

Thursday 13 July 2017 at 11.00am

**Oral Questions, 30 minutes*

***Lord Wigley** to ask Her Majesty's Government what changes they propose to make to the application of the Barnett formula to Wales and Scotland arising from any potential additional financial provision for Northern Ireland.

***Lord McKenzie of Luton** to ask Her Majesty's Government when they intend to review the Pension Protection Fund and the powers of the pension regulator, as set out in their 2017 manifesto.

***Lord Bird** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Lord Henley on 6 March (HL5600) concerning early intervention programmes, what steps they are taking to prioritise their focus on the root causes of poverty and disadvantage.

***Lord Lexden** to ask Her Majesty's Government when they plan to resume discussions with the political parties in Northern Ireland on restoring the Northern Ireland Executive.

Business of the House The Lord Privy Seal (Baroness Evans of Bowes Park) to move that Standing Order 72 (*Affirmative Instruments*) be dispensed with on Tuesday 18 July to enable a motion to approve the draft Justice and Security (Northern Ireland) Act 2007 (Extension of duration of non-jury trial provisions) Order 2017 to be moved, notwithstanding that no report from the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments on the instrument has been laid before the House.

†**Business of the House** The Lord Privy Seal (Baroness Evans of Bowes Park) to move that the debates on the motions in the names of Baroness Andrews and Lord Kennedy of Southwark set down for today shall each be limited to 2½ hours.

Financial Guidance and Claims Bill [HL] Baroness Buscombe to move that it be an instruction to the Committee of the Whole House to which the Financial Guidance and Claims Bill [HL] has been committed that they consider the bill in the following order:

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| Clause 1 | Clauses 14 to 16 |
| Schedules 1 and 2 | Schedules 4 and 5 |
| Clauses 2 to 13 | Clauses 17 to 20 |
| Schedule 3 | Title. |

Baroness Andrews to move that this House takes note of the impact of deregulation on, and the role of regulatory enforcement in delivering, public services and health and safety.

Lord Haskel to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they intend to review the one per cent cap on public sector pay. (*Topical Question for Short Debate, 1 hour*)

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



Lord Kennedy of Southwark to move that this House takes note of local government finance and arrangements beyond 2020. [I]

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of security challenges and related human rights violations on the Korean Peninsula. (*1½ hours*)

Future Business

Monday 17 July 2017 at 2.30pm

***Lord Farmer** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ensure that local authorities put an action plan in place for all children in need that will improve their family relationships and resolve other difficulties sufficiently for them to be stepped down from that status.

***Baroness Jones of Whitchurch** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to legislate to lift the ban on fox hunting as set out in their 2017 manifesto.

***Baroness Kennedy of Cradley** to ask Her Majesty's Government what action they are taking to address the issues raised by the Royal College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists programme *Each Baby Counts*.

***Baroness Lawrence of Clarendon** to ask Her Majesty's Government when they intend to bring forward proposals to reform Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services as outlined in their 2017 manifesto.

†**Lord Callanan** to move that, in respect of any bill relating to High Speed 2 that is read the first time in Session 2017–19, whether before or after the passing of this motion, and to which the standing orders relating to private business are found by the Examiners of Petitions for Private Bills to apply, it shall be sufficient compliance with:

(a) any requirement under those standing orders for a document to be deposited or delivered at, or sent to, an office of a government department, body or person if it is deposited or delivered at, sent to or otherwise made accessible at that office in electronic form;

(b) any requirement under those standing orders for a document to be deposited with an officer if it is deposited with or delivered, sent or otherwise made accessible to that officer in electronic form;

(c) any requirement under those standing orders for a document to be made available for inspection at a prescribed office, or to permit a document to be inspected, if it is made available for inspection at that office, or is permitted to be inspected, in electronic form;

(d) the requirement under Standing Order 27(7) or 36(3) relating to private business to permit a person to make copies of a document or extracts from it, if there is provided to that person, on request and within a reasonable time, copies of so much of it as the person may reasonably require and such copies may, if the person so agrees, be provided in electronic form;

(e) the requirement under Standing Order 27(7) relating to private business for a memorial to be made on every document deposited under that Standing Order, if the memorial is made on a separate document;

(f) any requirement under Standing Order 4A(1), 27A(5) or 83A(8) relating to private business to make a document available for sale at prescribed offices, if it is made available for sale at an office in London;

that this Order shall not affect any requirement under those standing orders to deposit any document at, or deliver any document to, the Office of the Clerk of the Parliaments;

that any reference in those standing orders to a document which is deposited, lodged, delivered or sent under those standing orders includes a reference to a document which is so deposited, delivered or sent in electronic form;

that any reference to a document in this order includes a reference to any bill, plan, section, book of reference, ordnance map, environmental or other statement or estimate.

