

Thursday 1 March 2018 at 11.00am

**Oral Questions, 30 minutes*

***Lord Rooker** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the article in Public Health Reviews, *Public health failure in the prevention of neural tube defects: time to abandon the tolerable upper intake level of folate*, published 31 January; and whether they will meet with the authors.

***Lord McConnell of Glenscorrodale** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether the forthcoming Commonwealth Heads of Government meeting will discuss the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals; and what objectives they have for Commonwealth action on those goals.

***Lord Sherbourne of Didsbury** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the effectiveness of Police and Crime Commissioners in holding their chief constables and police forces to account.

***Lord Hunt of Kings Heath** to ask Her Majesty's Government, following publication of the report of the Commissioner for Public Appointments on appointments to the Board of the Office for Students, what steps they are taking to ensure that future appointments made by ministers to the boards of public bodies are in line with the *Governance Code 2016*.

Business of the House The Lord Privy Seal (Baroness Evans of Bowes Park) to move that Standing Order 40(4) (so far as it relates to Thursdays) and (5) be suspended until Monday 4 June so far as is necessary to enable notices and orders relating to Public Bills, Measures, Affirmative Instruments and reports from Select Committees of the House to have precedence over other notices and orders on Thursdays.

Business of the House The Lord Privy Seal (Baroness Evans of Bowes Park) to move that Standing Order 46 (*No two stages of a Bill to be taken on one day*) be dispensed with on Thursday 8 March to allow the Finance (No. 2) Bill to be taken through its remaining stages that day.

Business of the House The Lord Privy Seal (Baroness Evans of Bowes Park) to move that, in the event of the Supply and Appropriation (Anticipation and Adjustments) Bill being brought from the Commons and read a first time, Standing Order 46 (*No two stages of a Bill to be taken on one day*) be dispensed with on Tuesday 13 March to allow the Bill to be taken through its remaining stages that day.

Business of the House The Lord Privy Seal (Baroness Evans of Bowes Park) to move that Standing Order 40(1) (*Arrangement of the Order Paper*) be dispensed with on Wednesday 7 March to enable the Committee stage of the European Union (Withdrawal) Bill to continue before oral questions that day.

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



Baroness Stedman-Scott intends to move the following six motions en bloc: but if any Lord objects the motions must be moved separately to the extent desired.

Social Security Benefits Up-rating Order 2018 Baroness Stedman-Scott to move that the draft Order laid before the House on 15 January be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 27 February*

Guaranteed Minimum Pensions Increase Order 2018 Baroness Stedman-Scott to move that the draft Order laid before the House on 15 January be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 27 February*

Mesothelioma Lump Sum Payments (Conditions and Amounts) (Amendment) Regulations 2018 Baroness Stedman-Scott to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 15 January be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 27 February*

Pneumoconiosis etc. (Workers' Compensation) (Payment of Claims) (Amendment) Regulations 2018 Baroness Stedman-Scott to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 15 January be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 27 February*

Automatic Enrolment (Earnings Trigger and Qualifying Earnings Band) Order 2018 Baroness Stedman-Scott to move that the draft Order laid before the House on 29 January be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 27 February*

National Employment Savings Trust (Amendment) Order 2018 Baroness Stedman-Scott to move that the draft Order laid before the House on 31 January be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 27 February*

Baroness Chisholm of Owlpen intends to move the following two motions en bloc: but if any Lord objects the motions must be moved separately.

Human Fertilisation and Embryology (Amendment) Regulations 2018 Baroness Chisholm of Owlpen to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 18 December 2017 be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 27 February*

Human Tissue (Quality and Safety for Human Application) (Amendment) Regulations 2018 Baroness Chisholm of Owlpen to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 18 December 2017 be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 27 February*

Lord Young of Cookham intends to move the following three motions en bloc: but if any Lord objects the motions must be moved separately to the extent desired.

Representation of the People (England and Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2018 Lord Young of Cookham to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 19 December 2017 be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 27 February*

Representation of the People (Northern Ireland) (Amendment) Regulations 2018 Lord Young of Cookham to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 19 December 2017 be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 27 February*

Representation of the People (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations 2018 Lord Young of Cookham to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 19 December 2017 be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 27 February*

Immigration and Nationality (Fees) (Amendment) Order 2018 Baroness Williams of Trafford to move that the draft Order laid before the House on 11 January be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 27 February*

Nuclear Safeguards Bill Committee (day 2) [Lord Henley] *13th Report from the Delegated Powers Committee*

Baroness Jones of Moulsecomb to ask Her Majesty's Government what proposals they have for the use of facial recognition technology in security and policing. *(Lunch break business, 1 hour)*

Future Business

Monday 5 March 2018 at 2.30pm

***Lord Black of Brentwood** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to introduce a regime for the purchase, possession and use of air guns.

***Baroness McIntosh of Pickering** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the number of general practitioners taking early retirement; and what steps they are taking to increase the size of the general practitioner workforce. [I]

***Lord Teverson** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to issue a sovereign green bond to support the United Kingdom's position in the global green finance market.

***Baroness Burt of Solihull** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the suitability of bids for replacement services for women prisons made following the closure of HM Prison Holloway.

