

**Wednesday 13 September 2017 at 3.00pm***\*Oral Questions, 30 minutes*

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

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

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

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

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

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

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*Items marked † are new or have been altered*

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



## Future Business

### Thursday 14 September 2017 at 11.00am

**The Lord Bishop of Lincoln** will be introduced.

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

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

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

†\***Lord West of Spithead** to ask Her Majesty's Government when HMS Ocean will commence hurricane relief operations; and at which islands.

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

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

### Monday 9 October 2017 at 2.30pm

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

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

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

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

†**Telecommunications Infrastructure (Relief from Non-Domestic Rates) 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.

†*The following two motions are expected to be debated together.*

†**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).

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

## **Tuesday 10 October 2017 at 2.30pm**

†\***Lord Naseby** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they intend to undertake an urgent review of the anticipation, preparation, speed of response and chain of command for the United Kingdom's disaster relief operations in the Caribbean, in the light of the United Kingdom's response to Hurricane Irma; and if so, whether they will publish the results and any recommendations for change.

†\***Lord Holmes of Richmond** to ask Her Majesty's Government, in the light of the Office for National Statistics' Exit Check data released in August, whether they will consider the removal of international students from the next migration figures.

†\***Baroness Royall of Blaisdon** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they intend to introduce a register of perpetrators of domestic violence, including stalkers.

†*Topical oral question. Ballot opens at 3pm on Wednesday 4 October, to be drawn at 1pm on Friday 6 October.*

## **Wednesday 11 October 2017 at 3.00pm**

†**Armed Forces (Flexible Working) Bill [HL]** Report [Earl Howe]

†**Lord Farmer** to ask Her Majesty's Government what progress they have made in implementing the report from the Farmer Review, *The Importance of Prisoners' Family Ties for Reform: Preventing Reoffending and Reducing Intergenerational Crime*. (1½ hours)

### ***Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 3.45pm***

†**Air Travel Organisers' Licensing Bill** Committee [Lord Callanan]

## **Thursday 12 October 2017 at 11.00am**

†**Lord Naseby** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the progress made by the coalition government of Sri Lanka in meeting the requirements on reconciliation established by the United Nations Human Rights Council. (1½ hours)

## **Monday 16 October 2017 at 2.30pm**

†**Space Industry Bill [HL]** Committee [Lord Callanan]

†**Lord Sharkey** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the problems that will be faced by the people of Northern Cyprus in the event of the failure of the reunification talks; and what plans they have to assist in resolving any such problems. (*Dinner break business, 1 hour*)

## Select Committee Reports

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

†**Lord Teverson** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the European Union Committee *Brexit: farm animal welfare* (5th Report, HL Paper 15) *25 July*

## Motions Relating to Delegated Legislation

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

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

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

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

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

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

## Questions for Short Debate

*Time limit 1 hour or 1½ hours.*

†**Lord Allen of Kensington** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the ability of the United Kingdom to make sector-specific trade agreements with other nations, in the event that the United Kingdom leaves the European Union without a trade deal and falls back on World Trade Organisation rules. (*12 September*)

## Questions for Written Answer

*Tabled on 12 September and due for answer by 26 September.*

**Lord Beecham** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether magistrates court proceedings will be heard in Newcastle following the proposed relocation of family proceedings to the Civic Centre; and if not heard in Newcastle, where. HL1527

**Lord Beecham** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they will publish the results of their review of the Legal Aid, Sentencing and Punishment of Offenders Act 2012 in relation to (1) the number of unrepresented litigants compared to the situation prior to the coming into force of the Act, and (2) the outcomes in cases where litigants are unrepresented in cases relating to housing and family law and the criminal courts; and if so, when. HL1528

**Baroness Bonham-Carter of Yarnbury** to ask Her Majesty's Government when they expect to publish their response to the consultation on Commercial Radio Deregulation. HL1529

**Baroness Bonham-Carter of Yarnbury** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they intend to deregulate aspects of commercial radio, as identified in their consultation on Commercial Radio Deregulation. HL1530