Baroness Prashar to move that this House takes note of the Report from the European Union Committee *Brexit: UK–EU movement of people* (14th Report, Session 2016–17, HL Paper 121).

Lord Hollick to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Economic Affairs Committee *The Price of Power: Reforming the Electricity Market* (2nd Report, Session 2016–17, HL Paper 113).

Tuesday 18 July 2017 at 2.30pm

***Lord Lexden** to ask Her Majesty’s Government whether they are planning to mark the 50th anniversary of the Sexual Offences Act 1967.

***Lord St John of Bletso** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what steps they are taking to promote trading relationships with Southern African countries.

***Baroness Cox** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what is their assessment of recent developments in the Northern and Central Belt States in Nigeria.

Topical oral question. Ballot to be drawn at 1pm on Friday 14 July.

Baroness Verma to move that this House takes note of the Report from the European Union Committee *Brexit: trade in goods* (16th Report, Session 2016–17, HL Paper 129).

Justice and Security (Northern Ireland) Act 2007 (Extension of duration of non-jury trial provisions) Order 2017 Lord Bourne of Aberystwyth to move that the draft Order laid before the House on 22 June be approved. (*Instrument not yet reported by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments*)

Lord Hodgson of Astley Abbotts to move that this House regrets that the Damages (Personal Injury) Order 2017 makes a substantial change to the Ogden rate, the first change since 2001, just before the completion of a further consultation on how to set that rate more effectively in the future (SI 2017/206). *29th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, Session 2016–17*

Wednesday 19 July 2017 at 3.00pm

Royal Assent

***Lord Beith** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what discussions Ministers have had with the governments of the Crown Dependencies since the 2017 General Election about the negotiations for the United Kingdom’s withdrawal from the European Union.

***The Earl of Sandwich** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what further action they are taking to address the ongoing refugee crisis and acute food emergency in East Africa.

***Lord Fox** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what conclusions they have drawn from their consultation on the introduction of a new industrial strategy.

Topical oral question. Ballot opens at 3pm on Thursday 13 July, to be drawn at 1pm on Monday 17 July.

City of London Corporation (Open Spaces) Bill The Senior Deputy Speaker to move that this House do agree with the order made by the Commons set out in their message of 11 July.

New Southgate Cemetery Bill [HL] The Senior Deputy Speaker to move that the Commons message of 11 July be now considered; and that the promoters of the New Southgate Cemetery Bill [HL], which was originally introduced in the House of Lords in Session 2015–16 on 25 January 2016, may have leave to proceed with the Bill in the current Session according to the provisions of Private Business Standing Order 188B (*Revival of bills*).

Financial Guidance and Claims Bill [HL] Committee [Baroness Buscombe] *1st Report from the Delegated Powers Committee*

The Lord Bishop of Durham to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their response to the report by the All Party Parliamentary Group on Refugees, *Refugees Welcome? The Experience of New Refugees in the UK*, published on 25 April. (*Dinner break business, 1 hour*)

Thursday 20 July 2017 at 11.00am

Lord Duncan of Springbank will be introduced.

***Baroness Quin** to ask Her Majesty's Government what are their priorities for transport investment in the North East of England over the next two years.

***Lord Campbell-Savours** to ask Her Majesty's Government what consideration has been given to the introduction of ID cards as a contribution to the maintenance of security in the United Kingdom.

***Lord Brown of Eaton-under-Heywood** to ask Her Majesty's Government when they propose to exercise the power under section 128 of the Legal Aid, Sentencing and Punishment of Offenders Act 2012 to alter the test to be applied by the Parole Board to the release of those Imprisonment for Public Protection prisoners who have served years beyond their tariff terms.

