

Wednesday 10 October 2018 at 3.00pm**Oral Questions, 30 minutes*

***Lord Berkeley** to ask Her Majesty's Government what action ministers are expected to take when they receive adverse reports on costs or progress from the Infrastructure and Projects Authority.

***Lord Clark of Windermere** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to ensure that the National Health Service has sufficient staff following Brexit.

***Lord Dykes** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the outcome of their last meeting with the European Union Commission to discuss Brexit.

***Baroness Thomas of Winchester** to ask Her Majesty's Government what action they are taking to improve Personal Independence Payment assessments in the light of the number of successful appeals.

Non-Domestic Rating (Nursery Grounds) Bill Committee [Lord Bourne of Aberystwyth]

†**Lord Bourne of Aberystwyth** to move that the order of commitment be discharged.

Tenant Fees Bill Second Reading [Lord Bourne of Aberystwyth]

If the bill is read a second time, Lord Bourne of Aberystwyth to move that the bill be committed to a Grand Committee.

Armed Forces (Terms of Service) (Amendments Relating to Flexible Working) Regulations 2018 Earl Howe to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 18 July be approved.

Armed Forces (Specified Aviation and Marine Functions) Regulations 2018 Earl Howe to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 24 July be approved.

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Future Business

Thursday 11 October 2018 at 11.00am

***Lord Chidgey** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of recent changes in the government of Sudan on the deployment of the United Nations–African Union hybrid operation in Darfur, on the prospects of President Omar al-Bashir securing a third term in office, and on the government of the United States of America revising its foreign policy towards Sudan.

***Lord Lexden** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they will reconsider their decision not to institute an independent inquiry into Operation Conifer carried out by the Wiltshire Constabulary in relation to Sir Edward Heath.

***Baroness Thornton** to ask Her Majesty's Government what action they intend to take to protect women's sexual and reproductive health services following the findings of the Advisory Group on Contraception, published in September, that nearly 50 per cent of local authorities have reduced the level of contraceptive services delivered since 2015.

†***Lord Watson of Invergowrie** to ask Her Majesty's Government what action they will take to address the concerns raised in the letter sent to the Secretary for State for Education on 8 October by the Chair of the UK Statistics Authority concerning the Department's presentation and use of statistics.

Lord Dubs to move that this House takes note of the impact on the Good Friday Agreement of the United Kingdom's withdrawal from the European Union.

Lord Haskel to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of proposals for greater employee shareholding and participation in corporate governance. (*Topical Question for Short Debate, 1 hour*)

Lord Bragg to move that this House takes note of the impact on the arts of the United Kingdom's withdrawal from the European Union.

Monday 15 October 2018 at 2.30pm

***Baroness Berridge** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to improve the assessment by the Home Office of asylum applications made on the grounds of religious or belief based persecution.

***Lord Haskel** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to adapt education and training to address the needs of the changing economy.

***The Lord Bishop of London** to ask Her Majesty's Government how they plan to ensure that every prisoner can participate in purposeful activity during their sentence.

***Lord Hunt of Kings Heath** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the concerns raised by the National Police Chiefs' Council about Police and Crime Commissioners and their impact on applications for Chief Constable positions.

Mental Capacity (Amendment) Bill [HL] Committee (day 2) [Lord O'Shaughnessy] *7th Report from the Joint Committee on Human Rights*

Baroness Jones of Moulsecoomb to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of issues relating to the protection of property guardians. (*Dinner break business, 1 hour*)

Tuesday 16 October 2018 at 2.30pm

***Baroness Wheeler** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the report by Independent Age *A Taxing Question: How to fund free personal social care*, published in September.

***Lord Collins of Highbury** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to their response to the report by the House of Commons International Development Committee, *Definition and Administration of the ODA*, (HC 1556) published on 13 September, what steps the departments which administer Official Development Assistance will take to address the concerns raised by the Committee.

***Lord Kennedy of Southwark** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to support local authorities to set up private rented sector licensing schemes. [I]

†*Topical oral question. Ballot opens at 3pm on Wednesday 10 October, to be drawn at 1pm on Friday 12 October.*

†**Courts and Tribunals (Judiciary and Functions of Staff) Bill [HL]** Report [Lord Keen of Elie]

†**Lord Paddick** to move that this House regrets that organisations concerned with the human rights and welfare of children were not consulted about the decision to extend the maximum length of juvenile covert human intelligence sources authorisations from one month to four months, as provided for in the Regulation of Investigatory Powers (Juveniles) (Amendment) Order 2018 (SI 2018/715). *35th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (Dinner break business, 1 hour)*

Wednesday 17 October 2018 at 3.00pm

***Lord Black of Brentwood** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they have made an assessment of the number of pupils who took GCSE Music in the last academic year.

***Baroness Kennedy of Cradley** to ask Her Majesty's Government what progress they are making in increasing the number of general practitioners in England.

***Lord Lucas** to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their assessment of whether treatments for gender dysphoria currently offered to children by the National Health Service are evidence-based, and do no long-term harm if the diagnosis turns out to be mistaken.

†*Topical oral question. Ballot opens at 3pm on Thursday 11 October, to be drawn at 1pm on Monday 15 October.*

†**Baroness Kennedy of The Shaws** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the European Union Committee *Dispute resolution and enforcement after Brexit* (15th Report, HL Paper 130).

†**Lord Bourne of Aberystwyth** to move that this House takes note of the challenges posed by religious intolerance and prejudice in the United Kingdom.

Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 3.45pm

†**Third Parties (Rights Against Insurers) Act 2010 (Consequential Amendment of Companies Act 2006) Regulations 2018** Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Keen of Elie]

†**Financial Regulators' Powers (Technical Standards etc.) (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018** *38th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee* Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Bates]

†**Building Societies Legislation (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018** Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Bates]

†**Companies (Directors' Report) and Limited Liability Partnerships (Energy and Carbon Report) Regulations 2018** Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Henley]

†**Business Contract Terms (Assignment of Receivables) Regulations 2018** Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Henley]

†**Department for Transport (Fees) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018** Consideration in Grand Committee [Baroness Sugg]

Thursday 18 October 2018 at 11.00am

***Baroness Quin** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to their assessments of the economic impact of Brexit made available in February, what analysis they have made of the economic effect of Brexit on (1) North East England, (2) other regions of England, and (3) Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland.

