

5 May 2008.

Mr. Stewart McCullough
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BBC Complaints
British Broadcasting Corporation
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Dear Mr. McCullough

I am writing to you formally in your role as Complaints Co-ordinator.

As the enclosed copy correspondence to Stephanie Harris and Bruce Vander attest, the latter has passed over to you my complaint for investigation into what may be termed the 'Harrabin Affair'. In connection with this, I shall look forward to hearing from you in due course.

There are also other specific complaints that remain to be addressed satisfactorily. These are also itemised in the copy letter addressed to Ms. Harris. They are:

- Alleged endangerment to penguins broadcast by the BBC at the time of the Bali conference, and the subsequent statement that the BBC was collaborating with the WWF to put pressure on the UN;
- David Shukman's fictional reports of sea level rise in Tuvalu;
- Failure of the BBC to report developments of major significance in the ongoing controversy surrounding global warming including:
 - the USA temperature adjustments acknowledged by GISS on 7 August 2007;
 - the temperature stasis since 1998 notwithstanding a 4-5% increase in atmospheric CO2 concentrations during the period;
 - the decline in global average temperatures for 2007 reported by Hadley and two other recognised sources (UAH & RSS) as against continued assertions by GISS that these have continued to rise;
 - lopsided and misleading reportage of Antarctic ice shelf melt;
 - the Heartland Conference.

In each of these, assertions made by me have been amply supported by reference to or actual evidence from reputable external sources.

I now formally request that each is taken forward to next stage in the BBC complaints procedure on the grounds that they did not properly reflect data based evidence, were fundamentally misleading and, therefore, failed even to meet the highly elastic standards of impartiality that the BBC has set for itself. With regard to Heartland, failure to report this major development quite simply amounted to a dereliction of journalistic responsibility which, of itself, constituted a breach of impartiality guidelines.

Please advise me of the actions you have taken meet this request.

Yours sincerely

R.C.E. Wyndham

Cc: Sir Michael Lyons Prime Minister Mr. David Cameron Mr. Nick Clegg Lord Lawson
 Lord Leach Lord Monckton Ms. Stephanie Harris Mr. Bruce Vander As the spirit moves