Topical oral question. Ballot opens at 3pm on Friday 14 July, to be drawn at 1pm on Tuesday 18 July.

Lord Berkeley to move that this House takes note of the transport needs of remote island communities in England. (*Balloted Debate, 2½ hours*)

Lord Teverson to ask Her Majesty's Government, in the light of their intention to leave Euratom, how they intend to ensure the continued uninterrupted cross-border supply of nuclear materials, including for medical use, post-Brexit. (*Topical Question for Short Debate, 1 hour*)

Baroness Boothroyd to ask Her Majesty's Government what clinical evidence they have that the proposed closure of congenital heart disease services at the Royal Brompton Hospital will lead to improved patient outcomes. (*1½ hours*)

Thursday 7 September 2017 at 11.00am

Lord Brown of Eaton-under-Heywood to move that this House takes note of the level of overcrowding in prisons.

Baroness Lane-Fox of Soho to move that this House takes note of the case for improved digital understanding at all levels of United Kingdom society.

Select Committee Reports

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

Lord Boswell of Aynho to move that this House takes note of the Report from the European Union Committee *Brexit: UK–Irish relations* (6th Report, Session 2016–17, HL Paper 76) *12 December 2016*

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*

Motions Relating to Delegated Legislation

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*

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).

The Earl of Lytton to move 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). *30th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, Session 2016–17*

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*

National Health Service (Mandate Requirements) Regulations 2017 Lord Hunt of Kings Heath to move that this House regrets that the National Health Service (Mandate Requirements) Regulations 2017, and the associated Mandate to NHS England, do not require that in 2017–18 NHS England meets its obligation to ensure that 92 per cent of patients are treated within 18 weeks of referral; believes that failure to meet this target is a breach of the rights of patients outlined in the NHS Constitution and of the statutory requirement laid out in the National Health Service Commissioning Board and Clinical Commissioning Groups (Responsibilities and Standing Rules) Regulations 2012; and calls on Her Majesty's Government to publish the advice they have received on the legality of their actions (SI 2017/445).

Questions for Short Debate

Time limit 1 hour or 1½ hours.

†**Lord Carlile of Berriew** to ask Her Majesty's Government, in the light of recent developments in the precision of IVF treatment and analytical techniques, what plans they have to review NHS provision for women who carry the genetic marker for Huntingdon's Disease. (*12 July*)

Questions for Written Answer

Tabled on 12 July and due for answer by 26 July.

Lord Adonis to ask Her Majesty's Government how much (1) has been paid since July 2016, and (2) is budgeted to be paid in 2017–18, to recruitment agents or companies for the recruitment of staff to (a) the Department of International Trade, and (b) the Department for Exiting the European Union. HL747

Lord Adonis to ask Her Majesty's Government how much (1) has been paid since July 2016, and (2) is budgeted to be paid in 2017–18, by the Department for International Trade for the training of staff. HL748

Lord Adonis to ask Her Majesty's Government how many qualified lawyers have been recruited by the Department for International Trade. HL749

Lord Adonis to ask Her Majesty's Government how much (1) has been paid since July 2016, and (2) is budgeted for 2017–18, by the Department for International Trade for external legal advice HL750

Lord Adonis to ask Her Majesty's Government how many civil servants at the Department for International Trade have undertaken training in negotiating skills; and how much has been budgeted in 2017–18 for further such training. HL751

Lord Adonis to ask Her Majesty's Government what is the travel budget for the Department for International Trade in 2017–18. HL752

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty's Government what representations they have made to the government of China regarding the case of Liu Xiaobo and his desire to be released to seek medical treatment abroad. HL738

Earl Attlee to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they have taken since the Grenfell Tower fire to verify that local authorities are meeting their obligations to plan for, and respond to, disasters. HL759

Lord Berkeley to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the response by Lord Callanan on 10 July (HL Deb, col 1076), whether the re-evaluation of the HS2 scheme includes consideration of (1) reducing the scope of Phase 1, (2) the design speed, (3) the overall cost, (4) alternative designs such as proposed by petitioners at Wendover, (5) construction time, and (6) environmental damage; when the re-evaluation will be completed; and whether the conclusions will be published. HL760

Lord Bradley to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they intend to prepare a strategy for older prisoners; and if so, when it will be published. HL726

