Dear Sir Muir Russell.

At the press conference announcing the Inquiry, you made the following undertaking:

"Given the nature of the allegations it is right that someone who has no links to either the University or the Climate Science community looks at the evidence and makes recommendations based on what they find."

Here is more evidence that Professor Boulton is completely unsuited to be a member of this inquiry.

If you do not force Professor Boulton to resign, within the next 5 working days, I will be forced, in turn to send this material to the press.

Yours sincerely, Dr. D.R.Keiller,

Statement from the UK science community, 10 December 2009 http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/climatechange/news/latest/uk-science-statement.html

We, members of the UK science community, have the utmost confidence in the observational evidence for global warming and the scientific basis for concluding that it is due primarily to human activities. The evidence and the science are deep and extensive. They come from decades of painstaking and meticulous research, by many thousands of scientists across the world who adhere to the highest levels of professional integrity. That research has been subject to peer review and publication, providing traceability of the evidence and support for the scientific method.

The science of climate change draws on fundamental research from an increasing number of disciplines, many of which are represented here. As professional scientists, from students to senior professors, we uphold the findings of the IPCC Fourth Assessment Report, which concludes that 'Warming of the climate system is unequivocal' and that 'Most of the observed increase in global average temperatures since the mid-20th century is very likely due to the observed increase in anthropogenic greenhouse gas concentrations'.

Signed by Prof. Geoffrey Boulton (University of Edinburgh) - do a search of the webpage to confirm