**Lord Empey** to ask Her Majesty's Government how much of the £1 billion additional funding for Northern Ireland agreed in June has been allocated to date. HL1531

**Lord Empey** to ask Her Majesty's Government what requests they have received from departments of the Northern Ireland Executive for the £1 billion additional funding for Northern Ireland agreed in June; from which departments; and how much was requested. HL1532

**Lord Empey** to ask Her Majesty's Government which stakeholders they have consulted about the allocation of the £1 billion additional funding for Northern Ireland agreed in June. HL1533

**Lord Faulkner of Worcester** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether public grants to heritage railways and tramways are permitted under state aid rules where they fall within the English Aid for Cultural and Heritage Conservation State Aid Scheme. HL1534

**Lord Fink** to ask Her Majesty's Government how many people have been arrested on suspicion of endangering an aircraft with a laser pointer under the Aviation and Safety Act 1982 within the last 12 months. HL1535

**Lord Hylton** to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their assessment of how the 45 day reflection and recovery period for victims of trafficking and modern slavery, under the National Referral Mechanism, is working in practice; and whether that time limit is 45 working days, or 45 calendar days. HL1536

**Lord Hylton** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Statement by Baroness Williams of Trafford on 12 July (HLWS40), what definition of political and social extremism they used in the Home Office Review; and whether that definition included religious conservatism. HL1537

**Lord Hylton** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they will propose measures to improve the status quo for the people of East Jerusalem, the West Bank and Gaza, for humanitarian reasons and to prepare the way for permanent peace negotiations. HL1538

**The Lord Bishop of Leeds** to ask Her Majesty's Government what representations they made to the Minister of Foreign Affairs of Saudi Arabia, Abdel al-Jubeir, when he visited London on 4 September, concerning reports of financial and logistical support provided by Saudi Arabia to Daesh and other radical Sunni groups in the Middle East and Asia. HL1539



**The Lord Bishop of Leeds** to ask Her Majesty's Government what representations they made to the Minister of Foreign Affairs of Saudi Arabia, Abdel al-Jubeir, when he visited London on 4 September, concerning religious freedom, eliminating discriminatory enforcement of laws against religious minorities, and promoting respect and tolerance for minority Muslim and non-Muslim religious practices and beliefs. HL1540

**The Lord Bishop of Leeds** to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their assessment of freedom of religion or belief in Saudi Arabia. HL1541

**The Lord Bishop of Leeds** to ask Her Majesty's Government what guarantees, if any, they sought from the Minister of Foreign Affairs of Saudi Arabia, Abdel al-Jubeir, when he visited London on 4 September, that British arms sales to Saudi Arabia will only be used in accordance with international humanitarian law. HL1542

**Lord Luce** to ask Her Majesty's Government when they expect to reach conclusions following their review of the Fit for Work Scheme. HL1543

**Lord Mendelsohn** to ask Her Majesty's Government how much revenue they expect to receive in the next financial year from the tax on single business spaces covering multiple floors, as set out by the Valuation Office Agency; and what is their estimate of the average cost to each small and medium-sized enterprise affected by that change. HL1544

**Lord Mendelsohn** to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their estimate of the monetary benefit to individual small and medium-sized enterprises from support provided under the Small Business, Enterprise and Employment Act 2015. HL1545

**Lord Naseby** to ask Her Majesty's Government what is the complement of disaster relief equipment carried by Royal Fleet Auxiliary Mount Bay; and in particular, how many (1) helicopters, (2) tractors, (3) bulldozers, (4) other vehicles, and (5) items of heavy lifting equipment are being carried. HL1546

**Lord Naseby** to ask Her Majesty's Government when relief aircraft at RAF Brize Norton were ordered to be loaded up to fly to the disaster zone affected by Hurricane Irma. HL1547

**Lord Naseby** to ask Her Majesty's Government when RAF Brize Norton was informed of the impact of Hurricane Irma and of the need for relief flights. HL1548

