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68 IS TOO LATE: DON'T RAISE THE STATE PENSION AGE!

The government may be about to raise the state pension age for **millions of workers** aged 44 to 52.

Why should workers be made to pay for the mistakes of this government? We create the wealth in this society, and we deserve a share of that wealth in our old age.

Older people deserve dignity, respect and financial security in their retirement, now and in the future.

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WORKERS SHOULD NOT BE MADE TO WORK LONGER TO PAY FOR THIS CRISIS

The State Pension age is already due to rise to 67 by 2028 and 68 by 2046. However, the government has now indicated that it may attempt to bring forward the rise to 68. This could be as early as 2037, or even earlier.

Our economy is not working for workers.

- Life expectancy is no longer rising steadily.
- Cuts to the NHS and long waiting lists mean many more can't work.
- Work no longer pays – 1 in 10 pre-State Pension age households have savings of less than £250.
- Decades of attacks on defined benefit pensions mean we can't expect a comfortable and secure retirement anymore.
- Meanwhile the profits of the UK's largest companies are 89% higher than before the pandemic.

There is enough wealth in our society, so politicians have a choice. Will they take the side of the profiteers or will they take the side of ordinary people?

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