***Baroness Cox** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they are aware of the case of "Sarah" who was, as reported in the Daily Mail on 14 September, held captive by a grooming gang for 12 years; and if so, what assessment they have made of that case and its implications.

***Lord Harris of Haringey** to ask Her Majesty's Government how much UK Visas and Immigration charges its customers applying from outside the United Kingdom for making enquiries by (1) telephone, and (2) email; and how much money they have collected from those charges since 1 June 2017.

†*Topical oral question. Ballot opens at 3pm on Friday 12 October, to be drawn at 1pm on Tuesday 16 October.*

Viscount Waverley to move that this House takes note of the scale and complexity of cyber threats facing the United Kingdom and the case for innovative approaches across Her Majesty's Government and beyond. (*Balloted debate*)

Lord Black of Brentwood to move that this House takes note of the state of music education in schools. (*Balloted debate*)

Monday 22 October 2018 at 2.30pm

***Baroness Hussein-Ece** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to reduce youth crime in London.

***Lord Leigh of Hurley** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ensure that operators of online marketplaces take all reasonable steps to mitigate VAT evasion.

***Lord West of Spithead** to ask Her Majesty's Government when they plan to withdraw from service the Batch 1 River-class offshore patrol vessels HMS Tyne, Severn, Mersey and Clyde.

***Lord Foulkes of Cumnock** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they have received reports or information about (1) outside interference, and (2) irregularities, in the conduct of the European Union referendum.

Tuesday 23 October 2018 at 2.30pm

The Lord Bishop of Bristol will be introduced.

†***Baroness Lister of Burtersett** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact on children of the £1,012 fee to apply to register their entitlement to British citizenship.

***The Lord Bishop of St Albans** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of food security following Brexit.

***Lord Balfé** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they intend to legislate to prevent anonymous social media accounts and anonymous online forum posts.

Wednesday 24 October 2018 at 3.00pm

***Baroness Tyler of Enfield** to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their most recent assessment of access to treatment in Children and Adolescent Mental Health Services.

***Lord Strasburger** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether their forecasts for the next ten years show a better outcome for the United Kingdom economy if the United Kingdom were to remain in the European Union than if it were to leave.

***Baroness Anelay of St Johns** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to (1) promote freedom of religion or belief, and (2) mark International Freedom of Religion or Belief Day on 27 October.

Thursday 25 October 2018 at 11.00am

***Baroness Bonham-Carter of Yarnbury** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ensure that public sector television content is easily discoverable regardless of how viewers access such content.

***Lord Blunkett** to ask Her Majesty's Government how often the Border Force failed to achieve service level agreement targets for the maximum waiting time for passengers at Heathrow Airport during the months of (1) July, (2) August, and (3) September; what was the percentage shortfall in each case; and what action they intend to take to improve its performance.

***Baroness Miller of Chilthorne Domer** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they will reassess their plans in relation to Trident in the light of the report by the British American Security Information Council, *Blowing up the Budget: the cost risk of Trident to UK defence*, published on 25 September.

†*Topical Question for Short Debate. Ballot opens at 10am on Monday 15 October, to be drawn at 12 noon on Tuesday 16 October.*

Monday 29 October 2018 at 2.30pm

***Lord Pearson of Rannoch** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they will (1) withdraw their notice under clauses 2 to 5 of Article 50 of the Treaty on European Union, and (2) offer through the Council of Ministers continuing free trade, residence and security to European Union citizens before agreeing any financial settlement in the Brexit negotiations.

***Baroness Randerson** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to modernise rail fares.

***Lord Wallace of Saltaire** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of whether sufficient personnel will be trained and equipment will be ready to take full control of the United Kingdom's borders by the end of March 2019.

***Lord Greaves** to ask Her Majesty's Government what proposals they have for new investment in the railway network in the north of England.

Tuesday 30 October 2018 at 2.30pm

***The Lord Bishop of Gloucester** to ask Her Majesty's Government what action they are taking to support the children of prisoners.

***Lord Addington** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to ensure adequate support structures are available across all parts of the country for pupils and students with special educational needs.

***Lord Beith** to ask Her Majesty's Government when new trains will be in service on the East Coast Main line between Newcastle and Edinburgh.

Wednesday 31 October 2018 at 3.00pm

***Lord Teverson** to ask Her Majesty's Government what action they will take to support the United Kingdom as a global financial centre following the City of London's fall to third place in the Global Green Finance Index published in September.

***Baroness Jones of Moulsecoomb** to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their assessment of the safety implications for consumers of the retail sale of weedkillers such as Roundup; and whether they will introduce legislation to address any risks.

***Lord Fox** to ask Her Majesty's Government what progress they have made in establishing the governance of their Industrial Strategy.

Thursday 1 November 2018 at 11.00am

***Lord Bruce of Bennachie** to ask Her Majesty's Government what advice they will provide to United Kingdom residents planning to book holidays in European Union Member States commencing after the end of March 2019 regarding health and travel insurance.

***Lord Thomas of Gresford** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they will promote an architectural competition to design a standard prefabricated council house to current standards of insulation, energy saving and ease of construction.

***Lord Davidson of Glen Clova** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the implications of deployment of the Royal Navy in the South China Sea for efforts to develop trade relations with China.

Monday 5 November 2018 at 2.30pm

***Lord Scriven** to ask Her Majesty's Government what action they are taking to ensure that the Sheffield City Region Devolution Deal comes to fruition.

***Lord Lee of Trafford** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to provide greater training and employment opportunities for ex-offenders.

***Baroness Benjamin** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to ensure that age-verification to prevent children accessing pornographic websites is implemented by the British Board of Film Classification.

***Lord Redesdale** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether the Department for Education will reconsider allowing Design Engineer Construct levels 2 and 3 as project-based qualifications.

Tuesday 6 November 2018 at 11.00am

†***Lord Naseby** to ask Her Majesty's Government what proposals they have to promote awareness of shared ownership amongst prospective house buyers.

†***Lord Roberts of Llandudno** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps the Home Office will take to ensure that fewer decisions on immigration matters are reversed on appeal.

†***Lord Harries of Pentregarth** to ask Her Majesty's Government what representations they are making to the government of India about the continuance of manual scavenging.

