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TODAY'S LISTS
TUESDAY 4 SEPTEMBER 2018

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Business in the Chamber at 2.30pm

Prayers by the Bishop of Southwark (5 mins)

Oral Questions (30 mins)

- * Lord Bassam of Brighton to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they will commit to putting before both Houses any proposals to amend the United Kingdom's food standards regulations in the event of a "no deal" scenario when the United Kingdom leaves the European Union. **(Lord O'Shaughnessy, DHSC)**
- * Lord Rennard to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their assessment of the level of personation at elections in Great Britain. **(Lord Young of Cookham, CO)**
- * Lord Haskel to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the challenges posed by imitation speech and images generated by artificial intelligence to advance political agendas. **(Lord Ashton of Hyde, DCMS)**
- * Lord Lexden to ask Her Majesty's Government what progress has been made towards the restoration of devolved government in Northern Ireland. **(Viscount Younger of Leckie, NIO)**

Private Notice Question

Baroness Northover to ask Her Majesty's Government what representations they have made to the government of the United States concerning the funding of United Nations Relief and Works Agency, the UN's Palestinian refugee agency. **(Lord Bates, DfID)**

Oral Statement Repeat

Immediately after the Taxation (Cross-border Trade) Bill Lord Callanan will repeat a statement entitled 'Update on Negotiations and No Deal Contingency Planning'.

Urgent Question Repeat

Immediately after the oral statement Baroness Williams of Trafford will repeat an answer to an Urgent Question on Windrush; followed by 10 minutes of Q and A.

Main Business

Taxation (Cross-border Trade) Bill – Second Reading (*and remaining stages*) – Lord Bates

- **motion to amend that the Bill be read a second time – Lord Tunncliffe**
- **motion to amend that the Bill be read a second time – Baroness Kramer**

Speakers:

- L Bates
- L Tunncliffe
- B Kramer
- L Kerr of Kinlochard
- 5 V Trenchard
- L Hain
- L Fox
- L Browne of Ladyton
- B Altmann
- 10 L Whitty
- L Adonis
- L Hannay of Chiswick
- L Stevenson of Balmacara
- L Purvis of Tweed
- 15 L Davies of Oldham
- L Bates

Last business

Baroness D'Souza to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to review United Kingdom assistance to Afghanistan; and what assessment they have made of the prospects for peace in that country. (*Time-limited to 90 minutes*)

Speakers:

- B D'Souza
- B Hodgson of Abinger
- E Sandwich
- B Northover
- 5 L Collins of Highbury
- B Goldie

Except for Baroness D'Souza (10 minutes) Baroness Goldie and (12 minutes), all speeches are limited to 10 minutes.

Estimated rising time

The House is expected to rise at 8.00pm

Notes:

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