

GOVERNMENT WHIPS' OFFICE
HOUSE OF LORDS

TODAY'S LISTS
MONDAY 23 OCTOBER 2017

[Notes about this document are set out at the end]

Business in the Chamber at 2.30pm

Prayers by the Bishop of Salisbury (5 mins)

Introduction

Lord Agnew of Oulton will be introduced

Oral Questions (30 mins)

*Lord Haskel to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to deal with the concerns of the Money Advice Service and the Financial Conduct Authority about the level of consumer and personal debt in the United Kingdom. **(Lord Bates, HMT)**

*Lord Crisp to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their response to the life science industrial strategy, published on 30 August, with regard to its findings on making the United Kingdom the best place for life sciences businesses to grow and on collaboration with the National Health Service. **(Lord Prior of Brampton, BEIS)**

*Lord Morris of Aberavon to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the answer by Earl Howe on 5 September (HL Deb, col 1828), what further consideration they have given to reviewing the Armed Forces Act 2006 to deal with serious offences committed by members of the armed forces. **(Baroness Goldie, MoD)**

*Lord Roberts of Llandudno to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of whether banks and building societies are able to undertake immigration checks on approximately 70 million United Kingdom bank accounts as required by the Immigration Act 2016. **(Baroness Williams of Trafford, HO)**

Senior Deputy Speaker's Business

Two Select Committee appointment motions - Lord McFall of Alcluth

Oral Statement Repeat

At a convenient point after 4.45pm Baroness Evans of Bowes Park will repeat a statement entitled 'European Council'.

Main business

Space Industry Bill [HL] - Committee (day 3 of 3) - Lord Callanan

Target for the day: to complete Committee stage

Grouping of amendments:

40, 41, 42

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44, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51

45

Last business

Lord Patel to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have for making their science and innovation strategy an effective part of their industrial strategy. (Time limited to 90 minutes)

Speakers:

L Patel

L Freeman

B Morgan of Huyton

L Willis of Knaresborough

5 B Hayman

L Suri

L Bhattacharyya

L Hennessy of Nympsfield

B Warwick of Undercliffe

10 B Greenfield

L Fox

L Mendelsohn

L Prior of Brampton

Except for Questioner Lord Patel (10 minutes) and Lord Prior of Brampton (12 minutes), all speeches are limited to 6 minutes.

Estimated rising time

The House is expected to rise at around 7.00pm

Notes:

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