and schedules; fundraising and funding; giving seminars and educational talks; contributions to TV series and documentaries; parliamentary questions; other campaign groups and organisations; healthcare of prisoners; homelessness; committee meetings; support for individual cases; health and safety of prisons and support for non-english speaking inmates (1990) **APPLY TO ARCHIVIST** 

#### WIP/3/5 Correspondence, 1991

Correspondence and related material regarding various topics, including: medical treatment of prisoners; personal cases of prisoners; housing for female ex-offenders project; articles from various publications; involvement and contribution to conferences; information about court cases; funding and fundraising; diet of prisoners; foreign female inmates; prisoner experiences; board and committee meetings; staff training; requests to 1991

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speak at various events; involvement in TV series and documentaries; request for assistance with research; programmes and schedules for seminars and conferences; collection of criminal record and office space (1991)

#### **APPLY TO ARCHIVIST**

#### WIP/3/6 Correspondence, 1992

Correspondence and related material regarding various topics, including: experience of prison visit; other campaign organisations and groups; requests from support from individuals: conditions and treatment of female prisoners; invitations to seminars, lectures and events; protest against moving female prisoners to unsuitable prison; underrepresentation of black people as criminal justice employees; requests for assistance with research; hunger strikes; foreign nationals in prisons; conditions for female prisoners at certain locations; seperation of mothers and their children; sexual assault cases and funding (1992) **APPLY TO ARCHIVIST** 

#### WIP/3/7 Correspondence, 1993-1994

1993-1994

Correspondence and related material regarding various topics, including: considerations needed to move female prisoners; female prisoners wearing civilian clothing; quality of care, facilities and legal representation for female prisoners; support and advice for individual cases and prisoners; invitations to take part in and attend various meetings and events; requests for research assistance; minutes of meetings of various other campaign groups; allocating housing; literature and poetry; Community Prisons; education in prisons; outdoor exercise for female prisoners; donations and funding; rehabilitation; prison food and facilities; assisting with articles in various publications; improvement of children's facilities in prison and HIV Prevention in Custodial settings (1993 - 1994)APPLY TO ARCHIVIST

#### WIP/3/8 Correspondence, 1995

Correspondence and related material regarding various topics, including: treatment of pregnant prisoners; requests for research assistance; the Woodcock Report; participation in seminars and events; drug misuse in prison; charity activities; transfer of prisoners; concerns with mixed sex prisons; support and advice for individual cases; proposal for Minister for Children; imprisonment for poll tax arrears and fine default project; poverty and crime; increase in numbers of women being sent to prison; contributions to articles and publications; and prison self-help groups (1995)

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#### WIP/3/9 Correspondence, 1996

Correspondence and related material regarding various topics, including: arranging prison visits; invitations to seminars and events; the difference between male and female prisoners; transfer of prisoners; behaviour of prisoners; meetings of other campaign groups and organisations; support and advice for individual cases; Prisoners' Legal Rights Group Meetings and funding and fundraising (1996) **APPLY TO ARCHIVIST** 

#### WIP/3/10 Correspondence, 1997

Correspondence and related material regarding various topics, including: organising educational talks; contribution to seminars and other events; information about conferences; Penal Affairs Consortium meetings; the prison population; strip searching; character statements; conditions and treatment of prisoners; funding and fundraising; assistance with research; support and advice for individual cases (1997)

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#### 1995

1997

#### WIP/3/11 Correspondence, 1998

Correspondence and related material regarding various topics, including: contributions to conferences and events; invitations to contribute to conferences; post release accommodation for women; assistance with research and papers; parliamentary questions; treatments and conditions of female prisoners; drug misuse and medical treatment in prisons; prison reform lobby; transfer of prisoners; publications regarding issues with women's prisons; support and advice for individual cases; prison visiting procedures; and contributions to broadcasts (1998) **APPLY TO ARCHIVIST** 

### WIP/3/12 Correspondence, 1999-2000

Correspondence and related material regarding various topics, including: invitations to attend events; invitations to contribute to events; Cropwood report; information regarding other campaign and support groups; degradation of prisoners; support and advice for individual cases and assistance with research (1999-2000) **APPLY TO ARCHIVIST** 

### WIP/3/13 Correspondence, 2001-2003

Correspondence and related material regarding various topics, including: contributions to conferences and events; invitations to contribute to conferences; medical treatment of women in prisons; press enquiries relating to women in prison; assistance with research and papers; coproduction of research with other organisations; research partnerships; and education of women in prison (2001-2003) **APPLY TO ARCHIVIST** 

### WIP/3/14 Correspondence, 2004-2009

Correspondence and related material regarding various topics, including: revision of Prison Service orders; the employment of exoffenders; funding programmes; meetings with members of the Home Office; vulnerable 2001-2003

1999-2000

2004-2007

women in the Criminal Justice System; Maternity Grants for Women Prisoners; transforming the Home Office; changes to the functions of prisons; launch of WIP's magazine; Corston Report and projects to support women offenders; House of Lords debate on suicide and overcrowding; and those at risk of offending (2004-2007) **APPLY TO ARCHIVIST** 

#### WIP/3/15 Correspondence, 2010-2017

Correspondence and related material regarding various topics, including: Women's Custodial Estate Review; women in the criminal justice system; women imprisoned for perverting the course of justice; establishment of Police and Crime Committee; closure of female prisons; Ministerial Advisory Board on Female Offenders; mixed gender establishments; campaigning for separate management of women offenders (2010-2017) **APPLY TO ARCHIVIST** 

#### WIP/4 Works relating to WIP and Chris Tchaikovsky

1983-1998

Works authored or contributed to by Chris Tchaikovsky and other WIP members, relating to their work, or the conditions and experiences of women in prison in general (1983-1998). Includes: The End Game Speech: Memorandum to Home Affairs Committee; 'No Room of Ones Own'; 'Mixed Prison: Misogynistic & Misguided'; articles relating to the Woolf Report; One Hundred Women Project: One Hundred Women: Interviews; Abolitionist Magazine; collection of campaign articles; 'Women Prisons: House of Pain or Houses of Healing?'; academic papers and chapters in books; articles and papers relating to Chris Tchaikovsky and the history of WIP; press articles from various publications; NACRO Report, 'A Fresh Start for Women Prisoners'; and The Howard League for Penal Reform report, 'Drug Couriers', (1983-1998) SEE INDIVIDUAL FILES

2010-2017

#### WIP/4/1 The End Game Speech

Transcript of speech titled, 'The End Game', given to Magistrates Probation Officers by Chris Tchaikovsky (April 1996) **OPEN** 

#### WIP/4/2 Memorandum to Home Affairs Committee 1996

Memorandum written by Chris Tchaikovsky to the Home Affairs Committee for the inquiry into the management of the prison service (March 1996) **OPEN** 

#### WIP/4/3 'No Room of Ones Own'

Drafts, correspondence and final copy of article, 'No Room of Ones Own', written by Chris T. (1994). Includes:

Copy of, 'No Room of One's Own: A response to the Howard League proposal that in order to be close to their children, women could be contained alongside male prisoners in mixed prisons', by Chris Tchaikovsky (1993)
Journal, Criminal Justice: The magazine of the Howard League, Vol.12, No.2, featuring article titled, 'No Room of One's Own', by Chris Tchaikovsky, pp.5-6 (May 1994)
First draft of article for Criminal Justice journal [1994]
First draft of article for Criminal Justice journal [1994]

- photocopy of correspondence responding to an article by Mary Eaton titled, 'Women in Custody', which featured in issue 14 of CJM (28 January 1994)

- Correspondence from The Howard League to Chris, asking if she would consider writing an article for the Criminal Justice magazine (16 February 1994)

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1996

WIP/4/4	'Mixed Prison: Misogynistic & Misguided'	c.1995- 1999
	Two copies of an article, 'Mixed Prisons: Misogynistic & Misguided', written by Chris Tchaikovsky, about mixed male and female prisons [c.1995-1999] <b>OPEN</b>	1999
WIP/4/5	Articles relating to the Woolf Report	1993
	Two articles relating to the Woolf Report (1993). Includes:	
	<ul> <li>'Virginia, Criminology and the anti-social control of women', by Pat Carlen (1993)</li> <li>'[Not the Virginia] Woolf Report', by Chris Tchaikovsky (March 1993)</li> <li>OPEN</li> </ul>	
WIP/4/6	One Hundred Women	1996-1997
	Papers relating to WIP project, One Hundred Women. The object of the project was to analyse, quantify and make known the life experiences of 100 women on remand for serious offences in Holloway Prison (1996- 1997). Includes:	
	<ul> <li>Application for Cropwood Fellowship, by Chris Tchaikovsky (1997)</li> <li>Correspondence between University of Cambridge, Institute for Criminology, and Christ Tchaikovsky regarding Cropwood Fellowship Awards (November- December 1996)</li> <li>Work programme for project (1997)</li> <li>Draft write-up relating to section one of project, 'Background to the research' [1997]</li> <li>Typed notes, 'Recommendations arising from the interviews' [1997]</li> <li>Typed document, 'Women Prisoners: Facts and Figures' [1997]</li> <li>Draft write-up of introduction [1997]</li> <li>Draft interview schedule [1997]</li> <li><b>OPEN</b></li> </ul>	

#### WIP/4/7 **One Hundred Women: Interviews**

Transcripts and extracts from interviews conducted as part of, One Hundred Women Project, conducted by WIP (1997) **CLOSED** 

#### **WIP/4/8 Abolitionist Magazines**

1983-1986

1997

Copies of, The Abolitionist: The Magazine of Radical Alternatives to Prison, including a WIP feature providing updates on campaign work (1983-1986). Includes:

- The Abolitionist, No.16 (1984)
- The Abolitionist, No.? [1984]
- The Abolitionist, No.19 (1985)
- The Abolitionist, No.15 (1983)
- The Abolitionist, No.13 (1983)
- The Abolitionist, No.23 (1987)
- The Abolitionist, No.20 (1985)
- The Abolitionist, No.22 (1986)
OPEN

WIP/4/9	Collection of campaign articles	1984
	Various articles and women's stories relating to women's experiences in prison, compiled into one documents for campaign use (1984) <b>OPEN</b>	

#### WIP/4/10 'Women Prisons: Houses of Pain or Houses 1995 of Healing?'

Two copies of a publication by the Prison Reform Trust titled, "A Good and Useful Life': Constructive Prison Regimes', featuring the article, 'Women's Prisons: Houses of Pain or Houses of Healing?', by Chris Tchaikovsky. Also include photocopy of article (1995) OPEN

#### WIP/4/11 Academic papers and chapters in books [1983 c.1996] One academic paper and two chapters from

books relating to women's experiences of imprisonment, and the penal system more generally [1983-c.1996]. Includes:

- Chapter titled, 'Women's Imprisonment in

England at the End of the Twentieth Century: Legitimacy, Realities and Utopias', by Pat Carlen and Chris Tchaikovsky, from unknown publication [c.1996] - Chapter titled, 'On Rights and Powers: Some Notes on Penal Politics', from publication, 'The Power to Punish' (1983) - Paper titled, 'Why study women's imprisonment? Or anyone else's? An Indefinite Article', by Pat Carlen [c.1994] - Paper, 'Is Prison the Price of Poverty? : The Experience of Women Imprisoned For Non-Payment of Poll Tax', by Melanie L Worman (16 January 1995) OPEN

#### WIP/4/12 Articles and papers relating to Chris Tchaikovsky and the history of WIP

c.1990s

Articles and papers relating to the personal story of Chris Tchaikovsky and her work at WIP [c.1990s]. Includes:

- Article, 'Without Fear or Favour - The Role of the Independent Advocacy Group', by Chris Tchaikovsky (n.d.)

- Open letter to women in Bullwood Hall, by Chris Tchaikovsky (n.d.)

- Article (part of), 'A Day in the Life of Chris Tchaikovsky, Director of Women in Prisons' (n.d.)

- Article, 'Chris Tchaikovsky and Women in Prison' [1990]

- Transcript of interview by Melissa Ben to Chris Tchaikovsky, Frances Heidonsohn and Susan Edwards (n.d.) - Article, 'Full Circle (The Effects of

Imprisonment)', by Chris Tchaikovsky (n.d.) OPEN

#### WIP/4/13 Press articles from various publications [1985-1998]

Press articles from various publications regarding the experiences and conditions of women in prison [1985-1998] Includes:

- Article, 'Reduce the Problem, Reduce the Crime', by Chris Tchaikovsky, Manchester Justice (Spring/Summer 1998)

- Letter to the Editor, 'Tattoos', sent by Chris

Tchaikovsky to, Criminal Justice Matters (n.d.) - Article, 'Women behind bars', by Melissa Benn and Chris Ryder-Tchaikovsky, from unknown issue of, New Statesman (n.d.) - Journal, CJM, No.16, featuring Letter to the Editor from Chris Tchaikovsky (and loose photocopy) (Summer 1994) - Article, 'Effective staged release', by Chris Tchaikovsky (n.d.) - Article, 'How prison punishes the children too', Observer (25 March 1990) - Photocopied article and draft titled, 'Who Guards the Guards?', unknown publication, by Chris Tchaikovsky (n.d.) - Article, 'In the know', Islington Gazette (24 February 1984) - Article, 'Within Walls', interview of Chris Tchaikovsky by Catherine Jackson, from. Mental Health Care, Vol.1, No.12 (August 1998) - Article, 'Worlds within words', by Chris Tchaikovsky, New Internationalist (December 1985) - Article, 'Holloway: Behind closed doors', by Melissa Benn, City Limits (29 March - 4 April 1985) - Article, 'The rage of women', which Chris Tchaikovsky contributed to, unknown publication (n.d.) - Press cutting, 'Double Stigma for women in jail', The Independent (18 July 1997) - Press cutting, 'Catalogue debt sends women to prison', The Independent (17 July 1997) - Article, 'Enough punishment', by Chris Tchaikovsky, The Tablet (29 June 1996) OPEN

### WIP/4/14 NACRO report, 'A Fresh Start for Women 1991 Prisoners'

NACRO publication titled, 'A Fresh Start for Women Prisoners: The Implications of the Woolf Report for Women' (1991) **OPEN** 

# WIP/4/15 The Howard League for Penal Reform 1991 report, 'Drug Couriers',

The Howard League for Penal Reform publication, 'Drug Couriers', by Dr Penny

Green, which acknowledges that Olga Heaven and Chris Tchaikovsky assisted with research (July 1991) **OPEN** 

#### WIP/5 Magazines

2006-2022

2006

Copies of magazines created, published and contributed to by WIP. Includes: WIP Magazine; Women in Prison; Ready Steady Go!; Health Matters!; Still I Rise; Issues; Stop Gap; Off the Cuff; Take a Drake; Downview Chronicles; Red Pepper; The British Institute of Human Rights News; the Friend; and Community Care (2006-2022) **OPEN** 

WIP/5/1 WIP Magazine, 2006

Preview Issue of, WIP, the UK's Only Magazine for Women Prisoners (May 2006) **OPEN** 

#### WIP/5/2 WIP/Women in Prison Magazine, 2007 2007

Various issues of WIP, the UK's Only Magazine for Women Prisoners/ Women in Prison, The magazine for female prisoners and ex-prisoners (2007). Includes:

WIP, Issue 3 (February 2007)
WIP, Issue 4 (Summer 2007)
Two copies of, Women in Prison, Special Issue: Violence Against Women Survivors Speak (October 2007)
OPEN

# WIP/5/3Women in Prison Magazine, 20082008Various issues of, Women in Prison, The<br/>magazine for female prisoners and ex-<br/>prisoners (2008). Includes:<br/>- Two copies of, Women in Prison (February<br/>2008)2008

- Two copies of, Women in Prison (October 2008)

OPEN

WIP/5/4	Women in Prison Magazine, 2009	2009
	Various issues of, Women in Prison, The magazine for female prisoners and exprisoners (2009). Includes:	
	<ul> <li>Two copies of, Women in Prison, Special Issue: Your creativity (March 2009)</li> <li>Women in Prison (Autumn 2009)</li> <li>Women in Prison (Winter 2009)</li> <li>OPEN</li> </ul>	
WIP/5/5	Women in Prison Magazine, 2010	2010
	Various issues of, Women in Prison, The magazine for female prisoners and exprisoners (2010). Includes:	
	<ul> <li>Women in Prison, Special Issue: Mums (Summer 2010)</li> <li>Women in Prison (Autumn 2010)</li> <li>Women in Prison (Winter 2010)</li> <li>OPEN</li> </ul>	
WIP/5/6	Women in Prison Magazine, 2011	2011
	Various issues of, Women in Prison, The magazine for female prisoners and exprisoners (2011). Includes:	
	- Women in Prison (Spring 2011) - Three copies of, Women in Prison (Summer 2011) <b>OPEN</b>	
WIP/5/7	Ready, Steady, Go, 2013	2013
	One issue of, Ready, Steady, Go: The Magazine for Women Transforming Their Lives (Summer 2013) <b>OPEN</b>	
WIP/5/8	Ready, Steady, Go!, 2014	2014
	One issue of, Ready, Steady, Gol: The Magazine for Women Transforming Their Lives (Winter 2014) <b>OPEN</b>	

#### WIP/5/9 Ready, Steady, Go!, 2015

Various issues of, Ready, Steady, Go!: the Magazine for Women Transforming Their Lives (2015). Includes:

Two copies of, Ready, Steady, Go! (Summer 2015)
Ready, Steady, Go! (Winter 2015)
OPEN

## WIP/5/10 Ready, Steady, Go!, 2016/2017 2016-2017

Various issues of, Ready, Steady, Gol: the Magazine for Women Transforming Their Lives (2016). Includes:

Ready, Steady, Go! (Spring 2016)
Two copies of , Ready, Steady, Go! (Winter 2016/2017)
OPEN

### WIP/5/11 Ready, Steady, Go!, 2017 2017

Various issues of, Ready, Steady, Gol: the Magazine for Women Transforming Their Lives/Ready, Steady, Gol: The National Magazine of Women in Prison Written and Led by Women Affected by the Criminal Justice System (2017). Includes:

Ready, Steady, Go! (Spring 2017)
Ready, Steady, Go! (Summer 2017)
Two copies of , Ready, Steady, Go! (Winter 2017)
OPEN

#### WIP/5/12 Ready, Steady, Go!, 2018

Two issue of, Ready, Steady, Gol: The National Magazine of Women in Prison Written and Led by Women Affected by the Criminal Justice System (Winter 2018). **OPEN** 

## WIP/5/13 Ready, Steady, Go!, 2019 2019

Various issues of, Ready, Steady, Gol: The National Magazine of Women in Prison Written and Led by Women Affected by the Criminal

#### 2015

Justice System (2019). Includes:

Two copies of, Ready, Steady, Go! (Summer 2019)
Two copies of, Ready, Steady, Go! (Winter, 2019)
OPEN

#### WIP/5/14 Ready, Steady, Go!, 2020

Two copies of issue of, Ready, Steady, Gol: The National Magazine of Women in Prison Written and Led by Women Affected by the Criminal Justice System (Spring/Summer 2020) **OPEN** 

WIP/5/15	Still I Rise,	2021
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Two copies of issue of, Still I Rise: The National Magazine of Women in Prison Written by and for Women Affected by the Criminal Justice System (Autumn-Winter 2021) **OPEN** 

#### WIP/5/16 Still I Rise, 2022

Various issues of, Still I Rise: The National Magazine of Women in Prison Written by and for Women Affected by the Criminal Justice System (2022). Includes:

Two copies of, Still I Rise (Spring-Summer 2022)Two copies of, Still I Rise (Autumn 2022)

OPEN

WIP/5/17 Health Matters!

n.d.

2020

2021

2022

Two copies of, Health Matters!, published by WIP (n.d.) **OPEN** 

WIP/5/18Issues, 20072007Journal, 'Issues', Vol.137, edited by Lisa Firth,

published by Independence (2007) OPEN

WIP/5/19	Stop Gap, 2005	2005
	Journal, Stop Gap: Working form women's rights since 1866, The Fawcett Society Magazine (Autumn 2005) OPEN	
WIP/5/20	Off The Cuff, 2018	2018
	Magazine, Off The Cuff: Taking the smooth with the rough, first edition (Winter 2018) <b>OPEN</b>	
WIP/5/21	Take a Drake	2016
	Magazine, Take a Drake, the award winning community magazine fr everyone at HMP Drake Hall (Spring 2016) <b>OPEN</b>	
WIP/5/22	Downview Chronicles	2017
	Two issues of, Downview Chronicles, the magazine circulated at HMP Downview (2016-2017). Includes:	
	- Issue 3 (November 2016) - Issue 6 (March 2017) OPEN	
WIP/5/23	Red Pepper, 2010	2010
	Magazine, Red Pepper: Spicing up politics, No.173 (August/September 2010) <b>OPEN</b>	
WIP/5/24	The British Institute of Human Rights News	2009
	Journal, The British Institute of Human Rights News (Winter 2009) <b>OPEN</b>	

WIP/5/25	the Friend, 2009-2010	2009-2010
	Two issues of, the Friend: Discover the Contemporary Quaker Way, (2009-2010). Includes:	
	- Two copies, Vol.167, No.11 (13 March 2009) - Vol.168, No.11 (12 March 2010) <b>OPEN</b>	
WIP/5/26	Community Care, 2006	2006
	Magazine, Community Care, No.1635 (10-16 August 2006) <b>OPEN</b>	
WIP/6	Mother and babies	1977-2007
	Papers relating to the conditions of mothers and babies in prisons, including: individual cases; WIP campaigns and work; administrative papers; and publications, briefings and media (1977-2000). SEE INDIVIDUAL FILES	
WIP/6/1	Cases	1986-1994
	Papers relating to various mother and baby cases, including: the case of KM, the case of FO, and the cases of Karen Tyler and Tracey Scott; the case of Susan Edwards; and the case of Margaret Brookes (1986-1994) <b>SEE INDIVIDUAL FILES</b>	
WIP/6/1/1	The case of KM	1993-1994
	Correspondence, notes and press cuttings relating to the case of the of KM (1993-1994) <b>APPLY TO ARCHIVIST</b>	
WIP/6/1/2	The case of FO	1989
	Correspondence, statements, press releases and notes relating to the case of, FO, and the death of a baby in custody (1989) <b>CLOSED</b>	

	The cases of Karen Tyler and Tracey Scott	1986-1990
	Press cuttings relating to the sentencing of Karen Tyler and Tracey Scott, and blank petitions for the case of Karen Tyler (1986- 1990) APPLY TO ARCHIVIST	
WIP/6/1/4	The case of Susan Edwards	1994
	Press releases, correspondence, faxes and press cuttings relating to the case of Susan Edwards, who was forced to give birth handcuffed to a prison officer (1994) <b>APPLY TO ARCHIVIST</b>	
WIP/6/1/5	The case of Margaret Brookes	1991
	Handwritten and printed notes, articles and correspondence relating to the case of Margaret Brookes, who was seven months pregnant with twins when remanded in custody at Holloway Prison (1991) <b>APPLY TO ARCHIVIST</b>	
WIP/6/2	WIP campaigns and work	1977-1999
	Papers relating to WIP campaigns and work regarding the treatment of mothers and babies in prison, including: inquiries about human rights of pregnant women prisoners in retrains; inquiry into treatment of pregnant women in custody; WIP mothers and babied campaign work; and papers relating to general treatment of female prisoners (1977-1999) <b>SEE INDIVIDUAL FILES</b>	
WIP/6/2/1	regarding the treatment of mothers and babies in prison, including: inquiries about human rights of pregnant women prisoners in retrains; inquiry into treatment of pregnant women in custody; WIP mothers and babied campaign work; and papers relating to general treatment of female prisoners (1977-1999)	1977-1998
WIP/6/2/1	regarding the treatment of mothers and babies in prison, including: inquiries about human rights of pregnant women prisoners in retrains; inquiry into treatment of pregnant women in custody; WIP mothers and babied campaign work; and papers relating to general treatment of female prisoners (1977-1999) SEE INDIVIDUAL FILES Inquiries about human rights of pregnant	1977-1998

January 1996)

- Correspondence between Royal College of Midwives and WIP regarding agreement about when it is unacceptable to chain a pregnant woman (17 January 1996)

- Home Secretary's statement regarding prisoners in hospital (18 January 1996)

- Correspondence between Maternity Alliance and solicitors regarding women in shackles (7 February 1996)

- Correspondence between Maternity Alliance and HM Prison Services regarding pregnant women prisoners in mechanical restraints (23 February 1996)

- Correspondence between Association for Improvements in the Maternity Services and Director of Women's Services at Whittington Hospital regarding antenatal care of women (20 November 1995)

- Copy of, The Mirror, featuring front page headline, 'Forced to Wear These Giving Birth', (28 April 1994)

 Photocopied press cutting, 'Treated Like an Animal', Daily Mirror (19 December 1996)
 Photocopied press cutting, 'Ordeal of a mum

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Ordeal of a mumto-be', The Mirror (n.d.)