Motions for Balloted Debate

Ballot to be drawn on Wednesday 7 November for debate on 22 November. Time limit 2½ hours.

†**Lord Lexden** to move that this House takes note of the case for allegations of historical child sex abuse to be investigated in a manner which is fair to the complainant and the alleged abuser.

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: will consumers be protected?* (9th Report, HL Paper 51). *19 December 2017*

Lord Clement-Jones to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Select Committee on Artificial Intelligence *AI in the UK: ready, willing and able?* (HL Paper 100). *16 April*

Lord Patel to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Science and Technology Committee *Life Sciences Industrial Strategy: Who's driving the bus?* (1st Report, HL Paper 115). *26 April*

Lord Hodgson of Astley Abbotts to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Select Committee on Citizenship and Civic Engagement *The Ties that Bind: Citizenship and Civic Engagement in the 21st Century* (HL Paper 118). *18 April*

Lord Gilbert of Panteg to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Communications Committee *UK advertising in a digital age* (1st Report, HL Paper 116). *11 April*

Lord Forsyth of Drumlean to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Economic Affairs Committee *Treating Students Fairly: The Economics of Post-School Education* (2nd Report, HL Paper 139). *11 June*

Lord Jay of Ewelme to move that this House takes note of the Report from the European Union Committee *Brexit: the proposed UK–EU security treaty* (18th Report, HL Paper 164). *11 July*

Lord Patel to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Science and Technology Committee *Off-site manufacture for construction: Building for change* (2nd Report, HL Paper 169). *19 July*

Motions Relating to Delegated Legislation

Lord Thomas of Gresford to move that this House regrets that the Crime and Courts Act 2013 (Commencement No.18) Order 2018 provides for a new type of standalone electronic monitoring requirement for community orders and suspended sentence orders before the results of the ongoing pilot schemes are known. *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Baroness Pinnock to move that this House regrets that the Police, Fire and Crime Commissioner for North Yorkshire (Fire and Rescue Authority) Order 2018 has been brought forward despite the constituent councils, the North Yorkshire Police and Crime Panel, and North Yorkshire Fire Authority being opposed to the proposals; further regrets that no detailed assessments have been undertaken by the Police and Crime Commissioner's Office as to the impact of the proposals; and expresses serious concern that the proposals could severely impact on the fire services' capacity to serve residents across York and North Yorkshire (SI 2018/970).

Lord Griffiths of Burry Port to move that this House takes note of the Final Version of the Regulatory Action Policy to be issued by the Information Commissioner. *40th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Questions for Short Debate

Time limit 1 hour or 1½ hours.

†**Lord Roberts of Llandudno** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they will take to improve immigration procedures in the United Kingdom. (*9 October*)

†**Lord Haselhurst** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the transport infrastructure needs of the United Kingdom's Innovation corridor (London, Stansted, Cambridge); and to what extent the current infrastructure limits that region's potential to contribute to the nation's wealth. (*9 October*)

†**Lord Mendelsohn** to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their current strategy for the use of advances in medical research and clinical treatment to improve outcomes for patients with blood cancer. (*9 October*)

Questions for Written Answer

Tabled on 9 October and due for answer by 23 October.

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of alleged human rights violations against China's Uighur population and of reports that up to one million Uighur have been sent to re-education camps; and what representations they have made to the government of China on these issues. HL10450

Lord Berkeley to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the effect the European Commission's draft proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council (1.8.2018 COM(2018) 568 final 2018/0299 (COD)), amending Regulation (EU) No 1316/2013, with regard to the withdrawal of the UK from the EU will have on the UK economy after Brexit. HL10451

Lord Berkeley to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of industry support for continuing to link UK rail freight networks to European Rail Freight Corridors after Brexit; and what impact that would have on the level of rail freight traffic in the UK. HL10452

Lord Berkeley to ask Her Majesty's Government how HS2 will ensure the stability of the tracks when they pass over large sink holes in the areas of old mine workings; when a detailed geological survey will be done in those areas; and how the track alignment and levels will be maintained in areas where continuous settlement is likely. HL10453

Lord Berkeley to ask Her Majesty's Government what UK and European standards are being used by HS2 to determine the design and layout of rolling stock, tunnels and cross passages, the procedures for evacuation of passengers, and fire safety in its tunnel sections. HL10454

Lord Berkeley to ask Her Majesty's Government how much has so far been spent by HS1 in settling Part 1 claims in accordance with its Compensation Code; and what percentage of HS1's overall property spend that represents. HL10455

Lord Berkeley to ask Her Majesty's Government how much funding the UK has received under TEN-T programmes during the last five years; and whether they will make a similar amount of funding available for the five years after Brexit. HL10456

Lord Black of Brentwood to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they plan to undertake any consultation before bringing forward proposals to ban gay conversion therapy; if so, which stakeholders they plan to consult; and what is the timetable. HL10457

Baroness Bowles of Berkhamsted to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to their *Framework for the UK-EU partnership: Company law (accounting and audit)* presentation, published on 13 June, what is their intended process for endorsing the International Accounting Standards for use in the UK. HL10458

Baroness Bowles of Berkhamsted to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Lord Henley on 1 February (HL5096), how much in fines was received and passed on to other bodies in each of the years from 2004 to 2011 before the Statutory Auditors and Third Country Auditors Regulations 2016 (SI 2016/649) came into effect. HL10459

Lord Bradshaw to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Baroness Sugg on 17 September 2018 (HL10203), how much capital grant was paid to the bus industry to develop low emission vehicles in 2015/16 and 2016/17; and what is their estimate of the capital grant for each of the next two financial years. HL10460

Lord Bradshaw to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Baroness Sugg on 24 September (HL10300), when did the discussions about enhancing Gatwick Airport railway station begin. HL10461

Lord Bradshaw to ask Her Majesty's Government, following their decision to postpone the letting of a new franchise for Cross Country Trains, what steps do they intend to take to reduce overcrowding across that network. HL10462

Baroness Brown of Cambridge to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they intend to maintain the Carbon Price Support rates, set in the 2016 Budget, for the period through to 2020–21; and how their policy in the area relates to the Total Carbon Price, established in the Autumn Budget 2017. HL10463 [I]

