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VIP Dinner Discussion Two/18 with Mr Robert Jenrick MP Exchequer Secretary to the Treasury

On Thursday, 17 May 2018, Mr Robert Jenrick MP, Exchequer Secretary to the Treasury, was our Guest of Honour and Speaker at a Dinner Discussion at the Royal Over-Seas Club, London SW1, hosted by our Chairman and Chief Executive, Dr Bernd Atenstaedt.



Royal Over-Seas Club



Mr Robert Jenrick MP

We discussed UK Growth, Productivity and Industrial Strategy with the Minister. The UK has a productivity problem. The Government has recognised this and set up a new industrial strategy which focuses on improving productivity with more investment into infrastructure, skills, equipment and R&D. The Minister acknowledged that Germany has set some leads, in particular in skills training.

A very rewarding evening for us all with a lively discussion.



Most participants



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Some participants

Some 22 members and guests were present who included Mr Oliver Schramm and Mr Frank Neumann, German Embassy, Mr Lloyd Curtis, HM Treasury, Mr Klaus Allion, ANT Telecommunications Ltd, Ms Joanne Bullen, Bayer plc, Ms Sharon Davies, DHL UK & Ireland, Ms Melanie Fleet, ThyssenKrupp UK plc, Mr Uwe Hanneck, GIUK, Ms Camilla Horwood, Boehringer Ingelheim Ltd, Mr Volker Konrad, Volkswagen Group UK Ltd, Mr Robin Lennie, Andreas Stihl Ltd, Ms Sue Liburd, T-Systems Limited, Mr Phil McClennon, Leadec Ltd, Mr John Radford, Balluff Limited, Mr Clemens Richter, CMR Controls Ltd, Mr Christoph Rode, T-Systems Limited, Professor Barry Stickings CBE, GIUK, Mr Malcolm Whetton, ThyssenKrupp UK plc, Mr Paul Willis, Volkswagen Group UK Ltd and Mr Carl zu Dohna, Volkswagen Commercial Vehicles UK Ltd.



Some Participants



Ms Sharon Davies, Mr Malcolm Whetton and Mr Paul Willis (L-R)

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