†**European Union (Withdrawal) Bill** Committee (day 4) [Lord Callanan] *12th Report from the Delegated Powers Committee, 9th Report from the Constitution Committee*

Tuesday 6 March 2018 at 2.30pm

***Lord Polak** to ask Her Majesty's Government what action they are taking to promote co-existence between Israelis and Palestinians.

***Viscount Ridley** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to encourage the use of gene editing in agriculture.

***Lord Kirkhope of Harrogate** to ask Her Majesty's Government, following the appointment of their General Aviation Champion, when they will set out how future regulation of general aviation will be handled after the United Kingdom's withdrawal from the European Union; and how this will fit in with plans to reform United Kingdom airspace policy.

Topical oral question. Ballot to be drawn at 1pm on Friday 2 March.

Waste Enforcement (England and Wales) Regulations 2018 Lord Gardiner of Kimble to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 25 January be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 27 February*

Laser Misuse (Vehicles) Bill [HL] Third Reading [Baroness Sugg]

Secure Tenancies (Victims of Domestic Abuse) Bill [HL] Report [Lord Bourne of Aberystwyth]

Renewable Transport Fuels and Greenhouse Gas Emissions Regulations 2018 Baroness Sugg to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 15 January be approved. *17th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Seafarers (Insolvency, Collective Redundancies and Information and Consultation Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2018 Baroness Sugg to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 15 January be approved.

Enhanced Partnership Plans and Schemes (Objections) Regulations 2018 Baroness Sugg to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 17 January be approved.

Lord Young of Cookham intends to move the following two motions en bloc: but if any Lord objects the motions must be moved separately.

Social Security (Contributions) (Rates, Limits and Thresholds Amendments and National Insurance Funds Payments) Regulations 2018 Lord Young of Cookham to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 15 January be approved.

Tax Credits and Guardian's Allowance Up-rating etc. Regulations 2018 Lord Young of Cookham to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 15 January be approved.

Wednesday 7 March 2018 at 11.00am

†Oral Questions at 3.00pm

***Baroness Gardner of Parkes** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact on the availability of long-term housing for rent of holiday lets, including those listed as rooms to let, particularly in London.

***The Earl of Clancarty** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they will take steps to improve opportunities for the study of music in schools.

***Lord Clark of Windermere** to ask Her Majesty's Government what specific proposals they have to increase the number of fully trained nurses working in the National Health Service and the associated care services.

Topical oral question. Ballot opens at 3pm on Thursday 1 March, to be drawn at 1pm on Monday 5 March.

†If the Business of the House motion to be taken on Thursday 1 March is agreed to, it is expected that the Committee stage of the European Union (Withdrawal) Bill will continue at 11.00am.

Thursday 8 March 2018 at 11.00am

***Baroness Bertin** to ask Her Majesty's Government what support they are giving to women who are victims of domestic violence.

***Baroness Gale** to ask Her Majesty's Government how they will ensure that employment protections for women currently provided by European Union law will be maintained when the United Kingdom leaves the European Union.

***Lord Berkeley** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to improve the security of undersea cables linking the United Kingdom with the United States and other countries.

Topical oral question. Ballot opens at 3pm on Friday 2 March, to be drawn at 1pm on Tuesday 6 March.

If the Business of the House motion relating to the Finance (No. 2) Bill to be taken on Thursday 1 March is agreed to, it is expected that the second reading and remaining stages will be taken.

Baroness Williams of Trafford to move that this House takes note of International Women's Day and the steps being taken to press for progress on gender equality globally.

Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 1.00pm

Lord Freeman to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their assessment of the condition of private sector pension funds. (*1 hour*)

Lord German to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their assessment of the future of United Kingdom inland waterways. (*1 hour*)

Lord Bradshaw to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they propose to take to reverse the decline in the use of buses in England outside London. (1 hour)

Baroness Whitaker to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to address health issues in the Gypsy, Traveller and Roma communities. (1 hour)

Baroness Greengross to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the risks of anti-microbial resistance. (1 hour)

Monday 12 March 2018 at 2.30pm

***Lord Balfe** to ask Her Majesty's Government how many British nationals are currently employed in the European External Action Service (1) directly, and (2) on secondment from Her Majesty's Government; and what is their assessment of the impact on the effectiveness of the Government's diplomatic efforts when those staff leave that Service.

***Baroness Neville-Rolfe** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether it is their objective to maintain authoritative immigration statistics to allow the development of sound policies and plans for the future.

***Lord Beecham** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they propose to take any action in relation to the outsourcing by police forces of digital forensic investigation work to unaccredited private laboratories.

***Baroness Meacher** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they have plans to revisit the inclusion of cannabis in Schedule 2 to the Misuse of Drugs Act 1971, in the light of claims regarding its medicinal significance.

It is expected that the Committee stage of the European Union (Withdrawal) Bill will continue.

Tuesday 13 March 2018 at 2.30pm

***Lord Beith** to ask Her Majesty's Government what arrangements they propose for the continuation of train services on the East Coast mainline.

***Lord Blunkett** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they intend to make adjustments to the Apprenticeship Levy to facilitate the improved working of that programme and to reverse the fall in apprenticeship starts, including the redistribution and effective use of any current underspend.

