## Paula Sherriff MP

## LYING FEMINIST OF THE MONTH



J4MB presents the November 2016 Lying Feminist of the Month award to Paula Sherriff MP (Labour, Dewsbury) in recognition of her woeful contributions to Philip Davies's debate in the House of Commons in relation to International Men's Day (2016). Our video (1:22:43) of the debate is <a href="here">here</a>, our commentary (with timings) <a href="here">here</a>.

Two of her lies – both feminist classics which we've debunked many times, often presenting feminists with awards for them – related to the gender pay gap, and the number of women killed by partners and former partners. But this award is presented in recognition of the following barefaced lie, uttered after she'd mentioned our Lying / Whiny / Gormless / Toxic Feminist of the Month awards:

"As several of my hon. Friends appear to have been added to those lists for simply standing at this Dispatch Box doing what I am doing today, I dare say that I may well be at risk of ending up on one of them myself. Suffice it to say that I am not afraid."

The woman's an Amazon. But *none* one of the (eight) feminist MPs who've won our awards did do for 'standing at this Despatch Box doing what I am doing today'. Gloria De Piero, then Shadow Minister for Women and Equalities, won two **Lying Feminist of the Month** awards – <u>here</u> and <u>here</u>. **Whiny Feminist of the Month** award winners include <u>Harriet Harman</u>, <u>Jo Swinson</u> (LD), <u>Meg Hillier</u> and <u>Emily Thornberry</u>. **Gormless Feminist of the Month** award winners include <u>Yvette Cooper</u> and <u>Jo Swinson</u>. Last and least, <u>Jess Phillips</u> won a **Toxic Feminist of the Month** award, in large part for seeking to stop Philip Davies holding a debate in parliament on International Men's Day (2015).