

We will work tirelessly to deliver a Labour Government – Kez Dugdale

Commenting on the announcement of a General Election, **Scottish Labour leader Kezia Dugdale** said:

"This country faces a significant and historic choice as we approach the UK leaving the EU.

"At the last election in 2015 we said this would be a clear choice between a destructive Tory Party and a better future with Labour.

"Since then we have seen the dangers of a Tory government.

"At this election, the choice again will be clear: a Tory Party intent on a hard and damaging Brexit; or a Labour Party that will oppose a second independence referendum and fight for a better future for everybody.

"The Labour Party is ready and has been preparing for a General Election. We will start the process of selecting our candidates this afternoon.

"We will work tirelessly to elect Jeremy Corbyn Prime Minister and deliver a Labour Government."