# Liz Truss announces plans for new social media platform promoting free speech



Liz Truss, the former Prime Minister of the United Kingdom, has announced her plans to launch a new social media platform aimed at promoting what she describes as "free speech." Truss, who became known for her short and turbulent tenure in office, lasting just 49 days, is looking to replicate the concept behind Donald Trump's social media platform, Truth Social.

During an event in Bedford, Truss revealed a timeline for the project's launch, stating, “We are planning to launch it in the summer of this year, and there will be more news about it fairly soon, but I can’t say anymore at this stage.” Her comments were met with a mix of interest and skepticism, particularly given her controversial political history.

The former PM expressed her desire for the United Kingdom to have its own version of a social media platform positioned as a “home of free speech.” While addressing attendees who had paid between £250 to £1,000 for the event, she emphasised the importance of creating a media network capable of facilitating a grassroots movement to demand change from political leaders. Truss commented, “It is not enough just to get into No 10. You might think you can just get into No 10 and sign things off, you can’t.”

Truss has also articulated her belief that significant forces are at play against her ambitions, mentioning a perceived “deep state” working as “barriers to our plans.” She has articulated a broader vision, claiming she has “10 years to save the West,” and views her proposed social media network as crucial to achieving this objective.

Political expert Alex Thomas from the Institute for Government provided insight into Truss’s statements, expressing concern that her claims could be detrimental to her credibility. He remarked, “Blame is seductive, and sometimes necessary. However, Liz Truss’s deep state delusions have undermined any serious arguments she might make.”

Additionally, the publication noted that Nigel Farage, a well-known political figure in the UK, has drawn parallels between Truss and Trump, suggesting that both have faced challenges relating to their economic policies. Farage notably remarked that Trump, like Truss, had acted “too much, too soon” in their respective political approaches, which has drawn criticism.

As her plans for a new social media platform unfold, Truss appears determined to carve out her own niche in the political landscape, despite the challenges presented by her previous leadership experience and the ongoing discourse surrounding her proposals.

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