

Tuesday 12 September 2017 at 2.30pm

**Oral Questions, 30 minutes*

***Baroness Donaghy** to ask Her Majesty's Government what measures they are taking to ensure that victims of domestic violence have access to safe and secure accommodation in both the short- and long-term.

***Lord Blunkett** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ensure that mental and physical health conditions in the health insurance market are treated equally.

***Lord Clement-Jones** to ask Her Majesty's Government what progress they have made with their *Review of Gaming Machines and Social Responsibility Measures*.

***Lord Storey** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they plan to bring forward proposals to cap university vice-chancellors' pay.

Finance The Senior Deputy Speaker to move that Lord Colgrain be appointed a member of the Select Committee in place of Lord Leigh of Hurley, resigned.

Baroness Anelay of St Johns to move that this House takes note of the position papers and future partnership papers published by Her Majesty's Government on the United Kingdom's future relationship with the European Union.

Baroness Smith of Basildon to move that this House believes that there has been a lack of progress towards agreement on issues relating to the United Kingdom's withdrawal from the European Union; calls on Her Majesty's Government to lay before both Houses of Parliament a statement of the strategy and principles which underpin their negotiations on withdrawal, transition and future relationship, including key issues such as the Irish border, accompanied by a plan on full involvement of the devolved administrations in the development of United Kingdom negotiating policy and consultation of consumer, employer and trade union organisations; and calls on Her Majesty's Government to seek an agreement as a matter of urgency with the European Union on comprehensive interim arrangements which maintain United Kingdom participation in the single market, the customs union, and security frameworks during a transitional period during which the future United Kingdom–European Union relationship is to be negotiated and implemented.

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[†] indicates that the member concerned has a relevant registered interest.



Grand Committee in Moses Room at 3.30pm

Armed Forces (Flexible Working) Bill [HL] Committee [Earl Howe]

Future Business

Wednesday 13 September 2017 at 3.00pm

***Lord Foulkes of Cumnock** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they will publish a comprehensive timetable for Brexit negotiations with the European Union; and whether they will make publicly available all position papers and all other documentation and correspondence relevant to those negotiations.

***Lord Black of Brentwood** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to address concerns about the breeding of dogs and cats.

***Lord Dubs** to ask Her Majesty's Government when they plan to implement their commitment to bring 480 unaccompanied child refugees from Europe to the United Kingdom.

†***Lord Lexden** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the lessons to be learned from recent police investigations into allegations of child sexual abuse in the past.

†**Financial Guidance and Claims Bill [HL]** Committee (day 4) Baroness Buscombe *1st Report from the Delegated Powers Committee*

Lord Marks of Henley-on-Thames to move that this House regrets that the Civil Procedure (Amendment) Rules 2017 have been laid with insufficient regard to the overwhelmingly negative response to the proposed Rules during the consultation and to the lack of evidence that significant numbers of unmeritorious environmental claims are currently brought; that they may escalate claimants' legal costs and act against the intention of the Aarhus Convention that the cost of environmental litigation should not be prohibitive; and that they are likely to have the effect of deterring claimants from bringing meritorious environmental cases (SI 2017/95 (L. 1)). *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, Session 2016–17 (Dinner break business)*

Thursday 14 September 2017 at 11.00am

The Lord Bishop of Lincoln will be introduced.

***Lord Balfé** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether, in the context of revising the United Kingdom's trading arrangements when the United Kingdom leaves the European Union, they will consider the promotion of further and simpler trade relations with Northern Cyprus.

***The Lord Bishop of St Albans** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to implement the recommendations contained in the Housing White Paper, *Fixing our broken housing market*.

***Lord Grade of Yarmouth** to ask Her Majesty's Government what new efforts they will be making in the coming year to improve public awareness, and clinical management, of sepsis.

Topical oral question. Ballot to be drawn at 1pm on Tuesday 12 September.

Lord Chadlington to move that this House takes note of the effect of gambling advertisements on children. (*Balloted Debate, 2½ hours*)

Baroness Stedman-Scott to move that this House takes note of the impact of the English Baccalaureate on the take-up of creative and technical subjects, and the case for broadening the curriculum to create a coherent and unified 14 to 19 phase. (*Balloted Debate, 2½ hours*)

Monday 9 October 2017 at 2.30pm

†***Baroness Jones of Moulsecoomb** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they have reviewed their policy of making no funding stream available to meet additional policing costs incurred as a result of fracking.