**Lord Naseby** to ask Her Majesty's Government which department is responsible for overseeing weather phenomena during the Caribbean hurricane season. HL1549

**Lord Naseby** to ask Her Majesty's Government how many medical doctors they have sent to assist in the disaster zone affected by Hurricane Irma; when those doctors left the UK; and where they went. HL1550

**Lord Naseby** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether use was made of the UK's remote sensing and satellite technology to predict the impact of the storm system of Hurricane Irma; and if so, by whom. HL1551

**Baroness Northover** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether the Foreign Secretary intends to meet the Iranian Foreign Minister or members of his team at the next UN General Assembly; and if so, whether he will seek to ensure that the British Ambassador to Iran can visit the detained British-Iranian citizen Nazanin Zaghari-Ratcliffe, particularly in the light of concerns about her health. HL1552

**Baroness Northover** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they intend to make an appeal to Iran to release Nazanin Zaghari-Ratcliffe, in the context of the theme of the General Debate of the 72nd Session of the UN General Assembly, *Focusing on people: striving for peace and a decent life for all on a sustainable planet*. HL1553

**Baroness Northover** to ask Her Majesty's Government how they are taking forward the request from Nazanin Zaghari-Ratcliffe's legal representative that an independent medical commission should examine her for her fitness to remain in prison; and whether they intend to seek assurances that any such assessment will be objective. HL1554

**Baroness Randerson** to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their estimate of the number of personal contract purchase plans taken out to finance car purchases over each of the last five years; and what assessment they have made of the potential impact of such loans on (1) the car industry, and (2) the UK economy, if there were to be a widespread failure to repay such loans. HL1555

**Baroness Randerson** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they have established the cross-agency expert group on viral hepatitis to provide strategic direction and advice around hepatitis C and other viral hepatitis, as announced in March. HL1556

**Baroness Randerson** to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their timescale for making a decision on plans for a Swansea tidal lagoon, following publication of the Hendry Review in January. HL1557

**Baroness Randerson** to ask Her Majesty's Government what comparative assessment they have made of (1) new Intercity Express bi-mode trains, and (2) fully electric trains, in respect of their (a) acceleration, and (b) overall speed. HL1558

**Baroness Randerson** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to improve the capacity of the electricity grid to cope with additional demand resulting from increased numbers of electric cars and buses. HL1559

**Baroness Randerson** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to establish an impartial body to investigate serious incidents involving public transport on the roads, similar to the services provided in relation to rail by the Rail Accident Investigation Branch and the Office of Road and Rail. HL1560

**Lord Stoddart of Swindon** to ask Her Majesty's Government why the Atomic Weapons Establishment (AWE) Aldermaston has been placed on special measures for the fourth year running; whether the AWE has produced a plan for dealing with high levels of radioactive waste; if not, why not; and whether they have made an assessment of the extent to which any failure to do so puts staff and residents in the area surrounding that establishment at risk. HL1561

**Baroness Tonge** to ask Her Majesty's Government how much bilateral expenditure was directly targeted by DFID towards HIV and AIDS in (1) 2015-16, and (2) 2016-17. HL1562

**Baroness Tonge** to ask Her Majesty's Government how much bilateral expenditure was directly targeted by DFID towards reproductive health in (1) 2015-16, and (2) 2016-17. HL1563

**Baroness Tonge** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of reports that Hamas leaders have offered the government of Israel a long-term ceasefire in exchange for the blockade on the Gaza Strip being lifted. HL1564

**Baroness Tonge** to ask Her Majesty's Government what representations they have made to the government of Israel regarding reports of the eviction of families living in East Jerusalem. HL1565

**Baroness Tonge** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of reports that the government of Israel has supplied weapons to the government of Myanmar. HL1566

**Baroness Tonge** to ask Her Majesty's Government what representations they have made to the Palestinian Authority following reports of restrictions being imposed on free speech and the arrest of activists who have criticised Palestinian Authority leaders. HL1567

**Lord Wallace of Tankerness** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to encourage the signing of the Transport Community Treaty by Bosnia and Herzegovina. HL1568



