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Dear Ms Horton and Mr Ruthven,

I am writing in response to the report “A Growing Threat: The Anti-Rights Movement in the UK”, published on 8 July by Amnesty International UK (since removed but readily accessible), which includes LGB Alliance in a list of organisations it describes as “anti-rights”.

LGB Alliance and Amnesty International UK were both third-party interveners, on opposing sides, in the UK Supreme Court case *For Women Scotland Ltd v The Scottish Ministers* (judgment 16 April 2025). As you will be aware, the Supreme Court found unanimously in favour of For Women Scotland – and LGB Alliance. It thus upheld the sex-based rights of women and girls -- and also those of people with same-sex sexual orientation, whom my organisation represents as a registered charity.

Our intervention was a direct expression of our charitable object of eliminating discrimination on the grounds of sexual orientation.

Having lost the argument at the UK Supreme Court, Amnesty has now taken the extraordinary step of branding LGB Alliance (along with For Women Scotland and numerous other organisations) part of an “anti-rights” movement. It somehow neglected to add the Supreme Court.

Since the entire purpose of our charity is to promote the rights of LGB people, we expect you to issue an immediate apology and full retraction. Otherwise we will consider next steps.

Yours sincerely,



Eileen Gallagher OBE
Chair