Lord Bradley to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they intend to prepare a strategy for prisoners with dementia; and if so, when it will be published. HL727

Lord Bradshaw to ask Her Majesty's Government what are the comparative statistics for air quality in (1) Nottingham, Southampton and Derby, which are proposed Clean Air Zones, and (2) the City of Bath. HL762

Lord Bradshaw to ask Her Majesty's Government how many interventions and modifications have they made since the Sheffield to Rotherham Tram Train pilot was launched; and to what extent these account for additional costs. HL763

Lord Bradshaw to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Lord Callanan on 6 July (HL221), and in the light of their plans for Control Period 5 and the formal monitoring arrangements that are in place, what assessment they have made of whether sufficient funds will be available to complete the necessary track, signalling and electrical supply work by the end of 2019 to support the services that Virgin East Coast Trains is contracted to deliver by those dates. HL773

Lord Bradshaw to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they are currently paying rental charges for the Intercity Express Programme trains which will be delivered before the electrification of the lines is completed; and if so, what is the total amount of those charges. HL774

Lord Dholakia to ask Her Majesty's Government, in the light of the statement by the UN Special Rapporteur on Freedom of Religion or Belief that the "recent escalation in persistent pattern of persecution of the Baha'i community in Sana'a mirrors the persecution suffered by the Baha'i living in Iran", what assessment they have made of the influence of Iran against the interests of the Baha'i community in Sana'a, Yemen. HL754

Baroness Hayter of Kentish Town to ask Her Majesty's Government whether the UK Permanent Representative to the EU has relocated full-time to Brussels; and, if not, whether this was the expectation when he was appointed. HL786

Baroness Hayter of Kentish Town to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they have taken to ensure that the UK Representation to the EU can function effectively without a resident head of the organisation. HL787

Baroness Hayter of Kentish Town to ask Her Majesty's Government whether the Deputy Permanent Representative and Director General of the UK–EU Partnership have relocated to Brussels. HL788

Lord Hylton to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they will ensure that procedures for complaints are made known in full to all prisoners held in Private Managed Prisons. HL785

Baroness Jones of Whitchurch to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they have made any assessment of (1) the environmental impact, and (2) the impact on noise pollution of, raising of the cap on flights each year at RAF Northolt from 7,000 to 12,000. HL778

Baroness Jones of Whitchurch to ask Her Majesty's Government whether there is to be an increase in flights from 3,810 military flights in 2016 to 10,610 commercial civil flights at RAF Northolt; and what assessment they have made of changing the status of the airport from military to civil. HL779

Baroness Jones of Whitchurch to ask Her Majesty's Government what response they have given to regional airlines, such as Flybe, which have been lobbying for RAF Northolt to be opened up to scheduled commercial flights. HL780

Baroness Jones of Whitchurch to ask Her Majesty's Government whether their procedure for changing the flight capacity, commencing building works or runway renovations at RAF Northolt involves consulting local residents who would be affected; and what form the consultation has taken so far. HL781

Baroness Jones of Whitchurch to ask Her Majesty's Government what is the intended increase in flight capacity at RAF Northolt for each year for the next five years. HL782

Baroness Jones of Whitchurch to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the conclusions of the 2013 interim Davies Commission report with regard to RAF Northolt, which did not include significantly increased use of Northolt in its short and medium-term recommendations. HL783

Lord Jopling to ask Her Majesty's Government which higher education providers have declined to participate in the Teaching Excellence Framework. HL733

Lord Jopling to ask Her Majesty's Government how any higher education provider that does not obtain a Bronze status or higher in future Teaching Excellence Frameworks will be categorised. HL734

Baroness Kinnoch of Holyhead to ask Her Majesty's Government what discussions they have had with the government of France regarding the Safe Schools Declaration. HL735

Baroness Kinnoch of Holyhead to ask Her Majesty's Government what discussions they have had with the government of Canada regarding the Safe Schools Declaration. HL736

Baroness Kinnock of Holyhead to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they intend to review their position on the Safe Schools Declaration, in the light of the support of a majority of NATO member states. HL737

Baroness Lister of Burtersett to ask Her Majesty's Government what action they intend to take in response to the Independent Monitoring Board's Charter Flights Annual Report 2016; when they will respond to, and implement, the recommendations directed to them; and what action they will take to remedy the failings identified on the part of the Escort Contractor. HL775

