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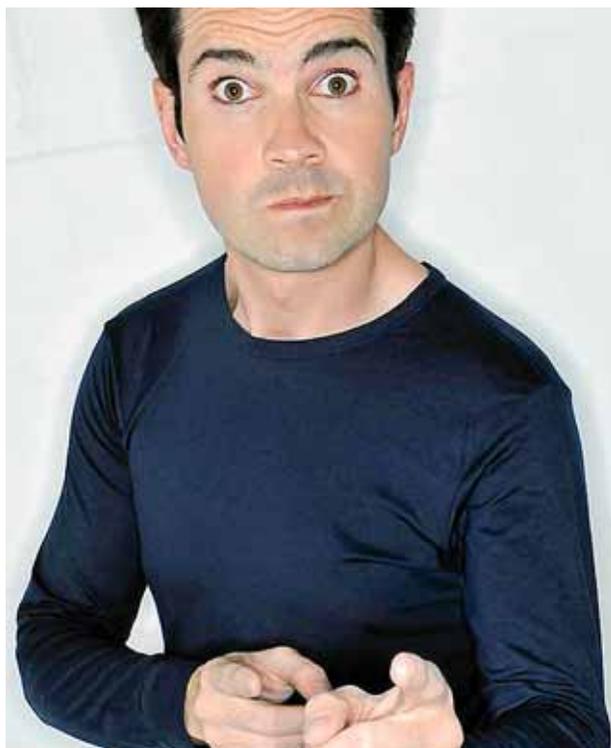
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## NEW BREXIT WORRIES FOR BRITISH EXPATS

● Fresh concerns aired by leading MPs in the wake of the letter David Davis released this week regarding the status of expatriates.

● Sir Roger Gale MP tells the *Bulletin* that there needs to be more clarity on pensions, health care and the rights of expatriates in general: **see page 3**

## TALKING STARS



● Today, the *Bulletin* talks to award-winning comedian Jimmy Carr and leading actress, model and the face of L'Oréal Andie MacDowell: see pages 6-7 and 24-25

## Barcelona residents protest unchecked growth of mass tourism

**BARCELONA** Around a hundred Barcelona residents gathered yesterday along the Spanish city's beach to protest the unchecked growth of mass tourism to the popular vacation destination.

They argue that the influx of tourists has increased the price of rents, thereby driving longtime residents out of the city centre, and driven a spike in rowdy behaviour by party-seeking foreigners.

Many of the protestors from the city's waterfront neighbourhood of Barceloneta wore yellow T-shirts bearing the slogan "Barceloneta isn't for sale" in Catalan. Some staked homemade signs in the sand, including a large one that read in English "We Don't Want Tourists In Our Buildings.

This Is Not A Beach Resort." As Barcelona hits its peak tourist season this month, its beach has become overrun by sunbathers. One man remained asleep on a towel while yesterday's protestors rallied just a few metres away. The protest was organised by a local residents' group under the theme "Recover the beach for everyone!"

Barcelona's town hall has responded to the tourist influx by trying to curb the growth of apartments that are rented to tourists via online platforms like Airbnb.

Tension regarding the effects of tourism on the quality of life for locals has helped lead to an outbreak in vandalism against mass tourism in Barcelona and other parts of Spain.