

Nicholas Fairfax (14th Lord Fairfax of Cameron)

Lord Fairfax is currently a senior executive with Russian shipowning company SCF Group; a director of the North of England marine insurance company; a consultant to Burford Capital, the world leading litigation funding and corporate intelligence firm; and a co-founder of Hawki Worldwide Ltd, a private security firm.

Having been a member of the House of Lords from 1977 – 1999, he was then elected back into that body as one of 48 elected Hereditary Conservative Peers in November 2015. His interests there include the United Kingdom Leaving the European Union, maritime affairs and the social and economic effects of artificial intelligence.

Lord Fairfax has travelled extensively in Russia and the states of the former Soviet Union. In 2005 he organized and led the “White Night’s Ride,” a charity motorbike trip of 7,500 miles across Russia and Siberia, raising about USD 1 million for charitable causes.

Nicholas Fairfax speaks various languages, including French, German, Italian and Russian to varying degrees. His pastimes and interests include sailing, astronomy, motorcycling and photography. He is also a Patron of various charitable organizations.

Lord Fairfax was educated at Eton College and Cambridge University, qualifying as a Barrister in 1977. He served an internship with the Washington firm of Covington & Burling in 1978. He is married to his wife of over 30 years, Annabel, who is a professional artist. They have three sons. They live in London and the Isle of Wight.

