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## IPP Media Activity

Parliamentary activity that has taken place regarding the IPP sentence between 2010 and 2021.

### 2010

#### Inside Time

IPP update: government admits situation 'not defensible' - [here](#)

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### 2011

#### Inside Time

IPP Continues to plague the prison system - [here](#)

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### 2012

#### The Justice Gap

What's an IPP sentence - [here](#)

#### The Guardian

Indeterminate sentences: a 'stain' on the criminal justice system - [here](#)

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### 2013

#### Economic Voice

IPP prison sentences 'damage staff morale and threaten security' - [here](#)

#### Radio Kebele

IPP - Interview about Shaun Lloyd and Indeterminate Sentences for Public Protection (IPP) - [here](#)

#### Radio Cardiff

IPP News Views Special - [here](#)

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### 2014

#### Inside Time

I was the first IPP prisoner - [here](#)

#### Newsnight

Jailed indefinitely - [here](#)

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### 2015

#### Vice News

Jailed for life for a minor crime: The UK's forgotten prisoners - [here](#)

#### Birmingham TV

The Midland - IPP sentences - [here](#)

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### 2016

#### BBC

Imprisonment for public protection challenge rejected - [here](#)

Indefinite prison terms: 'Psychological Hell' - [here](#)

#### Radio Cardiff

IPP, Imprisonment for Public Protection, The Campaign Continues - [here](#)

## **Prison Watch UK**

'A living hell' – the untold story of the partner of a man on IPP - [here](#)

## **Belfast Telegraph**

Prisoners serving 'discredited' IPP sentences 'self-harming in despair' - [here](#)

## **The Justice Gap**

Court of appeal turns it's back on IPP prisoners stuck in the system - [here](#)

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## **2017**

### **Oxford Mail**

'I've lost hope' - Convict Michael Presley hits out in video after escaping prison - [here](#)

### **The Canary**

A prisoner who's served ten times his original sentence is being released. But thousands like him remain inside - [here](#)

### **The Justice Gap**

Prisoner left languishing for 11 years following 10 month sentence to be released - [here](#)

### **The Times**

James Ward will be released 11 years after being given ten-month jail sentence - [here](#)

### **The Guardian**

Prisoner who has served 11 years on 10-month sentence to be released - [here](#)

### **BBC**

Prisoner 'trapped' in jail for 11 years to be released - [here](#)

IPP prisoner James Ward release is 'bittersweet' says sister - [here](#)

### **The Week**

Britain's IPP prisoners shackled with indefinite terms - [here](#)

### **Metro**

Imprisonment for Public Protection – What is an IPP prisoner? - [here](#)

### **New Statesman**

"I'm to blame": Blunkett's indefinite prison sentences and the thousands still locked up without hope - [here](#)

### **Russell Webster**

IPPs, Recalls And The Future Of Parole - [here](#)

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## **2018**

### **New Humanist**

A never ending sentence - [here](#)

### **The Sun**

INDEFINITE SENTENCE What is imprisonment for public protection, who is James Ward and how many IPP prisoners are there in the UK? - [here](#)

### **Vice**

One punch, 99 years in prison - [here](#)

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## **2019**

### **The Daily Mail**

Man who's been in prison for 13 years with no prospect of release under a now-illegal indeterminate sentence faces losing a leg due to severe self-harm as he struggles to cope with 'hopeless' situation - [here](#)

**Freedom News**

Personal account from IPP prisoner Ian Hartley - [here](#)

The HMP kids: Damage done by IPP sentencing - [here](#)

**The Independent**

I'm one of thousands of prisoners with no release date in sight – this is how the IPP sentence ruined my life - [here](#)

I could well die in here!: The story of Charlotte Noakes and the thousands still looked up on indefinite sentences - [here](#)

**The Mirror**

Prisoner's emotional letter on 15th Christmas in jail for trying to steal coat and phone - [here](#)

