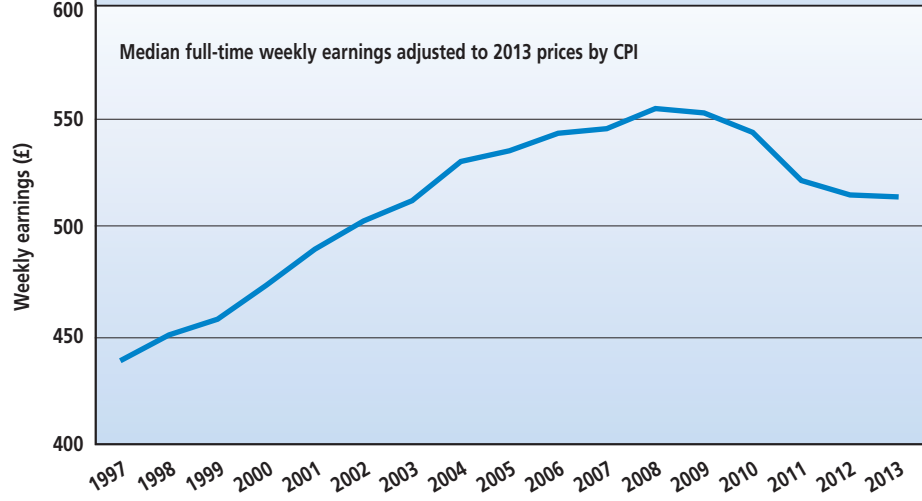


Figure 2.1.5 Earnings growth falls below inflation



Source: Patterns of Pay: Estimates from the Annual Survey of Hours and Earnings UK 1997 to 2013, Office for National Statistics.

Note: Figures adjusted to remove impact of changes to ASHE methodology that have at various points also tended to reduce returns for average earnings.