- Press cutting, 'Pregnant prisoner chained in labour ward', unknown paper (n.d.)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Mother left shackled at funeral', The Guardian (n.d.)

Photocopied press cutting, 'End this barbaric practice', Daily Mirror (19 December 1996)
Photocopy of United Nations rules on

'Instruments of Restraint' (1977)

- Photocopied extract from, 'Standard Minimum Rules for the Treatment of Prisoners: and Procedures for the Effective Implementation of the Rules', United Nations (1984)

Journal, British Medical Journal, No.7025, Vol.312, featuring editorial, 'Shackling prisoners in hospital', p.200 (27 January 1996)
Photocopies extract from Parliament session relating to Women in Prison, 24 January (1996)

- Extract from, 'Report of the Learmont Inquiry', regarding 'Management of Disruptive Prisoners' (October 1995)

- Copy of printed document, Women in Prison: Current Issues, including illegal methods of restraint (June 1998) - Correspondence between Association for Improvements in the Maternity Services, Editor of The Practicing Midwife, and the Howard League for Prison Reform regarding publication of a statement (8 October 1998) - Correspondence to Baroness Ludford from The Lord Hoyle regarding response to questions at debate on Prison Service and chaining women prisoners (23 April 1988) OPEN

#### WIP/6/2/2 1986-1996 Inquiry into treatment of pregnant women in custody

Press cuttings, notes of meetings and statements relating to the treatment of pregnant women in custody, and Women in Prison's involvement with debate and inquiries around this topic (1986-1996). Includes:

- Photocopied press cutting, 'The mercy that came too late...', The Star (30 July 1986) - Photocopied press cutting, 'Woman released', Western Morning News (25 July 1986)

- Article, 'The Death of Baby Marsland', by Chris Tchaikovsky, featured in, Abolitionist, No.22 (1986)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Prison baby inquest rules natural causes', The Guardian (16 October 1986)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Suffer little children', Independent (14 October 1986) - Photocopied press cutting, 'Prisoner in labour

'locked in cell', Times (9 October 1986)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Woman prisoner 'locked in cell' during labour, unknown publication (n.d.)

- Press release from Prison Reform Trust, 'Holloway Monitoring Group Calls for Independent Inquiry Into Treatment of Pregnant Women in Holloway Prison' 21 July [1986]

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Inquest on death of baby in Holloway', Independent (14 October 1986)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Prison baby died of natural causes', Independent (9 October 1986)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'A pregnant

pause', Independent (14 October 1986)
Photocopied press cutting, 'Gaol infants'
plight', Guardian (18 September 1986)
Photocopied press cutting, 'Call for change in jailing mums', Shropshire Star (18 September 1986)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Prison baby deaths worry civil groups', Guardian (15 October 1986)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Women prisoner 'locked in cell' during labour', The Daily Telegraph (16 October 1986)

- Notes of meeting between WIP and Inquest regarding inquiry into the treatment of pregnant women in custody with regard to live births, stillbirths and miscarriages (18 July 1990)

- Draft news piece for, New Socialist', by Melissa Benn (n.d.)

Photocopied press cutting, 'Prison mother fights for return of baby', Guardian (9 August ?)
Photocopied press cutting, 'Jailed girl begs judge to get her baby back', unknown publication [17 August ?]

- photocopied press cutting, 'Key to caring', Yorkshire Post (21 November 1988)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Plea for sake of the jail babies', Manchester Evening News (18 September 1986)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Call for an end to 'suffering' of babies in prison', Evening Courier (18 September 1988)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Tragedy of young mums behind bars', Star (21 October 1986)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Jail, 'no place for children", Birmingham Post (18 September 1986)

Photocopied press cutting, 'Don't jail mothers plea to courts', Today (18 September 1986)
Photocopied press cutting, 'Group call for end to prison babies' plight', South Wales Echo (18 September 1986)

Photocopied press cutting, 'Prison risk to children', Morning Star (18 September 1986)
Photocopied press cutting, 'Jail mum can keep her baby', Daily Telegraph (July 1986)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Mother can keep baby in prison', The Journal (12 July 1987)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Change of heart', Daily Post (12 July 1986)

- Leaflet relating to Crowley House Day Centre

(n.d.)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Prisoners mother must wait for ruling on baby', unknown publication (n.d.)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Cruel mum's love lessons', unknown publication (n.d.)

Photocopied press cutting, 'Mother in prison: review possible', unknown publication (n.d.)
Photocopied press cutting, 'Mother in Prison

Sues for Return of Baby', Daily Mail (n.d.) - Photocopied press cutting, 'Mother of addict baby gets probation', Guardian (13 August

1985)

- Photocopied press cutting,, 'Death case mother freed on probation', The Guardian (17 October 1986)

- Extract from NACRO Briefing regarding Mother and Baby units [1986]

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Concern at payments to jail mothers', The Northern Echo (8 June 1989)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'How babies cope with prison life', Kent and Essex Courier (21 April 1989)

Photocopied press cutting, 'Jailed mums plea', Evening News (20 March 1989)
Photocopied press cutting, "Release' jailed mums', Shropshire Star (20 March 1989)
Photocopied press cutting, 'Babies Behind Bars - A Crying Shame', The Voice (6

February 1990)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Trial by solitude for the children of women prisoners', The Sunday Times (1 April 1990)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Having baby won't keep girl crooks out of prison', Daily Mail (3 January 1990)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Jail baby death prompts inquiry call', unknown publication (26 July 1989)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'How prison punishes the children too', Observer Sunday (25 March 1990)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Let Our Mummy Free', Daily Mirror (18 December 1996)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'U.S. Prisons Challenged By Women Behind Bars', New York Times (30 November 1992)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Baby Given Six Months Prison', unknown publication (January 1990)

Photocopied press cutting, 'Jailed teenage mother to try for appeal today', The Scotsman (5 January 1990)
Photocopied press cutting, 'I Don't Want My Baby In Prison', Woman's Own (26 July 1986)

### **APPLY TO ARCHIVIST**

### WIP/6/2/3 WIP Mothers and & Babies Campaign work 1989-1994

Articles, correspondence, statements and related papers regarding WIP's work and campaigning for checks and inquiries into the treatment of pregnant women in prison (1989-1994). Includes:

Press cutting, 'Eight hurt as Risley women go in rampage', Western Mail (8 May 1990)
Copy of report from the Preliminary Hearing of, 'Lord Justice Woolf's Inquiry into Prison Disturbances' (14 May 1990)
Correspondence from Lord Justice Woolf to

WIP regarding report into disturbances at HM Prison Manchester (10 May 1990)

- WIP annual report (September 1989)

- Correspondence from Social Services to WIP regarding the inspection of facilities for mothers and babies in prison (26 September 1990)

- Press release by WIP, 'Pressure Group Calls for Independent Enquiry into Death of Prison Baby' (25 July 1989)

Verbal statement taken by Chris Tchaikovsky from an individual at Holloway Prison about treatment of her and her baby (5 July 1989)
Photocopied press cutting, 'Jail baby death prompts inquiry call', unknown publication (26 July 1989)

Minute of staff meeting (12 February 1991)
Article, 'Women in Special Hospitals', Open Mind, No.41 (October/November 1989)
Article, 'Black people, psychiatry and the criminal justice system: an overview', Black People Mental Health and the Courts (n.d.)
Copy of parliamentary question relating to

inquiry into the treatment of pregnant women in Holloway (March 1990)

- Draft article by Chris Tchaikovsky (1994) OPEN

### WIP/6/2/4 Papers relating to general treatment of female prisoners

Reports, notes, articles, statistics and related papers regarding the treatment and conditions of female prisoners [1987-1999]. Includes: - Extract from, 'Report of the Learmont Inquiry' (n.d.) - Extract from parliamentary questions (22 January 1987) - A4 poster, 'Justice for Roisin McAliskey', by campaign group Roisin's Sisters (n.d.) - Handwritten notes (n.d.) - Extract from unknown report/publication regarding hospital escorts at prisoner appointments (n.d.) - photocopy of handwritten note from a Dr to WIP expressing interest in helping with campaign (n.d.) - WIP campaigns index (n.d.) - Prison statistics for England and Wales, put together by WIP (1995) - bibliography of publications relating to mother and babies, put together by WIP [1995] - Article, 'Mothers Behind Bars', unknown author (n.d.) - Extract from unknown publication regarding, 'Units for Pregnant Women and Mother and Baby Units (n.d.) - Article, 'Imprisoned Children', by Dora Black [1988] - Paper, 'Principles, Policies and Procedures on Mothers and Babies/Children in Prison', [written by Chris T] (January 1999) - Chapter titled, 'Mothers and Babies and Pregnant Women', from unknown publication (n.d.) - Copy of, 'Standard For Mother and Baby Units', by The Standards Project Team (n.d.) OPEN WIP/6/3 Administrative papers 1989-2000

> Administrative papers relating to the condition of mothers and babies in Prison, including; minutes and note from meetings and correspondence (1989-2000) **SEE INDIVIDUAL FILES**

#### WIP/6/3/1 Minutes and notes from meetings

Minutes, notes and related papers from various meetings including WIP. Includes:

- Notes from meeting relating to, WIP/Inquest inquiry into the treatment of pregnant women in custody with regard to live births, stillbirths and miscarriages, held at WIP (18 July 1990) - Programme for, Mothers Behind Bars visit to Styal Prison (1991)

- Agenda for meeting of the Mothers Behind Bars group, held at Holloway Prison, 12 July (1991)

- Questionnaire relating to Mother and Babies in priosn (n.d.)

- Minutes of the Mothers Behind Bars meeting (15 February 1991)

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OPEN
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### WIP/6/3/2 Correspondence

### 1989-2000

Correspondence a related papers regarding mothers and babies in prison. Includes:

 Correspondence from Social Services to WIP regarding inspection of facilities for mothers and babies in prison (26 September 1990) - Correspondence from Social Services to WIP regarding inspection of facilities for mothers and babies in prison (heavily annotated) (9 October 1992)

- Correspondence from St George's Medical School to WIP regarding, 'Perspectives on Female Violence' conference, 7-8 March 1991 (10 December 1990)

- Correspondence from Save the Children to WIP regarding report on all day visit schemes for children and mothers (14 September 1992) - Correspondence from a solicitors to an individual regarding a barrister involved in a campaign relating to women serving sentences (27 February 1991)

- Correspondence from Home Office to WIP, thanking them for letter relating to handcuffing of pregnant prisoners (February 1996) - Correspondence from Association for Improvements in the Maternity Services to Michael Howard MP regarding concern and outrage at the treatment of pregnant women in UK prisons (20 November 1995) - Correspondence from WIP to Royal College of Midwives regarding circumstances when it is acceptable to chain a pregnant woman (17 January 1996) - Correspondence between WIP and Women's Policy Unit, regarding membership of working group, and written submission for unknown publication (December 1998-March 1999) - Correspondence from Women's Policy Group to WIP regarding proposed standard for Mother and Baby Units (27 September 1999) - Template for circular regarding the case of Roisin McAliskey (n.d.) - Handwritten note of thanks from The Maternity Alliance to Chris Tchaikovsky (1997) - Correspondence from The Howard League to the Director General of the Prison Service regarding mothers and babies in prison (12 September 2000) - Correspondence from WIP to the Director General of the Prison Service regarding mothers and babies in prison (18 September 2000) - Correspondence from MP Chris Smith to the Home Secretary regarding case of a constituent whose daughter was given delayed medical treatment while pregnant in hospital (17 January 1990) OPEN 1982-1999

### WIP/6/4 Publications, briefings and media

Publications, briefings, and papers relating to the media surrounding the subject of mothers and babies in custody. Including: NAPO Briefings; NACRO Briefings; The Development of Young Children in HMP Mother and Baby Units; Channel 4 booklet; Mother and Baby Units - policies and procedures; and pres releases and press cuttings (1982-1999) SEE INDIVIDUAL FILES

### WIP/6/4/1 **NAPO** briefings

Two briefing papers by National Association of Probation Officers (NAPO) (c.1988-1997). Includes:

c.1988-1997

- Briefing paper, 'Women and Crime', by Harry

Fletcher (July 1997) - Briefing paper, 'WOmen, Children and Custody (c.1988) **OPEN** 

### WIP/6/4/2 NACRO briefings

1982-1990

Briefing papers by the National Association for the Care and Resettlement of Offenders (1982-1990). Includes:

NACRO Briefing, 'Mothers and Babies in Prison' (June 1990)
NACRO Briefing, 'The Prison Medical Service: Points from the House of Commons Social Service Committee, 3rd Report July 1986' (October 1986)
NACRO Briefing, 'Mothers and Babied in Prison' (March 1988)
Photocopied NACRO Briefing, 'Mothers and Babies in Prison' (March 1982)
OPEN

### WIP/6/4/3 The Development of Young Children in 1988-1989 HMP Mother and Baby Units

Papers and related research regarding HMP Mother and Baby Units (c.1988). Includes:

- Various draft copies of, 'The Development of Young Children in HMP Mother and Baby Units', by Liza Catan, University of Sussex (1989)

- Press release from The University of Sussex, 'Mothers and Babies in Prison - Research by Sussex University (15 March 1989) - Papers from the European Seminar on the Implementation of the European Convention for the Prevention of Torture and of Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment', held in Strasbourg (7-8 November 1988) - Journal, Criminal Justice, Vol.6, No.3, featuring an article titled, 'Black Female Prisoners Scheme', by June Thomas-Crandon (August 1988) - Publication, 'Punishment Custody and the Community: The Response of the National Association of Probation Officers', NAPO (December 1988)

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WIP/6/4/4	Channel 4 booklet	1990
	Photocopied extract from a booklet published by Channel 4 titled, 'Cutting Edge', featuring a piece written by Chris Tchaikovsky, and draft editions of the text (1990) <b>OPEN</b>	
WIP/6/4/5	Mother and Baby Units - policies and procedures	1994-1999
	Various publication relating to policies and procedures surrounding Mother and Baby Units in prisons (1994-1999). Includes:	
	<ul> <li>Pamphlet, 'Admission to Mother and Baby Units', published by HM Prison Service [1999]</li> <li>Booklet, 'Report of a Review of Principles, Policies and Procedures on Mothers and Babies/Children in Prison', published by HM Prison Service (1999)</li> <li>Draft copy of 'Report of a Review of Principles, Policies and Procedures on Mothers and Babies/Children in Prison', featuring handwritten comments and related correspondence (Restricted) (9 March 1999)</li> <li>Booklet, 'Inspection of Facilities for Mothers and Babies in Prison: Part 1, Second Multi- Disciplinary Inspection By The Department of Health: Part 2 Study of Social Work Arrangements For The Children of Imprisoned Foreign National Mothers' published by the Department of Health (April 1994) APPLY TO ARCHIVIST</li> </ul>	
WIP/6/4/6	Press release and press cuttings	1986-2007
	Press releases and press cuttings relating to mothers and babies in prison (1986-1996). Includes:	

- Article, 'Keeping babies in prison', BMJ, vol.304 (11 April 1992) - Draft copy of article by Chris Tchaikovsky for, She Magazine (n.d.) - Photocopied press cutting, 'Jail baby death prompts inquiry call' unknown publication (26 July 1989)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Concern at

payments to jail mothers', The Northern Echo (8 June 1989)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'How babies cope with prison life', Kent & Sussex Courier (21 April 1989)

Photocopied press cutting, 'Jailed mums plea', Evening News (20 March 1989)
Photocopied press cutting, "Release' jailed mums', Shropshire Star (20 March 1989)
Photocopied press cutting, 'Woman released', Western Morning News (25 July 1986)
Photocopied press cutting, 'The mercy that

came too late...', The Star (30 July 1986) - Article, 'The Death of Baby Marsland', Abolitionist No.22 (1986)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Prison baby inquest rules natural causes', Guardian (16 October 1986)

Photocopied press cutting, 'Prisoner in labour 'locked in cell', The Times (9 October 1986)
Photocopied press cutting, 'Suffer little children', Independent (14 October 1986)
Photocopied press cutting, 'Women prisoner 'locked in cell' during labour', The Daily Tale graph (40 October 1990)

Telegraph (16 October 1986) - Press release by WIP, 'Poverty is Not a

Crime' (25 July 1995)

- Press release made jointly by HM Prison Service and Department of Health,

'Improvements to Mother and Baby Units in HM Prisons' (11 March 1992)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'The Baby Born to a Mother in Chains', unknown publications (n.d.)

- Photocopied article, 'Many women tell their children mummy is working away from home. They don't receive visits because they can't hear to put the kids through it', unknown publication (n.d.)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Babies Behind Bars - A Crying Shame', The Voice (January 1990)

- Photocopied article, 'Severing family ties', unknown article (n.d.)

- Photocopied article, 'Bringing up baby - in prison', unknown publication (n.d.)

- Photocopied article, 'Crisis plan to put women in men's prisons', The Sunday Times (28 August 1994)

- Photocopied article, 'Prison Articles',

unknown publication (n.d.)

Photocopied article, 'Women with children and dependents', unknown article (n.d.)
Article by Melissa Benn for New Socialist

(n.d.)

- Photocopied article, 'The Babies of Bedford', unknown publication (n.d.)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'HM prison where baby stays too', unknown publication (n.d.)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Hell in Holloway', by Sarah Baxter, Time Out (26 August ?)

- Photocopied article, 'The number of women in prison has risen by 46 per cent. What's their crime? Mostly not paying a fine. Does that justify locking them up?', by Ann Lloyd, Cosmopolitan (July 1995)

Photocopied press cutting, 'McAliskey to keep baby', unknown publication (n.d.)
Photocopied press cutting, 'Outrage as Cancer Mum is Kept in', Daily Mirror (19 December 1996)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Mother left shackled at funeral', Guardian (March/April 1996)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Prison baby deaths worry civil groups', Guardian (15 October 1986)

- Article, 'Shackling prisoners in hospital', BMJ, Vol 312 (27 January 1996)

- Article, 'The message of the medium', New Law Journal (9 September 1994)

- Press cutting, "Save the women from our jails", The Independent (n.d.)

- Press cutting, 'It is time we stopped putting so many mothers behind bars', Independent on Sunday (13 May 2007)

- Press cutting, 'Cherie Blair speaks out against pregnant women sent to jail', Independent on Sunday (13 May 2007)

- Press cutting, 'Women in jail: what Cherie told The Independent on Sunday', Independent

on Sunday (13 May 2007)

- Printed article, 'Zoe Williams: Don't Put Mothers Behind Bars', Guardian Newspaper (27 January 2004)

Printed article, 'Drug dealer to give birth in prison', from This Is Lancashire (1 July 2010)
Printed article, 'Penal reform must not be gender neutral', guardian.co.uk (22 June 2010)
Letter to, Independent on Sunday, regarding prison being inappropriate for women and their children, and calls for the Government to support the Corston report (20 May 2007) **OPEN** 

### WIP/7 Mental Health Campaign

1983-1993

Papers relating campaigning for better mental health services in prison and improved treatment of vulnerable female prisoners. Includes papers regarding: Prison Medical Service; WIP submission to the Social Services Committee regarding Prison Medical Service; prison doctoring and psychiatry; mental health advocacy; mental health campaign work, 1985-1993; and suicide prevention (1983-1993) SEE INDIVIDUAL FILES

### WIP/7/1 Prison Medical Service

1983-1986

Papers relating to Prison medical services (1983-1986). Includes:

Third Report from the Social Services
Committee: Session 1985-1986: Prison
Medical Service: Volume 1: Report together
with the Proceedings of the Committee (1986)
Statement regarding experience of individual
on a Hospital Wing at Pucklechurch (23
January 1985)

- Confidential report, 'The Prison Medical Service', by the British Medical Association (1985)

- Correspondence between Home Office and individual regarding the use of the riot van (February-April 1985)

- Correspondence between individual and WIP regarding experience with medication in Holloway [1985]

- Signed petition sheets demanding the abolition of the Prison Medical Service and it's replacement by normal NHS provision, organised by WIP [1985]

- Correspondence between MP's regarding starting an enquiry into the Prison Medical Service (2 April 1985)

- Press Notice, 'The Social Services Committee has decided to undertake an inquiry into the Prison Medical Service', by the

Social Services Committee (1 May 1985) - Circular regarding written submissions regarding the Prison Medical Service (June-July 1985) - Handwritten correspondence between WIP and Women in Medicine regarding plans for campaigning (April 1986) - Printed testament of the medical experience of Lee Sadeem-Khan [1985] - Paper titled, 'A National Program to Improve Correctional Health Care - An American Perspective', by B. Jaye Anno Ph.D. (1985) - Notes, 'Interview Jo Richardson' (n.d.) - Photocopied article, 'Disorder, disillusion, and disrepute', by Richard Smith, British Medical Journal (19 November 1983) - Report, 'Working Party on the Organisation of the Prison Medical Service', to The Right Hon. Henry Brooke, M.p., Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department [1964] - Extract from parliament session featuring question asked by Jo Richardson to the Secretary of State regarding medical records of prisoners (January 1984)

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### WIP/7/2 WIP submission to the Social Services Committee regarding Prison Medical Service

1985

Two copies of a submission by WIP on, The Prison Medical Service, to The Social Services Committee (July 1985)

N.B. some pages in each submission are missing and others are duplicated. **APPLY TO ARCHIVIST** 

### WIP/7/3Prison doctoring and psychiatry1984

Draft reports, articles and papers relating to prison doctoring and psychiatry (1984). Includes:

Draft report for New Statesman article on Prior Committee (n.d.)
Article, "There are so Few of Them': Women and Community Service Orders', by Lena Dominelli, due to be published in, Probation Journal (Spring 1984) - First page of a paper to be presented to the Socio-Legal Studies Group's 1984 Annual Conference in Edinburgh April 2-4 1984, titled, 'Law, Psychiatry and Women's Imprisonment', by Pat Coolen (1984) APPLY TO ARCHIVIST

### WIP/7/4 Mental Health Advocacy

1991

Mental health advocacy speech (potentially by Chris Tchaikovsky) (1991) **OPEN** 

### WIP/7/5 Mental Health (Campaign Work): 1985-1993 1985-1993

Papers relating to mental health campaign work involving WIP and various other organisations (1985-1993). Includes:

- Correspondence between WIP and Mid Staffordshire Health Authority regarding research into mental health and the prison service (September 1990)

- Department of Health press release, 'Stephen Dorrell Announces Review of Services for Mentally Disordered Offenders' (30 November 1990)

- Speech, given by [Stephen Dorrell], at the opening of a conference, 'Crime and Mental Illness', held at Royal Society of Health, 30 November (1990)

- Pamphlet from, The Grendon Conference 92' (1992)

- Guidebook, 'Grendon: a Guide for inmates' (1992)

- Correspondence between WIP and NAPO regarding powers granted to police under the Mental Health Act for hospital admission (October - November 1985)

- Publication by Campaign Against Psychiatric Oppression (CAPO), 'Introduction, Manifesto, Demands', (n.d.)