***Lord Pearson of Rannoch** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the national scale of the "grooming gang scandal", including sexual exploitation of non Muslim children by Muslim men, as emerged recently in Rotherham, Rochdale, Oxford and elsewhere; and what steps they are taking to enable the prosecution of those in the police and local authorities who have failed to prevent it.

Wednesday 14 March 2018 at 3.00pm

***Lord Kirkwood of Kirkhope** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the effect on Universal Credit work incentives of the recently announced proposals for passporting family entitlement to free school meals.

***Baroness Randerson** to ask Her Majesty's Government what action they have taken to improve rural bus services.

***Lord Storey** to ask Her Majesty's Government what checks are undertaken on individuals before they meet the Prime Minister or Cabinet ministers.

It is expected that the Committee stage of the European Union (Withdrawal) Bill will continue.

Thursday 15 March 2018 at 11.00am

***Lord Clement-Jones** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact on the fashion and other design-based industries of the potential loss of European unregistered design rights for United Kingdom-generated designs following Brexit.

***Baroness Massey of Darwen** to ask Her Majesty's Government how they plan to respond to the National Children's Bureau report, *Children Missing Education*, published on 31 January; and what plans they have to improve the collection of national-level data on such children.

***Baroness Miller of Chilthorne Domer** to ask Her Majesty's Government how they plan to support Outdoor Classroom Day, to be held on 17 May; and whether they intend to increase the opportunities for children to learn in an outdoor environment.

Monday 19 March 2018 at 2.30pm

***Baroness Kennedy of Cradley** to ask Her Majesty's Government, over the last 10 years, how many children trafficked into the United Kingdom who have subsequently applied for asylum have had their applications approved.

***Viscount Waverley** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they plan to abide by all rulings made by the European Court of Justice during any transition period following the United Kingdom's withdrawal from the European Union.

***Lord Hunt of Kings Heath** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they have plans to provide a network of support, nationally and locally, for people affected by dependence on prescribed drugs.

***Lord Fox** to ask Her Majesty's Government what progress has been made in implementing the Universal Service Obligation for broadband.

It is expected that the Committee stage of the European Union (Withdrawal) Bill will continue.

Tuesday 20 March 2018 at 2.30pm

***Baroness Watkins of Tavistock** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Lord O'Shaughnessy on 21 January (HL5321), why there are no plans to enable women undergoing early medical abortion to take the second dose of the medication, misoprostol, at home, if they so wish.

***Lord Robathan** to ask Her Majesty's Government what consideration they have given to including litter picking in the National Curriculum for Year 6 children, to tidy up the roads and encourage civic responsibility.

***Lord Roberts of Llandudno** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the changing situation in Syria.

Wednesday 21 March 2018 at 3.00pm

***Baroness Jones of Moulsecoomb** to ask Her Majesty's Government what communications they have had, over the last 30 years, with police forces regarding the tactic of undercover police officers forming sexual relationships to develop their cover stories.

***Baroness Berridge** to ask Her Majesty's Government what are their human rights priorities for the communiqué of the Commonwealth Summit in April 2018. [I]

***Baroness Brinton** to ask Her Majesty's Government what guidance is provided to Clinical Commissioning Groups in exercising their duty to provide medical respite care for seriously ill and disabled children, following the High Court decision of 21 February.

Thursday 22 March 2018 at 11.00am

***Lord Stevenson of Balmacara** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether the recently launched review of press sustainability in the United Kingdom will have the power to call for evidence; whether all such evidence received will be published; and whether all meetings held as part of the review will be public.

***Lord Brooke of Alverthorpe** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they plan to permit United States companies to bid for NHS contracts as part of any future United Kingdom–United States trade deal.

***Baroness Hayter of Kentish Town** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they will consider establishing a statutory regulator of media advertising.

Monday 26 March 2018 at 2.30pm

***Baroness Cox** to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their assessment of recent developments in Nigeria, with particular reference to attacks on civilians by Boko Haram and the Fulani.

***The Lord Bishop of Durham** to ask Her Majesty's Government what specific measures they are taking to monitor the impact of the two-child limit policy in the child element of Child Tax Credit and Universal Credit on the well-being of children.

***Lord Holmes of Richmond** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they will now consider removing international students from the net migration statistics.

***Baroness Altmann** to ask Her Majesty's Government, in the light of the recent decision to offer HPV vaccinations to gay men, whether they plan to provide HPV vaccinations to all boys; and if so, when.

Tuesday 27 March 2018 at 2.30pm

***Baroness Tonge** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the importance of the right of return of Palestinian refugees to the resolution of the Israeli–Palestine conflict.

***Lord Dykes** to ask Her Majesty's Government what response they have given to the most recent submissions from the European Council and Commission on the Brexit negotiations.

***Lord Bassam of Brighton** to ask Her Majesty's Government what further measures, if any, they plan to take to increase the supply of council housing stock to replace homes for rent lost through right-to-buy sales.

Wednesday 28 March 2018 at 3.00pm

†***Lord Scriven** to ask Her Majesty's Government what progress they have made in implementing the recommendations of the Independent Chief Inspector of Borders and Immigration in the report, *An investigation into the Home Office's Handling of Asylum Claims Made on the Grounds of Sexual Orientation, March to June 2014*.