†***Lord Dykes** to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their current assessment of the prospects for reaching a Brexit agreement with the European Union by March 2019.

†***Baroness Thomas of Winchester** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to reform the Work Capability Assessment.

†***Baroness McIntosh of Pickering** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of the relative value of the euro to the pound sterling on individuals and businesses.

Motions for Balloted Debate

Ballot on 3 October for debate on 19 October. Time limit 2½ hours.

†**Lord Greaves** to move that this House takes note of the future availability of resources for the provision of District Council services in two-tier areas.

†**Lord Harrison** to move that this House takes note of the contribution of atheists and humanists to the United Kingdom.

Select Committee Reports

The date on which the report was published is in italics.

Baroness Kennedy of The Shaws to move that this House takes note of the Report from the European Union Committee *Brexit: justice for families, individuals and businesses?* (17th Report, Session 2016–17, HL Paper 134) *20 March*

Lord Whitty to move that this House takes note of the Report from the European Union Committee *Brexit: trade in non-financial services* (18th Report, Session 2016–17, HL Paper 135) *22 March*

Lord Boswell of Aynho to move that this House takes note of the Report from the European Union Committee *Brexit: the Crown Dependencies* (19th Report, Session 2016–17, HL Paper 136) *23 March*

Baroness Tyler of Enfield to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Select Committee on Financial Exclusion *Tackling Financial Exclusion: A country that works for everyone?* (Session 2016–17, HL Paper 132) *25 March*

Lord Best to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Communications Committee *A privatised future for Channel 4?* (1st Report, Session 2016–17, HL Paper 17) *11 July 2016*

Baroness McIntosh of Pickering to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Select Committee on the Licensing Act 2003 *The Licensing Act 2003: post-legislative scrutiny* (Session 2016–17, HL Paper 146) *4 April*

Lord Lang of Monkton to move that this House takes note of the Reports from the Constitution Committee on *Inter-governmental relations in the United Kingdom* (11th Report, Session 2014–15, HL Paper 146) and *The Union and devolution* (10th Report, Session 2015–16, HL Paper 149) *27 March 2015 and 25 May 2016*

Lord Patel to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Select Committee on the Long-term Sustainability of the NHS *The Long-term Sustainability of the NHS and Adult Social Care* (Session 2016–17, HL Paper 151) *5 April*

Lord Teverson to move that this House takes note of the Report from the European Union Committee *Brexit: agriculture* (20th Report, Session 2016–17, HL Paper 169) *3 May*

Baroness Pitkeathley to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Select Committee on Charities *Stronger charities for a stronger society* (Session 2016–17, HL Paper 133) *26 March*

Lord Forsyth of Drumlean to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Economic Affairs Committee *Brexit and the Labour Market* (1st Report, HL Paper 11) *21 July*

†**Lord Jay of Ewelme** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the European Union Committee *Brexit: devolution* (4th Report, HL Paper 9) *19 July*

Motions Relating to Delegated Legislation

Lord Kirkwood of Kirkhope to move that this House regrets that the Universal Credit (Housing Costs Element for Claimants Aged 18 to 21) (Amendment) Regulations 2017 have been published without the guidance which will be key to understanding how the legislation will work in practice (SI 2017/252). *28th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, Session 2016–17*

Lord German to move that this House regrets that the Social Security Benefit Up-rating Regulations 2017 do not take account of the impact of leaving the European Union on the state pensions of United Kingdom citizens living in the European Union (SI 2017/349).

Lord Hodgson of Astley Abbotts to move that this House regrets that the Universal Credit (Tenant Incentive Scheme) Amendment Regulations 2017 may disadvantage some of the poorest members of society (SI 2017/427). *31st Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, Session 2016–17*

Lord Hunt of Kings Heath to move that this House regrets that the National Health Service (Pharmaceutical and Local Pharmaceutical Services) (Amendment) Regulations 2017, in delaying the review of the regulations governing the provision of community pharmaceutical services, do not prevent the closure of community pharmacies resulting from the budget cuts in 2016–17 and 2017–18 and changes to the way the funding is distributed (SI 2017/709).