- Leaflet, 'Prison - Facts & Figures Women Offenders', published by Prison Reform Trust [1992]

- Published copy of proceedings of MSD Foundation Symposium on Mental Illness, 'Out of Sight, Out of Mind: Mental Illness: Who Cares?' (1990) Correspondence between Chris Tchaikovsky to Grendon Friends Trust regarding attendance at conference (1992-3)
Grendon Friends Trust, Newsletter 1 (December 1992)
Leaflet promoting Grendon Friends Trust [1992]
Paper, 'Areas of Grievance on C3 Vulnerable Prisoners Unit' (n.d.)
Account from a women who was transferred from Holloway to Styal Prison for the majority of her sentence (c.1980s)
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### WIP/7/6 Suicide Prevention

1986-1989

1987-1992

1987-1991

Papers relating to suicide prevention in prisons (1986-1989). Including:

Circular instruction regarding Prison Service's strategy for suicide prevention (1989)
Correspondence from Brent Health Authority regarding certification of death (1986)
Photocopied press cutting, 'Eleven Men Dead', Time Out (n.d.)
Photocopied press cutting, 'Britain's Death Row', City Limits (30 Nov - 7 Dec 1989)
Photocopied press cutting. 'The whole truth?', unknown publication (n.d.)
Inquest Bulletin, No.10 (December 1987)
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### WIP/8 BAME Campaign

Papers relating to BAME Campaigns involving Women in Prison (WIP), including papers regarding: black women in custody; HIBISCUS; black women in custody campaign work- GRUPO AMIGA; drug project in West Africa; and annual report, 1991-1992 (1987-1992) SEE INDIVIDUAL FILES

# WIP/8/1 Black Women in Custody

Papers regarding the experiences of black women in custody (1987-1991). Includes:

- Correspondence from WIP to HM Prison Service regarding foreign women nationals experiencing delays in receiving and sending mail to and from the country they were born in (October 1987)

- 'List of Participants' (n.d.)

- Notes from, 'Black Women and the Criminal Justice System', one day conference held on, 28 February (1990)

- Photocopied article, 'The Criminalisation and Imprisonment of Black Women', Probation Journal (September 1989)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Britain's Judiciary Hates Black Women', Caribbean Times (16 January 1990)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Are our courts biased against black women?' [S

Correspondent] (7 January 1990)

- Leaflet promoting, 'W.I.P. & A.P.S.

Information Sharing Conference on Deportees in U.K. Women's Prisons', held at Highbury Library, 15 March (1991)

- Agenda from conference, 'Deportees in U.K. Women's Prisons' (1991)

- A3 poster advertising, 'Deportees in U.K.

Women's Prisons', conference (1991)

- List of people and organisations to be invited to conference (1991)

- Photocopied article, 'Imprisoned In Exile', African Woman (Spring 1989)

- Photocopied article, 'To the slaughter', New Statesman & Society (13 October 1989)

- Paper titled, ' Black Women and Policing', by Olga Heaven and Maria Mars (n.d.)

- Photocopied press cutting, '89 Detainees Die in Ikoyi Prisons in 10 Months', unknown publication (23 November 1988)

- Photocopied press cutting, "No Prison Race Clash' say Home Office', The Voice (25 August 1987)

- Photocopied press cutting, "Racist' judge gets a wigging', unknown publication (n.d.)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Shock Prison Statistics', The Voice (April 1987)

- Apex Trust bulletin (Spring 1987)

- Photocopied press cutting regarding black people being locked away for varies reasons (March 1987)

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### WIP/8/2 HIBISCUS

Papers relating to the organisation HIBISCUS (1988-1990). Includes:

- Draft Constitution for Nigerian Women in Prison (N.W.I.P)/HIBISCUS (n.d.) - Photocopied press cutting, 'African women to get drugs warning', Guardian (3 October 1988) - Correspondence between Nigeria High **Commission and Health Information Trust** regarding project to dissuade West African Women From Smuggling Drugs (22 February 1988) - HIBISCUS Newsletter, 1 (December 1990) - Letter of support from a Senior Probation Officer for W.I.P., who applied for funding for the HIBISCUS Club (December 1990) - Draft request for assistance from the HIBISCUS Club, Lagos, Nigeria (n.d.) - Background information regarding National Council of Women's Societies (n.d.) - Brief report regarding International Workshop, Lagos, 15-19 October (1990) - Extract of press cutting, 'Controversy over new drug decree', HomeNews (15 November-21 November 1990)

### OPEN

### WIP/8/3 Black Women in Custody - Campaign Work 1989-1992 - GRUPO AMIGA

Reports, newsletters, correspondence and press cuttings, relating to campaign work regarding black women in custody, mostly involving GRUPO AMIGO (1989-1992). Includes:

- Report by GRUPO AMIGA from Visit to Styal Prison, 25 April (1992)

- Report by GRUPO AMIGA, 'Regarding Hunger Strikers in Styal Prison (11 May 1992)

- Report by GRUPO Amiga, 'Update Re.

Hunger Strike in Styal Pirson, Cheshire (8 May 1992)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'A criminal lack of justice', New Statesman & Society (3 March 1989)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'When it's a Crime to be Black', The Voice (25 July 1989)

- Photocopied press cutting, "Racism' claims at women's prison', News Chatham, Rochester & Gillingham (18 August 1989)

Photocopied press cutting, 'Prisoners of the poverty trap', The Guardian (29 October 1991)
Photocopied press cutting, 'Women in Special Hospitals', OpenMind, No.41

(October/November 1989)

- Photocopied article, 'Black people, psychiatry and the criminal justice system: an overview', Black People, Mental Health and the Courts [1990]

- NACRO Press Release, 'Black Women Prisoners Face Double Disadvantage', (1 November 1990)

- Correspondence from Women Advisors, Traders, Educators, Habilitators & Acquaintance Club (WATEHA) regarding arrival of unknown visitor in Nigeria (14

January 1991)

- Notes from meeting of GRUPO AMIGA, 20 February (1991)

- Press cutting, 'Drug 'mules' flee jail to avoid departation', The Guardian (n.d.)

- Press cutting, 'Runaway drug 'mules' tally triples', The Guardian (25 March 1991)

- Press cutting, 'Prisoners of the poverty trap', The Guardian (29 October 1991)

- Handwritten correspondence from prisoner, asking for help with dealing with customs (May 1992)

- Circular written by the women in H.M.P. Styal regarding concern over long sentences for drug-related crimes, usually committed out of desperation (8 June 1992)

 Correspondence from a consultant psychiatrist to the Home Office regarding, 'Services for people with special needs i.e.
 Ethnic minorities and women' (6 August 1992)
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### WIP/8/4 Drug Project in West Africa

1988

Papers relating to Drug Project in West Africa (1988). Includes:

Photocopied press cutting, 'African women to get drugs warning' [The Guardian] (n.d.)
Photocopied report titled, 'Drug Project in West Africa: Report on project to dissuade

West African women from smuggling illegal drugs into Britain' by Jill Joyce (Autumn 1988) - Correspondence from Nigeria High Commission to Jill Joyce regarding, 'Project to Dissuade West African Women from Smuggling Drugs' (12 April 1988) **OPEN** 

# WIP/8/5Annual Report, 1991-19921992

WIP Annual Report, 1991-1992, featuring circular letter inside, asking for funds for the support group, 'The Hibiscus Club', and information about advances in supporting Foreign Nationals (1992) **OPEN** 

### WIP/9 HMP Holloway

1981-2001

Papers relating to HMP Holloway, regarding Holloway Remand Scheme (HRS) and the C1 Campaign at Holloway (1981-2001) SEE INDIVIDUAL FILES

# WIP/9/1 HMP Holloway - Holloway Remand Scheme 1985-2001 (HRS)

Papers relating to HMP Holloway - Holloway Remand Scheme, including: HRS what is it offering?; reports; Holloway Project Committee report; research in Holloway; 'A Year in Holloway - The Population Survey 1993-94'; Elizabeth Dale - Holloway; HRS Statistics; HRS financial papers; The Tablet; Holloway Health Advisory Board (HAB); correspondence on HRS; Women's Policy Group Liasion Forum; Parliamentary debates - Crime (Sentences) Bill; and Resettlement Needs Survey (1985-2001) **SEE INDIVIDUAL FILES** 

### WIP/9/1/1 What is it offering?

1995-1997

Papers relating to what the HRS was offering women offenders. Includes:

- Correspondence from HRS to Hammersmith & Fulham Youth Justice Team, regarding providing information about the scheme (15 October 1997) - A4 poster, 'Are you awaiting trial and planning to plead guilty: If so, we may be able to help you.', promoting the remand scheme (n.d.)

- Photocopied papers regarding information about what HRA can offer and blank agreement to be signed by people on the scheme (n.d.)

Photocopied information about accommodation for remand prisoners (1997)
Correspondence from South East London Probation Service to H.M. Prison Holloway regarding Holloway Remand Scheme (27 July 1995)

- Flyer promoting HRS (n.d.)

- Memorandum of Association of Holloway Remand Service (1999) APPLY TO ARCHIVIST

### WIP/9/1/2 Reports

1995-1999

Reports and related papers regarding the Holloway Remand Scheme (HRS) (1995-1999). Includes:

- WIP Director's Report featuring information about the early stages of the Holloway Remand Scheme (HRS), by Chris Tchaikovsky (November 1996)

- HMP and YOI Holloway Board of Visitors Annual Report (October 1998 - September 1999)

- Holloway Remand Scheme Progress Report (2 October 1995)

- Holloway Remand Scheme Progress Report (6 November 1995)

- Holloway Remand Scheme Progress Report (6 February 1996)

- WIP Progress Report (6 February 1996)

- WIP Progress Report (September/ October 1995)

- WIP Progress Report (August 1995)

- WIP Progress Report (19 May 1998)

- WIP Progress Report (April 1998)

- WIP Progress Report (6 March 1995)

- WIP Progress Report (June-September 1997)

- WIP/Education & Training Connection,

Progress Report (7 April 1998)

- WIP Financial Report as at the end of December 1998 (1999)

- WIP/etc monitoring (1998) - Holloway Remand Scheme Progress Report (7 May 1996) - Holloway Remand Scheme Progress Report (2 March 1999) - Holloway Remand Scheme Progress Report (7 September 1999) - Holloway Remand Scheme Progress Report (7 July 1998) - Holloway Remand Scheme Progress Report (19 May 1998) - Holloway Remand Scheme Progress Report (7 April 1998) - Holloway Remand Scheme Progress Report (4 February 1997) - Holloway Remand Scheme Management Committee Meeting Minutes (6 July 1999) - Holloway Remand Scheme Management Committee Meeting Minutes (27 April 1999) - Agenda for meeting (n.d.) - Director's Report (June 1995) - Director's Report (August 1995) - Director's Report (July 1994) - Paper relating to option for the future for HRS [1999] - Holloway Remand Service Equal Opportunities (n.d.) - Correspondence from HM Prison Service to Holloway Remand Scheme thanking them for the information regarding the Holloway Remand Scheme coming to an end (18 April 2000) - Progress Meeting (1 August 1994) OPEN WIP/9/1/3 Holloway Project Committee Report 1985 Draft extracts and final copy of, Holloway Project Committee Report to The Director General of the Prison Service (July 1985) OPEN WIP/9/1/4 **Research on Holloway** 1993-1994 Research papers relating to Women in Holloway Prison (1993-1994). Includes: - Report, 'Women in Holloway Quarterly

Report, 'Women in Holloway Quarterly
 Population Description' (6 April 1993)
 Correspondence from WIP to Hope House

regarding visiting organisation and facilities (1993)- Correspondence between, Criminal Justice Matters and several individuals regarding women in custody (1994) - Paper, 'The Holloway Bail Unit: The First Year of Shared Prison and Probation Working', Dr Ruth Rushton (May 1993) - Paper, 'Women Prisoners and Community Prisons' (n.d.) - Document titled, 'Issues to be raised with the Criminal Justice Consultative Council', by the Holloway Advisory Committee (n.d.) - Photocopied article, 'Pioneering approach to suicide prevention', Prison Service News (February 1993) **APPLY TO ARCHIVIST** 

### WIP/9/1/5 'A Year in Holloway - The Population 1994 Survey 1993-94'

Copy of paper, 'A Year in Holloway - The Population Survey 1993-94', by Rosemary King, featuring handwritten notes by Chris Tchaikovsky (April 1994) **OPEN** 

# WIP/9/1/6Elizabeth Dale - Holloway1992

Papers relating to the experience of Elizabeth Dale in Holloway Prison (1992) CLOSED

1995-1997

### WIP/9/1/7 HRS Statistics

Papers relating to HRS statistics and more general prison statistics (1995-1997). Includes:

Report, 'Holloway Remand Scheme Statistics, September 1994-May 1995, June 1995 - November 1995' (1995)
Report, 'Holloway Remand Scheme Statistics, June 1995-May 1996 (1996)
Loose statistics relating to HRS featuring various pie charts (n.d.)
Photocopied paper, 'The Imprisonment of Women: Some Facts and Figures', [1997]
Prison statistics for England and Wales (1995)

### OPEN

WIP/9/1/8	HRS Financial Papers	1995-2000
	Financial papers relating to the HRS (1995-2000). Includes:	
	<ul> <li>- HRS budget.actual comparison 1999/2000 (2000)</li> <li>- WIP Expenditure budgets 1999/2000 (March 1999)</li> <li>- HRS Cashflow Forecast Year 1 (August 1999)</li> <li>- HRS Expenditure Budget 2000/2003 (August 1999)</li> <li>- HRS Staff Costs (August 1999)</li> <li>- HRS Cost Centres (August 1999)</li> <li>- HRS Cost Centres (August 1999)</li> <li>- HRS Capital and Start-Up Costs (August 1999)</li> <li>- HRS Total funding (April 1997- March 2000) (2000)</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>- HRS Revised Income &amp; Expenditure Budget year ended 31 March 2000 (1999)</li> <li>- Minutes of meeting with WIP and London Borough Grants Unit (February 1995)</li> <li>OPEN</li> </ul>	

### WIP/9/1/9 The Tablet

1996

Copy of, The Tablet, featuring an article titled, 'One day in Holloway', by Margaret Hebblethwaite regarding conditions in the prison (9 March 1996) **OPEN** 

### WIP/9/1/10 Holloway Health Advisory Board (HAB) 1995-2001

Papers relating to the Health Advisory Board (HAB) at Holloway Prison (1995-2001). Includes:

Notebook featuring handwritten notes from meetings (1999-2001)
NACRO News Release, 'Raw Deal For Mentally Disturbed Prisoners (9 October 1995)
A4 poster promoting meeting, 'Health Care of Women Prisoners: Special Needs, Different Values?', organised by Human Values in Health Forum, 6 December (2000)
Proceedings of a Round Table Conference, 'The Needs of Prisoners: The Spiritual, Religious and Health Care of Those in Prisons and Special Hospitals in a Multicultural Society', organised by The Human Values in Health Care Forum, 14 July (1999)

 Correspondence from HM Prison Service to Chris Tchaikovsky regarding inaugural meeting for Holloway Advisory Board (12 August 1999)
 HMP and YPI Holloway, Healthcare Change Agenda (September 1999)

- HMP and YPI Holloway, Healthcare Change Agenda (1999/2000)

- Agenda for Health Care Advisory Board meeting, 15 November (1999)

- Correspondence from HM Prison Service to Health Care Advisory Board members regarding open days at HMP/YOI Holloway (29 November 1999)

- 'Report of a review of principles, policies and procedures on mothers and babies/children in prison' and related correspondence (1999-2000)

- Agenda and related correspondence for, Holloway Study Day, 27 January (2000)

- Agenda and minutes for Health Care

Advisory Board meeting, 13 March (2000) - Project Plan (2000)

- 'Report on a Visit to Health Care Services at H.M.P Shepton Market (9 June 2000)

- Agenda for Health Care Advisory Board Meeting, 12 June (2000)

- Psychiatric Report of individual at HMP Holloway (February 2001)

- Correspondence between members of HAB regarding regularity of meetings (2001)

- Minutes of Health Care Advisory Board Meeting, 11 September (2000)

- Correspondence to all members of Holloway Health Advisory Board regarding calling an extraordinary meeting of HAB (November 2000)

- Agenda and minutes for meeting of HAB, 21 March (2001)

- Minutes of HAB Meeting, 28 November (2000)

- HMP Holloway Health Project Board, Work Programme Progress Report (23 February 2001)

- Correspondence between Baroness Kennedy and Jack Straw regarding psychiatric services

at HMP Holloway (11 May 2001) - Circular for Health Care Board Members regarding future health-care provision at HMP and YOI Holloway (n.d.) - Suggested terms of reference for Health Advisory Board H.M. Prison Holloway (n.d.) - Copy of, 'A brief guide to the work of the Psychology Unit, HMP/YOI Holloway' (January 2000) - Document titled, 'The Past Year', featuring information about, 'Action Plan for the Next Six Months' [2000] - Executive Summary, 'Training Needs and Other Factors in the Delivery of Health Care in HMP/YO1 Holloway', by Susan Holmes (September 2000) - Prison Research & Development Bulletin, Volume 6, 'Females in Custody' special (August 1998) **APPLY TO ARCHIVIST** 

### WIP/9/1/11 Correspondence on HRS

1996-1999

Correspondence relating to HRS (1996-1999). Includes:

- Correspondence from Camden Social Services Substance Misuse Team regarding support for the continuation of the Holloway Remand Scheme (2 December 1999) - Correspondence from HM Prison Service Detox Programme Manager regarding support for the continuation of the Holloway Remand Scheme (8 December 1999) - Correspondence from NAPO to WIP requesting more information about the Holloway Remand Scheme (29 January 1996) - Correspondence from individuals who were supported by the Holloway Remand Scheme, expressing their gratitude and explaining how it helped them (1999) - Correspondence from solicitors to Holloway Remand Centre regarding case of individual who was helped by the remand scheme (5 September 1997) - Correspondence from East Sussex Probation Service to Senior Probation Officer at Holloway Prison regarding clarifying relationship between the Probation Service and HRS run by WIP (5 January 1996)

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# WIP/9/1/12 Women's Policy Group Liaison Forum 1999-2000 Includes: Includes: Includes

Correspondence from Women's Policy Group to HRS regarding agreeing to participate in the Women's Policy Group Liaison Forum (7 January 2000)
Agenda for meeting of Women's Policy Group Liaison Forum, 12 January (2000)
Liaison Forum Acceptance List (n.d.)
Minutes of Women's Policy Group Liaison Forum meeting, 16 July (1999)
OPEN

### WIP/9/1/13 Parliamentary debates - Crime (Sentences) 1996 Bill

Copy of, 'Parliamentary Debates: House of Commons Official Report: Standing Committee A: Crime(Sentences) Bill', 10 December (1996) **OPEN** 

### WIP/9/1/14 Resettlement Needs Survey

Paper titled, 'A Survey of Resettlement Needs for Women on Release from HMP/YOI Holloway 2001.', regarding analysis of the findings from a resettlement questionnaire carried out by prisoners at HMP/YOI Holloway, written by Emma Thexton (2001) **OPEN** 

### WIP/9/2 HMP Holloway - C1 Unit

1981-1995

2001

Papers relating to campaign work regarding the C1 Unit at Holloway Prison, including: campaign relating to C1 Unit Holloway, 1981-1986; campaign relating to C1 Unit Holloway, 1985-1991; correspondence about C1 Unit; reports on C1 Unit in Holloway; and articles and press cuttings (1981-1995) **SEE INDIVIDUAL FILES** 

### WIP/9/2/1 Campaign relating to C1 Unit Holloway

Papers relating to campaign work regarding the C1 Unit at Holloway Prison, 1981-1986. Includes:

Letter from E.P regarding experience from visiting C1 Unit (Restricted) (3 March 1985)
Letter from Mrs S regarding experience in C1 (Restricted) [1985]

- Journal, City Limits Magazine, No.182, featuring article, 'Holloway: Behind closed doors', by Melissa Benn (29 March - 4 April 1985)

- Correspondence from WIP to unknown individual regarding resuming C1 Campaign (n.d.)

- Transcript from, 'Thames Report - Holloway: The Inside Story' (1981)

- Circular from NCCL Legal Department regarding support for NCCL/MIND campaign to close C1 Unit (n.d.)