†***Lord Cotter** to ask Her Majesty's Government what progress they have made in implementing the proposals for support for mental health provision for children and young people in schools, set out in the December 2017 Green Paper, *Transforming children and young people's mental health provision*.

†***Lord Kennedy of Southwark** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the risks to community football clubs from land development proposals.

Select Committee Reports

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

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 2017*

Baroness Verma to move that this House takes note of the Report from the European Union Committee *Operation Sophia: a failed mission* (2nd Report, HL Paper 5). *12 July 2017*

Lord Best to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Communications Committee *Skills for theatre: Developing the pipeline of talent* (3rd Report, Session 2016–17, HL Paper 170). *3 May 2017*

Lord Howell of Guildford to move that this House takes note of the Report from the International Relations Committee *Commonwealth Heads of Government Meeting 2018* (2nd Report, HL Paper 74). *7 February*

Baroness Verma to move that this House takes note of the Report from the European Union Committee *Brexit: sanctions policy* (8th Report, HL Paper 50). *17 December 2017*

Baroness Kennedy of The Shaws to move that this House takes note of the Report from the European Union Committee *Brexit: will consumers be protected?* (9th Report, HL Paper 51). *19 December 2017*

Baroness Falkner of Margravine to move that this House takes note of the Report from the European Union Committee *Brexit: the future of financial management and supervision* (11th Report, HL Paper 66). *27 January*

Lord Teverson to move that this House takes note of the Report from the European Union Committee *Brexit: energy security* (10th Report, HL Paper 63). *29 January*

Lord Whitty to move that this House takes note of the Report from the European Union Committee *Brexit: competition and State aid* (12th Report, HL Paper 67). *2 February*

Motions Relating to Delegated Legislation

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).

†**Lord Bassam of Brighton** to move that this House regrets Her Majesty’s Government bringing forward reductions in entitlement to free school meals through the Free School Lunches and Milk, and School and Early Years Finance (Amendments Relating to Universal Credit) (England) Regulations 2018; and calls on Her Majesty’s Government not to implement the Regulations until a full poverty impact assessment has been completed and considered by both Houses, and not before six months has elapsed (SI 2018/148). *20th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Lord Hunt of Kings Heath to move that this House regrets that the Education (Student Support) (Amendment) Regulations 2018 extend the normal student maintenance regime to more categories of nursing students as a replacement for the NHS Bursary Scheme; and calls on Her Majesty's Government to postpone the introduction of the Regulations until the current review of post-18 education and funding has been completed (SI 2018/136).

Questions for Short Debate

Time limit 1 hour or 1½ hours.

†**Lord Krebs** to ask Her Majesty's Government what progress they have made with the provision of affordable and sustainable housing. (*28 February*)

Questions for Written Answer

Tabled on 28 February and due for answer by 14 March.

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of reports that the Chinese human rights lawyer, Li Baiguang, died in a military hospital on 25 February, despite being in good health; and what assessment they have made of the extent to which there might be a pattern of deaths of human rights defenders and dissidents in China. HL5929

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the reported findings of a UN Panel of Experts that North Korea has increased its covert assistance to a Syrian government agency responsible for producing that country's chemical weapons and advanced missiles. HL5930

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the answers by Lord Ahmad of Wimbledon on 28 February, whether their current assessment of the ability of Iraqi legal capacity and expertise indicates that prosecuting Daesh fighters in their courts will be possible soon; and whether they are considering the possibility of UN-sanctioned regional tribunals, in the territories of Iraq and Syria, in order to prosecute Daesh fighters. HL5931

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they are providing funds to third-party organisations to enable the collection of court-ready evidence for International Criminal Court (ICC) category crimes in the territory of Iraq; and, whether, following the passage of UN Security Council resolution 2379, court-ready evidence is being collected in the territories of Syria or Iraq in order to prosecute perpetrators of ICC category crimes. HL5932

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty's Government how much money they have contributed so far to the effective realisation of the aims of UN Security Council Resolution 2379; and how much they are committed to spending to ensure that the Resolution achieves its mandate. HL5933

Lord Bassam of Brighton to ask Her Majesty's Government what were the levels of capital receipts available for building new council housing in each year since 2010, broken down by local authority. HL5934

Lord Black of Brentwood to ask Her Majesty's Government, in the light of London meeting the UNAIDS 90:90:90 targets on HIV infection, what plans they have to update their HIV strategy to ensure that other parts of England also meet those targets. HL5935

Lord Black of Brentwood to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they plan to commit to the achievement of zero new HIV infections in England; and if so, by what date. HL5936

Lord Black of Brentwood to ask Her Majesty's Government how they plan to facilitate the involvement of civil society organisations in reporting on the UK's progress in implementing the UN Sustainable Development Goals. HL5937

Lord Black of Brentwood to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they plan to incorporate into the Quality and Outcomes Framework for 2018–19 the NICE indicator for annually reviewing patients with atrial fibrillation who are treated with an anticoagulant. HL5938

Lord Dobbs to ask Her Majesty's Government, in each year between 2007 and 2017, (1) how many patients were treated by the NHS who were not ordinarily resident in the UK, (2) what was the gross cost to the NHS of treating such patients, and (3) how much money was recovered from such patients. HL5939

