PETITION ABOUT CHRISTIAN UNION RIGHTS

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A few months ago I mentioned the problems that some Chritian Unions in British universities are facing. There is now a petition on the 10 Downing Street website calling for Christian Unions to be allowed to restrict their leadership to committed Christians. One might have thought that was obvious. The petition reads:

> *Just as one would not expect a left wing political party to welcome people of a right wing persuasion into their leadership a Christian Union should be able to expect leaders to share the declared beliefs of that C.U. and that the C.U. has the right to control who may be admitted into leadership; this right should not exclude C.U.'s access to premises in Universities, colleges, schools etc. on a par with other societies in those establishments.*

I'm cynial, and I don't suppose that the government will listen to this petition, but go ahead and sign it to show that there are a lot of us out there who object to the way the rights of believers to peacefully go about their business are being steadily eroded.