- Correspondence from NCCL and MIND to the Home Office regarding launch of campaign to implement change at C1 Unit (1 April 1985)

- Document outlining WIP's opposition to an 'occupation' of Holloway Prison (21 October 1983)

- Correspondence from WIP to The London Programme regarding information about the Holloway situation (4 June 1985)

- Correspondence from HM Prison Service to Ms P Stevenson regarding women in H wing (27 Janaury 1987)

- Bulletin, Women in Prison, No.2 (1985)

- H.M. Prison Holloway Annual Report of the Board of Visitors, January - December 1985 (20 March 1986)

- Press release by NACRO, 'Holloway Isn't Working' (2 April 1986)

Correspondence from WIP to Colin Allen regarding staffing at Holloway (5 August 1986)
Correspondence from NCCL Women's Rights Unit to WIP regarding C1 report (15 August 1986)

- Correspondence from WIP to Wendy Savage regarding support for call for an independent inquiry into the treatment of pregnant women in Holloway (17 October 1986)

- Correspondence from WIP to Dr at Holloway

Prison regarding clarifying events that led to a prisoner being placed in a padded cell (9 October 1986)

- Correspondence from WIP to St Bernard's Regional Secure Unit regarding meeting (25 November 1986)

- Correspondence from WIP to Bill Quirie regarding placement of male officer on C1 (28 November 1986)

- Correspondence from Holloway Prison to WIP thanking them for financial donation (11 December 1986)

- Correspondence from WIP to solicitors regarding the case of two 15 year olds in Holloway (17 December 1986)

- Correspondence from solicitors to WIP regarding Control Review Committee Report (17 December 1986)

- Correspondence from HM Prison Service to Ms Willoughby regarding the case of Miss Ward and H wing (2 December 1986)

- Correspondence from NCCL to WIP regarding visit to C1 Unit (4 March 1987)

- Letter on behalf of the women in Holloway Prison copied to the editors of The Times, Telegraph and Guardian regarding experiences of assaults and violations of human rights (n.d.)

- Photocopied extract, 'Holloway Suicide', from City Limits (3-9 January 1986)

Photocopied press cutting, 'Delay at Holloway', The Guardian (4 June 1986)
Photocopied press cutting, 'Prison changes delay after fire', The Journal (4 June 1986)
Photocopied press cutting, 'Holloway 'still not improved significantly", Evening Leader (4 June 1986)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Women's prison scandal claim', Coventry Evening Telegraph (4 Jun 1986)

Photocopied press cutting, 'Conditions at Holloway slammed by pressure group', Scarborough Evening News (4 June 1986)
Photocopied press cutting, 'Still locked in',

Yorkshire Evening Post (4 June 1986)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Jail accused of go-slow on changes', Yorkshire Post (4 June 1986)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Hard Labour in Holloway', Time Out (5 July 1986)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'More grim news.....', City Limits [July 1986] - Photocopied press cutting, 'Prison baby died of natural causes', Independent (9 October 1986) - Photocopied press cutting, 'A pregnant pause', Independent (14 October 1986) - Photocopied press cutting, 'Gaol infants' plight', Guardian (18 September 1986) - Photocopied press cutting, 'Call for change in jailing of mums', Shropshire Star (18 September 1986) - Photocopied press cutting, 'I don't want my baby in prison', Woman's Own (26 July 1986) - Photocopied press cutting, 'Keep babies out of jail - Howard League', Huddersfield Daily Examiner (18 September 1986) - Photocopied press cutting, 'Group in plea to end prison baby trauma', Greenock Telegraph (18 September 1986) - Photocopied press cutting, 'Inquest on death of baby in Holloway', Independent (14 October 1986) - Photocopied press cutting, 'Prison baby inquest rules natural causes', Guardian (16 October 1986) - Photocopied press cutting, 'Prisoner in labour, 'locked in cell'', Times (9 October 1986) - Photocopied press cutting, 'Suffer little children', Independent (14 October 1986) **APPLY TO ARCHIVIST** 

### WIP/9/2/2 Campaign relating to C1 Unit Holloway, 1985-1991 1985-1991

Papers relating to campaign work regarding the C1 Unit at Holloway Prison (1985-1991). Includes:

Paper titled, 'Crisis in Holloway Prison' (1985)
NACRO Briefing, 'A Summary of the Chief Inspector's Report on Holloway' (1985)
NACRO Briefing, 'Summary of the Report by HM Inspectors in the Education Department of HM Prison Holloway (Inspected between 26 and 30 March 1984) (March 1985)
Circular from WIP to all members of the special project review regarding making oral submissions as part of review (29 May 1985)
Handwritten correspondence from the Prisoners of Holloway Prison regarding complaints about conditions and abuse (16 June 1985)

- Correspondence between the Governor of Holloway and WIP regarding regarding meeting and learning more about WIP (26 June 1985)

- Correspondence from Holloway Prison to Care and Community Services regarding media criticism directed at staff (26 June 1985)

- NACRO News Digest, No.34 (June 1985)

- Submission from the National Association for the Care and Resettlement of Offenders, to the Special Project Committee on the future of Holloway Prison (July 1985)

- Correspondence between WIP and the Deputy Governor regarding arranging meeting and concerns about Holloway (November -December 1985)

- Press release from WIP regarding Governor of Holloway being moved to Brixton Prison [1985]

- Report, 'HMP Holloway: Feasibility Report on the Proposed Refurbishment of 'A' Block as a Medical Unit' (26 April 1990)

- Photocopied article, 'Holloway revisited', [BMJ], Vol.299 (29 July 1989)

- Press cutting, 'A new life within these walls', The Guardian (3 January 1990)

- News Release, 'Holloway Project Committee Report: Re-siting of Holloway's Psychiatric Wing and Improvements to Regime' (17 July 1985)

- Correspondence from WIP to Home Secretary regarding picketing the Home Office to bring attention to situation of C1 Psychiatric Wing (26 October 1984)

- Draft correspondence to the Home Office regarding debate in House of Lords raising issues and concerns about C1 Unit (n.d.)

- Minutes of a meeting of the Holloway Prison C1 Unit Working Group, 14 October (1985)

- Correspondence from NCCL and MIND to Lord Elton regarding arranging visit to

Holloway Prison (12 February 1985)

- Notice from WIP regarding picket outside Home Office (1984)

- H.M. Prison Holloway Annual Report of the Board of Visitors, January - December (1985) - Correspondence from Home Office to Chris Tchaikovsky regarding establishment of a project committee to steer Holloway onto a new course (27 December 1984) APPLY TO ARCHIVIST

### WIP/9/2/3 Correspondence about C1 Unit

1983-1989

Correspondence relating to the C1 Unit at Holloway Prison and general conditions of women in prisons (1983-1989). Includes:

- Circular instruction to ARDs (Female) and Governors of Female Establishments regarding pregnant women in custody (28 January 1988)

Correspondence from Clean Break to WIP regarding, 'Treatment Proposal for Development Grant' (4 January 1989)
 Edited extract of an unauthorised letter sent

to WIP by a woman in C1 Wing Holloway (October 1985)

- Correspondence from the Home Secretary to Robert Kilroy Silk MP regarding programme of detailed improvements to C1 Unit at Holloway Prison (14 February 1986)

- Correspondence between WIP and HM Prison Service regarding E1 Unit in Holloway (containing handwritten notes) (April 1988)

- Correspondence from WIP to Home Secretary regarding picketing Home Office to bring to attention the situation on C1 wing (26 October 1984)

- Chronological Resume of the C1 Campaign [1986]

- Notes regarding plans for campaign action by C1 Working Party/Monitoring Group (7 October 1985)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Jail wing for dangerous women to be investigated', The Daily Telegraph (1 March 2009)

- Notes regarding African Prisonsers' Scheme (8 April 1988)

- Correspondence from NCCL to WIP regarding plans for visit to C1 Unit Holloway (4 March 1987)

- Correspondence from WIP to Jo Richardson MP, requesting putting various questions to the Home Secretary as soon as possible (5 November 1985)

- [GLC draft report] regarding, 'C1 Wing

Holloway Prison', [featuring annotations by Chris T] (n.d.)

- Circular to voluntary organisations who support women in Holloway regarding the establishment of a forum to continue support (14 May 1987)

- Draft letter to the Home Office regarding debate in the House of Lords raising important issues relating to Holloway Prison's C1 Unit (n.d.)

- Correspondence from WIP to MIND regarding sending notes and debates taking place in the House of Lords (14 October 1985)

- Minutes of meeting of Holloway Prison - C1 Unit Working Group, held on 14 October (1985)

- Correspondence from MIND to WIP regarding organisations involved in Holloway Campaign meeting, and memorandum of ideas for future activity (30 August 1985)

- News Release from Home Office, 'Holloway Project Committee Report: Re-Siting of Holloway's Psychiatric Wing and

Improvements to Regime' (17 July 1985)

- Correspondence from WIP to NCCL regarding update on conditions in C1 and article for the Abolitionist (5 March 1985)

- Correspondence from Home Office to WIP regarding the establishment of a new project committee to steer Holloway prison onto a new course (27 December 1984)

- Correspondence between NCCL and Lord Elton regarding visit of NCCL and MIND to Holloway Prison, and what they experienced while there (12 February 1985)

- Correspondence from WIP to the Director General of The Home Office, regarding there being no padded cells in the new Holloway Prison (25 October 1983) **OPEN** 

# WIP/9/2/4 Reports on C1 Unit in Holloway

1984-1995

Reports, ephemera and related correspondence regarding C1 Unit at Holloway Prison (1984-1995). Includes:

- Draft letter to Lord Elton from MIND and NCCL regarding concern for the care, treatment and conditions of women in

Holloway Prison, in particular the C1 Unit (23 October 1984)

- Correspondence from MIND and NCCL to Lord Elton regarding decision to launch inquiry into C1 Unit (14 December 1984)

- Paper titled, 'MIND Action on Holloway Prison' and related correspondence (1985)

- Correspondence from NCCL and MIND to

Lord Elton regarding report on visit to Holloway Prison (12 February 1985)

- Report by, 'Women In Secure Environments' (W.I.S.E.) (1995)

- Leaflet and programme for conference, 'Women and Crime: Differential Treatment and Social Control', organised by The Institute for the Study and Treatment of Delinquency, 7 February (1995)

- Report from visit to C1 Unit in Holloway Prison (1987)

- Paper titled, 'C1 Psychiatric Unit Holloway Prison Chronology of the Campaign,

September 1984-June 1987', by Chris Tchaikovsky (24 June 1987)

- Various copies of, 'Chronological Resume C1 Unit Holloway Prison [1986]

- Report on C1 Unit at Holloway Prison (n.d.)

- Copies of an edited extract from an

unauthorised letter sent to WIP by a woman in C1 Wing Holloway (1985)

- Report, 'Crisis in Holloway Prison' (1985)

- Rights for Women Unit Newsletter, Vol.1,

No.2, featuring report, 'Women in Holloway: The Double Punishment' (March 1985)

- Report titled, 'Disturbed Women in Holloway: A description of a unit for the highly disturbed' (June 1984)

- Correspondence from WIP to the Governor at Holloway regarding complaints of hunger from female prisoners (11 September 1984)

- Correspondence from WIP to the letters editor at the Observer regarding article about Holloway not going far enough (20 September 1984)

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### WIP/9/2/5 Articles and press cuttings

Press cuttings and articles relating to the conditions of C1 Unit and Holloway Prison in general (1984-1997). Includes:

- The Abolitionist: The Magazine of Radical Alternatives to Prison, No.22, featuring WIP, 'Prison Section News' (p.17) (1986) - Booklet featuring various press cuttings, titled, 'C1 For Sorrow', [1986] - Article, 'Welcome to the Muppet House' unknown publication (March 1986) - Photocopied press cutting, 'Inquiry at prison as chief goes', Guardian (13 December 1984) - Photocopied press cutting, 'Lay off!', Guardian (19 February 1985) - Photocopied press cutting, 'Cuckoo's nest at Holloway', The Observer (21 July 1985) - Photocopied press cutting, 'Closure call over women's jail wing', Sunday Times (28 July 1985) - Photocopied press cutting, 'Advice on mentally ill in Holloway 'ignored", Guardian (11 November 1985) - Photocopied press cutting, 'Jail suicide highlights stark regime', unknown publication (2 December 1985) - Photocopied press cutting, 'Teacher guits to fight gaol regime', The Guardian (22 May 1985) - Photocopied press cutting, 'Caught in the quagmire', Guardian (20 December 1995) - Photocopied press cutting, 'Holloway: the inside story', Guardian (20 December 1995) - Photocopied press cutting, 'Imprisoned by dogma', The Guardian (20 December 1995) - Photocopied press cutting, 'Sickening sight of rat-infested jail', Independent (20 December 1995) - Photocopied press cutting, "Inspector 'Rambo', a man for radical solutions', Independent (20 December 1995) - Photocopied press cutting, 'Inmate tells of 'rat-infested tomb", Times (20 December 1995) - Press cutting, 'Jail bird', Times (20 December 1995) - Press cutting, "Riot brewing' at tense Holloway prison', Sunday Telegraph (24

December 1995)

	<ul> <li>Press cutting, 'Ministers knew of Holloway squalor', Times (20 December 1995)</li> <li>Press cutting, 'Holloway jail boss loses job', The Mail on Sunday (24 December 1995)</li> <li>Press cutting, 'Breeding ground for tension', The Guardian (20 December 1995)</li> <li>Photocopied article, 'Where's the justice?, Sainsbury's Magazine (February 1997)</li> <li>OPEN</li> </ul>	
WIP/10	Durham H Wing Campaigns Work	1985-1989
	Papers relating to Durham H Wing Campaigns Work, including; WIP report on Durham H Wing; workers report on H wing; petition for closure of Prison Medical Services; correspondence about Durham H Wing; individual cases; Durham H Wing Campaign work, 1985-1988; Durham H Wing Campaign work, 1987-1988; Durham H Wing Campaign work, 1988-1989; and Women in Durham Prison Support Group (1985-1989) <b>SEE INDIVIDUAL FILES</b>	
WIP/10/1	WIP Report on Durham H Wing	1987
WIP/10/1	WIP Report on Durham H Wing Report, produced by WIP, regarding Durham H Wing, and the continuing campaign for it's closure (1987) OPEN	1987
WIP/10/1 WIP/10/2	Report, produced by WIP, regarding Durham H Wing, and the continuing campaign for it's closure (1987)	1987 1988
	Report, produced by WIP, regarding Durham H Wing, and the continuing campaign for it's closure (1987) <b>OPEN</b>	
	Report, produced by WIP, regarding Durham H Wing, and the continuing campaign for it's closure (1987) OPEN Workers Report on H Wing Workers Report, by Prue Stevenson, regarding H Wing Durham (October 1988)	

### WIP/10/4 Correspondence about Durham H Wing

1988

Correspondence and related papers relating to Durham H Wing campaign work (1988). Includes:

Correspondence between Prue Stevenson and HM Prison Service regarding the circumstances of various cases and potential transfers out of Durham prison (1988)
Correspondence from Prue Stevenson to The Rt Hon. Douglas Hurd regarding the experiences of one prisoner who was told she would be transferred out of Durham and then being told she wouldn't (16 June 1988)
Correspondence from the Home Office to Kevin McNamara MP regarding the conditions of H Wing as reported by a prisoner experiencing it (19 April 1988)

- Correspondence between Prue Stevenson to Mr Gander (P4 Division) regarding the allocation policy of women prisoners (28 July 1988)

- Correspondence between Prue Stevenson to the Director of Prison Medical Services regarding concerns surrounding the use of H Wing (February - March 1988)

- Correspondence from the Governor of Durham Prison to Prue Stevenson regarding concerns raised about H Wing (24 February 1988)

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### WIP/10/5 Cases: E.O & M.A

1986-1989

Press releases, correspondence and related papers regarding the cases of two individual prisoners, who were moved from Brixton to Durham prison, particularly in relation to strip searching (1986-1989). Includes:

- Press release from Irish Prisoners Appeal regarding the cases if M.A and E.O (1 August 1986)

- Correspondence from E.O to Southwark Trades Council regarding the issue of Strip Searching (8 October 1986)

- Updates from E.O regarding the experiences of herself and M.A in prison (1986)

- Notes relating to amount of strip searches

carried out on M.A and E.O while at both Brixton and Durham Prisons (1986) - Correspondence from the Home Office to Miss Joan Maynard MP regarding treatment of M.A and E.O in prison (24 October 1986) - Circular from Irish Prisoners Appeal regarding the cases of E.O and M.A and the work of WIP relating to the conditions of Durham Prison (20 March 1989) - Letter for publication from the Irish Prisoners Appeal regarding E.O and M'A's treatment in Durham Prison (21 March 1989)

- Handwritten letter from The Prison Reform Trust to Prue regarding receiving letter from E.O (23 March 1989)

- Correspondence from WIP to Anthony, regarding prisoner health and conditions on H Wing (21 March 1989) **APPLY TO ARCHIVIST** 

### WIP/10/6 Durham H Wing Campaign Work, 1985-1988 1985-1988

Correspondence, press cuttings, reports and related papers regarding Durham 'H' Wing Campaign work on the conditions and treatment of women inmates (1985-1988). Includes:

- Correspondence from WIP to Harriet Harmen regarding concern with the amount of women suffering from amehorrea on Durham H Wing (16 September 1986)

- Correspondence from WIP to D. Hurd MP regarding concern over the lack of outdoor exercise time (10 February 1987)

- Correspondence to WIP from HM Prison regarding education for inmates (12 March 1987)

- Photocopied article, 'DurHam', unknown publication (n.d.)

Photocopied press cutting, "Horrific' Durham', An Phoblacht/Republican News (30 April 1987)
Hand written report and petition form written by J. Ward regarding conditions and procedures in Durham (1986)

- Correspondence from WIP to J Richardson MP regarding asking a question in the House relating to Durham H Wing (11 November 1987)

- 'Prison...News Section', by WIP, Abolitionist

No.22 (1986)

Correspondence from WIP to a Dr at the Bethlam Royal Hospital regarding visiting 'H' Wing at Durham (1 September 1988)
Correspondence from WIP to Emma Nicholson MP and other individual regarding visit to 'H' Wing HMP Durham [1988]
Handwritten chapter and related note, sent to Chris Tchaikovsky, for unknown publication (1985)

Correspondence from WIP to individual from Department of Psychological Medicine regarding visit to 'H' Wing (1 September 1988)
Correspondence from WIP to a Dr from the Institute of Psychiatry regarding visiting 'H' Wing (14 October 1988)

- Correspondence from Prison Reform Trust to the Governor of HMP Durham regarding confirmation of visits by various individuals (26 October 1988)

Photocopied press cutting, 'Move IRA's bus bomber', Durham Advertiser (25 April 1985)
Correspondence from WIP to D.J. regarding information on 'H' Wing, and details of developments in campaign to close unit (30 May 1985)

- Correspondence from Prison Reform Trust to Director General of Prison Service HQ regarding independent assessment of 'H' Wing (1 June 1988)

 Submission to the Special Project Committee on the Future of Holloway Prison, by the National Association for the Care and Resettlement of Offenders (Durham H Wing mentioned as part of Submission) (July 1985)
 Information for WIP regarding, 'Male LTI Ttreatment in Dispersal Prisons', compiled from NACRO Reports and Chief Inspectors Reports 1980-1985 [1986]
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#### WIP/10/7 Durham H Wing Campaign Work, 1987-1988 1987-1988

Correspondence, reports, press cuttings and related papers regarding Durham H Wing Campaign work about health issues, sanitation and general conditions experienced by female inmates on H Wing (1987-1988). Includes:

- Correspondence between WIP and various

individuals regarding visiting H Wing in Durham Prison (1988)

- Correspondence between WIP and P4 Division regarding the case of a prisoner and changes to plans for her transfer (10 May 1988)

- Opinion paper, 'In the Matter of: Durham Prison H Wing and the Sex Discrimination Act 1975', by NCCL (8 June 1988)

- Handwritten correspondence from WIP to Mr Papps regarding reports of women experiencing cuts in study time (5 January 1987)

Handwritten correspondence from WIP to Harriet Harmen regarding asking question in the House relating to education and outside exercise at HMP Durham (5 January 1987)
Correspondence from WIP regarding proposed braille unit in Durham H Wing (26)

January 1987)

- Correspondence from WIP to D.Hurd MP regarding concern with reduction in exercise time for women at HMP Durham (10 February 1987)

- Correspondence from WIP to HM Prison Service regarding inability for women to have access to full time education in H Wing (18 February 1987)

- Press release, 'International Women's Day Vigil at Durham Prison for Martina Nic Andreasa and Ella Ni Dhuibhir, March 7 & March 8' (1987)

Handwritten correspondence from WIP to Gareth regarding lack of acknowledgement for concerns raised regarding the conditions of 40 women imprisoned in H Wing (31 May 1987)
Correspondence from WIP to Jo Richardson regarding meeting and the case of a young woman on H Wing (28 April 1987)

- Handwritten correspondence from WIP to Women in Medicine regarding health issues in H Wing (1 June 1987)

- Handwritten correspondence between Pru and an individual regarding attendance at H Wong meetings (1987)

- Correspondence from St Bartholomews's Hospital Medical College and WIP regarding organising a visit (1987)

- Correspondence between WIP and the Governor of H Wing HMP Durham regarding

concern about an individual inmate, concern regarding inability for women to have full-time education, and the proposed Braille Unit (November - December 1987)

- Correspondence from NCCL to WIP regarding agreeing to join together to support an independent report into the conditions on H Wing (14 December 1987)

- Correspondence between WIP, the Director of Prison Medical Services and the Governor of HMP Durham regarding concern about sanitation, medical procedures and choice of work and education for women on H Wing (February-March 1988)

- Correspondence from WIP to Environmental Health Officer regarding reports of sewage leaks on concerns regarding sanitation on H Wing (18 March 1988)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'A blot on Britain's penal system', Independent (21 November 1988)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Women prisoners treated worse than men', Independent (21 November 1988)

Report, 'Information Regarding H Wing Durham (and Male LTI's): Compiled from Chief Inspector and NACRO Reports 1979-1987 in the Matter of the Home Office and Durham Prison 1988', by HM Chief Inspector of Prisons on HM Prison Albany [1988]
Photocopied press cutting, 'The Forgotten case of Judith Ward', The Irish Press (4 February 1987)
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#### WIP/10/8 Durham H Wing Campaign Work, 1988-1989 1988-1989

Correspondence, press cuttings, reports and related papers regarding Durham H Wing Campaign work about health issues, sanitation and general conditions experienced by female inmates on H Wing (1988-1989). Includes:

- Photocopied article, 'Living in Toilets', Troops Out (March 1989)

Two copies of report, 'Women in Prison: 'H' Wing, HM Prison Durham', by Anthony Lester QC and Pamela J Taylor (May 1989)
Photocopied press cutting, 'Investigator in praise of She-Wing', unknown publication [1989]

- Handwritten correspondence from WIP to Anthony and Pamela regarding report on H Wing (17 May 1989)

- Press Release, 'Damning Report on Controversial Women's Prison', WIP, 29 May (1989)

- Correspondence between Clean Break Theatre Company and HM Prison Service Headquarters regarding the case of an individual prisoner (21 April 1989)

- Correspondence from WIP to P4 Division regarding installation of integral sanitation on H Wing [1988/1989]

- Photocopied press cutting, "Prison cells are like toilets", London Irish News (31 March 1989)

Photocopied press cutting, 'Women's Day Protest at Durham 'Hell-Hole'', An Phoblacht/Republican News (16 March 1989)
Correspondence between WIP and Liberty NCCL regarding case of an individual prisoner at HMP Durham (19 July 1989)
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#### WIP/10/9 Women in Durham Prison Support Group 1987-1989

Minutes from meetings of Women in Durham Prison Support Group and related correspondence (1986-1987). Includes:

Minutes from meeting of Women in Durham Prison Support Group, 15 January (1986)
Minutes from Durham H Wing Meeting (October 1986)
Minutes from meeting of Women in Durham Prison Support Group, 12 November (1986)
Minutes from Durham Meeting, 24 November

- Minutes from Durham Meeting, 24 November (1986)

Minutes from meeting of Women in Durham
Prison Support Group, 8 December (1986)
Minutes from Durham H Wing Meeting, 9
February (1987)

- Minutes from meeting of Women in Durham Prison Support Group, 23 March (1987)

- Minutes from Durham H Wing Meeting 2 April (1987)

- Minutes from meeting of Women in Durham Prison Support Group, 27 April (1987)

- Minutes from Women & Prison - Durham

Meeting, 3 June (1987) - Minutes from meeting of Women in Durham Prison Support Group, 13 July (1987) - Minutes from Durham H Wing Meeting, 19 August (1987) - Minuted from H Wing Meeting, 6 October (1987)- Minutes from meeting of Women in Durham Prison Support Group, 19 October (1987) CLOSED **WIP/11 Death in Custody** [1981]-2005 Papers relating to death in custody and campaigns relating to preventing it, including: papers regarding various individual cases; INQUEST Reports; internal notes on INQUEST work; death in custody campaign work; death in custody; and media and the press ([1981]-2005) **SEE INDIVIDUAL FILES** WIP/11/1 Case: G.M. 1991 Correspondence relating to the case of G.M. in New Hall Prison (1991) **CLOSED** WIP/11/2 Case: J.P. [1981-1983] Report and related correspondence regarding the case of J.P., who died after an incident at Holloway [1981-1983] **CLOSED** WIP/11/3 Case: W.L. 1984 Articles and report relating to the case of W.L. who died shortly after transfer to Holloway (1984)**CLOSED** WIP/11/4 Case: A.B. 1986-1987 Press cuttings, correspondence, and notes from meetings relating to the case of A.B., who was found dead in her cell at Risley Remand Centre (1986-1987) CLOSED

WIP/11/5	Case: S.A.	1987
	Correspondence, reports and transcript of inquest regarding the case of S.A., who died in Holloway Prison (1987) CLOSED	
WIP/11/6	Case: R.D.	1985-1986
	Reports, notes and correspondence relating to the case of, R.D., who died after being rushed to the prison hospital at Risley Remand Centre (1985-1986) <b>CLOSED</b>	
WIP/11/7	Case: C.S.	1982-1985
	Press cuttings, correspondence and handwritten notes relating to the case of C.S., who was found unconscious in her cell a at Holloway, and died shortly after (1982-1985) <b>CLOSED</b>	
WIP/11/8	Case: S.H.	1985
	Correspondence, press cuttings, handwritten notes, reports and related papers regarding the case of S.H., who died alone in her cell at Pucklechurch Remand Centre (1985) <b>CLOSED</b>	
WIP/11/9	Case: S.C., A.M., D.H.	1987-2005
	Press release, report and correspondence relating to the cases of S.C., A.M. and D.H., who received poor care and in two of the cases, died in prison as a result (1987-2005) <b>CLOSED</b>	
WIP/11/10	Inquest Reports	1984-2019
	Reports, administrative papers and correspondence relating to the work of INQUEST, a charity providing support and expertise on state related deaths (1984-2019). Includes:	
	<ul> <li>Inquest report regarding the case of W.L.</li> <li>(1984)</li> <li>Report and submissions for emergency</li> </ul>	

meeting of the INQUEST Executive Committee, 13 December, regarding the case of B.C. (1986) - Agenda and minutes of INQUEST Executive Committee Meeting, 5 April (1986) - Minutes of INQUEST Executive Committee Meeting, 7 June (1986) - Minutes of INQUEST Executive Committee Meeting, 5 July (1986) - Agenda and minutes of INQUEST Executive Committee Meeting, 6 September (1986) - Agenda and minutes of INQUEST Executive Committee Meeting, 4 October (1986) - Agenda for INQUEST Executive Committee Meeting, 1 November (1986) - List of Inquest Executive Committee Members [1986] - Agenda for INQUEST Executive Committee Meeting, 10 January (1987) - Minutes of INQUEST Executive Committee Meeting, 7 March (1987) - Agenda and minutes of INQUEST Executive Committee Meeting, 4 July (1987) - INQUEST Workers Report (March 1987) - Minutes of INQUEST Executive Committee Meeting, 5 December (1987) - Minutes of INQUEST Executive Committee Meeting, 4 May (1988) - Minutes of INQUEST Executive Committee Meeting, 8 May [1988] - Agenda for INQUEST Executive Committee Meeting, 4 June (1988) - Minutes of INQUEST Executive Committee Meeting, 5 April (1989) - Minutes of INQUEST Executive Committee Meeting, 30 August (1989) - Agenda for INQUEST Executive Committee Meeting, 30 September (1989) - Minutes of INQUEST Executive Committee Meeting, 10 January (1990) - Agenda and minutes of INQUEST Executive Committee Meeting, 3 February (1990) - Agenda for INQUEST Executive Committee Meeting, 7 March (1990) - Minutes of INQUEST Executive Committee Meeting, 21 September (1990) - Agenda for INQUEST Executive Committee Meeting, 6 October (1990)

- List of INQUEST Committee Members 1990-1991 (1990) - Minutes of INQUEST Executive Committee Meeting, 7 November (1990) - Agenda for INQUEST Executive Committee Meeting, 1 December (1990) - Minutes of INQUEST Executive Committee Meeting, 6 March (1991) - Agenda for INQUEST Executive Committee Meeting, 4 May (1991) - INQUEST Annual Report, 1991-1992 (1992) - INQUEST Annual Report, 1992-1993 (1993) - A Short Guide to Inquests (n.d.) - Article, 'INQUEST's Fight For Life', by Deborah Coles (n.d.) - Update from INQUEST, 'Still Dying on the Inside: Examining deaths in women's prisoners', (June 2019) **CLOSED** 

## WIP/11/11 Internal notes on INQUEST work 1987

Handwritten notes relating to various INQUEST cases (1987) CLOSED

#### WIP/11/12 Death in Custody Campaign Work [1974-1989]

Correspondence, press cuttings, WIP demands, and notes regarding campaign work, carried out by WIP, relating to cases of death in custody [1974-1989] CLOSED

## WIP/11/13 Death in Custody Report [1987]

Report titled, 'Deaths in Custody', [produced by WIP] [1987] **CLOSED** 

#### WIP/11/14 Media and press

[1983-2007]

Articles, press cuttings and related papers regarding death in custody and related reform campaigns [1983-2007]. Includes:

Photocopied article, 'Deaths in prison', British medical Journal, Vol.288 (21 January 1984)
Photocopied article, 'Women behind bars', unknown publication (n.d.)
Photocopied article, 'Cells prove fatal refuge for drunks', Scotland on Sunday (24 July 1994)

Photocopied article, 'Death Traps', Blitz (n.d.)
Photocopied press cutting, 'On pain of death and coroners' courts', The Guardian (2 October 1991)

Photocopied press cutting, 'Inequality of inquests', The Independent (29 October 1993)
Photocopied article from New Statesman (9 December 1983)

Press Release by Prison Watch regarding prison deaths (28 December 1995)
Photocopied press cutting, 'Another worry for the bereaved', Independent [1992]
Press cutting, 'When prison is a death sentence', unknown publication (6 July 1994)
Letter to The Guardian, 'Crisis in women's prisons', Guardian.co.uk (15 October 2004)
Online article, 'Inquest jury criticises Styal prison', Guardian.co.uk (18 November 2004)
Letter to the editor of the Observer, regarding intermittent custody, from Cathy Stancer WIP (August 2004)

Online article, 'Suicides rise as 'weekend jail' fails women', The Observer (1 August 2004)
Online article, 'Prison reformers urge action on suicide', Morning Star (20 June 2006)
Online article, 'Women prisons 'Fail new inmates'', bbc.co.uk (19 June 2006)
Collection of photocopied press cuttings relating to the care of women in prisons, attached to ephemera promoting book titled, 'Death At The Hands of the State', by Professor David Wilson (2006)

- Press cutting, 'Sick, suicidal - and locked up in jail', The Observer (4 March 2007)

- Newspaper, Inside Time, No.82, featuring front page article, 'Women on the edge' (April 2006)

- Press cutting, 'Criminal neglect', The Guardian (20 July 2005)

- Press cutting, 'How detox and self-help brought suicide jail back from the brink', The Observer (25 April 2004)

- Press cutting, "I promised her a visit...The next time I saw her was in the morgue", The Independent (24 April 2004)

- Press cutting, "Some try to kill themselves 10 times a day', The Guardian (2 December 2004) **OPEN** 

#### WIP/11/15 Dissertation

Dissertation titled, 'Inside women's prisons: A critical examination of female prison experiences with particular focus on suicide and self-harm', by Laura Dollin (n.d.) **OPEN** 

#### WIP/12 Campaign work, 1980's & 1990's

Papers relating to various campaigns that WIP were involved in throughout the 1980's and 1990's, including: Crown Immunity and Fire Safety; Drug testing campaign; campaign for more air time in H Wing Durham; strip searching campaign; HIV campaign; campaign to have NHS services in prison; campaign against TV license imprisonment; WIP and NACRO crime and social policy minuted and projects; and first campaign documents ([1983]-1997) **SEE INDIVIDUAL FILES** 

#### WIP/12/1 Crown Immunity and Fire Safey

1986-1989

Correspondence, briefings, reports, press cuttings and related papers regarding campaign to lift Crown Immunity for prisons, particularly in regards to health and safety, e.g. fire safety (1986-1989). Includes:

- NACRO Briefing, 'Crown Immunity and the Prison System' (August 1989) - Correspondence from WIP to Baroness Seear regarding possibility of initiating Bill calling for lifting of Crown Immunity (28 January 1988) - Photocopied press cutting, 'Immunity In The Kitchens', The Times (23 January 1986) - Extract from unknown paper regarding recommended legislation to phase out Crown immunity for prisons (July 1987) - Photocopied press cutting, 'Attack on Crown immunity for gaols', Guardian (30 March 1987) - Correspondence from the Prison Reform Trust to WIP regarding their policy on Crown Immunity and prisons (26 October 1987) - Photocopied press cutting, 'MPs press for end to hospitals' Crown immunity', Times (22

n.d.

[1983]-1997

January 1986)

- Correspondence from WIP to Baroness Ewart-Biggs regarding initiating Private Members Bill in House of Lords regarding lifting Crown Immunity from prisons (14 June 1988)

- Report, 'The Case Against Crown Immunity In Penal Establishments', presented to the Home Secretary by the Prison Officers' Association (n.d.)

Minutes of a meeting to discuss the Crown Immunity of Prisons, 3 December [1988]
Briefing paper relating to, 'A new clause to remove Crown Immunity from penal establishments' [1988]

Paper by WIP and NAPO containing extracts on various reports regarding fire safety [1989]
Correspondence from HM Prison Service to WIP regarding Fisherman's Lights (4 April 1989)

- Correspondence from J.C. Lighter Repairs to WIP regarding purchase of four Fishermans Flameless Lighters (5 July 1989)

- Correspondence from WIP to Harrods regarding purchase of Fishermans Lights (29 June 1989)

- Correspondence between Robert Maclennan M.P. and Douglas Hogg M.P. regarding removal of Crown Immunity from prisons in the areas of health, safety, fire and food regulations (21 June 1989)

- Correspondence from WIP to Fire Service Inspectorate regarding Fisherman's Lights (6 February 1989)

- Report by Women's Committee of Islington Council regarding Holloway Prison, and the current Council service provision yo Holloway Prison and recommendations for development of these (22 September 1986)

- Extract from evidence given to Social Services Inquiry on Prison Medical Service (19 February 1986)

- Extract regarding hygiene conditions on prison from, Public Money, (June 1987) **OPEN** 

Press cuttings, reports, correspondence and related papers regarding campaign against mandatory drug testing in prisons (1986-1997). Includes:

- Circular instruction to all prison services regarding, 'The Misuse of Drugs in Establishments' (1987)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Prison drugs dealing out of control, says warders', Daily Post (21 July 1986)

Photocopied press cutting, '20,000 in jails 'use drugs", The Irish Times (21 July 1986)
Photocopied press cutting, 'Gaol pushers shock', Western Mail (21 July 1986)
Photocopied press cutting, 'Half prison inmates 'involved in drugs", Guardian (21 May 1987)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Drug abuse 'growing among prisoners", Independent (21 May 1987)

Photocopied press cutting, 'Jailers Warn of Growing Drug Peril', unknown publication (n.d.)
Photocopied press cutting, 'Prison officers warn of a drugs crisis ', Times (21 May 1987)
Paper, 'Drugs in Prison - Is The Home Office Resorting To A Quick Fix?', by Deputy Director of the Prison Reform Trust (featuring handwritten notes on the back) [1994]
Paper, 'Mandatory Drug Testing for Prisoners Initial Phase of Implementation' (November 1994)

- First and final draft of, 'Drugs on the Inside: Draft Report for the Penal Affairs Consortium', [1996]

- Photocopied article, 'No big deal: Courtordered treatment in practice', Institute for the Study of Drug Dependence (January/February 1995)

- Photocopied article, 'Drug tests for women prisoners causes outrage', unknown publication (n.d.)

- Photocopied leaflet, 'crack freebase cocaine', by Release, the national drugs and legal helpline (1989)

- List of questions [for the Governor of Holloway], titled, 'Janet King Governor Holloway 24 March 1995' (1995) Press release by WIP, 'Mandatory Drug Testing Questions for Home Secretary' (n.d.)
Extract of a letter from a prisoner, sent to WIP, regarding their experience of drug testing (n.d.)

- Correspondence from WIP to Director General regarding mandatory drug testing for prisoners (22 January 1995)

- Correspondence from WIP to Prison Officers' Association regarding expressing feelings about mandatory drug testing (25 January 1995)

- Correspondence from HM Prison Service to WIP regarding mandatory drug testing for prisoners (10 February 1995)

- Handwritten correspondence from prisoner to WIP (n.d.)

- Press release from Prison Watch, No.114 (22 March 1995)

- BBC Radio Visitors Pass (3 February 1995)

- Handwritten paper, 'Mandatory Drug Testing', unknown author (n.d.)

- Three miscellaneous photographs [1985]

- Home Office Research and Statistics

Directorate, Research Findings No.75,

'Mandatory Drug Testing in Prisons - An Evaluation', by Kimmett Edgar and Ian O'Donnell (1998)

- Photocopied article, 'Reduce The Problem, Reduce The Crime', Manchester Justice (Spring/Summer 1998)

- Press cutting featuring, 'Mailbag' section, including 'Instruction to Governors', unknown publication (Autumn 1997)

Journal, DRUGSedition: Raising the Debate on Drugs Policy, Prison Special, No.4 (1995)
Photocopied article, 'Why Drug Testing Won't Work', by Chris Tchaikovsky, DRUGSedition: Raising the Debate on Drugs Policy, No.4 (1995)

- Correspondence from a prisoner to Chris Tchaikovsky regarding refusing drug tests and account of a fellow prisoner who had been drug tested (March 1996)

- NAPO Report, 'Women and Crime', by Harry Fletcher (July 1997)

- NAPO press release, 'New Report Dismisses Claims of Increased Female Criminality (27 June 1997) - Report by NACRO, 'Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974' (June 1996) APPLY TO ARCHIVIST

## WIP/12/3 Campaign for more air time in H Wing 1987 Durham

Press release by WIP regarding concern over the reduction of time outside for the women in H Wing, Durham (12 February 1987) **OPEN** 

1986-1994

#### WIP/12/4 Strip searching campaign

Parliamentary questions, press cuttings, correspondence, reports and related papers regarding the controversial topic of Strip Searching in prisons, and campaigns to make the process less degrading or ban the practice all together (1986-1994). Includes:

- Question from Harriet Harman to the Secretary of State regarding how many women have been detained in Durham H Wing (30 October 1986)

- Question from Harriet Harman to Secretary of State regarding on what grounds exercise had been reduced for women in H Wing (16 December 1986)

Questions from Jo Richardson to the Secretary of State amount of women who have been strip searched and body searched, and on what grounds (5 December 1986)
Invitation to a meeting relating to, 'Strip Searching by Customs, Immigrations Officers, in Police Stations, as well as in Prison' (1987)
Notes from meeting regarding, 'Strip Searching: Is It An Issue of Security?', 3 July (1987)

- Correspondence from London Armagh Women's Group to Spare Rib regarding arguments against strip searching (28 July 1987)

- Photocopied article, 'Searching Questions', Time Out (25 May-1 June 1988)

Paper relating to strip searching and three principles to reduce degradation (n.d.)
Publication, 'An Enquiry into the

Psychological Effects of Strip Searching', published by The United Campaign Against

Strip Searching (1989)

Report, 'Strip Searching, 'H' Wing, Durham, and the Degradation of Women', written by Leader of Southwark Council, Anne Matthews, after a visit to Durham Prison (13 April 1987)
Draft policy, 'Strip Searching: A Matter of Principle', by WIP (September 1986)
Article, 'Strip Searching - A Controversial Issue', by Chris Tchaikovsky of WIP, unknown publication (n.d.)
Photocopied press cutting, 'Humanity in a brutal system', 7 Days (18 April 1987)
Press cutting, 'Strip fury', The Voice (1 May 1988)

Press cutting, 'Male staff 'at jail strip searches' [The Independent] [1988]
Correspondence from WIP to the Home Secretary regarding integrated staffing (24 May 1988)
Photocopied press cutting, 'Prisoners Challenge Strip-Searching', An Phoblacht/Republican News (2 March 1989)
Journal, Spare Rib, No 180, featuring article, 'Strip Searching - The Controversy Continues', by Chris Tchaikovsky, pp.8-9 (photocopied copies of article also available (July 1987)
Extract of strip searching procedure/policy for both male and female prisoners, unknown source (August 1994)

#### OPEN

#### WIP/12/5 HIV Campaign

Correspondence, notes, papers and articles related to the detection and treatment of HI in prisons (1989-1990). Includes:

- Correspondence from London Lighthouse to WIP regarding the development of services to meet the needs of women with HIV, ARC and AIDS, and related attachments (6 February 1989)

Chairman's notes from the National AIDS and Prisons Forum (4 April 1990)
Paper, 'Imprisonment - A Civil Liberty View',

Chris Maynard (n.d.) - Paper, 'The Disposition of the Prison

Population', Mick Ryan (n.d.)

- Draft of proposed revisions to, 'A Safer Britain', regarding Sentencing Reform , by

#### 1989-1990

David Downes (n.d.) - Photocopy of report, 'HIV and Prison Populations', published by the Department of Community Medicine (May 1989) - House of Commons Official Report. Parliamentary Debates (Hansard), featuring debate on AIDS (13 January 1989) - Article, 'HIV:high risk behind bars', New Scientist (20 February 1993) **OPEN** 

## WIP/12/6 Campaign To Have NHS Services in Prison 1996

Signed petition forms supporting the abolition of the Prison Medical Service it's replacement with regular NHS services, and a Prison Service College programme (1996) CLOSED

## WIP/12/7 Campaign Against TV License 1995 Imprisonment

Press releases, publication extracts and press cutting relating to the campaign to stop imprisonment for failure to pay for a TV license (1995). Includes:

Press release by WIP,'Poverty Is Not A Crime' (25 July 1995)
Press release by WIP 'Highest Number of Women Imprisoned For Fifteen Year' (21 August 1995)
Extracts from unknown publication regarding licencing and the law surrounding not having a TV license (1995)
Press cutting, 'No more jail terms for TV license dodgers' The Daily Telegraph (n.d.) (1995)
OPEN

# WIP/12/8 WIP and NACRO crime and social policy 1989-1992 minutes and projects

Agendas, minutes, correspondence and papers regarding the work of the NACRO Crime and Social Policy Committee, which WIP were members of (1992). Includes:

- Correspondence from NACRO to WIP regarding interest in becoming a member of

the Crime and Social Policy Committee (24 March 1992)

Circular from NACRO to members of the Crime and Social Policy Committee regarding minutes of meeting (25 August 1992)
Agenda and minutes from meeting of the Crime and Social Policy Committee, 19 June (1992)

Correspondence from E.C. to The Crime and Social Policy Committee regarding feedback on work of the group (28 May 1992)
Minutes of meeting of The Crime and Social Policy Committee, 14 October (1992)

- Paper titled, 'Crime and Social Policy Project

- The Next Stages' (18 December 1992)

- Paper titled, 'Crime and Social Policy: A Series of Exploratory Seminars' (n.d.)

- Paper titled, 'Housing and Crime' (n.d.)

#### OPEN

#### WIP/12/9 First campaign documents

[1983-1988]

Articles, membership forms and information documents relating to the early work and campaigns that WIP were involved in [1983-1988]. Includes:

- Blank membership form (n.d.)

List of articles and books relating to Women in Prison titled, 'Breaking the Silence' [1988]
Photocopied flyer, 'All Prisoners and Ex-Prisoners an opportunity to help others till inside', by WIP (n.d.)

- WIP, 'Reports From the Prisons' article (Nov 1983)

- Booklet featuring information about various campaigns WIP are involved with including, death in custody, Durham H Wing and mothers in prison (n.d.)

Map of women's prisons in the UK (n.d.)
Paper titled, 'Women and Prisons', featuring annotations [1987]

- Paper titled, 'Taking Liberty - The Case Against Imprisonment' (n.d.)

- Paper titled, 'Discrimination on the Grounds of Criminalisation' (n.d.)