Lord Tunnicliffe to move that this House regrets that Her Majesty’s Government has introduced the Money Laundering, Terrorist Financing and Transfer of Funds (Information on the Payer) Regulations 2017, the Information about People with Significant Control (Amendment) Regulations 2017 and the Scottish Partnerships (Register of People with Significant Control) Regulations 2017 without sufficient assessment of the effectiveness and value for money of the bureaucratic process proposed; and notes, with approval, that the Secondary Legislation Select Committee has questioned “the seriousness with which the Government view the process of scrutiny of secondary legislation” (SIs 2017/692, 2017/693 and 2017/684). *2nd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Lord Rosser to move that this House takes note of the Criminal Justice (European Investigation Order) Regulations 2017 (SI 2017/730). *4th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Questions for Short Debate

Time limit 1 hour or 1½ hours.

†**Lord Greaves** to ask Her Majesty’s Government whether they have considered extending the 2026 cut-off date for the inclusion of rights of way on the definitive maps in England. (*11 September*)

†**Lord Dykes** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what steps they will take to resolve issues relating to control of the United Kingdom’s borders while retaining an open border with Ireland following the United Kingdom’s withdrawal from the European Union. (*11 September*)

Questions for Written Answer

Tabled on 11 September and due for answer by 25 September.

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty's Government how they intend to respond to the letter from Joanne Liu, International President of Médecins Sans Frontières, that was sent to the Prime Minister on 6 September concerning the conditions faced by people detained in Libya. HL1508

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty's Government whether, during his recent visit to Libya, the Foreign Secretary discussed reports that the Libyan Coastguard threatened and fired upon search and rescue vessels. HL1509

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty's Government whether, during his recent visit to Libya, the Foreign Secretary visited detention centres for refugees; and what information they have collected about conditions in those centres. HL1510

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty's Government whether, during his recent visit to Libya, the Foreign Secretary addressed conditions inside Libyan detention centres; and what assessment they have made of criticisms by Médecins Sans Frontières regarding the impact of UK policies on detainees in that country. HL1511

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty's Government whether, during his recent visit to Libya, the Foreign Secretary was made aware of the case of a 12-year-old boy from Mali who was picked up by the Libyan Coastguard following the death of his parents in the Mediterranean, and who was returned by that coastguard into a detention centre intended for adult males; and if so, what action they have taken to assist (1) that unaccompanied child, and (2) other similarly detained unaccompanied minors. HL1512

Lord Berkeley to ask Her Majesty's Government how much investment has been made in the last five years in (1) St Mary's harbour, (2) Penzance harbour, (3) Land's End Airport, and (4) St Mary's airport, for transport to and from the Isles of Scilly; and what amounts within those total investments were from (a) HM Government, (b) European funds, and (c) the private sector. HL1490

Lord Blencathra to ask Her Majesty's Government why the question for written answer on whether they have any plans to commemorate in October the many millions who have died since the October Revolution 1917 which was asked on 13 July (HL791) has not yet been answered; and when they expect to answer that question. HL1486

Lord Blencathra to ask Her Majesty's Government who made the decision to replace the lightbulb classification system from watts to lumens; and whether they intend to review that classification system once the UK leaves the EU. HL1526

Lord Chadlington to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they intend to take steps to ensure licence payers are able to access BBC iPlayer when outside the UK; and if so, when. HL1496

Lord Condon to ask Her Majesty's Government how many British emergency services personnel are being deployed to assist in the aftermath of hurricane Irma; where those personnel will be deployed; and what range of assistance they will provide. HL1487

Baroness Hamwee to ask Her Majesty's Government what is the breakdown of the reasons for the deportation of EU nationals in (1) the first quarter of 2016, and (2) the first quarter of this year. HL1495

Baroness Hayter of Kentish Town to ask Her Majesty's Government what meetings they have held with the Chartered Trading Standards Institute with regard to Brexit over the past six months, particularly in respect of their undertaking to "continue to engage with...consumer organisations", as set out in their position paper published in August, *Continuity in the availability of goods for the EU and the UK*. HL1489

Lord Hunt of Kings Heath to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the adverse consequences for patients of restricting the use of blue-light filtering intraocular lenses, as laid out in the NICE draft guideline *Cataracts in adults: management*. HL1492

Lord Hunt of Kings Heath to ask Her Majesty's Government what were the exceptional circumstances that led to the addition of a review question on blue-light filtering intraocular lenses in the final scope of the NICE guideline *Cataracts in adults: management*. HL1493