**Chronicle Live**

Heartbreak for 'trapped' Scotswood prisoner Danny Weatherson after parole hearing adjourned until 2020 - [here](#)

**Leicester Mercury**

Meet the inmate still in prison after nicking a bike 12 years ago - [here](#)

**The Church Times**

Pleas made to release 2400 prisoners still held under IPP - [here](#)

**Inside Time**

Completely unsatisfactory - [here](#)

**Each Other.org**

Prisoners Sentenced Under Now Abolished IPP Law 'Give Up Hope Of Release' - [here](#)

**Press Reader**

Man in jail for eight years out in time for Christmas - [here](#)

**Metro**

Man jailed for stealing a bike at 17 is still in prison 12 years later - [here](#)

**The Justice Gap**

New legislation needed to 'end the injustice' of IPP prisoners - [here](#)

**Planet Radio**

Exclusive: Dozens of IPP prisoners still behind bars in West Midlands - [here](#)

**The Guardian**

IPP sentencing regime in England and Wales called 'deeply harmful' - [here](#)

Sister of IPP prisoner who took his own life calls for urgent action - [here](#)

**The Overtake**

No escape: The mental torture of Britain's forgotten prisoners - [here](#)

**The Vice**

Thousands of Prisoners Are Stuck in Endless Limbo in British Jails - [here](#)

**LBC Radio**

Mum of man jailed indefinitely for robbery explains the injustice of IPP sentences - [here](#)

**Novorat Media**

The Never ending sentence - [here](#)

## **The Guardian**

Why are so many prisoners in England still serving these cruel, endless sentences? - [here](#)

Charlotte Nokes's father: 'They might as well have thrown the key away' - [here](#)

The neverending prison sentences - [here](#)

## **The Mirror**

Top Judge blasts U.K.'s indefinite sentence as most monstrous injustice of all time - [here](#)

Everything you need to know about Imprisonment for Public Protection sentences - [here](#)

Man, 27, given indefinite sentence for trying to kill himself in fire could die in jail - [here](#)

Fears for dad in ninth year of 'soul destroying' indefinite sentence for stealing phone - [here](#)

Boy's powerful letter begging to see dad still in prison 9 years after stealing phone - [here](#)

Man, 32, spent half his life in prison for trying to steal a coat and phone - [here](#)

Prisoner who has served 15 years of 15 month sentence fears for life as coronavirus spreads - [here](#)

Man crushed by indefinite sentence drew a circle of blood before hanging himself - [here](#)

## **SW Londoner**

IPP population at near standstill for first time in five years - [here](#)

Resilience. Understanding the journey from trauma to crime - [here](#)

## **Justice Rapport**

The Forgotten – The prisoners who continue to serve abolished IPP sentences - [here](#)

## **Inside Time**

Requiem for IPPs and their families - [here](#)

## **Essence (Kahaila-Reflex)**

Imprisonment for public protection - [here](#)

## **Prison Reform Trust**

I'm always walking on eggshells and there's no chance of me ever being free - [here](#)

## **Comment Central**

Indeterminate sentences are an injustice to all - [here](#)

## **Chronicle Live**

Dad of 'trapped' prisoner Danny Weatherson says jail lockdown is 'like lying in a coffin' - [here](#)

Heartbreak for 'trapped' prisoner Danny Weatherson as he takes another blow in fight for release - [here](#)

## **Wales Online**

My son stole a phone aged 17. Soon he'll have spent 10 years in jail for it' - [here](#)

## **BBC**

Cardiff man given 'life sentence by back door' for phone theft - [here](#)

BBC News Wales interviews SL5's Andrew Sperling re the abolished IPP sentence - [here](#)

## **Spiked Online**

Charlotte Nokes: the brutality of indeterminate sentences - [here](#)

## **Novara Media**

'I Tried to End My Life': Covid-19 Exposes the Injustice of 'never-ending' Prison Sentences - [here](#)

