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Former UK Special Envoy on Media Freedom Amal Clooney reportedly did not receive a fee for her work (<u>BBC</u>). Appointed in April 2019, she quit in September 2020 over opposition to the Brexit Bill

Joanna Roper (FCO career diplomat) and former Special Envoy on Gender Equality . The role had an <u>estimated budget</u> of £250,000. Actual salary in 2017 was in a pay scale from £120,000 to £125,000. Ms Roper was appointed Ambassador to the Netherlands in October 2020.

In January 2021, Helen Grant MP (Conservative) was appointed <u>Special Envoy</u> for Girls Education

In May 2021 PM Johnson appointed Lord Nick Herbert (former conservative MP) as the UK's first Special <u>Envoy</u> for LGBT rights