Lord Hunt of Kings Heath to ask Her Majesty's Government what investigation they have conducted into evidence reporting lower incidence of age-related macular degeneration in patients with blue-light filtering intraocular lenses; and what account was taken of that evidence in the preparation of the NICE draft guideline *Cataracts in adults: management*. HL1494

Lord Hylton to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their response to the publication in June by the European Council on Foreign Relations of *Israel's unlawfully prolonged occupation: consequences under an integrated legal framework*. HL1514

Lord Hylton to ask Her Majesty's Government what representations they have made to the government of Pakistan about the Supreme Court Order of 2014 requiring the establishment of a task force and a national council of minority rights; and what explanation they have received, if any, regarding the lack of progress and their disestablishment. HL1515

Lord Hylton to ask Her Majesty's Government whether (1) the International Committee of the Red Cross, and (2) the Inter-Agency Standing Committee of the UN have been consulted about unaccompanied refugee children in Europe; if so, with what result; and if not, why not. HL1516

Lord Hylton to ask Her Majesty's Government how many children have been reunited with family members in the UK under Article 8.2 of the Dublin Regulation. HL1517

Lord Hylton to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Baroness Williams of Trafford on 24 July (HL980), how many grants of discretionary leave to remain have been made to persons unable to leave the country through no fault of their own and where there is a prospect of enforced removal in (1) the current year, and (2) each of the two previous years. HL1518

Baroness Lister of Burtersett to ask Her Majesty's Government when they propose to put guidance on school uniform supply on a statutory basis as set out in the HM Treasury 2015 report *A Better Deal*. HL1491

Lord Macpherson of Earl's Court to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to help British nationals stranded on the Caribbean island of Sint Maarten. HL1488

Lord Maginnis of Drumglass to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the statement by Amnesty International on 22 August concerning conditions imposed on political prisoners in Gohardasht and other Iranian prisons, particularly the finding that around 20 such political prisoners are on hunger-strike; and what representations they have made, or diplomatic pressure they have imposed, on the Iranian authorities to take such life-preserving action as may be necessary. HL1513

Lord Patten to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their assessment of relations between the UK and Venezuela. HL1520

Lord Patten to ask Her Majesty's Government whether in their bilateral discussions with the government of Venezuela they have raised ways of combating anti-semitism. HL1521

Lord Patten to ask Her Majesty's Government what help they can offer to Turkey to assist in the cultural preservation of damaged historical buildings in the Suriçi neighbourhood. HL1522

Lord Patten to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they intend to raise at the United Nations the allegations of torture used in Turkey. HL1523

Lord Patten to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they intend to ask the Council of Europe to make public their report concerning allegations of ill-treatment in Turkish prisons, prepared by its Committee for the Prevention of Torture. HL1524

Lord Patten to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their assessment of the welfare of the Kurdish people in Syria, Turkey and Iraq. HL1525

Viscount Ridley to ask Her Majesty's Government how many hen harrier nests in the UK were located in areas where the Royal Society for the Protection of Birds had primary control over access in (1) 2015, (2) 2016, and (3) 2017; how many of those nests failed to have any chicks fledge; and what were the known causes of those nest failures. HL1502

Viscount Ridley to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to publish (1) the assessments, and (2) the correspondence, held by Public Health England regarding the toxicology of the smoking substitute snus, including any communication with government scientists. HL1503

Lord Scriven to ask Her Majesty's Government what action they plan to take in the light of the remarks by the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights that the government of Bahrain's restrictions on human rights since June 2016 mean that "democratic space in the country has essentially been shut down". HL1519

Baroness Tonge to ask Her Majesty's Government what representations they are making to the government of Israel regarding the detention of Palestinian legislative council members. HL1497

Baroness Tonge to ask Her Majesty's Government what representations they are making to the government of Israel regarding reports that Israeli forces have demolished a kindergarten in the Bedouin community of Jabal al-Baba. HL1498

Baroness Tonge to ask Her Majesty's Government what representations they are making to the government of Israel regarding reports of the confiscation of solar panels that had been donated to the village of Jubbet Al-Dhib. HL1499

Baroness Tonge to ask Her Majesty's Government what representations they are making to the government of Israel regarding reports of the demolition by Israeli forces of school buildings which were built using EU funds from the village of Jub-Ad Dhib. HL1500

Baroness Tonge to ask Her Majesty's Government what action they are taking following reports that British armaments have been used by Saudi Arabia in the Yemen to target innocent civilians. HL1501

