

**Candidature of
ANTHONY DAVID MOSS MA CC**

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**ELECTION OF SHERIFFS
FOR THE CITY OF LONDON**



My Lords, Ladies and Gentlemen

With the support and encouragement of many friends and colleagues, both in the Livery Companies and on Common Council, it is with great pleasure that I submit myself to the Livery as a candidate for the High Office of Sheriff at the election to be held in **Common Hall at Guildhall on Midsummer Day, Wednesday 24th June 1992, at 12 noon.**

I was born in Blackheath in 1932 and educated at Cranbrook School and Jesus College Cambridge. During my National Service I was commissioned in the Royal Army Service Corps and served in Libya, and later became a Captain and Adjutant in the Army Emergency Reserve.

I read Law at Cambridge and spent some nine years with The Metal Box Company, qualified as a solicitor in 1968 after articles with Hyde Mahon Bridges and then joined the partnership. I retired as a Partner in 1991 while continuing as a Consultant.

In 1964 I joined The Worshipful Company of Ironmongers, was elected to the Court in 1979 and was Master in 1987-88. I served on the Lord Mayor and Sheriffs' Committee and on the Livery Committee.

In May 1989 I won a contested election to the Court of Common Council in the Ward of Tower and serve on the Planning and Communications and other Committees.

I am a member of the City Livery Club and the United Wards Club and am on the Committees of the Tower Ward Club, Castle Baynard Ward Club and the City of London Historical Society.

I am a Trustee of the Geffrye Museum, Honorary Treasurer of the Metropolitan Public Gardens Association, a member of the London Topographical Society and the Georgian Group. In 1987 I was the lay adviser for the Civic Trust awards for Buckinghamshire.

My wife Jennifer works part-time as a Consultant Demographer, mainly in town planning. She has been a JP since 1978 and is a Vice-Chairman of the Chiltern Bench, and Vice-Chairman of the Governors of Dr Challoner's High School for Girls. She is Chairman of the Chesham Society and is an elected member of the National Council of Civic Trust Societies. She would welcome the opportunity to play her part in the civic team next year. My son is a liveryman of the Ironmongers' Company and I have two married daughters.

If you do me the honour of electing me to the High Office of Sheriff of the City of London I will do all in my power to justify your choice and to uphold and maintain the dignity and traditions of this ancient office.

I have the honour to be, my Lords, Ladies and Gentleman,

Your obedient servant

Anthony Moss

Citizen and Ironmonger