Lord Campbell of Pittenweem to ask Her Majesty's Government what recent oral and written representations the Prime Minister has made to the President of the United States in relation to his intention to impose sanctions on UK companies doing business in Iran. HL10464

Lord Campbell of Pittenweem to ask Her Majesty's Government what oral and written representations (1) the Foreign Secretary, and (2) the Defence Secretary, have made to their opposite numbers in the government of the United States in relation to the intention of the President of the United States to impose sanctions on UK companies doing business in Iran. HL10465

Lord Campbell of Pittenweem to ask Her Majesty's Government on how many occasions since the President of the United States announced his intention to impose sanctions on UK companies doing business in Iran the matter has been raised at face to face meetings with officials including the United States Ambassador in London. HL10466

Lord Campbell of Pittenweem to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking together with other members of the European Union to mitigate the effects of the imposition of sanctions on UK companies doing business in Iran. HL10467

Lord Carlile of Berriew to ask Her Majesty's Government what action they are taking (1) to remedy any buprenorphine shortage, and (2) to ensure that in the long term there is consistent and adequate supply of this medication, that it is available across the country and is not subject to unpredictable price fluctuations. HL10468

Lord Chadlington to ask Her Majesty's Government what percentage of police call outs in the last 12 months they estimate can be attributed to mental health problems connected with gambling-related harm. HL10469

Lord Chadlington to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the report by the Education Policy Institute *Access to children and young people's mental health services—2018*, published 7 October, which states that the number of referrals to specialist child and adolescent mental health services in England has increased by 26 per cent over the last five years. HL10470

Lord Chadlington to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the case for the development of a national strategy for the prevention and treatment of harms resulting from gambling. HL10471

Lord Empey to ask Her Majesty's Government how many people are currently employed at the UK Representation Office in Brussels; and what estimate they have made of the cost of their employment in the current financial year. HL10472

Lord Empey to ask Her Majesty's Government how many people they estimate will be employed at the UK Representation Office in Brussels in the financial year 2019–20; and what they estimate to be the cost of that employment. HL10473

Lord Freyberg to ask Her Majesty's Government how their policy to exploit commercially images of works of art in national museums and galleries fits with the mandates of the Arts and Humanities Research Council and other research bodies to make all publicly funded and Research Excellence Framework qualifying scholarship available on open licences from 2020 onwards. HL10474

Lord Freyberg to ask Her Majesty's Government whether any Government controlled data sets are cited as capital assets on the National Balance Sheet; and if so, which ones. HL10475

Lord Freyberg to ask Her Majesty's Government whether any Government controlled data sets are cited as capital assets on the Whole of Government Accounts; and if so, which ones. HL10476

Lord Freyberg to ask Her Majesty's Government whether the UK's intangible assets are accounted for using an internationally recognised methodology. HL10477

Lord Freyberg to ask Her Majesty's Government whether for accounting purposes they treat intellectual property generated by public bodies in the same way as other EU Member States. HL10478

Lord Freyberg to ask Her Majesty's Government whether there is an internationally accepted methodology for valuing raw data assets on government balance sheets; and if not, what consideration they have given to developing one with international partners. HL10479

Baroness Golding to ask Her Majesty's Government what progress has been made to secure trade agreements to ensure the security of supply of medical radioisotopes following Brexit. HL10480

Lord Greaves to ask Her Majesty's Government what progress they have made in appointing the National Tree Champion. HL10481

Lord Greaves to ask Her Majesty's Government what help they provide to asylum seeker families whose children are allocated places at schools too close to their homes to qualify for free transport but where the additional cost of travel fares is unaffordable; and what assistance they provide for obtaining school uniforms. HL10482

Lord Greaves to ask Her Majesty's Government whether local housing authorities that divested themselves of their council housing stocks in the past and closed their housing revenue accounts (HRAs) are able to set up new HRAs and build new council housing under their new proposals for lifting the cap on local authority borrowing for such purposes or otherwise. HL10483

Lord Harries of Pentregarth to ask Her Majesty's Government what representations they are making to the government of India about the arrest on 28 August of five Indian Dalit human rights activists during simultaneous police raids conducted in Hyderabad, Mumbai, Faridabad, Pune, Ranchi, and Goa. HL10484

Lord Harris of Haringey to ask Her Majesty's Government how many responses they have received to their consultation *Transforming the response to domestic abuse*; and when they will publish their response. HL10485

Lord Holmes of Richmond to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answers by Lord Henley on 17 May (HL7805, HL7806, HL7807, and HL7809), what progress they have made in fulfilling their commitments, in particular the commitments to (1) hold a roundtable discussion with employers and leaders from sectors that commonly use interns, (2) update guidance for employers and workers on the rules for paying interns, and (3) publish further details on enforcement of the National Minimum Wage. HL10486

Lord Hylton to ask Her Majesty's Government what reply, if any, they received to the letter of 31 July from the Foreign Secretary to the Prime Minister of Israel calling, together with other European countries, for reconsideration of the decision to demolish the village and school of Khan al-Ahmar; and what further steps they plan to take on this issue. HL10487

Lord Hylton to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of (1) the UK contribution to EU funds, and (2) British seconded personnel to EU agencies to improving conditions for refugees and migrants who have entered Greece; and to what extent such work has reduced overcrowding and improved sanitation in camps on Aegean islands, particularly the Moria camp. HL10488

Baroness Jones of Moulsecoomb to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they intend to establish at least one permanent monitoring site for Ultrafine Particles in the vicinity of a major airport as recommended by the Air Quality Expert Group in its report *Ultrafine Particles in the UK*, published in July. HL10489

Baroness Jones of Moulsecoomb to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the conclusion of the Air Quality Expert Group in its report *Ultrafine Particles in the UK*, published in July, that the policies and actions to control ambient PM2.5 and PM10 will not always control Ultrafine Particles. HL10490

Baroness Jones of Moulsecoomb to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the conclusions of the Air Quality Expert Group in its report *Ultrafine Particles in the UK*, published in July, that "emissions from some potentially important sources such as domestic wood burning are very poorly known". HL10491

Baroness Jones of Moulsecoomb to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they intend to commission research into the contribution made by different types of domestic wood burning stoves to the presence of Ultrafine Particles and other air pollutants in urban areas. HL10492