Baroness Tonge to ask Her Majesty's Government what was DFID's (1) core, and (2) non-core, expenditure in (a) 2015–16, and (b) 2016–17, to (i) UNFPA, (ii) UNAIDS, (iii) UN Women, (iv) the WHO, (v) The Global Fund, (vi) the IPPF, and (vii) Women and Children First (UK). HL1507

Lord West of Spithead to ask Her Majesty's Government, in the light of the statements in the National Shipbuilding Strategy about their intention to grow the Royal Navy fleet, what is their aspiration for the number of frigates for the Royal Navy by 2020. HL1504

Lord West of Spithead to ask Her Majesty's Government, in the light of the involvement of HMS Ocean in hurricane relief operations in the Caribbean, whether they will review plans to dispose of her at the end of the year. HL1505

Lord West of Spithead to ask Her Majesty's Government how long they anticipate it will take BAE Systems to build a Type 26 frigate; and what assessment they have made of that timescale. HL1506

Questions unanswered after 10 working days

The questions asked on the dates shown in bold were due for answer by the dates in brackets. The Government department responsible for answering each Question is shown in square brackets.

13 July (27 July)

HL791 Lord Blencathra [Cabinet Office]

HL810 Lord Mawson [Cabinet Office]

19 July (2 August)

HL1052 Lord Rennard [Cabinet Office]

Number of questions allocated to each department which are unanswered after 10 working days

Cabinet Office (3)

Bills in Progress

	Type of Bill	To be considered
Referred to the Examiners		
High Speed Rail (West Midlands–Crewe) Bill	Government	12 September at 10.00am in Room 2A
Waiting for Second Reading		
Succession to Peerages Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Asset Freezing (Compensation) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Unpaid Work Experience (Prohibition) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Equality Act 2010 (Amendment) (Disabled Access) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Democratic Political Activity (Funding and Expenditure) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Home Education (Duty of Local Authorities) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Refugees (Family Reunion) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Conscientious Objection (Medical Activities) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
House of Lords Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Creditworthiness Assessment Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Immigration Control (Gross Human Rights Abuses) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Local Government Elections (Referendum) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Registration of Marriage Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Open Skies Agreement (Membership) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Ecumenical Marriage Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Family Relationships (Impact Assessment and Targets) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Criminal Records Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Bat Habitats Regulation Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Civil Partnership Act 2004 (Amendment) (Sibling Couples) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Divorce (Financial Provision) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Duchy of Cornwall Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Children Act 1989 (Amendment) (Female Genital Mutilation) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
European Union (Information, etc.) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Anonymity (Arrested Persons) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
BBC (Independence) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Local Housing Authority Debt Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Access to Palliative Care Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Cohabitation Rights Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Voting Age (Reduction) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Abortion (Foetus Protection) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Extension of Franchise (House of Lords) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
EEA Nationals (Indefinite Leave to Remain) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Victims of Crime (Rights, Entitlements, and Notification of Child Sexual Abuse) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	

LEGISLATION

Schools (Mental Health and Wellbeing) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Policing Resources Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Certificate of Loss Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Opticians Act 1989 (Amendment) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Digital Economy Act 2017 (Amendment) (Definition of Extreme Pornography) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Marriage Act 1949 (Amendment) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Right to Die at Home Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Learning Disabilities (Review of Services) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
European Union (Referendum on the Withdrawal Agreement) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Road Traffic Offenders (Surrender of Driving Licences Etc) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Elections and Referendums (Advertising) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Abortion (Disability Equality) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Heritage Railways and Tramways (Voluntary Work) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Unaccompanied Asylum Seeking Children (Legal Advice and Appeals) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
BBC Licence Fee Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Cosmetic Surgery (Standards) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Awards for Valour (Protection) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Modern Slavery (Transparency in Supply Chains) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Property Boundaries (Resolution of Disputes) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Civil Partnership Act 2004 (Amendment) (Mixed Sex Couples) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Genocide Determination Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Kew Gardens (Leases) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Carbon Emission Reductions Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Automatic Electoral Registration Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Telecommunications Infrastructure (Relief from Non-Domestic Rates) Bill	Government	
Committed to an Unopposed Bill Committee		
Richmond Burgage Pastures Bill [HL]	Private	13 September
University of London Bill [HL]	Private	
Committed to a Grand Committee		
Air Travel Organisers' Licensing Bill	Government	
Armed Forces (Flexible Working) Bill [HL]	Government	12 September
Committed to a Committee of the Whole House		
Financial Guidance and Claims Bill [HL]	Government	13 September
Space Industry Bill [HL]	Government	
House of Lords (Hereditary Peers) (Abolition of By-Elections) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Age of Criminal Responsibility Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Modern Slavery (Victim Support) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Sent to the Commons		
New Southgate Cemetery Bill [HL]	Private	

