

# What have Reform to do with Epstein?

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The National newspaper, for which I am a columnist, [reported this last night](#):

*REFORM UK are under pressure to explain why their treasurer appears numerous times in the Epstein files over more than a decade.*

*Nick Candy, a self-described billionaire who made his money in luxury properties, crops up on numerous occasions apparently linked to deals with Jeffrey Epstein, including what appears to be the prospective sale of the paedophile billionaire's New York mansion.*

*In December 2024, Candy announced that he had [quit the Conservatives and would "become the treasurer for Reform UK"](#). He then joined Nigel Farage and [Elon Musk at a strategy meeting at Donald Trump's Florida mansion](#), the latter two of whom also appear in the Epstein files.*

The trio's names all appear in a tranche of three million documents released by the US Department of Justice last Friday.

They, rightly, added this:

*Appearing in the Epstein files is not an indication of wrongdoing.*

That is true, but questions still need to be asked about this and about why, apparently, no Reform MP thought it appropriate to be in the Commons yesterday. Why could that be?