Baroness Jones of Moulsecoomb to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they will extend the Community Housing Fund beyond 31 March 2020 to enable community groups to progress and complete their current pipeline of projects. HL10493

Lord Lipsey to ask Her Majesty's Government what they estimate would be the cost of introducing a cap on social care costs along the lines proposed by the Dilnot report of (1) £35,000, (2) £75,000, or (3) £100,000. HL10494

Lord Moonie to ask Her Majesty's Government how many days each Type 23 frigate has spent at sea from 2016 to date. HL10495

Lord Moonie to ask Her Majesty's Government how many days (1) the HMS Albion, (2) the HMS Bulwark, and (3) all the bay-class LSD(A)s have spent at sea from 2016 to date. HL10496

Lord Moonie to ask Her Majesty's Government how many firm orders for F-35 Lightning aircraft have been placed; and when they are expected to be delivered. HL10497

Lord Moonie to ask Her Majesty's Government when the Deployable F-35 Operations Facility at RAF Marham is expected to achieve Initial Operating Capability; and whether it is air-portable. HL10498

Lord Moonie to ask Her Majesty's Government how many (1) Royal Air Force, and (2) Royal Navy, pilots are qualified to fly the F-35 Lightning aircraft. HL10499

Lord Moonie to ask Her Majesty's Government whether the Deployable F-35 Operations Facility could be deployed on an aircraft carrier. HL10500

Lord Myners to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the (1) data, and (2) powers available to regulators to manage the systemic risk linked to the non-bank lending, or "shadow banking" sector. HL10501

Lord Patten to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their assessment of the resilience to flooding in Somerset, Devon and Cornwall; and whether this has improved since 2014. HL10502

Lord Patten to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they have taken to protect the railways in Somerset, Devon and Cornwall from flood water damage since 2012. HL10503

Lord Patten to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they have taken to mitigate the effects of coastal erosion in Somerset, Devon and Cornwall since 2012. HL10504

Lord Patten to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their assessment of the effectiveness of the arrangements between local authorities and relevant agencies to mitigate flood risks in Somerset, Devon and Cornwall. HL10505

Lord Patten to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Baroness Sugg on 18 September (HL10098), what estimate they have made of the contribution of the East West Rail programme to annual regional economic growth. HL10506

Lord Patten to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Baroness Sugg on 18 September (HL10000), whether the estimated £46.8 million national and regional economic benefit derived from the building of the new Cambridge South station represents an annual benefit or the total over a period of time. HL10507

Lord Porter of Spalding to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the extent of the current delays in the production of written reports by the Building Research Establishment following BS8414 tests on the performance of external fire cladding systems; and what are the implications of these delays for fire safety in the UK. HL10508 [I]

Lord Porter of Spalding to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ensure that Clinical Commissioning Groups work with local authorities to develop and implement plans for the improvement of children's mental health services as set out in the *Future in Mind* report published in 2015 by the Department of Health and NHS England. HL10509 [I]

Lord Porter of Spalding to ask Her Majesty's Government how much funding has been secured through contributions for investment in flood and coastal resilience schemes from (1) the private sector, (2) utility companies, and (3) local authorities since the start of the current six-year investment cycle. HL10510 [I]

Baroness Rebuck to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of the business rates pub relief scheme on the viability of community pubs in England; and what has been the cost of the scheme to date. HL10511

Baroness Rebuck to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of recent increases in business rates on the sustainability of local high street bookshops in England. HL10512

Baroness Scott of Needham Market to ask Her Majesty's Government what is the total annual income derived by the DVLA from providing details of motorists' data to private parking companies. HL10513

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the effect of Brexit on the UK music industry. HL10514

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of whether there will be an agreement on the withdrawal terms of the UK leaving the European Union; and whether the statement by Jean-Claude Juncker on 6 October that the chances of a deal have increased has altered that assessment. HL10515

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of research conducted by Credit Suisse Bank that found that food costs would rise by 2.3 per cent in a soft Brexit and by 5.6 per cent in a hard Brexit. HL10516

Baroness Tonge to ask Her Majesty's Government what representations they have made or plan to make to the government of Tanzania following the banning in that country of family planning adverts by FHI 360; and what assessment they have made of reports that the President described family planning as being for those "too lazy to take care of their children". HL10517

Baroness Tonge to ask Her Majesty's Government what representations they are making to the government of Israel following the announcement by Nir Barkat, the Mayor of Jerusalem, that schools, clinics and sports centres, among other services operated by UNRWA in East Jerusalem, will be transferred to Israeli authorities. HL10518

Baroness Tonge to ask Her Majesty's Government what representations they have made to the government of Saudi Arabia concerning a ceasefire in Yemen. HL10519

Baroness Tonge to ask Her Majesty's Government what action, if any, they plan to take to send more humanitarian aid to the people of Yemen. HL10520

Baroness Tonge to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they will make representations to the government of Israel about the reported shelling by Israeli forces of medical facilities in Gaza and the reported targeting of health workers in Gaza by Israeli forces. HL10521

Baroness Tonge to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they will make representations to the government of Israel about reported attacks by Israeli forces on children during the Great Return March in Gaza on 28 September. HL10522

Lord Trefgarne to ask Her Majesty's Government how many persons serving indeterminate prison sentences for public protection they estimate continue to protest their innocence; and whether such persons are denied access to the necessary courses which could lead to their release. HL10523

Lord Trefgarne to ask Her Majesty's Government what is the numerical strength of (1) the Royal Navy, (2) the Royal Naval Reserve, and (3) the Royal Marines. HL10524

Lord Trefgarne to ask Her Majesty's Government what is the numerical strength of (1) the British Army, and (2) the Army Reserve. HL10525

Lord Trefgarne to ask Her Majesty's Government what is the numerical strength of (1) the Royal Air Force, and (2) the Royal Air Force Reserve. HL10526

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.

