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**Society for the Environment President, Tony Juniper CEnv, Recognised in Queen's Birthday Honours**

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It comes with great pleasure to announce that the Society for the Environment President, Tony Juniper CEnv, has been recognised in the Queen's Birthday Honours 2017.

An influential environmental campaigner, writer and speaker, as well as a leading sustainability advisor, Tony was recognised for his services to conservation with a CBE.

Following the announcement, Tony reacted by saying; "I am absolutely delighted to receive this honour. Making progress on conservation and environmental questions often feels like a rather unequal struggle. Having my work recognised in this way will certainly encourage me to do a lot more in facing the many challenges that lie ahead".

The Queen's Birthday Honours List was published on the 16<sup>th</sup> June 2017, which also included environmental honours for services to sustainable food production, environmental protection and inland waterways.



Dr Emma Wilcox, Chief Executive of the Society for the Environment, commented; "I am delighted that Tony has been recognised for his services to conservation with a CBE. The honour is well deserved, and it is so nice to see years of hard work protecting our environment being recognised in such a prestigious way. It is also fantastic to see a number of other people rewarded for their work to protect the environment."

For over 25 years Tony has worked to encourage and implement sustainability at local, national and international levels through work with a variety of organisations.

In 2013 Tony became the first President of the Society for the Environment, a role that he continues to this day. In the same year, he accepted an invitation to become an Honorary Fellow of the Society. Subsequently, in 2014, Tony achieved registration as a Chartered Environmentalist (CEnv), recognising his environmental knowledge and expertise, and a commitment to using and promoting environmental good practice in his daily working life.

To further highlight Tony's achievements, he is also recognised by two of the Society's Licensed Bodies as an Honorary Fellow of the Institution of Environmental Sciences and a Patron of the Chartered Institute of Ecology and Environmental Management. This is alongside recognition from a number of other organisations that Tony is associated with.

The full Companions of Honour list can be found on the government's website [here](#).

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**About the Society for the Environment**

The Society for the Environment, is comprised of 24 Licenced Bodies, with over 500,000 members between them. It received a Royal Charter in 2004, which empowers it to regulate the Chartered Environmentalist (CEnv) and Registered Environmental Technician (REnvTech) registration in the UK. There are now over 7,000 environmental professionals currently registered who share a common vision of delivering sustainability through environmental professionalism. Further information can be found at [www.socenv.org.uk](http://www.socenv.org.uk).

**About Dr Emma Wilcox**

Emma has been CEO of the Society since July 2015 and since joining the organisation has led the development of a new five-year strategy increasing registrations and profile for Chartered Environmentalists and Registered Environmental Technicians.

Her career has spanned a number of disciplines including scientific research, knowledge and technology transfer, skills and education, programme and business management and stakeholder and relationship management. Emma's strong academic background is supported by an in-depth knowledge of both public and private sector landscapes.

**The 24 Licensed Bodies of the Society for the Environment are:**

Arboricultural Association (AA)  
Chartered Association of Building Engineers (CABE)  
Chartered Institute of Architectural Technologists (CIAT)  
Chartered Institute of Ecology and Environmental Management (CIEEM)  
Chartered Institute of Building (CIOB)  
Chartered Institution of Wastes Management (CIWM)  
Chartered Institution of Water and Environmental Management (CIWEM)  
Energy Institute (EI)  
Institute of Agricultural Management (IAgrM)  
Institute of Chartered Foresters (ICF)

Institute of Environmental Management and Assessment (IEMA)  
Institute of Fisheries Management (IFM)  
Institute of Materials, Minerals & Mining (IOM3)  
Institute of Water (IWater)  
Institution of Agricultural Engineers (IAgrE)  
Institution of Chemical Engineers (IChemE)  
Institution of Civil Engineers (ICE)  
Institution of Engineering Designers (IED)  
Institution of Environmental Sciences (IES)  
Institution of Mechanical Engineers (IMechE)  
Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors (RICS)  
Royal Society of Chemistry (RSC)  
Society of Environmental Engineers (SEE)  
Society of Operations Engineers (SOE)