Baroness Lister of Burtersett to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the answer by Baroness Buscombe on 5 July (HL Deb, col 885) and in the light of the answer by Lord O'Shaughnessy on 29 June (HL Deb, col 660), how they intend to ensure that no re-housed resident of Grenfell Tower will be worse off if they move into larger accommodation. HL776

Baroness Lister of Burtersett to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the remarks of Lord Bourne of Aberystwyth on 5 July (HL Deb, col 899), whether they will produce the necessary resources to ensure that the Royal Borough of Kensington and Chelsea have sufficient funds to cover discretionary housing payments for as long as they are needed. HL777

The Marquess of Lothian to ask Her Majesty's Government how many of the projects to tackle congestion and to improve the UK's strategic road network announced in the 2014 Road Investment Strategy have been delayed or cancelled; and why. HL741

The Marquess of Lothian to ask Her Majesty's Government whether the Prime Minister raised the issue of potential cuts to the Fulbright Programme as a result of the US administration's budget proposals during her meeting with President Trump at the recent G20 summit. HL742

The Marquess of Lothian to ask Her Majesty's Government what diplomatic efforts they are leading to help resolve the crisis between Qatar and its neighbouring states. HL743

The Marquess of Lothian to ask Her Majesty's Government what priority they are giving to assist in the disruption of ISIS's financial networks; and what action they are taking in this regard. HL744

The Marquess of Lothian to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of China's One Belt, One Road initiative, and of its implications for (1) the UK's economy, and (2) the global economy. HL745

The Marquess of Lothian to ask Her Majesty's Government what action they are taking to promote best practice in the management of road verges in order to protect endangered species of flora in the UK. HL746

Lord McColl of Dulwich to ask Her Majesty's Government when they will publish updated guidance on (1) safeguarding children who may have been trafficked, and (2) care of unaccompanied and trafficked children. HL764

Lord McColl of Dulwich to ask Her Majesty's Government further to the Written Answer by Lord Nash on 20 January (HL4582), to what extent the training for foster carers and support workers commissioned from the Refugee Council and End Child Prostitution and Trafficking addresses (1) the indicators of modern slavery, and (2) particular risks and needs of children who are, or might be, victims of human trafficking and exploitation. HL765

Lord McColl of Dulwich to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Lord Nash on 20 January (HL4582), in which local authorities was training given to foster carers and support workers by the Refugee Council and ECPAT to help those carers and workers care for unaccompanied asylum-seeker or refugee children. HL766

Lord McColl of Dulwich to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Lord Nash on 20 January (HL4582), what plans they have to commission further training for foster carers and support workers to assist those carers and workers to care for children who are, or might be, victims of human trafficking and exploitation. HL767

Lord McColl of Dulwich to ask Her Majesty's Government what measures are in place to ensure that children who may have been victims of modern slavery are placed with foster carers or support workers who have received specific training on how to care for such children. HL768

Lord McInnes of Kilwinning to ask Her Majesty's Government how many people have dual British-Iranian citizenship; and of those, how many are resident in (1) the UK, (2) Iran, and (3) elsewhere. HL769

Lord McInnes of Kilwinning to ask Her Majesty's Government when was the last occasion on which British officials raised with the Iranian authorities the issue of Iran's refusal to recognise dual nationality. HL770

Lord McInnes of Kilwinning to ask Her Majesty's Government, following the capture of Mosul by the government of Iraq, how they will be working with the government of Iraq to aid the return of those who fled the city when it was captured by Isil. HL771

Lord Macpherson of Earl's Court to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Baroness Neville-Rolfe on 20 February (HL5112), whether they intend to update the table on housing sales and stamp duty land tax to include data for 2016–17. HL784

Lord Mawson to ask Her Majesty's Government what guidance is given by HM Treasury to government departments, agencies and public bodies on the time by which those departments, agencies and bodies should pay the invoices of small and medium sized enterprises. HL720

Lord Mawson to ask Her Majesty's Government what direct investment they made into library services in 2016–17. HL721

Lord Mawson to ask Her Majesty's Government what (1) research they have commissioned, and (2) consultation they have undertaken, in relation to the role of library services in a digital age. HL722

