Richard Burgon responds to Government's publication of its employment tribunal fees review

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Burgon MP, Labour's Shadow Justice Secretary, responding to the Government's publication of its employment tribunal fees review, said:

"Whatever

ministers might say the reality is that the Employment Tribunal fees which they

introduced in 2013 were intended to weaken workers' rights and safeguard unscrupulous bosses.

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Tories' intransigence in relation to sticking with the Employment Tribunal fees

is bad news for working people and bad news for employers who play by the rules. Labour's policy is clear: a Labour Government will abolish Employment Tribunal fees which have seen a fall of around 70 per cent in cases being brought."