

**DANIEL MORGAN
INDEPENDENT PANEL**

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SIR STANLEY BURNTON'S RESIGNATION

A spokesman for the Daniel Morgan Independent Panel said today: "Sir Stanley Burnton today resigned as chairman of the Morgan Independent Panel for personal reasons. He informed the Home Secretary this afternoon.

"The work of the panel will continue and announcements about any further appointments will follow in due course.

"The Morgan family has been informed of Sir Stanley's decision and remains fully supportive of the panel process."

Sir Stanley Burnton said: "It is a matter of deep regret that I was unable to continue the important work begun by the Panel. I would like to offer my best wishes to the family and the remaining panelists as the work continues into establishing the circumstances surrounding Daniel Morgan's death."

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