Lord Mawson to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the appropriateness of the provision of library services in a digital age. HL723

Lord Mawson to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to promote new approaches to library services; and what evidence they have of examples of innovative practice in this area in England. HL724

Lord Mawson to ask Her Majesty's Government what evidence they have of partnerships being created between library services and other local and public sector services. HL725

Lord Rosser to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the reply by Baroness Williams of Trafford on 4 July (HL Deb, col 789) stating that immigration removal centre providers must make a minimum number of opportunities available for detainees to participate voluntarily in paid activity, whether contracts with immigration removal centre providers assume that detainees will volunteer for a certain number of hours of paid work; and if so, (1) what is the total number of hours of such paid work assumed for each immigration removal centre, and (2) how many hours of paid work were undertaken by detainees in each immigration removal centre, for each of the last five years. HL731

Lord Scriven to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Lord Young of Cookham on 11 July (HL 291), why changing the system of courtesy titles for (1) the spouses of women members, and (2) the same sex spouses and civil partners of members, of the House of Lords is not a priority for the current parliamentary session. HL753

Lord Scriven to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they intend to ensure that the ruling by the Supreme Court on O'Brien (Appellant) v Ministry of Justice (Respondent) that same-sex couples should have equal pensions rights and entitlements as those in opposite-sex marriages will remain law post-Brexit, given that the ruling was based on EU law. HL761

Lord Storey to ask Her Majesty's Government what guidance is available for local authorities on the arrangements they should make in the event that a chief executive stands down temporarily. HL789

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they intend to extend their offer regarding continued residence after Brexit to EU citizens in the UK. HL755

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their assessment of the state of the UK economy and of whether it is growing or shrinking; and in the light of that assessment, whether they intend to continue with Brexit. HL756

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they have taken to improve their cyber warfare capability and defences. HL757

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment have they made of the benefits and costs of being an associate member of Euratom. HL758

Lord Tebbit to ask Her Majesty's Government how many people were killed by individuals who had previously been convicted of murder or manslaughter, in each of the last ten years for which figures are available. HL732

Lord Touhig to ask Her Majesty's Government when they intend to bring forward proposals to introduce enhanced compensation for injured armed forces personnel as outlined their 2017 Manifesto. HL739

Lord Touhig to ask Her Majesty's Government when they intend to bring forward proposals to establish a Veterans Board in the Cabinet Office as outlined in their 2017 Manifesto. HL740

Lord Watson of Invergowrie to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the announcement of additional resources for services for vulnerable children and families through the Children's Social Care Innovation Programme, what additional amounts will be allocated to (1) each of the Partners in Practice local authorities, and (2) Spring Consortium, to facilitate and monitor the activities of Partners in Practice, for each of the years (a) 2016–17, (b) 2017–18, and (c) 2018–19. HL772

Viscount Waverley to ask Her Majesty's Government, in the light of the responsibilities imposed on landlords, employers and others to check individuals' immigration statuses, what guidance they will issue to enable those responsible for such checks to differentiate between (1) EU citizens who are entitled to settled status following Brexit, and (2) those who are not entitled to such status. HL728

Viscount Waverley to ask Her Majesty's Government what modelling they have undertaken to forecast the number of applications for permanent status and consequent (1) rejections, (2) appeals, and (3) deportations, that will result from their offer to enable EU citizens who are resident in the UK to remain in the UK following Brexit; how many additional staff they estimate will be required to manage those applications; whether they intend to publish their model or forecast; and if so, when. HL729

Viscount Waverley to ask Her Majesty's Government under what circumstances a British citizen resident in the UK may seek leave for elderly dependants to enter the UK; and whether, following Brexit, the same rules will apply to EU citizens who have been granted permanent residency status. HL730

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.