Lord Dobbs to ask Her Majesty's Government what is the process to recover money owed to the NHS from those patients who are treated by the NHS but who are not ordinarily resident in the UK and do not qualify for free healthcare at the point of use. HL5940

Lord Dobbs to ask Her Majesty's Government how many beds were available in NHS hospitals in each year from 2007 to 2017; and what was the total number of instances where a delayed transfer of care occurred in an NHS hospital in each year from 2007 to 2017. HL5941

Lord Dobbs to ask Her Majesty's Government how many instances there were of a delayed transfer of care occurring where the patient subject to the delayed transfer of care was homeless in each year from 2007 to 2017. HL5942

Lord Dobbs to ask Her Majesty's Government how many instances there were of a delayed transfer of care occurring where the patient subject to the delayed transfer of care was waiting for longer than one day for a family member or friend to collect them in each year from 2007 to 2017. HL5943

Lord Dobbs to ask Her Majesty's Government how many patients treated by NHS Accident and Emergency departments were under the influence of drugs or alcohol in each year from 2007 to 2017; and what is their estimate of the gross cost of such treatments in each of those years. HL5944

The Lord Bishop of Durham to ask Her Majesty's Government how many bedrooms in accommodation allocated to asylum seekers in (1) the North East of England, and (2) Yorkshire, under Home Office COMPASS contracts, are shared by two or more unrelated individuals; and what proportion of the total number of bedrooms available in those areas that figure represents. HL5945

The Lord Bishop of Durham to ask Her Majesty's Government how are "vulnerable people" defined when allocating shared bedrooms to unrelated asylum seekers under Home Office COMPASS contracts. HL5946

The Lord Bishop of Durham to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the answers by Lord O'Shaughnessy on 26 February (HL Deb, cols 425–28), what measures they plan to take to ensure that all children living in poverty over the age of seven can receive a healthy meal at lunch time, as part of combatting child obesity and poor levels of nutrition. HL5947

Lord Empey to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they plan to publish a consultation on legacy issues pertaining to Northern Ireland; if so, when; and whether they intend to seek the views of the public in Northern Ireland on the appropriateness of establishing the legacy bodies envisaged in the Stormont House Agreement. HL5948

Lord Fox to ask Her Majesty's Government what processes are used by Innovate UK to confirm that all parties listed in a project application have consented to their inclusion in that project. HL5949

Lord Fox to ask Her Majesty's Government what recourse a business has if it finds that it has been falsely cited by a third party in a bid application to Innovate UK. HL5950

Baroness Hollins to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of research published in the *Lancet* showing that the estimated health benefits of minimum unit pricing of alcohol would benefit those from the lowest socioeconomic group. HL5951

Lord Hylton to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they have received evidence showing that Turkey has used Interpol or Europol notices to harass politically active Turks and non-Turks who have no connection to crimes or terrorism. HL5952

Baroness Jones of Moulsecoomb to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to ensure that the UK conforms with the rules on pavement parking set out in the 1968 Vienna Convention on Road Traffic, before the UK ratifies that Convention. HL5953

The Marquess of Lothian to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the progress to date in implementing the UN Action Plan for Libya. HL5954

The Marquess of Lothian to ask Her Majesty's Government what estimate they have made of the average daytime speed of traffic in the five largest English cities; whether that speed has decreased since 2012; if so, what assessment they have made of the reasons for the decrease; and what is their assessment of the impact of a slowdown in average urban driving speeds on the national economy. HL5955

The Marquess of Lothian to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they have proposed any diplomatic initiatives to help to resolve the current maritime dispute between Lebanon and Israel. HL5956

The Marquess of Lothian to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their assessment of the political situation in Colombia, following the government of Colombia's announcement of the suspension of peace talks with the National Liberation Army. HL5957

The Marquess of Lothian to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of (1) the Chinese Communist Party's proposals to change the Chinese constitution in order to remove the two-term limit on the presidency, (2) whether those proposals represent a retrograde step for democracy, and (3) the impact of the proposed change on bilateral relations. HL5958

The Marquess of Lothian to ask Her Majesty's Government what action they are taking to prevent further decline in hedgehog numbers, particularly in rural areas. HL5959

Lord Stunell to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Baroness Williams of Trafford on 24 March 2016 (HL7094), when the next biennial review will be published; and why there has been a 12-month delay in publication for the review which was scheduled to have been published in early 2017. HL5960

Lord Stunell to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they plan to convene a roundtable of representatives of Ebay, Amazon and Electrical Safety First to seek a resolution to the problem of unregulated sales of sub-standard and counterfeit electrical goods online. HL5961

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of access to specialist cross-border healthcare for sufferers of rare diseases following Brexit; and how they plan to ensure that those patients continue to benefit from specialist medical expertise across EU member states following Brexit. HL5962

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask Her Majesty's Government what consideration they have given to the future of the fishing industry in upcoming negotiations with the EU. HL5963

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of proposed European Court of Justice involvement in providing oversight over the withdrawal treaty. HL5964

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask Her Majesty's Government whether the UK is on target to meet the March 2019 deadline for withdrawal from the EU. HL5965

Baroness Tonge to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their response to the statement by the UN Relief and Works Agency on 22 February regarding the mortar attack that killed two Palestinian children near the refugee camp of Jaramana, and to reports that 50 mortar shells landed in Damascus in a single day. HL5966

