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Contact (N2) 020 8444 1162

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Team 020 7161 9014

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RSPCA Inspector 08705 555 999
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0244/ 8489 8774

Rudi stands down

Dr Rudi Vis, MP for Finchley and Golders Green since 1997, announced at the end of May that he would not be standing at the next general election. Mr Vis explained to his constituency party that personal circumstances were making it increasingly difficult to be available in the constituency, particularly at most weekends.

He said: "It has been an enormous honour to have served as an MP since 1997 and before that as a councillor from 1986 to 1998. Finchley and Golders Green is one of London's most vibrant and varied suburbs."

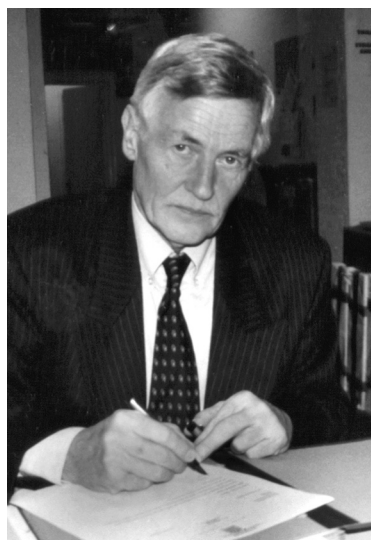
Before he entered the House of Commons, Mr Vis was an economics lecturer in north London. During his 11 years in the Commons he has been a regular participant in the Council of Europe in Strasbourg and the Western European Union in Paris.

The Chair of the Constitu-

ency Labour Party, Cllr Andrew McNeil, said: "Rudi is a hard-working and popular constituency MP, a fact that is evident whenever we meet people on the streets. He will be sorely missed. When the time finally comes for him to go we wish him and his family all the very best."

The Party will now begin the process of selecting his successor to stand in the seat. This is expected to take several months.

*Rudi Vis pictured right.
Photo by Erini Rodis*



Kill your speed

A reader from Twyford Avenue has contacted *THE ARCHER* to raise concerns about the speed of traffic in his road.

He is worried about the safety of students at Fortismere School and fears that, unless vehicles slow down in that vicinity there could be an accident, particularly at the start and end of the school day.

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Planning Applications

Barnet Council

26 Chandos Road, N2
Single storey rear extension.
30 Church Mount, N2

Demolition and reconstruction of existing side extension plus conversion of garage into reception room plus minor alterations to windows and internal remodeling and refurbishment.

6 Durham Road, N2

Ground and first floor extension. Roof extension. Changing number of units from existing six to four.

The Sternberg Centre for Judaism, The Lodge, 80 East End Road, N3

Variation of condition 2 (parking) pursuant to planning permission C00403CL/05 dated 30/09/2005
20 Fairlawn Avenue, N2
Loft conversion including rear dormer window.

29A Fortis Green, N2 (2 apps)

Ground floor rear extension

31 Gurney Drive, N2

Single storey side extension

Remisville, 9 The Bishops Avenue, N2

Demolition of existing house and erection of new replacement house. (Variations to previously approved scheme).

24 The Bishops Avenue, N2

Demolition of existing property and erection of a two storey detached

dwelling house with rooms in roof space and basement

Gable Lodge, 30 The Bishops Avenue, N2

Excavation and backfilling within the rear garden to form an underground pool and gym complex and the creation of a small sunken courtyard.

Land to the rear of Hornbeams, The Bishops Avenue, N2

Erection of two two-storey detached houses with rooms in the basement and roofspace with associated access road and altered vehicular access onto The Bishops Avenue.

Haringey Council

27 Eastern Road, N2

Certificate of Lawfulness for demolition of existing conservatory and erection of new rear ground floor conservatory extension.

80 Twyford Avenue, N2

Partial demolition of existing rear conservatory and erection of new single storey rear / side extension. Replacement of garage doors to front elevation with new bay window. Erection of side and rear dormer windows.

22 Aylmer Road, N2

Conversion of property from single occupancy house to one three-bed flat and one one-bed flat.

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