## Questions unanswered after 10 working days

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

### **13 July** (27 July)

HL791 Lord Blencathra [Cabinet Office]

HL810 Lord Mawson [Cabinet Office]

### **19 July** (2 August)

HL1052 Lord Rennard [Cabinet Office]

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

Cabinet Office (3)

**Bills in Progress**

	<b>Type of Bill</b>	<b>To be considered</b>
<b>Waiting for Second Reading</b>		
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	
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	

LEGISLATION

Digital Economy Act 2017 (Amendment) (Definition of Extreme Pornography) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Marriage Act 1949 (Amendment) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Right to Die at Home Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Learning Disabilities (Review of Services) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
European Union (Referendum on the Withdrawal Agreement) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Road Traffic Offenders (Surrender of Driving Licences Etc) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Elections and Referendums (Advertising) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Abortion (Disability Equality) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Heritage Railways and Tramways (Voluntary Work) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Unaccompanied Asylum Seeking Children (Legal Advice and Appeals) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
BBC Licence Fee Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Cosmetic Surgery (Standards) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Awards for Valour (Protection) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Modern Slavery (Transparency in Supply Chains) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Property Boundaries (Resolution of Disputes) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Civil Partnership Act 2004 (Amendment) (Mixed Sex Couples) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Genocide Determination Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Kew Gardens (Leases) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Carbon Emission Reductions Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Automatic Electoral Registration Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Telecommunications Infrastructure (Relief from Non-Domestic Rates) Bill	Government	9 October
<b>Committed to an Unopposed Bill Committee</b>		
Richmond Burgage Pastures Bill [HL]	Private	13 September
University of London Bill [HL]	Private	
<b>Committed to a Grand Committee</b>		
Air Travel Organisers' Licensing Bill	Government	11 October
<b>Committed to a Committee of the Whole House</b>		
Financial Guidance and Claims Bill [HL]	Government	13 September
Space Industry Bill [HL]	Government	16 October
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	
<b>Waiting for Report</b>		
Armed Forces (Flexible Working) Bill [HL]	Government	11 October
<b>Sent to the Commons</b>		
New Southgate Cemetery Bill [HL]	Private	

## Statutory Instruments in Progress

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

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

Draft Unified Patent Court (Immunities and Privileges) Order 2017

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

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

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

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

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

Draft Small Business Commissioner (Scope and Scheme) Regulations 2017

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

Draft Charitable Incorporated Organisations (Consequential Amendments) Order 2017

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

Draft Scottish Banknote (Designation of Authorised Bank) Regulations 2017

Draft Small Business, Enterprise and Employment Act 2015 (Consequential Amendments, Savings and Transitional Provisions) 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 Electricity Capacity (Amendment) Regulations 2017

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

### **Negative Instruments**

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

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

## LEGISLATION

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.*

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

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

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

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

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

Criminal Justice (European Investigation Order) Regulations 2017 *4th and 5th Reports from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 27 October.*

School Teachers' Pay and Conditions Order 2017 *5th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 7 November.*

### **Other Instruments**

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

### **Retirement**

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

Baroness Trumpington (24 October)

## Committees

*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 13 September

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

### Thursday 14 September

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

### Tuesday 10 October

Science and Technology Committee	Room 4A	10.00am
EU Justice Sub-Committee	Room 3	10.30am
Economic Affairs Committee	Room 1	3.30pm
Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee	Room 3A	3.45pm

### Monday 23 October

Audit Committee	Room 2A	4.00pm
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### Monday 30 October

Procedure Committee	Room 1	4.15pm
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### Tuesday 31 October

Liaison Committee	Room 2A	4.00pm
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## Minutes of Proceedings of Tuesday 12 September 2017

*The House met at 2.30pm.*

*Prayers were read by the Lord Bishop of Birmingham.*

1 **Oath** Harold Stanley Lord Kalms took and subscribed the oath and signed an undertaking to abide by the Code of Conduct.

