

## International Women's Day

March 8th marked International Women's Day, celebrating women worldwide and highlighting where more must be done in the fight for equality. It was the first IWD where the number of female MPs ever elected outnumbered the number of men currently sitting in Parliament. When I was sworn in after the 2010 General Election I became the 304th female MP ever elected. I was proud to join so many of my colleagues in Members' Lobby for a photo.