12 September (26 September)

HL10335 Lord Taylor of Warwick [Department for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport]

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

Department for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport (1)

Bills in Progress

	Type of Bill	To be considered
Waiting for Second Reading		
Succession to Peerages Bill [HL] (<i>Queen's consent to be signified</i>)	Private Member's	
House of Lords Bill [HL] (<i>Queen's consent to be signified</i>)	Private Member's	
Duchy of Cornwall Bill [HL] (<i>Queen's and Prince of Wales's consent to be signified</i>)	Private Member's	
Anonymity (Arrested Persons) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
BBC (Independence) Bill [HL] (<i>Queen's consent to be signified</i>)	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	
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	

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Kew Gardens (Leases) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Carbon Emission Reductions Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Automatic Electoral Registration Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Official Development Assistance Target (Repeal) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Marriage (Same Sex Couples) (Northern Ireland) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Clean Air (Human Rights) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Prisons (Interference with Wireless Telegraphy) Bill	Private Member's	
Health and Social Care (National Data Guardian) Bill	Private Member's	
Divorce (etc.) Law Review Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Tenant Fees Bill (<i>Queen's consent to be signified</i>)	Government	10 October
Voyeurism (Offences) (No. 2) Bill	Government	
Act of Union Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Committed to a Grand Committee		
House of Lords (Hereditary Peers) (Abolition of By-Elections) Bill [HL] (<i>Queen's consent to be signified</i>)	Private Member's	
Committed to a Committee of the Whole House		
Age of Criminal Responsibility Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Democratic Political Activity (Funding and Expenditure) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Equality Act 2010 (Amendment) (Disabled Access) 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	
Conscientious Objection (Medical Activities) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Open Skies Agreement (Membership) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Ecumenical Marriage Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Criminal Records Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Bat Habitats Regulation Bill [HL] (<i>Queen's consent to be signified</i>)	Private Member's	
Divorce (Financial Provision) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Mental Capacity (Amendment) Bill [HL]	Government	15 October
Civil Partnership Act 2004 (Amendment) (Sibling Couples) Bill [HL] (<i>Queen's consent to be signified</i>)	Private Member's	
Children Act 1989 (Amendment) (Female Genital Mutilation) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
European Union (Information, etc.) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Mental Health Units (Use of Force) Bill	Private Member's	
Trade Bill (<i>Queen's consent to be signified</i>)	Government	
Non-Domestic Rating (Nursery Grounds) Bill (<i>Welsh Legislative Consent Motion passed</i>)	Government	10 October
Counter-Terrorism and Border Security Bill	Government	
Waiting for Report		
Courts and Tribunals (Judiciary and Functions of Staff) Bill [HL]	Government	16 October
Crime (Overseas Production Orders) Bill [HL]	Government	
Ivory Bill (<i>Queen's consent to be signified</i>)	Government	

Sent to the Commons

Asset Freezing (Compensation) Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Unpaid Work Experience (Prohibition) Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Family Relationships (Impact Assessment and Targets) Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Modern Slavery (Victim Support) Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Civil Liability Bill [HL]	Government
Refugees (Family Reunion) Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Creditworthiness Assessment Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Registration of Marriage Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Home Education (Duty of Local Authorities) Bill [HL]	Private Member's
University of London Bill [HL]	Private

Returned to the Commons amended

Rating (Property in Common Occupation) and Council Tax (Empty Dwellings) Bill	Government
Middle Level Bill	Private

Statutory Instruments in Progress**Affirmative Instruments waiting for consideration by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments**

Draft Freedom of Information (Designation as Public Authority and Amendment) Order 2018

Draft European Union (Definition of Treaties) (Economic Partnership Agreements and Trade Agreement) (Eastern and Southern Africa States, Southern African Development Community States, Ghana and Ecuador) Order 2018

Draft Newcastle Upon Tyne, North Tyneside and Northumberland Combined Authority (Establishment and Functions) Order 2018 *40th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft Further Education Bodies (Insolvency) Regulations 2018

Draft Electricity and Gas (Powers to Make Subordinate Legislation) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018

Draft EEA Passport Rights (Amendment, etc., and Transitional Provisions) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018

Draft Child Support (Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2018 *41st Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft International Road Transport Permits (EU Exit) Regulations 2018

Draft Credit Transfers and Direct Debits in Euro (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018

Draft Deposit Guarantee Scheme and Miscellaneous Provisions (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018

Draft Electronic Money, Payment Services and Payment Systems (Amendment and Transitional Provisions) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018

Draft Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (Claims Management Activity) Order 2018

Draft Road Safety (Financial Penalty Deposit) (Appropriate Amount) (Amendment) Order 2018

Draft Short Selling (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018

Draft Trailer Registration Regulations 2018

Affirmative Instruments waiting for Affirmative Resolution

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

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

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

Draft Crime and Courts Act 2013 (Commencement No. 18) Order 2018 *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft Immigration (Alcohol Licensing and Late Hours Catering) (Scotland) Regulations 2018

Draft Data Retention and Acquisition Regulations 2018

Draft Third Parties (Rights Against Insurers) Act 2010 (Consequential Amendment of Companies Act 2006) Regulations 2018 *(17 October)*

Draft Business Contract Terms (Assignment of Receivables) Regulations 2018 *(17 October)*

Draft Financial Regulators' Powers (Technical Standards etc.) (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 *38th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (17 October)*

Draft Armed Forces (Terms of Service) (Amendments Relating to Flexible Working) Regulations 2018 *(10 October)*

Draft Companies (Directors' Report) and Limited Liability Partnerships (Energy and Carbon Report) Regulations 2018 *(17 October)*

Draft Building Societies Legislation (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 *(17 October)*

Draft Department for Transport (Fees) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 *(17 October)*

Draft Electricity and Gas (Energy Company Obligation) Order 2018

Draft Cambridgeshire and Peterborough Combined Authority (Adult Education Functions) Order 2018

Draft Civil Aviation (Insurance) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018

Draft European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018 (Consequential Amendments) Regulations 2018

Draft Greater Manchester Combined Authority (Adult Education Functions) Order 2018

Draft Liverpool City Region Combined Authority (Adult Education Functions) Order 2018

Draft Merchant Shipping (Monitoring, Reporting and Verification of Carbon Dioxide Emissions) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018

Draft Tees Valley Combined Authority (Adult Education Functions) Order 2018

Draft West Midlands Combined Authority (Adult Education Functions) Order 2018

Draft West of England Combined Authority (Adult Education Functions) Order 2018

Draft Armed Forces (Specified Aviation and Marine Functions) Regulations 2018 (*10 October*)

Draft Central Counterparties (Amendment, etc., and Transitional Provision) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018