- Photocopied article, 'Women behind bars',

New Statesman (9 December 1983)

- Photocopied article, 'Teacher quits to fight gaol regime', Guardian (22 May 1985)

- Article for New Socialist by Melissa Benn (n.d.) **OPEN** 

#### WIP/13 Other Work

1984-2001

Papers relating to other work that WIP were involved in alongside campaign work, including: television; WIP Networking Conference; correspondence to women in custody; miscellaneous correspondence; 'Bad Girls'; further reading; Women's City Limited at The Bell; Alternatives to Violence Project certificate; and London Borough of Islington Women's Committee (1984-2001) **SEE INDIVIDUAL FILES** 

#### WIP/13/1 Television

1990-2000

Pamphlet, correspondence and related papers regarding various television projects that WIP and particularly Chris Tchaikovsky were involved in (1990-2000). Includes:

- Pamphlet, 'Women and Prison: Cutting Edge', by Channel 4 Television regarding two documentaries made by the channel, and including an introduction written by Chris Tchaikovsky (1990)

Correspondence from the BBC to Chris Tchaikovsky regarding script of studio discussion for documentary, and asking for Chris' help with tracing individuals (1998)
Proposal for production funding for a programme titled, 'Picking Oakum' for Channel Four [1990's]

- Correspondence from Tiger Aspect Productions to WIP regarding documentary following the release of a prisoner (February 1996)

- Correspondence from Prison and Court Services Limited and Chris Tchaikovsky regarding visiting Wolds Prison (18 February 2000)

OPEN

#### WIP/13/2 WIP Networking Conference

Attendance lists, programmes, ephemera, notes, registration forms and related papers regarding WIP Networking Conferences held in 1991 and 1992, and other conferences organised by various different groups (1990-1992). Includes:

- Attendance lists for Networking Conference [1992]

- Write up of issues discussed at Networking Conference titled, 'Women in the Criminal Justice System: Current Issues' (1992)

- Handwritten list of speakers for Networking Conference[1992]

- Women in Prison Networking Conference Mailing List (12 October 1992)

- Conference Minutes, 15 March (1991)

- A3 poster and leaflets promoting, 'W.I.P. & A.P.S. Information Sharing Conference on Deportees in U.K. Women's Prisons, 15 March (1991)

- Registration form for conference regarding, 'Deportees in U.K. Women's Prisons, 15 March (1991)

- Handwritten notes regarding Networking Conference (1992)

- Draft programme for Networking Conference (1992)

- Draft correspondence promoting Networking Conference (1992)

- Ephemera advertising one day conference, 'Black Behind Bars: Black Women and Criminal Justice', presented by The Black Female Prisoners Scheme, (1 November 1990)

- Leaflet regarding, 'Conference Facilities' at the National Children's Bureau (1992)

- Ephemera advertising conference, 'The Offenders: A Conference for Youth on Crime and Punishment', organised by the New Bridge, 21 November (1990)

- Annual Networking Conference registration form (1992)

- Handwritten list of attendees/speakers for Networking Conference (1992)

- Attendance list for WIP Conference, 15 March (1991)

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## WIP/13/3Correspondence to women in custody1989-2001

Correspondence and related papers between WIP and women in custody (1989-2001) **CLOSED** 

#### WIP/13/4 Miscellaneous correspondence

Correspondence between WIP and various organisations and individuals regarding speaking at events, carrying out research, conferences, better services for prisoners, meetings and personal references (1990-2001) **APPLY TO ARCHIVIST** 

#### WIP/13/5 "Bad Girls"

1995-2001

1990-2001

Articles, press cuttings, correspondence and story-line scripts relating to 'Bad Girls' series three, and Chris Tchaikovsky's role as consultant on the series (1995-2001). Includes:

Article regarding Chris Tchaikovsky's background and being consultant for, 'Bad Girls' series three (2001)
Photocopied press cutting, 'Tough justice', Ms London (6 February 1995)
Correspondence from Deborah Goodman Publicity to Chris Tchaikovsky regarding writing forward for press pack (4 December 2000)
Correspondence from Bad Girls Production Office to Chris Tchaikovsky regarding 'factual' elements to the programmes website (includes copies of pages) (19 September 2000)
Bad Girls series three story-lines, Episode 1 -Episode 7 [2000]

#### WIP/13/6 Further Reading

1984-1989

Further reading resource featuring various papers and articles (1984-1989). Including:

'Women's Imprisonment: A Strategy for Abolition' by Pat Carlen, lecture for the Prison Reform Trust, 25 January (1989)
'Women in Prison: 'H' Wing, HM Prison Durham', by Anthony Lester QC and Pamela J Taylor (May 1989) - 'The Women of Durham Jail', Open Space (February 1984)

- 'The Experience of Young Women in the Welfare and Justice System', by Alison Skinner (n.d.)

Article, 'Women in Special Hospitals', Open Mind, No.41 (October/November 1989)
European Parliament Committee for Women's Rights Draft Report on Women in Prison, by Christine Crawley (1989)
OPEN

#### WIP/13/7 Women's City Limited at The Bell

[1990]

Correspondence, notes, ephemera and plans relating the Chris Tchaikovsky's work at The Bell pub, organising various nights as part of 'Womens City'.

The Bell pub in Kings Cross was a well know LGBTQ+ venue [1990]. Includes:

- Correspondence between Chris Tchaikovsky and the manager of The Bell regarding renaming Saturday nights and changing the DJs (11 May 1990)

- Arrangements for Monday-Wednesday nights at the Bell, jointly organised by 'Bittersweet' and 'Womens City' [1990]

- Door policy regarding free admission at The Bell (6 June 1990)

- Ephemera advertising, 'Run For Cover at H.Q.' (1990)

- Untitled artwork/logo (n.d.)

- Handwritten plans for nights at [The Bell] [1990]

- Untitled poem relating to gay people being targeted by police (n.d.)

Handwritten template contract for selfemployed seasonal work at The Bell [1990]
Handwritten notes relating to staffing and costs (n.d.)

- Ephemera advertising, 'Supernatural' at Dingwalls, Camden Lock (1990)

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#### WIP/13/8 **Alternatives to Violence Project Certificate** 1995

Certificate awarded to Chris Tchaikovsky for participating in an Alternatives to Violence BASIC Course, in Brixton, London, 29 September - 1 October (1995) OPEN

#### WIP/13/9 London Borough of Islington Women's 1986-1987 Committee

Papers relating to the London Borough of Islington Women's Committee, and Chris Tchaikovsky applying to be co-opted into it (1986-1987). Includes:

- Eligibility questionnaire for co-option to the Women's Committee (n.d.)

- Correspondence from London Borough of Islington Women's Committee to nominees regarding postponement of appointment of Women's Committee Co-opted Members (October 1986-January 1987)

- News from Islington Women's Committee (n.d.)

- Correspondence from individual to Islignton Women's Committee regarding supporting Chris' application for election to the Women's Committee (28 August 1986)

- Correspondence from London Borough of Islington to Women's Committee nominee's regarding members being co-opted before next meeting (17 September 1986)

- Agenda for Women's Committee meeting, 23 September (1986)

- Minutes of meeting of Women's Committee, 15 July (1986)

- Women's Committee Support Unit report regarding appointment of members 1986/87 (23 September 1986)

- Women's Committee Support Unit report regarding Safe Women's Transport (23 September 1986)

- Women's Committee Support Unit report regarding Holloway Prison (23 September 1986)

- Women's Committee Support Unit report regarding Nomination to serve on Holloway Prison's Board of Visitors (23 September 1986)

- Women's Committee Support Unit report

regarding Health (23 September 1986) - Women's Committee Support Unit report regarding Cancer Screening for Women Workers (23 September 1986) - Women's Committee Support Unit report regarding Women's Committee's Publicity and Advertising Budget (23 September 1986) - Women's Committee Support Unit report regarding Social Security Act and its effects (23 September 1986) - Women's Committee Support Unit report regarding Neighbourhood Forums (15 September 1986) - Women's Committee Support Unit report regarding Association of Local Government Women's Committees Affiliation (23 September 1986) - Women's Committee Support Unit report regarding Report of a meeting of The Association Local Government Women's Committees 26th/27th June 1986 (23 September 1986) - Women's Committee Support Unit report regarding Aberdeen Women's Committee (23 September 1986) - Women's Committee Support Unit report regarding London Strategic Policy Unit -Women's Equality Group (23 September 1986) - Reference from Personnel Committee regarding the Council's Equal Opportunities Employment Policy, Progress and Review (23) September 1986) - Reference from Housing Supply & Allocations Sub-Committee regarding Review of Rehousing Quotas to Special Needs Housing Groups (September 1986)

#### OPEN

#### WIP/14 Joint Work With Other Organisations

1985-2019

Papers relating to joint work between WIP and various other organisations, including: Women in the Penal System; Penal Affairs Consortium; NAPO; Clean Break; NACRO; Tudor Trust; Cropwood Papers; Prison Reform Trust; and various other joint workers (1985-2019) **SEE INDIVIDUAL FILES** 

#### WIP/14/1 Women in the Penal System

Copy of report titled, 'Women in the Penal System', by The Baroness Seear and Elaine Player, prepared for the Howard League for Penal Reform (January 1986) **OPEN** 

#### WIP/14/2 Penal Affairs Consortium

Manifestos, news releases, reports and minutes from the Penal Affairs Consortium, relating to Penal Reform and Youth Court (1992-1997). Includes:

Copy of , 'A Joint Manifesto for Penal Reform' by the Penal Affairs Consortium (March 1992)
Memorandum from Penal Affairs Consortium to its members (5 March 1992)
News release titled, 'New Joint Manifesto for Penal Reform' (16 March 1992)
Report, '17 Year Olds and the Youth Court', by the Penal Affairs Consortium (May 1997)
Minutes of meeting of the Penal Affairs Consortium, 15 January. with representative from WIP in attendance (1997)
News release titled, 'Call to Keep 17 Year Olds in the Youth Court' (21 May 1997)

#### WIP/14/3 NAPO

Correspondence, press release, and briefings relating to communication and joint work between WIP and NAPO regarding crown immunity, women and children and custody, AIDs and probation hostels (1987-1989). Includes:

- Copy of, NAPO News: The Bulletin of the National Association of Probation Officers, No.2 (August 1988)

 Correspondence from NAPO to WIP regarding clause to remove Crown Immunity from Penal Establishments (1 February 1989)
 Correspondence from NAPO to WIP regarding Hansards from the AIDs debate (2 February 1989)
 Correspondence from NAPO to WIP

regarding profile of inmates at Holloway (9

#### 1988-1989

1992

February 1989) - Press release from NAPO, 'Excessive Use of Jail for Women with Children' (20 March 1989) - Briefing from NAPO, 'Women, Children and Custody' [1988] - Correspondence from WIP to NAPO regarding Crowley House Probation Hostel (28 April 1987) **OPEN** 

#### WIP/14/4 Clean Break

Agenda for E.G.M. meeting, and correspondence and related research report of CAST and Clean Break (October 1990) **OPEN** 

#### WIP/14/5 NACRO

Memorandum, notes of meetings and papers relating to NACRO's involvement with other voluntary organisations working together to bring about Penal Reform (1988). Includes:

Memorandum from NACRO to organisations attending meeting relating to, 'Joint Manifesto for Penal Reform' (7 November 1988)
Notes from a meeting held in a House of Lords Committee Room, 24 October [1988]
Paper by Prison Reform Trust titled, 'Voluntary Organisations Working in Penal Affairs: The Role of a Lobbying Consortium' (28 October 1988)
OPEN

#### WIP/14/6 Tudor Trust

Correspondence, progress reports and related papers regarding various rounds of funding awarded to WIP from the Tudor Trust. Some of the projects that were supported by the Tudor Trust Grants include: The Holloway Remand Scheme, Education and Training project, creation and development of Resettlement Department, and the 'Through the Gate' project (1989-2019). Includes:

- Correspondence between WIP and Tudor Trust regarding raising a percentage of their estimated expenditure for the following year

#### 1989-2019

1988

1990

(17 May 1989)

- Correspondence between WIP and Tudor Trust regarding grant towards The Holloway Remand Scheme and related information about the scheme (November 1996 - June 2000)

- Holloway Remand Scheme Progress Report, 19 May (1998)

- Holloway Remand Scheme Progress Report, 7 May (1998)

- Correspondence between WIP and Tudor Trust regarding supporting education and training project for women prisoners called Education and Training Connection (ETC) (June 2000 - May 2003)

- Progress Report for Year 2001 of ETC project (29 January 2002)

- WIP Application to the Tudor Trust regarding funding for a Resettlement

Caseworker/Manager for three years (August 2004 - October 2005)

- Tudor Trust End of Grant Report, Key Tasks for 2002 [2003]

- WIP Report to the Tudor Trust, Resettlement Caseworker/Manager (April 2005-June 2006)

- Notes from talk to Tudor Trust [2006]

- WIP application for funding to the Tudor Trust for the development of the Resettlement Department over three years [2006]

- Job Description for Resettlement Services Manager [2006]

- Report to Tudor Trust (May 2007)

- WIP application toe the Tudor Trust regarding expanding 'Through the Gate' work from South East, to also cover the North of England (May 2007)

Correspondence regarding grant for 'Through the Gate' Work in North of England (October 2007-April 2009)

- Press release from Re-Unite, 'Launch of Re-Unite Housing Project for Women and Children' (16 October 2007)

- Guest List for Re-Unite Launch, 23 October (2007)

- Correspondence between WIP and Tudor Trust regarding the Triangle Project

(December 2010- May 2011)

- Correspondence between WIP and Tudor Trust regarding the Northern Services Advice Project (April 2013) - Correspondence between WIP and Tudor Trust regarding support with easing cash flow situation (June 2016 - January 2018)

- Briefing from WIP, 'Driving Change Together' (n.d.)

- Feedback for Tudor Trust on WIP's work with Spider - lessons learned (n.d.)

- Report from WIP, Tudor Report regarding Northern Services Advice Project, 1 April 2012

- 31 March 2013 (2013)

- Report from WIP, Tudor Report regarding Northern Services Advice Project, April 2011 -31 March 2012 (2012)

- Proposed WIP organisational structure (n.d.)

- Report to Tudor Trust (March 2009)

- Report to Tudor Trust (March 2010)

- Correspondence between WIP and Tudor Trust regarding progress on grant (25 February 2019)

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## WIP/14/7 Cropwood Papers

Papers relating to the 19th Cropwood Conference titled, 'Women and the Penal System', 23-25 March (1988). Includes:

- List of participants for, 'Women and the penal System' conference [1988] - Paper from conference, 'Female Remands in Custody', by Silvia Casale (March 1988) - Paper from conference, 'Background statistical paper', by C.G. Lewis (March 1988) - Paper from conference, 'The treatment of women with drug problems', by R.P.Golding (March 1988) - Paper from conference, 'Policy for the management of the female prison system', by J MacNaughton (March 1988) - Paper from conference, 'Images of Women -Decision-making in Courts', by Lorna J.F. Smith (March 1988) - Paper from conference, 'Encouraging Alternatives to Custody', by Vivien Stern

(March 1988)

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#### 1988

Press releases, papers, and a lecture produced and related to the Prison Reform Trust (1988-1989). Includes:

Prison Reform Trust press release, 'Private Prisons Plan Attacked' (28 November 1988)
Paper, 'Comments on the Green Paper: Private Sector Involvement in the Remand System', by Prison Reform Trust (November 1988)

Prison Reform Trust press release, 'Race Relation in Prisons' (23 November 1988)
Prison Reform Trust press release, 'Call for Abolition of Women's Imprisonment' (25

January 1989)

- Copy of lecture titled, 'Women's Imprisonment: A Strategy for Abolition', by Pat Carlen, given for the Prison Reform Trust, 25 January (1989)

Prison Reform Trust press release, 'Prison Regimes in the 1990's' (22 February 1989)
Prison Reform Trust press release, 'Prisoners are Britain's Lowest Paid Workers' (6 March 1989)

- Prison Reform Trust press release, "Window of Opportunity' to Reduce Imprisonment of Young People' (22 March 1989) **OPEN** 

## WIP/14/9 Various Other Joint Works

1985-1989

Correspondence, manifestos, minutes of meetings and related papers regarding joint work and projects involving WIP and various organisations including: Nottingham Women's Centre, NCCL, Save The Children, NACRO an Women in Special Hospitals (1985-1989). Includes:

Correspondence between WIP to Nottingham Women's Centre regarding proposed conflict solving procedures (July 1989)
Conflict Solving Procedure: A discussion paper and alternative model to be presented to the open meeting of Nottingham Womens' Centre on July 5 (1989)
Document titled, 'How To Solve Problems in the Women's Centre' (19 June 1989) - Document by NCCL regarding proposals that they have advocated [1989]

- Comments from, 'Taking Liberty', by Chris Tchaikovsky [1989]

- Correspondence from Save the Children to WIP regarding proposed visitors centre at Holloway Prison (28 June 1989)

- Minutes of a meeting regarding Holloway Prison Visitors Centre, which Chris

Tchaikovsky attended, 18 July (1989) - 'Directory of Programs Serving Families of Adult Offenders', by U.S. Department of Justice, National Institute of Corrections (June 1985)

Address by the Home Secretary to the Governors' Conference, 14 November (1988)
Extract from unknown publication, 'Summary and recommendations', regarding parole (n.d.)
Correspondence from NACRO regarding Joint manifesto for penal reform, which WIP supported (18 November 1988)

- Copy of, 'A Joint Manifesto for Penal Reform (February 1989)

- Paper titled, 'Women and Prisons' [1989]

- Agenda for meeting of the Prisons Sub-

Committee held on 7 March (1989)

List of WIP Management Committee and other organisations that they are a part of (n.d.)
Re-application for growth funding for a project involving WIP and Women in Special Hospitals [1988]

- Workers report for Chris Tchaikovsky regarding information about various other orgnaisations that WIP were working with (30 September 1989)

- List of women that Olga Heaven works with at W.I.P. (n.d.)

 Application for funding from London Boroughs Grants Committee 1991-92 (1990)
 Proposal for women's group, 'First Base', which would allow women to discuss issues of living life after prison (April 1993)
 APPLY TO ARCHIVIST

#### WIP/15 External Research

1977-2003

Papers relating to external research regarding prisons and prisoners, including: International conference on prison abolition; National Council of Women report; proceedings at a Forum on Race Relations in Prison, 1990; proceedings at a Forum on Race Relations in Prison, 1989-1997; The Women's Bulletin; Chris's notes on House of Lords Official Report; minimum rules for the treatment of prisoners; prison design; Home Office review; NACRO News Digest; NACRO Briefings; NCCL (National Council for Civil Liberties); statistics and miscellaneous papers (1977-2003) **SEE INDIVIDUAL FILES** 

#### WIP/15/1 International Conference on Prison 1985 Abolition

Book of conference papers from, 'International Conference On Prison Abolition', 24-27 June 1985 held at the Criminologisch Instituut (1985) **OPEN** 

# WIP/15/2National Council of Women Report1990

Report of the Working Party on, 'Women And Prison' published by The National Council of Women of Great Britain (NCW GB) affiliated to International Council of Women (ICW) (June 1990) **OPEN** 

#### WIP/15/3 Proceedings at a Forum on Race Relations 1990 in Prison

Report and papers relating to a Forum on Race Relation in Prisons, held at H.M.P. Long Lartin Evesham, 6 March (1990). Includes:

Publication of, 'Proceedings at a Forum on Race Relations in Prison', held at H.M.P. Long Lartin Evesham, 6 March (1990)
Programme for Forum on Race Relations in Prison (6 March 1990)
Report by NACRO, 'Black People in the Criminal Justice System' (n.d.)
OPEN

## WIP/15/4 Proceedings at a Forum on Race Relations 1989-1997 in Prison

Various reports and papers published by the Home Office (1986-1997). Includes:

Report on Immigration Service Detention Centre Harmondsworth, by HM Inspector of Prisons (1989)
'Alternative Penalties for Fine Defaulters and Low Level Offenders: A Consultation Paper', Home Office (July 1996)
'Review of Delay in the Criminal Justice System: A Report', Home Office (February 1997)
OPEN

#### WIP/15/5 The Women's Bulletin

2001-2003

Three editions of, The Women's Bulletin (2001-2003). Including:

-The Women's Bulletin, by Women's Policy Group, No.12 (September 2001) -The Women's Bulletin, by Women's Polcy Group, No.13 (February 2002) -The Women's Bulletin, by Women's Estate Policy Unit, No.14 (May 2002) -The Women's Bulletin, by The Women's Estate, No.17 (May 2003) **OPEN** 

#### WIP/15/6 Chris's Notes on House of Lords Official 1998 Report

Parliamentary Debates, House of Lords Official Report, Vol.587, No.128, 25 March 1998, featuring motion on The Prison Service and handwritten annotations by Chris Tchaikovsky (1998) **OPEN** 

## WIP/15/7 Minimum Rules for the Treatment of 1977-1998 Prisoners

Papers, extracts from publications, pamphlets and information documents relating to the minimum standards of treatment for prisoners in the EU, UK, USA and United Nations countries (1977-1998). Includes: - Paper titled, 'Standard Minimum Rules For The Treatment of Prisoners and Related Recommendations', United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs, New York (1977)

- Paper titled, 'Standard Minimum Rules For The Treatment of Prisoners and Procedures for the Effective Implementation of the Rules', United Nations, Department of Public Information, New York (1984)

- Extract from publication titled, 'Human Rights in Europe', featuring annotations by Chris Tchaikovsky (1998)

- Extract from Human Rights Act (1998)

- Correspondence from Charlotte to Chris regarding Human Rights Act Conference (6 May 1998)

- Information documents relating to The Human Rights Act [from conference, 6 May] (1998)

- Pamphlet, 'The Council of Europe And The Protection of Human Rights', by the Council of Europe (1 December 1992)

- Extract from an unknown publication relating to accommodation and recreation in prisons [1997]

Pamphlet, 'Minimum standards in prison: A Programme of Change', by Silvia Casale and Joyce Plotnikoff, published by NACRO (1989)
Photocopy of, 'Minimum Standards for New York City Correctional Facilities', by the Board of Correction, City of New York [1977]
OPEN

#### WIP/15/8 Prison Design

1991

Correspondence from Chris Tchaikovsky to Stephen Twinn regarding being unable to attend meeting and points she would liked to have raised about prison design, and report titled, 'Women Prisoners and Offenders: The Agenda for Change', by the Women Prisoners and Offenders Advisory Committee, June (1991) **OPEN** 

#### WIP/15/9 Home Office Review

Papers relating to incentives, earned privileges and temporary releases, put in place by the Home Office (1994-1995). Includes:

Correspondence from the Home Office to WIP regarding National Framework for Incentives and Earned Privileges (9 June 1995)
Copy of instruction to Governors relating to 'Risk Assessment for Temporary Release -Revised Instruction' (1994)

## OPEN

#### WIP/15/10 NACRO News Digest

1985-1993

Various copies of NACRO News Digest and NACRO Criminal Justice Digest, featuring annotations on sections relating to women in prison (1985-1993). Includes:

- NACRO News Digest, No.36 (November 1985)

- NACRO News Digest, No.46 (September 1987)

- NACRO News Digest, No.56 (May 1989)

- NACRO News Digest, No.57 (July 1989)

- NACRO News Digest, No.58 (September 1989)

- NAČRO News Digest, No.59 (November 1989)

- NACRO News Digest, No.61 (March 1990)

- NACRO Criminal Justice Digest, No.63 (July 1990)

- NACRO Criminal Justice Digest, No.64 (September 1990)

- NACRO Criminal Justice Digest, No.67 (March 1991)

- NACRO Criminal Justice Digest, No.68 (May 1991)

- NACRO Criminal Justice Digest, No.69 (August 1991)

- NACRO Criminal Justice Digest, No.72 (April 1992)

- NACRO Criminal Justice Digest, No.73 (July 1992)

- NACRO Criminal Justice Digest, No.76 (April 1993)

- NACRO Criminal Justice Digest, No.77 (July 1993) **OPEN** 

#### WIP/15/11 NACRO Briefings

Various NACRO Briefing papers and press releases (1985-1996). Includes:

- NACRO Briefing, 'Education in Prisons: Points From The Second Report From The Education Science and Arts Committee. Session 1986-1987, 'Prison Education'' (September 1987)

- NACRO Briefing, 'Women, Cautions and Sentencing' (July 1987)

- NACRO Briefing, 'The Work of Outside Agencies in Penal Establishments' (January 1985)

