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Dear {MM:EnvName},

Switching the way you vote isn't something you do lightly.

I first joined the Conservative Party in 1967. I held many different positions within the party - including party leader in the European Parliament. I played a leading role in shaping several election manifestos.

But like so many of my former colleagues, I'm simply horrified with the direction this new government is taking the country.

By pursuing hard Brexit, they are jeopardising UK business and jobs by effectively surrendering our membership of the single market before negotiations even begin. On the NHS and care services, they are starving essential facilities of the resources they need to do their job.

This is not the party I was a part of for so much of my life. That's why I'm appealing to Conservatives to take a stand in this one-off by-election and lend their support to the Liberal Democrats.

Voting for Zac Goldsmith will not change anything, I'm afraid. Whereas voting for the Liberal Democrats will send a powerful message on the NHS, Heathrow and Brexit.

I left the Conservatives when I saw where their hard line rhetoric was heading, now my worst fears have been confirmed. Something has to change.

Your vote can send that message.

With best wishes,



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P.S. The economic competence championed by David Cameron is being undermined by a hard Brexit agenda Nigel Farage would be proud of. Please use your vote to send a message – vote for Sarah Olney.