27 June (11 July)

HL198 Baroness Prosser [Department for Communities and Local Government]

28 June (12 July)

HL237 Lord Storey [Department for Communities and Local Government]

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

Department for Communities and Local Government (2)

Bills in Progress

| | Type of Bill | To be considered |
|---|---------------------|-------------------------|
| Waiting for Second Reading | | |
| 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 | |
| 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 | |

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| 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 | |
| Air Travel Organisers' Licensing Bill | Government | |
| Committed to an Unopposed Bill Committee | | |
| Richmond Burgage Pastures Bill [HL] | Private | |
| University of London Bill [HL] | Private | |
| Committed to a Committee of the Whole House | | |
| Financial Guidance and Claims Bill [HL] | Government | 19 July |
| Armed Forces (Flexible Working) Bill [HL] | Government | |
| Space Industry Bill [HL] | Government | |
| Waiting for Royal Assent | | |
| Supply and Appropriation (Main Estimates) Bill (<i>Money Bill—5 July</i>) | Government | 19 July |

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 Justice and Security (Northern Ireland) Act 2007 (Extension of duration of non-jury trial provisions) Order 2017 (*18 July*)
- 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

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

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.*

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.*

Damages (Personal Injury) Order 2017 *29th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, Session 2016–17. Praying time expired 18 April. (18 July)*

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.*

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.*

National Health Service (Mandate Requirements) Regulations 2017 *Not reported by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expired 29 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 expires 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.*

Other Instruments

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

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.

Thursday 13 July

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| EU Financial Affairs Sub-Committee | Room 2 | 10.00am |
| EU External Affairs Sub-Committee | Room 1 | 10.00am |
| EU Internal Market Sub-Committee | Room 4A | 10.00am |
| Services Committee | Other (Parliamentary Estate) | 1.00pm |

Tuesday 18 July

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| Science and Technology Committee | Room 4A | 10.30am |
| EU Justice Sub-Committee | Room 3 | 10.30am |
| Political Polling and Digital Media Committee | Room 2 | 10.30am |
| Lord Speaker's committee on the size of the House | 1-02 Millbank House | 10.30am |
| Natural Environment and Rural Communities Act 2006 Committee | Room 1 | 11.00am |
| Artificial Intelligence Committee | Room 4A | 3.15pm |
| Communications Committee | Room 2 | 3.15pm |
| Economic Affairs Committee | Room 1 | 3.30pm |
| Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee | Room 3A | 3.45pm |

Wednesday 19 July

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| Constitution Committee | Room 1 | 10.15pm |
| EU Energy and Environment Sub-Committee | Room 2 | 10.30am |
| Delegated Powers and Regulatory Reform Committee | Room 4A | 10.30am |
| International Relations Committee | Room 4 | 10.30am |
| Finance Committee | Other (Parliamentary Estate) | 4.15pm |
| Lord Speaker's Advisory Panel on Works of Art | Room G | 4.15pm |

Monday 11 September

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| Procedure Committee | Room 2 | 4.15pm |
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Wednesday 13 September

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| House of Lords Commission | Room G | 10.30am |
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Retirement

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

Baroness Trumpington (24 October)

Minutes of Proceedings of Wednesday 12 July 2017

The House met at 3.00pm.

Prayers were read by the Lord Bishop of Chelmsford.

1 Barony of Crofton in the Peerage of Ireland The Petition of Edward Harry Piers Crofton claiming to have succeeded to the Barony of Crofton in the Peerage of Ireland was presented and referred to the Lord Chancellor for a report to the House pursuant to Standing Order 79.

Select Committee Report

2 Delegated Powers and Regulatory Reform The following Report from the Select Committee was made and ordered to be printed:

Armed Forces (Flexible Working) Bill [HL]

Financial Guidance and Claims Bill [HL]

Space Industry Bill [HL]. (1st Report, HL Paper 10)

Public Business

3 Brexit: United Kingdom–European Union parliamentary assembly A question was asked by Lord Soley and answered by Baroness Anelay of St Johns.

4 Istanbul Convention A question was asked by Baroness Gale and answered by Baroness Williams of Trafford.

5 Turkey: death penalty A question was asked by Lord Balfe and answered by Baroness Goldie.

6 Electric car ownership A question was asked by Baroness Deech and answered by Lord Callanan.

7 Unaccompanied Asylum Seeking Children (Legal Advice and Appeals) Bill [HL] Lord Roberts of Llandudno presented a bill to make provision for unaccompanied asylum seeking children to receive legal advice and for extending the deadline for an unaccompanied asylum seeking child to appeal an asylum decision. It was read a first time and ordered to be printed. (HL Bill 53)