### Select Committee Report

#### 2 **Secondary Legislation Scrutiny**

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

School Teachers' Pay and Conditions Order 2017

Oral evidence: Criminal Justice (European Investigation Order) Regulations 2017. (5th Report, HL Paper 20)

### Private Business

3 **High Speed Rail (West Midlands–Crewe) Bill** The Examiners certified that certain Standing Orders apply to the bill (currently before the House of Commons) and that, of those which are applicable, Standing Orders 4, 4A, 10, 10A, 11, 12A, 13, 27, 27A, 33, 34, 36, 39, 41, 42, 43, 45 and 47 have not been complied with. The Examiners' Certificate was referred to the Standing Orders Committee.

### Public Business

4 **Domestic violence: victims** A question was asked by Baroness Donaghy and answered by Lord Bourne of Aberystwyth.

5 **Mental and physical health: insurance** A question was asked by Lord Blunkett and answered by Lord Bates.

6 **Gaming machines** A question was asked by Lord Clement-Jones and answered by Lord Ashton of Hyde.

7 **Universities: vice-chancellors' pay** A question was asked by Lord Storey and answered by Viscount Younger of Leckie.

8 **Finance** The Senior Deputy speaker moved that Lord Colgrain be appointed a member of the Select Committee in place of Lord Leigh of Hurley, resigned. The motion was agreed to.

9 **Update on proposed Fox–Sky merger process** Lord Keen of Elie repeated a ministerial statement made in the House of Commons.

10 **United Kingdom and European Union relations** Baroness Anelay of St Johns moved that this House takes note of the position papers and future partnership papers published by Her Majesty's Government on the United Kingdom's future relationship with the European Union. After debate, the motion was agreed to.

11 **Hurricane Irma** Lord Ahmad of Wimbledon repeated a ministerial statement made in the House of Commons.

12 **Armed Forces (Flexible Working) Bill [HL]** The bill was reported from the Grand Committee without amendment.

*The House adjourned at 9.41pm until Wednesday 13 September at 3.00pm.*

**Ed Ollard**  
*Clerk of the Parliaments*

**Grand Committee Business**

*The Grand Committee met in the Moses Room at 3.30pm*

**Armed Forces (Flexible Working) Bill [HL]** The Grand Committee considered the bill. Amendments were considered. It was ordered that the bill be reported without amendment.

*The Committee adjourned at 5.27pm.*

## 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:

1. Pay Review Bodies—Third Report of the Police Remuneration Review Body: England and Wales 2017. (9453)
2. Pay Review Bodies—Review Body on Senior Salaries: Supplement to the Thirty-Ninth Annual Report on Senior Salaries 2017 on Chief Police Officers in England, Wales and Northern Ireland. (9456)
3. Pay Review Bodies—Prison Service Pay Review Body: 16th Report on England and Wales 2017. (9474)
4. Industrial Injuries—Extending the Terms of Prescription for Latex Anaphylaxis. (9498)
5. Industrial Injuries—Nasal Carcinoma and Occupational Exposure to Wood Dust. (9499)
6. Defence—Minute from the Ministry of Defence concerning the gifting of counter-IED Equipment to the Government of Libya 2017. (—)
7. Explanatory Memorandum (Revised)—Replacement Explanatory Memorandum to the Recreational Craft Regulations 2017 (12 July). (—)

### Affirmative Instruments

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

1. Draft Scottish Banknote (Designation of Authorised Bank) Regulations 2017
2. Draft Small Business, Enterprise and Employment Act 2015 (Consequential Amendments, Savings and Transitional Provisions) Regulations 2017

### Negative Instruments

The following instruments were laid before the House:

1. Income-related Benefits (Subsidy to Authorities) Amendment Order 2017 (900)
2. Friendly Societies Act 1992 (Modification of Part 2) (Northern Ireland) Order 2017 (906)

### Paper not subject to Parliamentary Proceedings

The following paper was laid before the House:

1. Report and Accounts of Agriculture and Horticulture Development Board 2016–17