- NACRO Briefing, 'Some Facts About Juvenile Crime' (July 1987)

- NACRO Briefing, 'A Bleak Year for the Prison System' (December 1986)

- NACRO Briefing, 'Cautioning and Diversion from Court of Juvenile Offenders' (May 1986)

- NACRO Briefing, 'Shoplifting' (July 1989)

- NACRO Briefing, 'The Ombudsman and

Prisoners' Complaints', (February 1989)

- NACRO Briefing, 'Imprisonment in England and Wales: Some Fats and Figures' (April 1991)

- NACRO Briefing, 'Telephones in Prisons' [1992]

- NACRO Briefing, 'The Criminal Justice Act 1991 - Sentencing Provisions (June 1992)

- NACRO Briefing, 'The Falling Prison Population' (March 1990)

- NACRO Briefing, 'The Prison Medical Service' (January 1986)

- NACRO Briefing, 'Statistics on Black People Working In The Criminal Justice System' (October 1992)

NACRO Briefing, 'Managing the Long-term Prison System: The Report of the Control Review Committee 1984, Summary and Recent Developments (June 1985)
NACRO Briefing, 'Women and the Prison Medical Service' (November 1986)
NACRO Briefing, 'Mothers and Babies in Prison' (March 1988) - NACRO Briefing, 'Remands in Custody -Some Facts and Figures' (August 1992) - NACRO Briefing, 'Statistics on Women Working in the Criminal Justice System' (October 1992) - NACRO Briefing, 'People in Prison on 30 June 1985, 1986, 1987, 1988, 1989' (April 1991) - NACRO Briefing, 'The Cost of Penal Measures' (July 1992) - NACRO Briefing, 'Imprisonment in Western Europe: Some Facts and Figures' (January 1990) - NACRO Briefing, 'Parole' (August 1989) - NACRO Briefing, 'Women and Criminal Justice' (May 1989) - NACRO Briefing, 'Cautioning Juvenile Offenders' (February 1988) - NACRO Briefing, 'People in Prison on 30 June 1982, 1983, 1984, 1985, 1986' (November 1987) - NACRO Briefing, 'Home Leave', (May 1991) - NACRO Briefing, 'Home Leave', (March 1987) - NACRO Briefing, 'Prisoners Correspondence' (September 1986) - NACRO Briefing, 'The Future of Holloway: A Summary of the Special Project Committee Report (May 1986) - NACRO Briefing, 'Visits to Prisoners' (May 1991) - NACRO Briefing, 'Visits to Prisoners' (October 1985) - NACRO Briefing, 'Women in Prison' (March 1986) - NACRO Briefing, 'Women in Prison' (January 1990) - NACRO Briefing, 'Women in Prison' (March 1988) - NACRO Briefing, 'Women in Prison' (August 1992) - NACRO Briefing, 'Women in Prison' (August 1994) - NACRO Briefing, 'Women in Prison' (September 1987) - NACRO Briefing, 'Women in Prison' (January 1985) - NACRO Press Release, 'Preventive Approach to Shoplifting Pays Off' (16 October

1989)

NACRO Press Release, 'Women More Than Twice As Likely To Be Jailed As Ten Years Ago ' (12 June 1989)
NACRO Press Release, '15% Fall in Custodial Sentences NACRO Report Reveals Fewer But Longer Prison Terms' (15 October 1990)
NACRO Press Release, 'Too Many Women in Prison' (15 January 1990)
NACRO Press Release, 'Not A Very Happy Christmas For People Released From Prison'

(22 December 1992)

- Publication, 'NACRO's Strategy on Crime in England & Wales' (November 1996) **OPEN** 

#### WIP/15/12 NCCL (National Council for Civil Liberties)

1984-1988

Correspondence, articles, meeting agendas and minutes, publications and related papers regarding the NCCL's Prisons Sub-Committee, and Women in Prisons involvement (1984-1988). Includes:

- Correspondence and evidence to Committee regarding, 'Departmental Committee on Prison Discipline' (9 August 1984) - Paper, 'The Prison Disciplinary System, A **Descriptive Memorandum: Home Office** Evidence to the Committee on the Prison Disciplinary System' [1984] - Pamphlet, 'NCCL Charter of Civil Rights & Liberties' (1984) - Journal, Rights: The Journal of the National Council for Civil Liberties, Vol 7 No.6, featuring article, 'NCCL Enquiry into strip searches at Armagh Prison (Summer 1984) - Women's Rights Unit Newsletter: Newsletter of the National Council for Civil Liberties Women's Rights Unit, Vol.1 No.1 (October 1986) - Information Sheet, 'Prisoners' Rights' by NCCL (1986) - Handwritten notes regarding Prison Committee NCCL (3 April 1985) - Agenda for meeting of the Prisons Sub-Committee, 29 November (1988) - Minutes of NCCL's Prison Committee meeting, 28 September (1988) - Agenda and minutes of Prison Committee

meeting, 7 October (1987)

- Agenda, minutes and related papers from Prison Committee meeting, 9 September (1987)

- Circulars and correspondence relating to Public Order Campaign (1985)

- Minutes of meeting of Prisons Committee, 5 June (1985)

- General Secretary's Report to the Annual General Meeting (1985)

- Agenda for meeting of the Prison Committee, 15 May (1985)

- Agenda and minutes from Prison Committee Meeting, 3 April (1985)

- Minutes of a meeting re setting up a National Prison Project, 27 February (1985)

- Proposal paper, 'NCCL National Prison Project' (1985)

- National Council for Civil Liberties submission to HM Inspectorate of Prisons, Thematic

Review 1984 - Prison Rule 43 (1984)

- Minutes of meeting of Prisons Committee, 27 June (1984)

- Minutes of Prison Committee, 11 September (1984)

- Agenda, correspondence and related papers for meeting of Prison Committee, 27 June (1984)

- Correspondence between Home Office and NCCL regarding Thematic Reviews (1 June 1984)

- Minutes of The Prison Committee meeting, 4 April (1984)

- Correspondence between NCCL and and WIP regarding Conference, 1984: A

Celebration of Women (June 1984)

- Agenda for meeting of Prisons Committee, 26 July (1984)

- Correspondence between NCCL and Parliamentary All-Party Penal Affairs Group regarding treatment of prisoners at Wandsworth (13 August 1984)

- Circular from NCCI regarding Public Order Bill (28 February 1986)

- Agenda for meeting of the Prisons

Committee, 3 June (1987)

- Correspondence from NCCL to WIP

regarding Earl William at Harwich (31 July 1987)

- Correspondence from NCCL to WIP

regarding Prisons Committee meeting, 5 January (1988) **APPLY TO ARCHIVIST** 

#### WIP/15/13 Statistics

[1993-2000]

Articles, correspondence, reports, notes and related papers regarding mixed prisons, women in custody, mental health and the criminal justice system, and Grendon Prison [1993-2000]. Includes:

Extract from an article of an unknown publication, written by Chris Tchaikovsky (n.d.)
Article, 'Mixed Prisons: Misogynistic and Misguided', unknown publication by Chris Tchaikovsky (n.d.)

- Paper, 'The Holloway Bail Unit: The First Year of Shared Prison and Probation Working', Ruth Rushton, Psychology Department,

H.M.P. Holloway (May 1993)

- Article, 'Differences Between Men and Women Prisoners', unknown publication (Autumn 1996)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Guilty of being a woman', The Guardian (9 February 1994)

- Correspondence to Criminal Justice Matters regarding article regarding women in custody (January 1994)

- Correspondence from HM Prison Service to NACRO regarding response to press release, 'Women Leaving Prison' (20 October 1993)

- Report, 'Impressions from the Visit to H.M.P. Grendon Underwood (June 2000)

- Paper, 'Mind's Policy on People with Mental Health Problems and the Criminal Justice System' (February 1997)

- Typed notes, 'Grendon: Feasibility of F Wing For Female Prisoners' (n.d.)

- Typed notes, 'Grendon Therapeutic Community Prison' (n.d.)

- Paper, 'The Grendon Reconviction Study, Part 1' by Dr Eric Cullen, Head of Psychology (n.d.)

- Photocopied letter to the editor of Criminal Justice Matters fro Chris Tchaikovsky regarding criminal statistics (n.d.)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Why more women are going to prison', [The Observer] (n.d.)

#### OPEN

#### WIP/15/14 Miscellaneous Papers

Articles, press cuttings, papers and correspondence relating to criminality, the criminal justice system, women and crime, and the impact of children with imprisoned mothers (1983-1993). Includes:

- Information Sheet, 'Working to Make Work Safer - Health and Safety Guidelines for Voluntary Groups', London Borough Grants Committee, containing handwritten notes and annotations (n.d.)

- Photocopied article, 'Premenstrual tension and criminal responsibility', The Practitioner, Vol.227 (May 1983)

- Funding application for a Prisoners Legal Services Foundation, containing handwritten annotations (n.d.)

- Correspondence from North Western Legal Services to whom it may concern regarding Farida Ali (8 May 1989)

Paper, 'In Defence of the Criminal Justice Act 1991', Penal Affairs Consortium (July 1993)
Paper, 'Penal Affairs Consortium, Response to Woolf Report' (n.d.)

- Photocopied article, 'Premenstrual Tension Not Likely to Catch on as Insanity Defense', Ob.Gyn. New, Vol.18, No.18 (15-30 September 1983)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Menstrual Stresses As a Legal Defense', New York Times (8 June 1982)

- Photocopied chapter from an unknown publication, 'You Can't Commit Violence Against an Object: Women, Psychiatry and Psychosurgery', Diane Hudson [n.d.]

- List of Rules relating to Prisons in accordance to the Prison Act (1952) and Criminal Justice Act (1961) (n.d.)

- Extract from unknown publication regarding accommodation, hygiene and safety of prisoners, containing handwritten annotations (n.d.)

- Journal, Prison Report: The Quarterly Review of the Prison Reform Trust, No.5 (December 1988)

- Publication, 'The Voice of a Child: The Impact

on Children of their Mother's Imprisonment: A Report by The Howard League for Penal Reform' (1993) **OPEN** 

#### WIP/16 Campaign and Service Work 1999 onwards 1999-2023

Papers relating to Women in Prison's (WIP's) campaign and service work from 1999 onwards, including: Briefings; 25th Anniversary material; press cutting; WIP strategic planning day; material from various WIP campaigns; speeches, reports and policies; and correspondence (1999-2023) **SEE INDIVIDUAL FILES** 

#### WIP/16/1 Briefings

2007-2020

Briefing papers relating to the experiences of women in prison (2007-2020). Includes:

'Briefing of recommendations arising from the conference: Securing Safety: Supporting Women in Prison who have Experienced Violence and Abuse', published by Greater London Authority, including contributions from Women in Prison (August 2007)
'Why focus on reducing women's imprisonment?', Prison Reform Trust briefing (February 2017)
Ephemera promoting, 'Women, Criminal Justice & Turning Lives Around', briefing for 2020 supporters (2020)
OPEN

#### WIP/16/2 25th Anniversary Material

2009

Papers relating to the 25th anniversary of WIP (2009). Including:

Article, 'Women In Prison is 25!', Inside Times (March 2009)
Paper, '25 Things To Change About Prison', created to mark 25 years (2009)
Photocopy of a short article, 'If I Was Queen For A Day', by Suzanne Sibillin, prisons campaigner, Big Issue (2-8 March 2009)
Photocopied extracts from, 25th anniversary edition of, Women in Prison: The magazine for women offenders and ex-offenders (October 2008) **OPEN** 

#### WIP/16/3 Press cuttings

Press cutting, articles and related papers regarding the work and campaigns of WIP, conditions of prisons, human rights, Bronzefield prison, and the general rising numbers of women being imprisoned (2004-2023). Includes:

- The Daily Telegraph, featuring a letter to the editor titled, 'The harm caused by imprisoning mothers', written by Nina Champion (Director, Criminal Justice Alliance), Ellen Green (Deputy CEO. Prison Advice and Care Trust). Sonva Ruparel (CEO, Women in Prison), P.15 (17 March 2023) - Press cutting, 'Why I Love My Job', featuring short write-up by Nezlin Newell, youth resettlement workers for WIP, Community Care (28 July - 3 August 2005) - Feature from, The Fawcett Society Magazine, 'Woman Talk', featuring short write-up by Cathy Stancer, Director of WIP (Autumn 2005) - Extract from unknown publication regarding WIP interview with former prisoner Kat, unknown publication (n.d.) - Press cutting, 'The injustice of jail', The Observer (25 April 2004) - Press cutting, 'Sending women to jail is inhumane and does nothing to keep us safe', The Independent (24 April 2004) - Press cutting, 'Report slams 'unjust' jailing of women on remand', The Guardian (6 September 2004) - Press cutting, 'Women hit hardest by courts for failing to buy TV licence', The Times (29 December 2014) - Press cutting, 'What Is Life Like For Women In Prison', Spare Rib (n.d.) - Press cutting, 'Prisons', The Guardian (24 September 2004) - Press cutting, Letters to the Editor, featuring a letter, 'Women in prison', The Times (14 May 2019) - Printed article, 'Offenders stay connected through part-time custody', Prison Service

News (2004)

Printed article, 'Q&A: Women in prison', Guardian Unlimited (13 March 2007)
Printed article, 'Put an end to prison van sweatboxes', Guardian Unlimited (6 February 2006)

- Open letter from Cathy Stancer, Acting Director of WIP regarding the chaos caused by women serving even short sentences in prison (6 September 2004)

- Photocopied article, 'Poverty: A Human Rights Issue', BIHR (Winter 2009)

- Photocopied article, 'How can human rights shake off a negative image?' EHRC (March 2010)

- Photocopied press cutting, 'Mum's the word', Inside Housing (2 November 2007)

Press cutting, 'Home Comforts', featuring comments from WIP, Inquest, Prison Reform Trust and other organisations about community prisons, The Guardian (28 September 2005)
Press cutting, 'David Blunkett's recipe: wrecked lives, wasted money and higher crime', The Independent (9 June 2004)
Press cutting, 'Help for neglected older prisoners', The Guardian (22 December 2004)
Press cutting, 'Blunkett's real failure', The Guardian (3 December 2004)
Press cutting, 'Time to act on women in

custody', The Guardian (9 September 2004) - Press cutting, 'Private women's prison brings in the interior designers', The Guardian (9 June 2004)

- Press cutting, 'First prison built for women boasts trees, TVs and baby unit', The Independent (9 June 2004) **OPEN** 

#### WIP/16/4 WIP strategic planning day

1999-2002

A very short history of WIP from the WIP Strategic Planning Day 1999-2002 (October 1998) **OPEN** 

#### WIP/16/5 Material from various WIP Campaigns

Material from various campaigns involving WIP (2008-2017). Includes:

- Book, 'Dying On The Inside: Examining Women's Deaths in Prison', Marissa Sandler and Deborah Coles, published by INQUEST, and dedicated to Chris Tchaikovsky (2008) - Leaflet, 'Women in Prison's Manifesto General Election 2015' (2015) - Leaflet relating to Women's Support Centre Surrey which was part of WIP (n.d.) - Magazine, Tell All At Foston Hall: A production by prisoners for prisoners! (August 2017) - Pamphlet, 'Women Moving Forward Stepping Out of the Cycle: What women with direct experience of the criminal justice system have to say about criminal justice reform', published by WIP (n.d.) - Postcard by WIP containing pledge of support for campaign, '#2,020 by 2020' (n.d.) - Postcard, 'Men their rights and nothing more; Women their rights and nothing less', by Ready Steady Go! (n.d.) - Poetry book, 'Ruby-Red: Poetry by the Rubies at HMP Eastwood Park', Second Edition (July 2015) - Leaflet, 'Stop Press! : The Government Wants to Know What YOU Think of Its Plans', WIP (2011) - Conference report from, 'Women Moving Forward in London', run by WIP in association with London Councils (January 2010) - Presentation relating to, 'Reunite Project', lead by WIP (n.d.) - Report, 'Making The Education Connection: Women, Prison and Education', a report by Carol Dowling, published by WIP (2001) - Information documents about, 'Reclaim Holloway' campaign, which involved demanding that once Holloway Prison was closed, the land was used for affordable council housing [2016] OPEN

#### WIP/16/6 Speeches, Reports and Policies

Reports, policies and speech delivered by WIP (2003-[2011]). Includes:

- Copy of speech given by Billie Ibidun (Director of WIP), at the University of Kent Conference, 12 September (2003) - Report, 'Hear and Now: Women in the criminal justice system making changes in their lives...', WIP [2011] - WIP, 'Response: National Audit Office Value for Money Study on Prison Population Pressures' (October 2004) - Current Policy Work (March 2006) - WIP evidence to the LSC, 'Education and Training Connection' (June 2005) - Conference talk, 'Making the Connection: Prisoners, their families and the Community: The Special Issues of Women in Prison' given by Cathy Stancer (c.2004) - Report, 'Reducing re-offending by exprisoners' by the Social Exclusion Unit (July 2002) - Report, 'Counting the Cost: The Social and Financial Consequences of Women's Imprisonment', prepared for the Wedderburn Committee on Women's Imprisonment (March 1999) - Report, 'Bromley Briefings Prison Factfile', by the Prison Reform Trust (April 2006)

- Talk given by Cathy Stancer at AGM (2004) OPEN

#### WIP/16/7 Correspondence, 2002-2017

2002-2017

Correspondence sent and received by WIP (2002-2017). Includes:

- Correspondence from British Library to WIP regarding invitation to participate in Web preservation programme and signed copyright license for UK Web Archiving Consortium (16 November 2005)

- Various correspondence relating to resignations and terminations of contract (2002-2003)

- Correspondence to Management Committee members regarding meetings (2003)

- Draft correspondence from NACRO and WIP

regarding lack of community based provision for women offenders (24 January 2005) - Draft paper, 'Women in Prison - our history/philosophy/services' (n.d.) - Text of letter to Mrs Campbell from Baroness Scotland [2005] - Correspondence between WIP and D.W. regarding participating in a Equality Impact Assessment of the Women's Offenders Strategy (October -November 2006) - Annotated draft report, 'Delivering Effective Services for Women Offenders in the Community', National Probation Service for England and Wales (October 2006) - Correspondence to The Guardian from Cathy Stancer regarding work schedule for WIP staff and planned resettlement (22 June 2005) - Correspondence to WIP regarding 'Design a Prison' project (2 May 2012) - Handwritten correspondence from The Baroness Corston to WIP thanking them for all their hard work with the Corston 10th (14 March 2017) **APPLY TO ARCHIVIST** 

#### WIP/16/8 #OPENUP Campaign

Two MP resource packs and a printed presentation relating to WIP's, '#OPENUP: Women's Futures' campaign [2016-2019]. Includes:

- #OPENUP Manifesto (2019)

- Magazine, Ready Steady Go!, featuring the #OPENUP Campaign on the front cover (Summer 2019)

- Circular for members of parliament regarding the resource pack (2019)

Ephemera promoting play, 'Sweatbox' by Chloe Moss, put together by Clean Break (n.d.)
Leaflet promoting, JENGbA: Joint Enterprise: Not Guilty by Association, promoting their work and services (n.d.)

Leaflet promoting, 'A Safe Home' Campaign, supported by several organisations including: Shelter, Crisis, women's aid and Refuge (n.d.)
Document, 'Information resource for reducing women's imprisonment, June 2019', by The Prison Reform Trust (2019)

- DMSS Research on, 'Why Women's Centres

#### 2019

Work: An Evidence Briefing' (n.d.)

- Briefing by Crisis, 'Scrap the vagrancy Act: Homelessness if not a crime' (n.d.)

- INQUEST update, 'Still Dying in the Inside: Examining deaths in women's prisons' (June 2019)

Research abstracts by The Griffins Society relating to indeterminate sentences of imprisonment for public protection (IPP), mental health, and Mother & Baby Units (n.d.)
Information document by, Clinks, relating to their work with Women's Centres (n.d.)

- Ephemera from Centre for Criminal Áppeals regarding ending imprisonment relating to debt (n.d.)

- Leaflet, 'Reducing the use of short prison sentences in favour of a smarter approach', by Revolving Doors Agency (2019)

- Leaflet, 'Sentencers and sentenced: exploring knowledge, agency and sentencing women to prison', by The Howard League for Penal Reform (2018)

- Pamphlet, 'Birth Charter for women in prisons in England and Wales', by Birth Companions [2016]

- Magazine, Off The Cuff, Issue two (Summer 2019)

#### OPEN

#### WIP/16/9 Women's Centres Campaign

[2006-2020]

Press cuttings, articles and campaign information, relating to WIP's campaign to promote Women's Centres for rehabilitation, as an alternative to custody and prisons, and to provide extra support for female offenders [2006-2020]. Includes:

Press cutting, 'There are better answers than jail for women who have offended', The Observer (23 June 2019)
Press cutting, 'Women, prison and institutional sexism', Student Direct (26 April 2010)
Document containing a manifesto to significantly reduce the number of women in prison (n.d.)
Campaign update: 'Women in Prison: The

- Campaign update: 'Women in Prison: The Corston Report' (April/May 2007)

- mhw interview with Cathy Stancer, Director of

Women in Prison (March 2006)

- 'A day in the life article', regarding individuals experience of visiting WIP, unknown publication (n.d.)

- Printed article, 'Together we can win', featuring write-up about WIP and other grassroots women's campaigns who are fighting cuts on the front line, Red Pepper (August/September 2010)

- Printed article, 'Getting it right for women in prison', unknown publication (n.d.)

Printed extract, 'Government Policy: Women in Prison', Positively Women (Spring 20?)
Printed article, "Stop putting vulnerable women in prison' - charity', 24dash.com (14 May 2010)

Press cutting, 'The prisoner rehabilitation revolution: it's a start', featuring a letter from the WIP Campaigns Manager (8 July 2010)
Copy of an Early Day Motion, EDM #2522 2017-2019 session, regarding recognition of the importance of specialist women's centres (n.d.)

