

Britain on the Brink: Can Liz Truss Revive the Country?

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Stephens is hosting a conference call for institutional investors with the Rt Hon Lord Frost, former Brexit Minister and member of the U.K. House of Lords. This call will discuss Britain's economic challenges and the Truss government's policy priorities.

About the Speaker



David Frost, the Rt Hon Lord Frost of Allenton CMG, was Chief Negotiator and Europe adviser to Prime Minister Boris Johnson (2019-21) and then Cabinet Minister responsible for EU relations (2021). He led the negotiations which broke the political deadlock over Brexit, finally took the UK out of the EU, and put in place the world's broadest free trade agreement. He began the work of post-Brexit reform and of dealing with the problems of the Northern Ireland Protocol, but left the Government over policy differences in December 2021. Lord Frost is one of those rare individuals in the UK system who has been all three of Minister, special adviser, and professional diplomat and civil servant. He was Boris Johnson's political adviser on foreign policy in the Foreign Office and before that was British Ambassador in Denmark, Europe Director and head of Policy Planning in the Foreign Office, and Britain's chief trade negotiator and member of the EU's Trade Policy Committee. He also has trade experience outside Government as CEO of one of the UK's biggest trade associations, the Scotch Whisky Association (2013-16), and in that capacity was closely involved in the politics around the 2014 Scotland independence referendum.

Topics of Discussion

- Britain's Economic Distress Energy Prices and Crippling Inflation
- Prime Minister Liz Truss's Political Convictions and Policy Priorities
- The Truss Cabinet Team's Strengths and Weaknesses
- The Future of "The Special Relationship"
- Britain's Foreign Policy: A New Direction?

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