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The recent submission by Albert Poggio, who is the Gibraltar Government's representative in London to the Foreign Affairs Committee to the effect that his title should be changed to that of "Commissioner" is, as he has himself said, entirely his own personal view and initiative.

The Government of Gibraltar has not addressed its mind to any such issue, is perfectly happy with the title "Representative", and was unaware of Albert Poggio's statement until it saw them in the Gibraltar Press. Any change in nomenclature is a matter for the Gibraltar and UK Governments. The Gibraltar Government does not intend to seek any change of title.

A Spokesman for No6 said: -

"Albert Poggio is an excellent representative of the Gibraltar Government in London, where, in his official capacity he works to the policies and instructions of the Government. He does an excellent job and we are fortunate to have someone of his enthusiasm and commitment. However, his submission is, as he himself stated, entirely his personal view and does not represent or reflect Government's policy or instructions."