Frequently Asked Questions document,
'Women in the criminal justice system & importance of Women's Centres', by WIP (n.d.)
Press cutting, 'Public money wasted on prison while women's centres struggle for funds', The Howard League for Penal Reform [2015]
Press cutting of feature, 'Janet Street-Porter on Saturday', which includes discussion about women in prison, The I (4 July 2015)
Press cutting, 'Welcome to the chill-out room', The Guardian (n.d.)
Press cutting, 'Cherie: Spare guilty parents', Metro (8 December 2004)

#### OPEN

#### WIP/16/10 Small custodial units for women

2007-2012

Correspondence, report and press cutting, relating to discussions regarding small custodial units for women, as recommended in the Corston Report (2007-2012). Includes:

Correspondence from WIP to HMP Newhall regarding holding roundtable regarding small custodial units consultation (24 April 2012)
Report from, 'Roundtable: Small Custodial Units for Women' meeting, held on 15 May (2012) - Photocopied press cutting, 'Soft cell', Inside Housing (6 April 2007) **OPEN** 

#### WIP/17 Forums and Networks

Papers relating to various forums and networks that WIP were part of or included in, including: British Society of Criminology; London & Southwark Dioceses' Prisons and Penal Affairs Committee; Women Prisoners Caseworker Steering Group Meeting; Older Prisoners Forum; Prison Reform Trust/The Shannon Trust; Children and Families Pathway Reference Group; and the Penal Affairs Consortium (2003-2007) **SEE INDIVIDUAL FILES** 

#### WIP/17/1 British Society of Criminology

2003-2007

Papers relating to British Society of Criminology (BSC) and WIP's involvement with the organisation (2003-2007). Includes:

- Memorandum and articles of Association of the British Society of Criminology (2003) - Minutes of the 3rd meeting of the Advisory Council of British Society of Criminology, 2 December (2004) - Directors' Report and Accounts for the Year Ended 31 December 2004 (2005) - Directors' Report and Accounts for the Year Ended 31 December 200 5 (2006) - British Society of Criminology Newsletter, No.56 (March 2005) - British Society of Criminology Newsletter, No.57 (June 2005) - Correspondence from British Society of Criminology to WIP regarding recruiting members to the Advisory Board (12 May 2005) - Draft Minutes of the 4th meeting of the Advisory Council of British Society of Criminology, 6 June (2005) - Notice of Annual General Meeting, 13 July (2005)- Correspondence and related papers regarding BSC AC meeting, 6 December (November 2005)

- Correspondence from BSC to WIP regarding

application for membership (7 June 2005)
Draft minutes of the 5th meeting of the Advisory Council of British Society of Criminology, 6 December (2005)
Notice regarding BSC Annual Conference, 4-7 July (2006)
Agenda for British Society of Criminology Advisory Council meeting, 8 January (2007)
Draft minutes of the 6th meeting of the Advisory Council of British Society of Criminology, 9 June (2006)
Proposed Constitutional Amendments (n.d.) APPLY TO ARCHIVIST

#### WIP/17/2 London & Southwark Dioceses' Prisons and Penal Affairs Committee

2005-2007

Papers relating to London & Southwark Dioceses' Prisons and Penal Affairs Committee/London & Southwark Prisons & Penal Concerns Group and WIP's involvement with the organisation (2005-2007). Includes:

- Minutes of the London & Southwark Dioceses' Prisons and Penal Affairs Committee, 7 April (2005) - Notes from a talk given by Christopher Jones at the London & Southwark Prisons & Penal Concerns Group meeting, 11 January (2005) - Agenda for meeting of the London and Southwark Dioceses Prisons and Penal Concerns Group, 7 April (2005) - Agenda, minutes and related papers from meeting of the London and Southwark Dioceses Prisons and Penal Concerns Group, 5 July (2005) - Minutes and related papers of the London and Southwark Prisons and Penal Concerns Group Meeting, 17 January (2006) - Circular and agenda for meeting of the London and Southwark Dioceses Prisons and Penal Concerns Group, 5 April (2006) - Agenda for meeting of the London and Southwark Dioceses Prisons and Penal Concerns Group, 9 May (2007) - Minutes of Prisons and Penal Concerns Meeting, 8 November (2006) - Circular to members of London and Southwark Dioceses Prisons & Penal Concerns Group regarding dates for meetings

for 2007 (8 December 2006) - A note of the meeting of the London and Southwark Prisons and Penal Concerns Group, 7 February (2007) - Print out of presentation, 'Reducing Reoffending', 7 February (2007) APPLY TO ARCHIVIST

#### WIP/17/3 Women Prisoners Caseworker Steering Group Meeting

2005-2006

Papers relating to Women Prisoners Caseworker Steering Group and WIP's involvement with the organisation (2005-2006). Includes:

Agenda and minutes of Women Prisoners Caseworker Steering Group Meeting, 6 April (2005)
Agenda and minutes of Women Prisoners

Caseworker Steering Group Meeting, 7 April (2006) APPLY TO ARCHIVIST

### WIP/17/4 Older Prisoners Forum

2005-2007

Papers relating to Older Prisoners Forum and WIP's involvement with the organisation (2005-2007). Includes:

- Interim Report from Older Prisoners Forum meeting, 25 January (2007)

- Diagram relating to Older Prisoners Pathway Project (2007)

- Notes from a meeting of the Older People in Prisons Forum, 25 January (2007)

- Correspondence from Age Concern to members of the Older People in Prison Forum regarding various documents and next meeting (14 March 2007)

- Progress report and update of Older People in Prisons Forum by the Prison Reform Trust (2006)

- List of members of Older Prisoners Forum (2007)

- Minutes of meeting of Older People in Prisons Forum, 21 February (2005)

- Notes of meeting between Older People in Prisons Forum and Phil Wheatley, 10 March (2005)

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#### WIP/17/5 Prison Reform Trust/The Shannon Trust 2005 Agenda, information document, and list of participants from a meeting convened by The Prison Reform Trust and The Shannon Trust regarding producing a leaflet for prison staff on preventing violence, 7 March (2005) **APPLY TO ARCHIVIST** WIP/17/6 **Children and Families Pathway Reference** [2004-2006] Group Paper relating to Children and Families Pathway Reference Group, and WIP's involvement with the organisation [2004-2006]. Includes: - Annotated document titled, 'Children and Family Pathway' (n.d.) - Correspondence to WIP regarding resettlement strategy chapter on women (June 2005) - Draft agenda for Children and Families of Offenders Strategic Reference Group, 17 May (2005)- Draft agenda for Children and Families of Offenders Strategic Reference Group, 27 January (2006) - Agenda and minutes for Children and Families of Offenders Strategic Reference Group meeting, 15 November (2005) - Document titled, 'Developing and understanding awareness training for education & welfare professionals dealing with families affected by imprisonment (January 2006) - Regional Resettlement Strategy: Children and Families Pathway implementation plan (2005)- Minutes of Children and Families Strategic Pathway Reference Group meeting, 25 August (n.d.) - London Resettlement Strategy, Children and Families Pathway draft action plan (2005) - Minutes of Children and Families Strategic Pathway Reference Group meeting, 6 October (n.d.) - Comments on Draft London Resettlement

Strategy, Chapter 9: Children and Families (2005)

- Correspondence from Resettlement Project Manager regarding reviewing section of Children and Families Pathway Group Strategy (April 2005)

- Chapter nine of Children and Families Pathway Group Strategy, 'Children and Families' (n.d.)

- Draft copy of chapter twelve of Children and Families Pathway Group Strategy, 'Women Offenders' (n.d.)

- Draft London Resettlement Strategy Consultation Comments (n.d.)

- London Resettlement Board, Children and Families Strategic Pathway Group, Draft Terms of Reference [2005]

- Draft copy of, 'London Resettlement Strategy: Phase One of the London Reducing Reoffending Action Plan: Working in Partnership to improve outcomes for offenders and exoffenders in the captial', featuring handwritten annotations [2005]

Children and Offenders Workshop, report back on syndicate work, 18 November (2004)
Correspondence from Resettlement Manager to colleagues regarding agreeing to join the Strategic Pathway Reference Group, and date for the first meeting (7 January 2005)
Agenda, minutes and related papers from

Children and Families of Offenders Strategic Reference Group, 10 January (2005)

- Draft agenda and minutes for meeting of Children and Families of Offenders Strategic Reference Group, 4 February (2005)

- Draft agenda for meeting of Children and Families of Offenders Strategic Reference Group, 28 February (2005)

- Recommendation and proposals for the Resettlement Strategy, with handwritten annotations (n.d.)

- Information document about Prison Advice & Care Trust (PACT) (n.d.)

- Information document by WIP, 'Needs data on women prisoners' children and families (n.d.)

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#### WIP/17/7 Penal Affairs Consortium

Paper relating to Penal Affairs Consortium, and WIP's involvement with the organisation (2004-2007). Includes:

- Agenda for meeting of the Penal Affairs Consortium, 20 April (2004) - Notes of a meeting of the Penal Affairs Consortium, 4 February (2004) - Agenda and related papers for meeting of the Penal Affairs Consortium, 13 December (2005) - Correspondence from the Penal Affairs Consortium to members regarding securing funding for relocating offices (April 2007) - Notes of a meeting of the Penal Affairs Consortium (25 April 2007) - Paper titled, 'The Future of the Penal Affairs Consortium' (n.d.) - Agenda for meeting of the Penal Affair Consortium, 14 June (2005) - Agenda and notes from a meeting of the Penal Affairs Consortium, 8 March (2005) - Notes of a meeting of the Penal Affairs Consortium (13 December 2004) - Paper, 'Points from Recent Home Office Statistical Publications' (n.d.) - Correspondence between Penal Affairs Consortium and WIP regarding Equalities Paper (2004) - Penal Affairs Consortium, Policy Briefing Paper, 'Equalities and Consistency', featuring handwritten annotations [2004] - Agenda for meeting of the Penal Affairs Consortium, 13 July (2004) - Notes of a Special Meeting of the Penal Affairs Consortium, 21 June (2004) - Briefing paper, 'Drugs and Crime - the link is Prohibition', by Transform Drug Policy Foundation (n.d.) - List of CJS Consultations known to secretary of the Penal Affairs Consortium (12 July 2004) **APPLY TO ARCHIVIST** 

Papers relating to the Corston Report and the campaign surrounding it, including: copy of The Corston Report; minutes/meeting papers; Term of Reference; correspondence; background research; draft report; and followup (2006-2017) **SEE INDIVIDUAL FILES** 

#### WIP/18/1 The Corston Report

Copy of, 'The Corston Report: The Need For A Distinct, Radically Different, Visibly-led, Strategic, Proportionate, Holistic, Woman-Centred, Integrated Approach', a Report by Baroness Jean Corston of a Review of Women With Particular Vulnerabilities in the Criminal Justice System (March 2007) **OPEN** 

#### WIP/18/2 Minutes/Meeting Papers

Papers, draft, programmes, agendas and minutes relating to the Review of vulnerable women in the Criminal Justice System reference group (2006). Includes:

- WIP Draft Recommendations to the Corston Review (November 2006)

- Correspondence relating to Accommodation for women on release from prison (November 2006)

- Paper, 'Review of Women in the CJS with Particular Vulnerabilities' [2006]

- Correspondence relating to ideas for Corston Review (November 2006)

- Prison Health Submission to Baroness Corston's Review of Women with Particular Vulnerabilities in the Criminal Justice System (December 2006)

- Notes from Home Office Symposium, 29 November (2006)

- Programme for public event regarding Baroness Jean Corston's Review of Women in the Criminal Justice System with Particular Vulnerabilities, 31 October (2006)

- Briefing for Baroness Corston's Consultation on vulnerable women in the criminal justice system, 31 October (2006) 2006

2007

- Correspondence relating to WIP's wishlist and top idea for Corston Review (July/August 2006) - Programme for Visit of BAroness Jean Corston & Safer Custody Group, 19 September (2006) - Itinerary for the visit by Baroness Hean Corston and Reference Group (title of: Review if Vulnerable Women), 6 September (2006) - Agenda and related paper for the fifth meeting of the reference group, 19 July [2006] - Report of progress for Baroness Jean Corston's review (June 2006) - Programme for meeting at Calderdale Women's Centre, 24 May (2006) - Programme for meeting at HMP Brockhill, relating to review, 17 May (2006) - Paper, 'Self inflicted deaths at Brockhill since 1998 [2006] - Correspondence relating to Brockhill meeting, 17 May (2006) - Agenda and minutes of second meeting of the review reference group, 26 April (2006) - Correspondence relating to reference group

meetings (May 2006)

- Agenda and minutes of first meeting of the review reference group, 29 March (2006) **APPLY TO ARCHIVIST** 

#### WIP/18/3 Terms of Reference

Statement and paper regarding background to the review of vulnerable women in the criminal justice system, outlining plans, terms of reference and scope of the review [2006]. Includes:

Statement from Home Office, 'Review of vulnerable women in the Criminal Justice System, 28 March (2006)
Paper, 'Review of vulnerable women in the criminal justice system: Planning the review' [2006]
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#### WIP/18/4 Correspondence

Correspondence relating to recommendations and other issues regarding the Review of Women in CJS (2006). Includes: 2006

2006

- Correspondence between various individuals regarding informal meeting on Review of Women in CJS (November 2006)

- Correspondence from WIP to Baroness Scotland regarding vulnerable women that were missed out of review discussion (August 2006)

- Correspondence between various individuals regarding accommodation of prisoners on release (August 2006)

- Correspondence between various individuals regarding recommendations for review (August 2006)

- Correspondence between various individuals regarding visit to 218 and Cornton Vale (July 2006)

- Correspondence between various individuals regarding reference group meetings (June 2006)

- Correspondence between various individuals regarding consultation draft (May 2006) **APPLY TO ARCHIVIST** 

#### WIP/18/5 Background Research

2006

Background research papers relating to case studies of vulnerable female prisoners [2005-2006]. Includes:

- Minutes of AGM of the All-Party Parliamentary Penal Affairs Group, 18 July (2006)

- Research 'from Nigel Hancock' relating to anonymous case studies of female prisoners (April 2006)

- Safer Custody Group Briefing 9: "Near Misses' - Learning from Survivors of severe self-harm' [2006]

Safer Custody Group Briefing 13: 'Selfinflicted deaths of women in custody' [2006]
Paper, "Summary of summaries' of women's self-inflicted deaths' (n.d.)

- Research and statistics paper, 'Safer Custody Strategy' (n.d.)

- Paper, 'Investigation Into Female Self-Inflicted Deaths in Custody' [2006]

- Article, 'Learning from 'Near Misses':

Interviews with Women who Survived an

Incident of Severe Self-Harm in Prison', The Howard Journal, Vol.44, No.1 (February 2005) **OPEN** 

#### WIP/18/6 Draft Report

2006

Draft copy of report and contributor list, and list of attendees to various events relating to the report (2006). Includes:

List of contributors [to report] (2006)
Attendance lists for visits to various prisons and events relating to the report (2006)
Draft report, featuring handwritten annotations (2006)
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#### WIP/18/7 Follow-up

2006-2017

Agenda, minutes, reports and related material regarding review of the Corston Report by WIP, Cast and Clean Break (2006-2017). Includes:

Minutes of meeting between WIP, Cast and Clean Break [2007]
Draft Briefing Paper, by WIP, Clean Break and Cast (April 2007)
Paper, 'Public Affairs Proposal for Cast' (August 2006)
Agenda , minutes and related correspondence for Corston Review Meeting, 25 January (2007)
Report, 'The Corston Report 10 Years On: How far have we come on the road to reform for women affected by the criminal justice system', produced by WIP and supported by Barrow Cadbury Trust (2017)
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#### WIP/19 Visual Material and Ephemera

c.2000-2020

Visual material produced by and relating to Women in Prison (WIP), and their campaigns, events and services, including: t-shirts, posters, flyers and ephemera, website creation docs; and photographs (c.2000-2020) **SEE INDIVIDUAL FILES** 

#### WIP/19/1 T-shirts

Two WIP t-shirts (n.d.). Including:

Grey t-shirt featuring pink and white round logo on the left breast which reads, 'momo: move out move on'. The reverse features the WIP address in pink and white text and the sleeve features a pink logo of a key with three lines (n.d.)
Red t-shirt with a white WIP logo on the left breast and a quote by Alice Walker on the back which reads, 'The Most Common Way People Give Up Their Power Is By Thinking They Don't Have Any' in black text (n.d.)

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#### WIP/19/2 Posters

c.2000s

Posters relating to Women in Prison (WIP) events, services and campaigns (c.2000s). Includes:

- A4 poster, 'Life after prison', featuring the front cover of the Summer 2009 issue of the WIP Magazine [2009]

- A4 poster featuring the front cover of the Autumn 2009 issue of the WIP Magazine [2009]

A4 poster featuring the front cover of the Spring 2010 issue of the WIP Magazine [2010]
A4 poster, 'Your creativity', featuring the front cover of the March 2009 issue of the WIP Magazine [2009]

- A4 poster, 'Lost in Music', featuring a page from the WIP Magazine (n.d.)

- A4 poster, 'Innocent Until Proven Guilty?: Remand: The Facts', featuring the front cover of the February 2008 issue of the WIP Magazine [2008]

A4 poster featuring the front cover of the June 2008 issue of the WIP Magazine [2008]
A4 poster, 'I hated school - so why should I bother studying NOW?', featuring a page from the WIP Magazine (n.d.)

- A4 poster, 'Drugs and Drink' featuring the front cover of the Winter 2009 issue of the WIP Magazine [2009]

- A4 poster, Women in Prison 1983-2008', featuring the front cover of the October 2008

issue of the WIP Magazine [2008]

- A4 poster, 'Not such a bad girl?' featuring the front cover of the February 2007 issue of the WIP Magazine [2007]

- A4 poster, 'A Helping Hanah', featuring the front cover of the Summer 2007 issue of the WIP Magazine [2007]

A4 poster, 'moving women forward, forward moving women, women moving forward' (n.d.)
A4 poster promoting, 'Women's Bail Support Project', lead by Ministry of Justice and WIP (n.d.)

- A4 poster promoting WIP project called 'Piano: Providing Innovation And New Opportunities' (n.d.)

- A3 red poster promoting WIP services and helpline (n.d.)

- A3 white poster promoting WIP services and helpline (n.d.)

- A3 poster, 'A Fresh Start for Mothers and Children', promoting Re-Unite resettlement project (n.d.)

- A3 posters, 'London Calling' promoting MOMO, a project for women coming back to London (two different designs) (n.d.)

- A3 poster, 'Love Your Inner Lesbian' by Stonewall (n.d.)

- A4 Poster promoting participation in project, 'The Scolds Bridle Art Installation:

Representing the voices of Women in Prison', taking place at Greenwich Gallery (Spring 2010)

- Two A4 and one A3 poster promoting WIP writing competition, 'Dear Diary, The Summer Solstice, The Longest Day of the Year, 21 June 2017' (2017)

- Two A3 posters containing handwritten words and phrases written on blank paper (n.d.) **OPEN** 

#### WIP/19/3 Flyers and Ephemera

c.2000-2020

Postcards, flyers, leaflets relating to various projects and services lead by WIP (c.2000-2020). Includes:

- Postcard, 'A Fresh Start for Mothers and Children', promoting Re-Unite resettlement project (n.d.)

- Leaflet, 'A Fresh Start for Mothers and

Children', promoting Re-Unite resettlement project (n.d.)

Ready Stead Go! postcard featuring the quote, 'There is a crack in everything. That's how the light gets in', Leonard Cohen (n.d.)
A5 leaflet, 'Women's Support: Supporting Women through the Criminal Justice System' promoting project lead by WIP and Ministry of Justice (n.d.)

- A5 flyer promoting the services of WIP and supporting WIP (n.d.)

- A5 flyer promoting project 'PIANO: Providing Innovation And New Opportunities', lead by Women in Prison (n.d.)

- A5 flyer, 'Are you a woman with a child/children?' promoting Parenting Support Worker services at WIP (n.d.)

- A5 flyer promoting performance of, 'exclusion: who will get your vote?', organised by Whoop 'n' wail Theatre Company in association with WIP (n.d.)

- Flyer promoting drop in sessions at WIP for 'women who've been in prison or in contact with the police' (n.d.)

Leaflet, 'Re-Unite Project Information for service providers', by WIP (June 2007)
Leaflet promoting, 'The London Project', lead

by the Ministry of Justice and WIP (n.d.)

- Postcards promoting contact details of WIP, featuring front cover of Summer 2009 WIP Magazine [2009]

- Postcards promoting contact details of WIP, featuring front cover of Autumn 2009 WIP Magazine [2009]

- Blank WIP Christmas cards, featuring a collage of various WIP magazine front covers (n.d.)

- Flyer promoting, The Beth Centre, a project lead by WIP (c.2015)

- Flyer promoting, 'EPIC Peer Mentor' scheme at The Beth Centre (c.2015)

- Booklet, 'Healthcare at HMP & YOI

Bronzefield: We are here for you!', developed by WIP Health Advocates (n.d.)

- Postcard, 'Got something to SHOUT about?' designed by WIP to get ideas of the campaigns that people would like them to be

involved in (n.d.)

- Booklet, 'Housing Survival Guide', produced by WIP and London Housing Federation (n.d) A4 flyer, 'Join The Movement To End Imprisonment For Debt', by Centre for Criminal Appeals [2019]
A4 flyer, 'Information resource for reducing women's imprisonment' by Prison Reform Trust (n.d.)
OPEN

#### WIP/19/4 Website creating docs

c.2000s

Various different print-outs of pages from the WIP website, featuring handwritten notes and annotations, and a diagram of the planned structure for the website (c.2000s) **OPEN** 

#### WIP/19/5 Photographs

[2005-2012]

n.d.

Two sets of photographs relating to WIP [2005-2012]. Includes:

Sixty-three black and white portrait photographs of various individuals (no further information known) [2006]
Fifty-six colour photographs of various individuals at various different events (no further information known) [2005]
Laminated colour photograph of Chris Tchaikovsky (n.d.)
Two colour printed photographs of a quilt on display, 'BirdWord: HMP Holloway 2012' (2012)
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#### WIP/19/6 Denim Patch

Denim patch which reads, 'Empower Women Resist Injustice Transform Lives' in cross stitch, and hand stitching which reads, 'Justice Matters for Women' (n.d.) **OPEN** 

# WIP/19/7DVD - 'Women Matter'n.d.DVD of documentary, 'Women Matta' [made by

DVD of documentary, 'Women Matta' [made by WIP] (n.d.) OPEN

#### **WIP/20 Competition entries** 2013-2019 Papers and related material regarding competitions run by WIP, including: Entries for writing competitions and entries for various art competitions (2013-2019) SEE INDIVIDUAL FILES WIP/20/1 Writing entries 2019 Nine entries for writing competition about experiences of work, general entries for publication in the WIP magazine, and correspondence from WIP confirming that entries had been received (2019) APPLY TO ARCHIVIST WIP/20/2 2013-2016 **Art Competitions** Entries, administrative papers and related material from Art Competitions run by WIP, including: 'I am...' Postcard Art Competition 2013; 'My life ... my story' Art Competition 2014-2015; and 'Design an Album Cover' Art Competition 2016 (2013-2016) SEE INDIVIDUAL FILES WIP/20/2/1 2013 'I am...', Postcard Art Competition 2013 Administrative papers, pieces of art and entry forms for the WIP Postcard Art Competition 2013. The theme of the competition was, 'I am...', and entries included: pencil drawings, poems, paintings, fabric work and printed work

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## WIP/20/2/2 'My life...my story' Art Competition 2014- 2014 -2015 2015

Administrative papers, pieces of art and entry forms for the WIP Art Competition 2014-2015. The theme of the competition was, 'My life...my story', and entries included: pencil drawings, paintings, fabric work and printed work (2014-2015)

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#### 'Design an Album Cover' Art Competition WIP/20/2/3 2016 2016

Administrative papers, pieces of art and entry forms for the WIP Art Competition 2016. The theme of the competition was, 'Design an Album Cover', and entries included: pencil drawings, paintings, fabric work and printed work (2016)

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