Statutory Instruments in Progress

Affirmative Instruments waiting for consideration by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments

Draft International Headquarters and Defence Organisations (Designation and Privileges) Order 2017

Draft Unified Patent Court (Immunities and Privileges) Order 2017

Draft Pension Schemes Act 2015 (Transitional Provisions and Appropriate Independent Advice) (Amendment No. 2) Regulations 2017

Draft Banking Act 2009 (Service Providers to Payment Systems) Order 2017

Draft Misuse of Drugs Act 1971 (Amendment) (No. 2) Order 2017

Draft Renewables Obligation (Amendment) (Energy Intensive Industries) Order 2017

Draft Scotland Act 2016 (Onshore Petroleum) (Consequential Amendments) Regulations 2017 2017

Draft Small Business Commissioner (Scope and Scheme) Regulations 2017

Draft Greater Manchester Combined Authority (Public Health Functions) Order 2017

Draft Charitable Incorporated Organisations (Consequential Amendments) Order 2017

Draft Government Resources and Accounts Act 2000 (Audit of Public Bodies) Order 2017

Affirmative Instruments waiting for Affirmative Resolution

Draft Hunting Act 2004 (Exempt Hunting) (Amendment) Order 2015 *7th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, Session 2015–16*

Draft Non-Contentious Probate Fees Order 2017 *26th Report from the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments Session 2016–17, 28th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee Session 2016–17*

Draft Trade Union (Deduction of Union Subscriptions from Wages in the Public Sector) Regulations 2017 *29th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, Session 2016–17*

Draft Electricity Capacity (Amendment) Regulations 2017

Draft Electricity Supplier Obligations (Amendment and Excluded Electricity) (Amendment) Regulations 2017 *32nd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, Session 2016–17*

Negative Instruments

Civil Procedure (Amendment) Rules 2017 *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, Session 2016–17. Praying time expired 24 March. (13 September)*

Universal Credit (Housing Costs Element for Claimants Aged 18 to 21) (Amendment) Regulations 2017 *28th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, Session 2016–17. Praying time expired 22 April.*

Non-Domestic Rating (Alteration of Lists and Appeals) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2017 *30th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, Session 2016–17. Praying time expired 26 June. (11 September)*

LEGISLATION

Valuation Tribunal for England (Council Tax and Rating Appeals) (Procedure) (Amendment) Regulations 2017 *30th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, Session 2016–17. Praying time expired 26 June.*

Universal Credit (Tenant Incentive Scheme) Amendment Regulations 2017 *31st Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expired 29 June.*

Social Security Benefit Up-rating Regulations 2017 *Not reported by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expired 22 June.*

Social Security (Restrictions on Amounts for Children and Qualifying Young Persons) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2017 *1st Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expired 19 July.*

Money Laundering, Terrorist Financing and Transfer of Funds (Information on the Payer) Regulations 2017 *2nd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 9 October.*

Information about People with Significant Control (Amendment) Regulations 2017 *2nd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 10 October.*

Scottish Partnerships (Register of People with Significant Control) Regulations 2017 *2nd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 10 October.*

National Health Service (Pharmaceutical and Local Pharmaceutical Services) (Amendment) Regulations 2017 *Not reported by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 17 October.*

Universal Credit (Housing Costs Element for Claimants Aged 18 to 21) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2017 *3rd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 24 October.*

Criminal Justice (European Investigation Order) Regulations 2017 *4th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 27 October.*

Other Instruments

Draft Airports National Policy Statement: new runway capacity and infrastructure at airports in the South East of England

Retirement

The following member of the House has given notice of her intention to retire.

Baroness Trumpington (24 October)

COMMITTEES

Committees

Unless otherwise indicated, Committees meet in the Lords' rooms in the Committee Corridor. Only the next meeting of each Committee is listed below. Further details of these meetings, and of planned further meetings, may be found in the House of Lords Committees Weekly Bulletin.

