

SEEC briefing on Brexit

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Brexit state of play

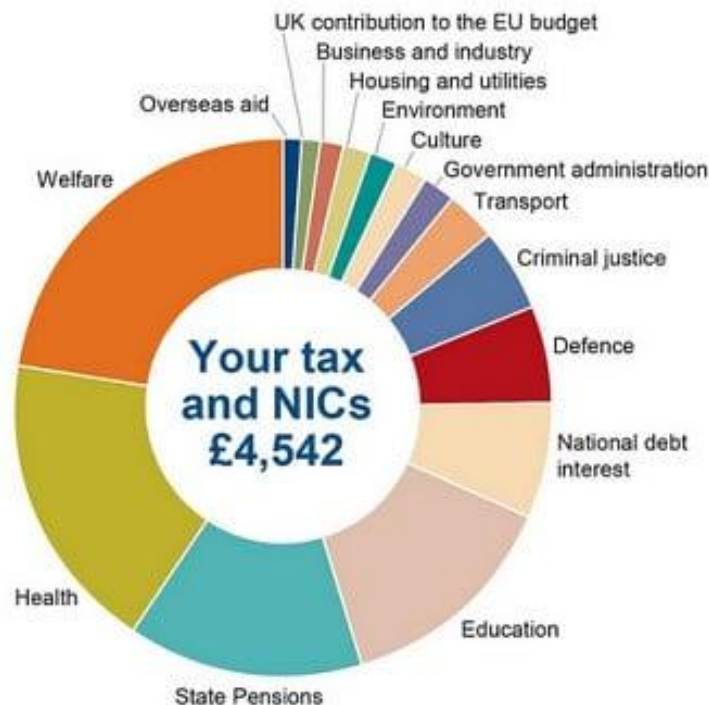
- * Business as usual – theory and practice
- * Freedoms and Rights
- * Where are we going? Hard or soft exit?
- * How will we get there? Article 50 or not?
- * How long till the New Normal?

EU budget: 1% of government spending

How your tax contributed to public spending

	Your contribution
Welfare	£1,024
Health	£842
State Pensions	£682
Education	£591
National debt interest	£321
Defence	£246
Criminal justice	£213
Transport	£126
Government administration	£113
Culture eg sports, libraries, museums	£94
Environment	£82
Housing and utilities eg street lighting	£75
Business and industry	£69
UK contribution to the EU budget	£40
Overseas aid	£25
Total	£4,542

All figures are rounded to the nearest pound.



Allocated EU funds:

European Structural Investment Funds (ERDF, ESF, EAFRD):

Local Economic Partnerships:	€mn 2014-2020
Buckinghamshire Thames Valley	14
Oxfordshire	19
Thames Valley Berkshire	29
Solent	43
Enterprise M3	46
Coast to Capital	67
South East	186
Total:	404
Compare to: Cornwall	593

Competitive EU funds

Horizon 2020
Health Programme
Interreg:
Europe,
North West Europe,
Two Seas,
Manche/Channel
“Business As Usual” (?)

Transfer of Power

Whitehall is not the default destination
for powers transferred from the EU:

Recycling, Waste

Food Hygiene, Air Quality

Housing, Planning

Transport, Health

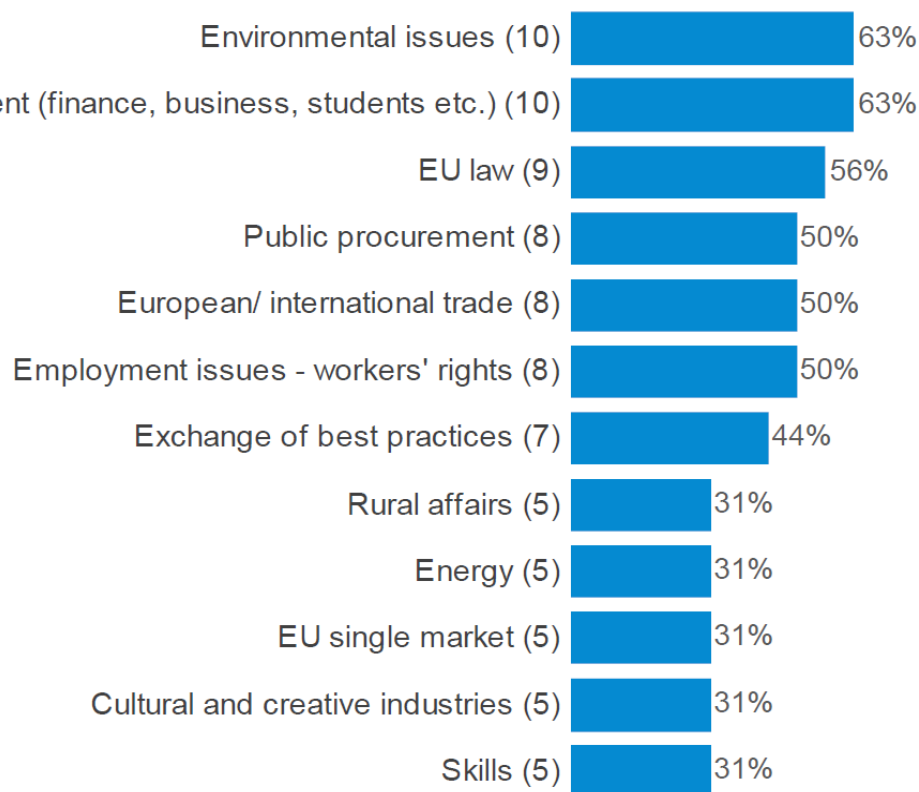
Policing, Criminal Justice

Do Local Authorities want them?

Links with devolution

The SELP Survey results

In the light of Brexit, which of the following areas will be European priorities for your organisation? (tick as many as you deem important):



Effects on the South East –

Regulation

Migration

Skills

Inward Investment

R&D

Tourism

Demographics

Regional and Industrial Policy

Legislative congestion

Local Government Voice

Local Government Association: Represents Local Government nationally

South East:

Prosperous

Congested

Ageing

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SELP European Congress 2016

EUROPEAN CONGRESS 2016

South Downs Centre, Midhurst, West Sussex
Monday, 17th October 2016, 11.30 - 4.00



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Monday 17th October 2016

South Downs National Park, Midhurst, West Sussex

Three parts:

- (1) SELP Annual Council (SELP member organisations only)
- (2) SELP led plenary session
- (3) South Downs National Park led session

Themes:

am plenary = Brexit

pm plenary = Circular Economy; ecosystem services

Registration link in Eventbrite via www.selp.org.uk

Free event, open to all

Venue capacity = 160

Travel collection from Chichester & Haslemere stations

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