Baroness Tonge to ask Her Majesty's Government whether there has been an increase in the number of midwives (1) registered to practise in the UK, and (2) practising in the NHS, over the past five years. HL5967

Baroness Tonge to ask Her Majesty's Government how many midwives there were on (1) the Nursing and Midwifery register, and (2) practising in the NHS, in each of the past five years. HL5968

Baroness Tonge to ask Her Majesty's Government whether the incidence of neonatal mortality and morbidity has decreased over the past five years. HL5969

QUESTIONS FOR WRITTEN ANSWER

Baroness Tonge to ask Her Majesty's Government what was the incidence of neonatal mortality and morbidity in (1) 2000–05, (2) 2005–10, and (3) 2010–15. HL5970

Baroness Tonge to ask Her Majesty's Government what was the incidence of neonatal mortality and morbidity in (1) 2014–15, (2) 2015–16, and (3) 2016–17. HL5971

Bills in Progress

	Type of Bill	To be considered
Waiting for Second Reading		
Finance (No. 2) Bill	Government	
Succession to Peerages Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
House of Lords 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	
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	

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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	
Official Development Assistance Target (Repeal) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Smart Meters Bill	Government	
Committed to an Unopposed Bill Committee		
Richmond Burgage Pastures Bill [HL]	Private	
University of London Bill [HL]	Private	
Committed to a Grand Committee		
Automated and Electric Vehicles Bill	Government	
Haulage Permits and Trailer Registration Bill [HL]	Government	
Committed to a Committee of the Whole House		
House of Lords (Hereditary Peers) (Abolition of By-Elections) Bill [HL] (<i>Queen's consent to be signified</i>)	Private Member's	
Age of Criminal Responsibility Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Modern Slavery (Victim Support) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Unpaid Work Experience (Prohibition) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Democratic Political Activity (Funding and Expenditure) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Equality Act 2010 (Amendment) (Disabled Access) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Home Education (Duty of Local Authorities) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Creditworthiness Assessment Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Refugees (Family Reunion) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Immigration Control (Gross Human Rights Abuses) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Local Government Elections (Referendum) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Conscientious Objection (Medical Activities) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Registration of Marriage Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Open Skies Agreement (Membership) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
European Union (Withdrawal) Bill (<i>Queen's consent to be signified</i>)	Government	5 March
Nuclear Safeguards Bill (<i>Queen's consent to be signified</i>)	Government	1 March
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	
Waiting for Report		
Secure Tenancies (Victims of Domestic Abuse) Bill [HL]	Government	6 March
Waiting for Third Reading		
Laser Misuse (Vehicles) Bill [HL]	Government	6 March

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Financial Guidance and Claims Bill [HL]	Government
Data Protection Bill [HL]	Government
Sanctions and Anti-Money Laundering Bill [HL]	Government
Asset Freezing (Compensation) Bill [HL]	Private Member's

Waiting for Royal Assent

Space Industry Bill [HL]	Government
City of London Corporation (Open Spaces) Bill	Private

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

- Draft Renewable Heat Incentive Scheme Regulations 2018
- Draft Companies (Disclosure of Address) (Amendment) Regulations 2018
- Draft First-tier Tribunal and Upper Tribunal (Composition of Tribunal) (Amendment) Order 2018
- Draft European Union (Definition of Treaties) (Work in Fishing Convention) Order 2018
- Draft Mandatory Use of Closed Circuit Television in Slaughterhouses (England) Regulations 2018
- Draft Crime and Courts Act 2013 (Deferred Prosecution Agreements) (Amendment of Specified Offences) Order 2018
- Draft Welsh Ministers (Transfer of Functions) (Railways) Order 2018

Affirmative Instruments waiting for Affirmative Resolution

- Draft Hunting Act 2004 (Exempt Hunting) (Amendment) Order 2015 *7th Report, Session 2015–16, from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*
- Draft Non-Contentious Probate Fees Order 2017 *26th Report, Session 2016–17, from the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments, 28th Report, Session 2016–17, from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*
- Draft Trade Union (Deduction of Union Subscriptions from Wages in the Public Sector) Regulations 2017 *29th Report, Session 2016–17, from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*
- Draft European Union (Definition of Treaties) (Enhanced Partnership and Cooperation Agreement) (Kazakhstan) Order 2017
- Draft European Union (Definition of Treaties) (Partnership and Cooperation Agreement) (Turkmenistan) Order 2017
- Draft Human Fertilisation and Embryology (Amendment) Regulations 2018 *(1 March)*
- Draft Human Tissue (Quality and Safety for Human Application) (Amendment) Regulations 2018 *(1 March)*
- Draft Representation of the People (England and Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2018 *(1 March)*

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Draft Representation of the People (Northern Ireland) (Amendment) Regulations 2018 *(1 March)*

Draft Representation of the People (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations 2018 *(1 March)*

Draft Immigration and Nationality (Fees) (Amendment) Order 2018 *(1 March)*

Draft Guaranteed Minimum Pensions Increase Order 2018 *(1 March)*

Draft Mesothelioma Lump Sum Payments (Conditions and Amounts) (Amendment) Regulations 2018 *(1 March)*

Draft Pneumoconiosis etc. (Workers' Compensation) (Payment of Claims) (Amendment) Regulations 2018 *(1 March)*

