

## The City funds the Tories

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Somehow [there's little surprise in the news that the Guardian reports](#) that:

*Financiers in the City of London provided more than 50% of the funding for the Tories last year, new research revealed last night, prompting claims that the party is in thrall to the banks.*

*A study by the Bureau for Investigative Journalism has found that the City accounted for £11.4m of Tory funding — 50.79% of its total haul — in 2010, a general election year. This compared with £2.7m, or 25% of its funding, in 2005, when David Cameron became party leader.*

The clutches of the City state extend to the state as a whole.

It is the tax haven enemy within.

Is there any surprise that the Tories are promoting the [most extraordinary tax cuts for big business](#), and big business alone in the UK?