## **Channel 4**

Campaigners urge UK government to take action on indeterminate prison sentences - [here](#)

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## **2021**

## **Chronicle Live**

Anger as 'trapped' Scotswood prisoner Danny Weatherson's chance of freedom delayed again - [here](#)

'It's make of break for him now' - Prisoner Danny Weatherson set to learn his fate - [here](#)

### **The Canary**

Thousands still languish in UK prisons with no release date - [here](#)

### **The Times**

There are 3000 lifers who shouldn't be in jail - [here](#)

### **The Justice Gap**

IPP prisoners should be resentenced immediately, says ex Lord Chief Justice - [here](#)

Episode 4: 'The greatest stain on our justice system' - [here](#)

### **Sky News**

Indefinite prison sentences: Campaigners call for existing licences to be ended - [here](#)

### **BBC**

Prisoner served 10 years for theft of a mobile phone - [here](#)

Imprisonment for Public Protection jail terms 'a death sentence' - [here](#)

### **Unlock**

The hopelessness of the IPP sentence - [here](#)

### **The Yorkshire Post**

Re-sentence 3,000 prisoners caught in jail 'trap' inadvertently established by David Blunkett, MPs advised - [here](#)

### **Josie Bevan: Radio 4**

Prison Break: Who is prison for? - [here](#)

### **Prison Reform Trust**

PRT Webinar: The experiences of prisoners recalled under the IPP sentence - [here](#)

### **Paul Clough**

Free IPP prisoners - [here](#)

### **Inside Time**

IPP: Creation, abolition and festering afterlife - [here](#)

Amnesty International calls on UK to free thousands of prisoners held on abolished IPP sentences - [here](#)

'Trapped in a crumbling System' - [here](#)

'Give IPP prisoners a release date' - [here](#)

Moving in the right direction - [here](#)

Parole Chief calls for resentencing of IPPs - [here](#)

UNGRIPP meets Secretary of State - [here](#)

Prisons: The good, the bad and the ugly - [here](#)

Outlaw does good - [here](#)

Rise in IPP recalls during pandemic - [here](#)

The time is now - [here](#)

Decline in OB programmes - [here](#)

Time to go - [here](#)

I know we'll make the same mistake again - [here](#)

Hundreds of prisoners take part in IPP inquiry - [here](#)

IPP is a "disaster", admits Lord Blunkett - [here](#)

Resentence all IPP prisoners, says former Lord Chief Justice - [here](#)

Psychiatrist tells MPs: IPP makes prisoners mentally ill - [here](#)

Trapped in a crumbling system - [here](#)

Families share pain without end - [here](#)

Labour calls for cross-party consensus to end IPP suffering - [here](#)  
'IPPs should be resentenced' - Parole Chief - [here](#)  
Liberty supports IPP reform - [here](#)  
IPP prisoners face cycle of release and recall - [here](#)  
Man on two year IPP sentence dies in jail 14 years later - [here](#)  
IPP licences lifted - [here](#)  
IPP prisoner cuts off ear - [here](#)  
Government changes policy on termination of IPP licences - [here](#)  
No plans to terminate IPP sentences - [here](#)  
MPs' inquiry into IPP sentences welcomed by campaigners - [here](#)  
"Toxic legacy" of IPP sentences - [here](#)  
Families Share pain without end - [here](#)  
IPP: A move in the right direction - [here](#)  
A Winters Tale - [here](#)  
Minister denies IPP's are rough Justice - [here](#)  
Newsflash - United Group for Reform of IPP - [here](#)  
Prisons White Paper will focus on rehabilitation says Dominic Raab - [here](#)  
Desperately seeking solutions - [here](#)  
Make the rest of your life the best of your life - [here](#)  
Unique Individuals behind every statistic - [here](#)  
Praise the Lords - [here](#)  
Justice Committee Inquiry into IPPs - [here](#)  
The Wrong Approach - [here](#)

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