Draft Social Security Benefits Up-rating Order 2018 *(1 March)*

Draft Social Security (Contributions) (Rates, Limits and Thresholds Amendments and National Insurance Funds Payments) Regulations 2018 *(6 March)*

Draft Tax Credits and Guardian's Allowance Up-rating etc. Regulations 2018 *(6 March)*

Draft Renewable Transport Fuels and Greenhouse Gas Emissions Regulations 2018 *17th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (6 March)*

Draft Seafarers (Insolvency, Collective Redundancies and Information and Consultation Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2018 *(6 March)*

Draft Enhanced Partnership Plans and Schemes (Objections) Regulations 2018 *(6 March)*

Draft Works Detrimental to Navigation (Powers and Duties of Inspectors) Regulations 2018

Draft Waste Enforcement (England and Wales) Regulations 2018 *(6 March)*

Draft Automatic Enrolment (Earnings Trigger and Qualifying Earnings Band) Order 2018 *(1 March)*

Draft Industrial Training Levy (Construction Industry Training Board) Order 2018

Draft Passport (Fees) Regulations 2018

Draft Gambling Act 2005 (Operating Licence Conditions) (Amendment) Regulations 2018

Draft Armed Forces Act (Continuation) Order 2018

Draft Electronic Commerce Directive (Miscellaneous Provisions) Regulations 2018

Draft National Employment Savings Trust (Amendment) Order 2018 *(1 March)*

Draft Criminal Justice and Police Act 2001 (Powers of Seizure) Order 2018 *19th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft Electricity Supplier Payments (Amendment) Regulations 2018

Draft Greater Manchester Combined Authority (Amendment) Order 2018

Draft National Minimum Wage (Amendment) Regulations 2018

Draft Insolvency of Registered Providers of Social Housing Regulations 2018

Draft Police Powers of Designated Civilian Staff and Volunteers (Excluded Powers and Duties of Constables) Regulations 2018

Draft Domestic Renewable Heat Incentive Scheme (Amendment) Regulations 2018

Draft Animal Welfare (Licensing of Activities Involving Animals) (England) Regulations 2018
 Draft Employment Rights Act 1996 (Itemised Pay Statement) (Amendment) (No. 2) Order 2018
 Draft Non-Domestic Rating (Rates Retention and Levy and Safety Net) (Amendment) Regulations 2018
 Draft Data Protection (Charges and Information) Regulations 2018

Negative Instruments

Universal Credit (Tenant Incentive Scheme) Amendment Regulations 2017 *31st Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, Session 2016–17. Praying time expired 29 June 2017.*

Social Security Benefit Up-rating Regulations 2017 *Not reported by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expired 22 June 2017.*

Homes and Communities Agency (Transfer of Property etc.) Regulations 2018 *17th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 1 March.*

School and Early Years Finance (England) Regulations 2018 *17th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 6 March.*

Free School Lunches and Milk, and School and Early Years Finance (Amendments Relating to Universal Credit) (England) Regulations 2018 *20th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 29 March.*

Enterprise Act 2002 (Part 9 Restrictions on Disclosure of Information) (Specification) Order 2018 *19th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 23 March.*

National Emission Ceilings Regulations 2018 *19th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 23 March.*

Education (Student Support) (Amendment) Regulations 2018 *Praying time expires 28 March.*

Merchant Shipping (Prevention of Pollution from Noxious Liquid Substances in Bulk) Regulations 2018 *20th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 17 April.*

Merchant Shipping (International Load Line Convention) (Amendment) Regulations 2018 *20th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 17 April.*

Regulatory Reform Order in Progress

Affirmative draft Order reported by the Regulatory Reform Committee

Draft Regulatory Reform (Fire Safety) (Custodial Premises) Subordinate Provisions Order 2018 (22 January) *Parliamentary procedure: affirmative. 14th Report from the Regulatory Reform Committee.*

Legislative Reform Order in Progress

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

Draft Legislative Reform (Regulator of Social Housing) (England) Order 2018 (28 February) *Parliamentary procedure: affirmative*

Other Instruments

Revised Draft Airports National Policy Statement: new runway capacity and infrastructure at airports in the South East of England *Scrutiny period expires 23 March.*

Draft National Policy Statement for Geological Disposal Infrastructure: A framework document for planning decisions on nationally significant infrastructure *Scrutiny period expires 28 September*

Retirement

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

Lord Renwick of Clifton (31 March)

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 1 March

EU Internal Market Sub-Committee	Room 4A	10.00am
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Monday 5 March

Procedure Committee	Room 1	5.00pm
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Tuesday 6 March

Science and Technology Committee	Room 4A	10.00am
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Political Polling and Digital Media Committee	Room 2	10.30am
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Natural Environment and Rural Communities Act 2006 Committee	Room 1	11.00am
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Economic Affairs Committee	Other (Parliamentary Estate)	2.00pm
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Artificial Intelligence Committee	Room 4A	3.15pm
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Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee	Room 3A	3.45pm
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Audit Committee	Room 2A	4.15pm
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Wednesday 7 March

