

GOVERNMENT WHIPS' OFFICE  
HOUSE OF LORDS

TODAY'S LISTS  
WEDNESDAY 31 JANUARY 2018

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**Business in the Chamber at 10.00am**

*Prayers by the Bishop of Chelmsford (5 mins)*

*Main Business*

**European Union (Withdrawal) Bill – Second Reading – Lord Callanan**

*Advisory backbench speaking time: 6 minutes*

*Speakers:*

- B Byford
- L Liddle
- B Featherstone
- 100 B Boothroyd
- V Astor
- L Radice
- L McNally
- L Cormack
- 105 L Browne of Ladyton
- B Kramer
- E Sandwich
- L Leigh of Hurley
- B Whitaker
- 110 B Humphreys
- B Meacher
- L Spicer
- B Mallalieu
- E Lytton
- 115 L Stevens of Ludgate
- V Bridgeman
- B Blackstone
- L Warner
- L Moynihan

- 120 B Kennedy of The Shaws  
L Thomas of Gresford  
L Bichard  
L Judd  
L Naseby
- 125 L Lea of Crondall  
L Sharkey  
B Altmann  
B Crawley  
L Cameron of Dillington
- 130 B Sherlock  
L Howell of Guildford

*Oral Questions (30 mins)*

- \* Baroness Lister of Burtersett to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they have a policy goal to reduce income inequality; and if so, what is their strategy for achieving that goal. **(Lord Bates, HMT)**
- \* Lord Sharkey to ask Her Majesty's Government what progress they have made in reducing (1) the amount set aside in NHS budgets for clinical negligence claims, and (2) the annual level of payment for such claims. **(Lord O'Shaughnessy, DHSC)**
- \* Lord Lennie to ask Her Majesty's Government what are their objectives for the Brexit transition period. **(Lord Callanan, DExEU)**
- \* Lord Beecham to ask Her Majesty's Government why they have cancelled the contract of the National Careers Service to provide careers guidance in prisons. **(Lord Keen of Elie, MoJ)**

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*Speakers:*

- L Hague of Richmond  
L Goldsmith  
L Beith
- 135 B Campbell of Surbiton  
L McInnes of Kilwinning  
L Grocott  
L Kirkwood of Kirkhope  
L Hannay of Chiswick

- 140 L Mackay of Clashfern  
B Andrews  
L Lipsey  
L Hogan-Howe  
L Howard of Rising
- 145 B Jones of Whitchurch  
B Janke  
L Armstrong of Ilminster  
L Porter of Spalding  
L Cashman
- 150 L Razzall  
L Crisp  
L Hunt of Wirral  
L Brooke of Alverthorpe  
B Deech
- 155 L Inglewood  
L McKenzie of Luton  
L Storey  
L Dykes  
L Dunlop
- 160 B Young of Old Scone  
L Lupton  
L Judge  
L Monks  
L O'Donnell
- 165 L Saatchi  
L Taylor of Warwick  
L Kerr of Kinlochard  
B McIntosh of Pickering  
L Hunt of Chesterton
- 170 B Falkner of Margravine  
L Thomas of Cwmgiedd  
L Baker of Dorking  
L Alli  
L Trevethin and Oaksey
- 175 L Northbrook

L Cavendish of Furness  
L McConnell of Glenscorrodale  
B Bowles of Berkhamsted  
L Harries of Pentregarth  
180 L Blencathra  
L Hunt of Kings Heath  
B Smith of Newnham  
L Palmer  
L Forsyth of Drumlean  
185 L Reid of Cardowan  
L Wigley  
L Lamont of Lerwick  
  
B Ludford  
B Hayter of Kentish Town  
190 L Callanan

- **commitment motion – Lord Callanan**

*Estimated rising time*

The House is expected to rise at 10.00pm

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*Notes:*

- *This document sets out the matters for the day's business which the Government Whips' Office coordinates: Speakers' Lists (Companion 4.26), ministerial statements (Companion 6.02) and the grouping of amendments (Companion 8.70). It is not the formal order paper, which is produced by the Clerk of the Parliaments and is available from the Printed Paper Office and [www.parliament.uk/lords](http://www.parliament.uk/lords)*
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