Negative Instruments

Court of Protection, Civil Proceedings and Magistrates' Courts Fees (Amendment) Order 2018 *36th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 17 October.*

Regulation of Investigatory Powers (Juveniles) (Amendment) Order 2018 *35th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expired 22 July. (16 October)*

Police, Fire and Crime Commissioner for North Yorkshire (Fire and Rescue Authority) Order 2018 *Instrument not reported by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 5 November.*

School Teachers' Pay and Conditions Order 2018 *41st Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 22 November.*

Legislative Reform Order in Progress

Draft order laid before the House and referred to the Regulatory Reform Committee

Draft Legislative Reform (Horserace Betting Levy) Order 2018 (*Affirmative*)

Human Rights Remedial Orders

Proposals for orders under paragraph 3 referred to the Joint Committee on Human Rights

Proposal for the Draft British Nationality Act 1981 (Remedial) Order 2018 (*9 June*)

Proposal for a draft raft o (Back to Work Schemes) Act 2013 (Remedial) Order 2018

Proposal for a Remedial Order to amend the Human Rights Act 1998

Draft order under paragraph 2 referred to the Joint Committee on Human Rights

Draft Human Fertilisation and Embryology Act 2008 (Remedial) Order 2018

Proposed Negative Statutory Instruments laid under the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018

Animal By-Products and Transmissible Spongiform Encephalopathies (England) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 *Sifting time expires: 24 October*

Animal (Scientific Procedures) Act 1986 (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 *Sifting time expires: 24 October*

Communication of Investments (Revocation) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 *Sifting time expires: 24 October*

Driving Licences (Amendments) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 *Sifting time expires: 25 October*

Export of Objects of Cultural Interest (Control) (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 *Sifting time expires: 24 October*

International Recovery of Maintenance (Hague Convention on the International Recovery of Child Support and Other Forms of Family Maintenance 2007) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 *Sifting time expires: 24 October*

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Merchant Shipping (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Amendments etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 *Sifting period expires: 24 October*

Road Vehicles (Registration, Registration Plates and Excise Exemption)(Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 *Sifting period expires: 25 October*

Zoonotic Disease Eradication and Control (Amendment) (England) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 *Sifting period expires: 24 October*

Instrument subject to disapproval

Final Version of the Regulatory Action Policy to be issued by the Information Commissioner

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.

Wednesday 10 October

EU Financial Affairs Sub-Committee	Room 4A	9.45am
Constitution Committee	Room 1	10.15am
EU Energy and Environment Sub-Committee	Room 2	10.30am
Delegated Powers and Regulatory Reform Committee	Room 2A	10.30am
International Relations Committee	Room 4	10.40am
Human Rights (Joint Committee)	Room 1	3.00pm
Finance Bill Sub-Committee	Room 2	4.05pm

Thursday 11 October

EU Internal Market Sub-Committee	Room 4A	10.45am
Services Committee	Committee Room G	1.00pm

Monday 15 October

SLSC Sub-Committee A	Room 3A	3.45pm
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Tuesday 16 October

Rural Economy Committee	Room 1	9.30am
Bribery Act 2010 Committee	Room 4	10.30am
EU Justice Sub-Committee	Room 3	10.30am
Intergenerational Fairness and Provision Committee	Room 4A	11.30am
Science and Technology Committee	Forensic Services Directorate, London	3.15pm
Communications Committee	Room 2	3.15pm
Regenerating Seaside Towns and Communities Committee	Room 2A	3.20pm
Economic Affairs Committee	Room 1	3.35pm
SLSC Sub-Committee B	Room 3A	3.45pm

Wednesday 17 October

EU Home Affairs Sub-Committee	Room 3	10.30am
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Wednesday 24 October

Ecclesiastical Committee (Joint Committee)	Room 4A	1.00pm
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Monday 5 November

House of Lords Commission	Lord Speaker's Room	10.30am
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Minutes of Proceedings of Tuesday 9 October 2018

The House met at 2.30pm.

Prayers were read by the Lord Bishop of Newcastle.

1 **PC Palmer inquest** The Lord Speaker (Lord Fowler) made a statement.

Select Committee Reports

2 **Secondary Legislation Scrutiny**

The following Report from the Select Committee was made and ordered to be printed:

Draft Child Support (Miscellaneous Amendment) Regulations 2018

School Teachers' Pay and Conditions Order 2018

Correspondence: Implementation backlog for international agreements. (41st Report, HL Paper 190)

3 **European Union**

The following Report from the Select Committee was made and ordered to be printed:

Brexit: plant and animal biosecurity. (21st Report, HL Paper 191)

Private Business

4 **Richmond Burgage Pastures Bill [HL]** The Senior Deputy Speaker (Lord McFall of Alcluith) informed the House that the Promoters do not intend to proceed further with the bill.

Public Business

5 **National Accident Prevention Strategy** A question was asked by Lord Jordan and answered by the Earl of Courtown.

6 **United Nations: global goals for sustainable development** A question was asked by Lord McConnell of Glenscorrodale and answered by Lord Bates.

7 **Recycling** A question was asked by Baroness Neville-Rolfe and answered by Lord Gardiner of Kimble.

8 **NHS: diabetes** A question was asked by Lord Morris of Aberavon and answered by the Earl of Courtown.

9 **Jamal Khashoggi** A private notice question was asked by Baroness Northover and answered by Baroness Goldie.

10 **Act of Union Bill [HL]** Lord Lisvane presented a bill to provide a renewed constitutional form for the peoples of England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland to continue to join together to form the United Kingdom; to affirm that the peoples of those nations and parts have chosen, subject to and in accordance with the provisions of this Act, to continue to pool their sovereignty for specified purposes; and to protect social and economic rights for citizens. It was read a first time and ordered to be printed. (HL Bill 132)

11 **Rural Economy** Lord Boswell of Aynho, on behalf of the Senior Deputy Speaker (Lord McFall of Alcluith), moved that Baroness Hodgson of Abinger be appointed a member of the Select Committee in place of Baroness O'Cathain, resigned. The motion was agreed to.

12 **Counter-Terrorism and Border Security Bill** Baroness Williams of Trafford moved that the bill be now read a second time. After debate, the motion was agreed to and the bill was committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

13 **Food labelling** Lord Gardiner of Kimble repeated as a ministerial statement the answer given to an Urgent Question in the House of Commons.