8 BBC Licence Fee Bill [HL] Lord Best presented a bill to establish the BBC Licence Fee Commission to make recommendations to the Secretary of State on the settlement for BBC funding from 1 April 2022, after conducting public and Parliamentary consultation. It was read a first time and ordered to be printed. (HL Bill 54)

9 Cosmetic Surgery (Standards) Bill [HL] Lord Colwyn, on behalf of Lord Lansley, presented a bill to make provision to include medical practitioners specialising in cosmetic surgery in the Specialist Register for medical practitioners. It was read a first time and ordered to be printed. (HL Bill 55)

10 Awards for Valour (Protection) Bill [HL] Lord Brooke of Alverthorpe presented a bill to prohibit the wearing of medals or insignia awarded for valour, with the intent to deceive. It was read a first time and ordered to be printed. (HL Bill 56)

11 Awards for Valour (Protection) Bill [HL] The Explanatory Notes on the bill were ordered to be printed. (HL Bill 56–EN)

12 Modern Slavery (Transparency in Supply Chains) Bill [HL] Baroness Young of Hornsey presented a bill to make further provision for transparency in supply chains in respect of slavery and human trafficking. It was read a first time and ordered to be printed. (HL Bill 57)

13 Air Travel Organisers' Licensing Bill A bill to amend sections 71, 71A and 84 of the Civil Aviation Act 1982, and for connected purposes was brought from the Commons. It was read a first time and ordered to be printed. (HL Bill 58)

14 **Air Travel Organisers' Licensing Bill** The Explanatory Notes on the bill were ordered to be printed. (HL Bill 58–EN)

15 **Space Industry Bill [HL]** Lord Callanan 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.

16 **Brexit: risks to NHS sustainability** A question was asked by Lord Warner and, after debate, answered by Lord O'Shaughnessy.

The House adjourned at 6.51pm until Thursday 13 July at 11.00am.

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.

Negative Instruments

The following instruments were laid before the House:

1. Police and Criminal Evidence Act 1984 (Application to Revenue and Customs) (Amendment) Order 2017 (736)
2. Recreational Craft Regulations 2017 (737)

Papers not subject to Parliamentary Proceedings

The following papers were laid before the House:

1. Accounts of the Board of Trustees of the Tate Gallery 2016–17
2. Accounts relating to issues from the National Loans Fund 2013–14
3. Funds in Court in England and Wales Account 2016–17
4. Report and Accounts of English Sports Development Trust Limited 2016–17
5. Report and Accounts of Heritage Lottery Fund and the National Heritage Memorial Fund Lottery Distribution 2016–17
6. Report and Accounts of the British Library 2016–17
7. Report and Accounts of the Churches Conservation Trust 2016–17
8. Report and Accounts of the Committee on Climate Change 2016–17
9. Report and Accounts of the Competition and Markets Authority 2016–17
10. Report and Accounts of the Gambling Commission 2016–17
11. Report and Accounts of the Housing Ombudsman 2016–17
12. Report and Accounts of the Local Government Ombudsman 2016–17
13. Report and Accounts of the National Heritage Memorial Fund 2016–17
14. Report and Accounts of the National Maritime Museum 2016–17
15. Report and Accounts of the Natural History Museum 2016–17
16. Report and Accounts of the Southbank Centre 2016–17
17. Report and Accounts of the Sports Council Trust Company 2016–17
18. Report and Accounts of the United Kingdom Sports Council: Grant-in-Aid and National Lottery Distribution Fund 2016–17
19. Report and Accounts of the Victoria and Albert Museum 2016–17
20. Report and Accounts of University Hospital Southampton NHS Foundation Trust 2016–17
21. Report and Financial Statements of Channel Four Television Corporation 2016

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

22. Report of the Independent Chief Inspector of Borders and Immigration: A re-inspection of the complaints handling process for January–March 2017
23. Report of the Independent Chief Inspector of Borders and Immigration: A re-inspection of the Tier 4 curtailment process for November 2016–January 2017
24. Report of the Independent Chief Inspector of Borders and Immigration: An inspection of Border Force operations at east coast seaports for July–November 2016
25. Report of the Independent Chief Inspector of Borders and Immigration: An inspection of Border Force operations at Gatwick Airport (South Terminal) for September–December 2016