Tuesday 12 September

Science and Technology Committee	Room 4A	10.00am
EU Justice Sub-Committee	Room 3	10.30am
Political Polling and Digital Media Committee	Room 2	10.30am
Communications Committee	Room 2	3.15pm
Economic Affairs Committee	Room 1	3.30pm
Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee	Room 3A	3.45pm

Wednesday 13 September

EU Energy and Environment Sub-Committee	Room 4	10.00am
EU Financial Affairs Sub-Committee	Room 2	10.00am
EU Home Affairs Sub-Committee	Room 3A	10.00am
Constitution Committee	Room 4A	10.15am
House of Lords Commission	Room G	10.30am
Delegated Powers and Regulatory Reform Committee	Room 2A	10.30am
International Relations Committee	Room 1	10.30am
Citizenship and Civic Engagement Committee	Room 3	10.30am
Richmond Burgage Pastures Bill [HL]	Room 2A	3.45pm
Finance Committee	Other (Parliamentary Estate)	4.15pm

Thursday 14 September

EU External Affairs Sub-Committee	Room 1	10.00am
EU Internal Market Sub-Committee	Room 3	10.00am
Services Committee	Other (Parliamentary Estate)	2.00pm

Monday 23 October

Audit Committee	Room 2A	4.00pm
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Monday 30 October

Procedure Committee	Room 1	4.15pm
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Tuesday 31 October

Liaison Committee	Room 2A	4.00pm
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Minutes of Proceedings of Monday 11 September 2017

The House met at 2.30pm.

Prayers were read by the Lord Bishop of Gloucester.

Public Business

1 **Student loans: interest rate** A question was asked by Lord Hunt of Kings Heath and answered by Viscount Younger of Leckie.

2 **Brexit: impact on young people** A question was asked by the Earl of Clancarty and answered by Baroness Anelay of St Johns.

3 **Small businesses: late payments** A question was asked by Lord Harrison and answered by Lord Prior of Brampton.

4 **Housing: social and affordable rents** A question was asked by Lord Kennedy of Southwark and answered by Lord Bourne of Aberystwyth.

5 **Financial Guidance and Claims Bill [HL]** The bill was further considered in Committee, beginning with amendment 47A. The House resumed after clause 15 was agreed to.

6 **Non-Domestic Rating (Alteration of Lists and Appeals) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2017 and the Valuation Tribunal for England (Council Tax and Rating Appeals) (Procedure) (Amendment) Regulations 2017** The Earl of Lytton moved that this House regrets that the Non-Domestic Rating (Alteration of Lists and Appeals) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2017 and the Valuation Tribunal for England (Council Tax and Rating Appeals) (Procedure) (Amendment) Regulations 2017 have been introduced without adequate regard for the concerns of experts in rating appeals, following incomplete testing, and on a truncated timescale (SI 2017/155 and SI 2017/156). After debate, the motion was withdrawn.

The House adjourned at 7.25pm until Tuesday 12 September at 2.30pm.

Ed Ollard
Clerk of the Parliaments

Papers

All statutory instruments laid before the House are accompanied by an Explanatory Memorandum presented by command of Her Majesty, unless otherwise indicated.

Instrument Withdrawn

The following affirmative Instrument, laid before the House on the date shown, was withdrawn:

1. Draft Government Resources and Accounts Act 2000 (Audit of Public Bodies) Order 2017 (13 March)

Command Paper

The following paper was presented to the House by command of Her Majesty:

1. Explanatory Memorandum (Revised)—Replacement Explanatory Memorandum to the Jobseeker's Allowance (Hardship) (Amendment) Regulations 2017 (18 July). (—)

Affirmative Instrument

The following instrument was laid before the House for approval by resolution:

1. Draft Government Resources and Accounts Act 2000 (Audit of Public Bodies) Order 2017

Negative Instruments

The following instruments were laid before the House:

1. Firefighters' Pension Scheme (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2017 (888)
2. Firefighters' Pension Schemes and Compensation Scheme (Amendment) (England) Order 2017 (892)
3. Civil Enforcement of Parking Contraventions (Wokingham Borough Council) Designation Order 2017 (895)
4. Alternative Fuels Infrastructure Regulations 2017 (897)

Papers not subject to Parliamentary Proceedings

The following papers were laid before the House:

1. General Lighthouse Fund Annual Report and Accounts 2016–17
2. General Osteopathic Council Annual Report and Accounts 2016–17