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14 **Overseas development aid** Lord Bates repeated as a ministerial statement the answer given to an Urgent Question in the House of Commons.

15 **Brexit: negotiations** Lord Callanan repeated a ministerial statement made in the House of Commons.

The House adjourned at 9.58pm until Wednesday 10 October at 3.00pm.

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.

Command Papers

The following papers were presented to the House by command of Her Majesty, on the dates shown:

1. Housing—Government Response to the 2nd Report of the House of Commons Housing, Communities and Local Government Committee on Housing for Older People (27 September). (9692)
2. Environment—The Antarctic Treaty: Measures adopted at the Fortieth Consultative Meeting held at Beijing, China, 22 May to 1 June 2017 (25 September). (9693)
3. Finance—Treasury Minutes on the 43rd to the 58th Reports from the Committee of Public Accounts (9 October). (9702)
4. Housing—Government Response to the 9th Report of the House of Commons Housing, Communities and Local Government Committee on the Independent Review of Building Regulations and Fire Safety: Next Steps (18 September). (9706)
5. Explanatory Memorandum (Revised)—Replacement Explanatory Memorandum to the Draft Child Support (Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2018, originally laid on 12 September (28 September). (—)
6. Explanatory Memorandum (Revised)—Replacement Explanatory Memorandum to the Draft Occupational Pension Schemes (Master Trusts) Regulations 2018, originally laid on 18 June (26 September). (—)
7. Explanatory Memorandum (Revised)—Replacement Explanatory Memorandum to the Road Vehicles (Approval) (Amendment) Regulations 2018, originally laid on 13 September (2 October). (—)
8. Explanatory Memorandum (Revised)—Replacement Explanatory Memorandum to the Draft Merchant Shipping (Monitoring, Reporting and Verification of Carbon Dioxide Emissions) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018, originally laid on 23 July (28 September). (—)

Statutory Instruments laid under Standing Order 70

The following instruments were laid before the House on the dates shown:

1. Animal Health and Welfare (Miscellaneous Amendments) (England) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 (*Negative Instrument, No. 1033, laid on 27 September*)
2. Common Agricultural Policy Basic Payment and Support Schemes (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2018 (*Negative Instrument, No. 1026, laid on 26 September*)
3. Consumer Credit (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 (*Negative Instrument, No. 1038, laid on 28 September*)
4. European Communities (Designation Orders) (Revocation) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 (*Negative Instrument, No. 1011, laid on 20 September*)
5. European Union (Definition of Treaties Orders) (Revocation) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 (*Negative Instrument, No. 1012, laid on 20 September*)
6. Friendly Societies (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 (*Negative Instrument, No. 1039, laid on 28 September*)
7. School Teachers' Pay and Conditions Order 2018 (*Negative Instrument, No. 998, laid on 14 September*)

8. Seal Products (Amendments) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 (*Negative Instrument, No. 1034, laid on 27 September*)
9. Tenants' Associations (Provisions Relating to Recognition and Provision of Information) (England) Regulations 2018 (*Negative Instrument, No. 1043, laid on 5 October*)
10. Timber and Timber Products and FLEGT (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 (*Negative Instrument, No. 1025, laid on 25 September*)
11. Vehicle Drivers (Certificates of Professional Competence) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 (*Negative Instrument, No. 1004, laid on 17 September*)
12. Zootechnical Standards (England) Regulations 2018 (*Negative Instrument, No. 1037, laid on 28 September*)

Affirmative Instruments

The following instruments were laid before the House for approval by resolution:

1. Draft Credit Transfers and Direct Debits in Euro (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018
2. Draft Deposit Guarantee Scheme and Miscellaneous Provisions (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018
3. Draft Electronic Money, Payment Services and Payment Systems (Amendment and Transitional Provisions) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018
4. Draft Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (Claims Management Activity) Order 2018
5. Draft Road Safety (Financial Penalty Deposit) (Appropriate Amount) (Amendment) Order 2018
6. Draft Short Selling (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018
7. Draft Trailer Registration Regulations 2018
8. Draft Legislative Reform (Horserace Betting Levy) Order 2018

Negative Instruments

The following instruments were laid before the House:

1. Groceries Code Adjudicator Act 2013, Small Business, Enterprise and Employment Act 2015 and Enterprise Act 2016 (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 (1046)
2. Safety of Sports Grounds (Designation) (Amendment) (No. 2) Order 2018 (1047)
3. Design Right (Semiconductor Topographies) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 (1052)
4. Tribunal Procedure (Amendment No. 2) Rules 2018 (1053)

Paper subject to disapproval

The following paper was laid before the House:

1. Draft Modifications to the Standard Conditions of Electricity and Gas Supply Licences and the Smart Energy Code (Smart Meters No. 4 of 2018)

Papers not subject to Parliamentary Proceedings

The following papers were laid before the House:

1. Minute from the Ministry of Defence on the making of call-out orders to authorise the call-out of Members of the Reserve Forces to support defence objectives
2. Minute from the Ministry of Defence on the making of a call-out order to authorise the call-out of Members of the Reserve Forces to counter the threat of Daesh
3. Proposed Amended Text to the Highway Code rules 149, 150, 160 and 239
4. Report under the Public Libraries and Museums Act 1964 2017–18

Proposed Negative Statutory Instruments

The following papers were laid under the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018, on the dates shown:

1. Animal By-Products and Transmissible Spongiform Encephalopathies (England) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 (27 September)
2. Animal By-Products and Transmissible Spongiform Encephalopathies (England) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018, replacing those laid on 27 September (3 October)
3. Animals (Scientific Procedures) Act 1986 (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 (1 October)
4. Communication of Investments (Revocation) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 (28 September)
5. Driving Licences (Amendments) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 (9 October)
6. Export of Objects of Cultural Interest (Control) (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 (2 October)
7. International Recovery of Maintenance (Hague Convention on the International Recovery of Child Support and Other Forms of Family Maintenance 2007) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018, replacing those laid on 13 September (8 October)
8. Merchant Shipping (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Amendments etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 (18 September)
9. Road Vehicles (Registration, Registration Plates and Excise Exemption)(Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 (9 October)
10. Zoonotic Disease Eradication and Control (Amendment) (England) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 (27 September)

