

**Labour NW Business Conference 2019**  
**25<sup>th</sup> January 2019, Manchester United Football Club**

Time	Event
9.00	Arrival and Refreshments
9.25	Welcome by Bill Esterson MP, Shadow Minister for International Trade (confirmed)
9.30	<p><b>Keynote Speech: Rebecca Long Bailey MP, Shadow Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy (confirmed)</b></p> <p><i>'Business and the Labour movement'</i>            10 mins speech followed by Q&amp;A.</p>
10.10 -	<p><b>Workshop: with Labour's High Street Taskforce (5 mins)</b></p> <p><i>'Business in the community: How Labour can support bringing businesses into local communities'</i></p> <p><b>Table discussions with</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bill Esterson MP, (confirmed, Shadow Minister for International Trade)</li> <li>• Kate Green MP (tbc, MP for Stretford and Urmston)</li> <li>• Lucy Powell (tbc, MP for Manchester Central)</li> <li>• Andrew Western (tbc, Leader Trafford Council)</li> <li>• Jonathan Reynolds MP (tbc, Shadow Economic Secretary to the Treasury, MP for Stalybridge and Hyde)</li> <li>• Jim McMahon MP (confirmed, Shadow Minister for Devolution, MP for Oldham West and Royton)</li> <li>• Rebecca Long-Bailey MP (tbc, Shadow Business Secretary and MP for Salford and Eccles)</li> <li>• Afzal Khan MP (confirmed, Shadow Minister for Immigration, MP for Gorton)</li> <li>• Barbara Keeley MP (tbc, MP for Worsley and Eccles South)</li> </ul>
12.10	Lunch Break
1.15	<p><b>Panel Discussion: with Steve Rotheram (confirmed), Liverpool City Region Mayor, Jim McMahon MP, (tbc, Shadow Minister for Devolution) and Chi Onwurah MP (tbc), Shadow Minister for Industrial Strategy</b></p> <p><i>Devolution and business: towards a new settlement</i>            5 mins each followed by Q&amp;A</p>
2.45	Refreshments
3.00	<p><b>The Big Debate with Keir Starmer MP (confirmed), Shadow Secretary of State for Brexit and Andy Burnham (confirmed), Greater Manchester Mayor, Theresa Griffin, North West MEP (tbc)</b></p> <p><i>'Brexit and Business'</i></p> <p>5 mins speech each followed by Q&amp;A</p>
4.30	Closing Speech by John McDonnell MP, Shadow Chancellor of the Exchequer (tbc)