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'By their deeds shall ye know them'



**Only one PM candidate voted against Theresa May's 'non-Brexit' each time
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As we begin the final countdown in the Tory party leadership contest, CIBUK looks at 'underdog' Suella Braverman whose track record on Brexit and a range of other issues is beyond reproach.

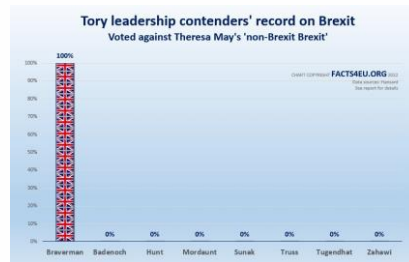
Whilst many column inches are being devoted to other candidates, the Attorney General has been written about rather less. Today we put that right. Most of what follows are her own words and we leave readers to judge.

CIBUK (<https://cibuk.org/>) – the longest-established organisation for independence, freedom and democracy in the UK – scrutinises the track record of Suella Braverman across a range of issues from Brexit to immigration. The summary is below and the **[full report is now available here.](#)**

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The report below has been produced in association with our affiliated organisation and research think tank, **Facts4EU.Org**.

Her Voting Record on Theresa May's Brexit Bill?



The simple fact is that Suella Braverman voted on all three occasions **against** Mrs May's deal with the EU. The other seven candidates voted **for** it on every occasion.

Consistent throughout on Brexit

From the outset the Attorney-General has been a model of consistency.

*“The simple truth is that this deal is not Brexit. It is neither what a majority of voters in Fareham voted for in the referendum nor what 80% of voters backed at the general election. But we are being told that, yes, it does honour the referendum and take back control of our laws, our money and our borders. Call me a pesky lawyer, but **that does not stand up to scrutiny.**”*

- The Rt Hon Suella Braverman QC MP, House of Commons, 15 Jan 2019 (From Hansard)

Other key policy areas:

Immigration

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- Suella Braverman, writing in ‘The House’, 12 July 2022

Cost of living

“Get government spending under control. Cut VAT on energy – and reduce the planned tax increases that are putting off investment. We must remember that every pound we spend comes out of your pocket first.”

- Suella Braverman in the Telegraph, 09 Jul 2022

Education, wokery, cancel culture, sexual identity

“When I was growing up, the symbol of our party was the torch of liberty. Argument is always better than censorship. Let’s not go down the identity politics rabbit hole. Single-sex spaces are perfectly normal, especially in schools.”

- Suella Braverman in the Telegraph, 09 Jul 2022

While remaining strictly impartial in the forthcoming contest, CIBUK nonetheless reserves the right to highlight Suella Braverman’s consistency of approach and intellectual integrity across a range of policy issues. And no more so than on her voting record on Brexit.

For editors and journalists

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