

# Unauthorised encampments

Constituents have raised with me the adequacy of the law governing illegal encampments. I have taken this up with government, who are now consulting on how to strengthen the law to prevent such occupation of land.

The consultation is open until March. Those concerned might like to respond, at

[www.gov.uk/government/consultations/strengthening-police-powers-to-tackle-unauthorised-encampments](http://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/strengthening-police-powers-to-tackle-unauthorised-encampments).