



# Peter Tatchell Foundation

Speaking out for Human Rights

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Dear Simon

**Re: Partnership with Chick-fil-A**

I hope you are well. It was good joining you at the Stonewall dinner in October.

I am writing to seek urgent clarification regarding reports of Stonewall's engagement with Chick-fil-A, as reported by *Attitude* magazine. Given Chick-fil-A's long history of funding organisations that oppose LGBT+ rights, this news is both deeply concerning and confusing for those of us who support Stonewall's mission.

Chick-fil-A's past financial contributions to groups that promote anti-LGBT+ policies and even conversion therapy are well-documented. While efforts to engage with companies to encourage positive change can be valuable, the only acceptable outcome here would be for Chick-fil-A to **cease funding all anti-LGBT+ hate groups, unequivocally and permanently.**

I would appreciate the following clarifications:

1. What is the nature of Stonewall's engagement with Chick-fil-A?
2. What assurances, if any, has Chick-fil-A provided about ending its funding of organisations hostile to LGBT+ equality?
3. How does Stonewall intend to ensure that its values and the trust of the LGBT+ community are upheld in this process?

Transparency is essential in this matter. Stonewall has been a vital champion for LGBT+ rights, and its integrity must remain unimpeachable. Any association that risks legitimising organisations with harmful histories demands clear, urgent action.

I look forward to your response and trust that Stonewall will continue to prioritise the values of equality, inclusion, and accountability.

Yours sincerely,

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