Constitution Committee	Room 1	9.30am
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EU Financial Affairs Sub-Committee	Room 4A	10.00am
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Citizen and Civic Engagement Committee	Room 3A	10.30am
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EU Home Affairs Sub-Committee	Room 3	10.30am
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International Relations Committee	Room 4	10.30am
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Human Rights (Joint Committee)	Room 1	3.00pm
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Statutory Instruments (Joint Committee)	Room 7	3.45pm
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Thursday 8 March

EU External Affairs Sub-Committee	Room 1	10.00am
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Services Committee	Committee Room G	2.00pm
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Monday 12 March

Liaison Committee	Room 1	4.30pm
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Tuesday 13 March

Communications Committee	Room 2	3.15pm
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Wednesday 14 March

EU Energy and Environment Sub-Committee	Room 2	10.00am
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Delegated Powers and Regulatory Reform Committee	Room 2A	10.30am
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Wednesday 21 March

House of Lords Commission	The Lord Speaker's Office	10.30am
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Finance Committee	Other (Parliamentary Estate)	4.15pm
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Minutes of Proceedings of Wednesday 28 February 2018

The House met at 3.00pm.

Prayers were read by the Lord Bishop of Salisbury.

1 Notification of retirement The Clerk of the Parliaments informed the House that he had received written notice from Lord Renwick of Clifton under section 1 of the House of Lords Reform Act 2014 stating that he would retire from the House on 31 March.

Select Committee Reports

2 Statutory Instruments

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

Report on certain statutory instruments, including the following affirmative instruments:

Draft Animal Welfare (Licensing of Activities Involving Animals) (England) Regulations 2018

Draft Data Protection (Charges and Information) Regulations 2018

Draft Domestic Renewable Heat Incentive Scheme (Amendment) Regulations 2018

Draft Electricity Supplier Payments (Amendment) Regulations 2018

Draft Employment Rights Act 1996 (Itemised Pay Statement) (Amendment) (No. 2) Order 2018

Draft Greater Manchester Combined Authority (Amendment) Order 2018

Draft Insolvency of Registered Providers of Social Housing Regulations 2018

Draft National Minimum Wage (Amendment) Regulations 2018

Draft Non-Domestic Rating (Rates Retention and Levy and Safety Net) (Amendment) Regulations 2018

Draft Police Powers of Designated Civilian Staff and Volunteers (Excluded Powers and Duties of Constables) Regulations 2018. (14th Report, HL Paper 83)

4 Delegated Powers and Regulatory Reform

The following Reports from the Select Committee were made and ordered to be printed:

Haulage Permits and Trailer Registration Bill [HL] (15th Report, HL Paper 84)

Automated and Electric Vehicles Bill

Finance (No. 2) Bill. (16th Report, HL Paper 85)

3 Human Rights

The following Reports from the Joint Committee were made and ordered to be printed:

Proposal for a Draft Human Fertilisation and Embryology Act 2008 (Remedial) Order 2018. (2nd Report, HL Paper 86)

Legislative Scrutiny: The Sanctions and Anti-Money Laundering Bill (3rd Report, HL Paper 87)

Public Business

5 Retail trade: online suppliers A question was asked by Lord Naseby and answered by Lord Henley.

6 Alcohol: minimum unit pricing A question was asked by Lord Rennard and answered by Lord O'Shaughnessy.

7 Disabled access: standards A question was asked by Baroness Deech and answered by Baroness Sugg.

8 ISIS: trial of British citizens A question was asked by Lord Alton of Liverpool and answered by Lord Ahmad of Wimbledon.

9 European Union (Withdrawal) Bill The bill was further considered in Committee, beginning with amendment 14. Amendments were considered. The House resumed.

10 **Northern Ireland border** Lord Duncan of Springbank repeated as a ministerial statement the answer given to an Urgent Question in the House of Commons.

11 **International Development Committee: Burma visas** Lord Ahmad of Wimbledon repeated as a ministerial statement the answer given to an Urgent Question in the House of Commons.

The House adjourned. The House resumed.

12 **European Union (Withdrawal) Bill** The bill was further considered in Committee, beginning with amendment 23. The House resumed after clause 4 was agreed to.

The House adjourned at 10.09pm until Thursday 1 March 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.

Command Papers

The following papers were presented to the House by command of Her Majesty:

1. European Union—Eighth Report to Parliament on the Application of Protocols 19 and 21 to the Treaty on European Union (TEU) and the Treaty on the Functioning of the Union (TFEU) in Relation to EU Justice and Home Affairs (JHA) Matters for 1 December 2016–30 November 2017. (9580)
2. Explanatory Memorandum (Revised)—Replacement Explanatory Memorandum to the Draft Waste Enforcement (England and Wales) Regulations 2018 (25 January). (—)

Affirmative Instruments

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

1. Draft Legislative Reform (Regulator of Social Housing) (England) Order 2018
2. Draft Welsh Ministers (Transfer of Functions) (Railways) Order 2018

Negative Instruments

The following instruments were laid before the House:

1. Street Works (Charges for Occupation of the Highway) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2018 (215)
2. Motorcycles (Type-Approval) Regulations 2018 (235)
3. Agricultural and Forestry Vehicles (Type-Approval) Regulations 2018 (236)
4. Civil Procedure (Amendment) Rules 2018 (239)
5. Merchant Shipping (Maritime Labour Convention) (Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2018 (242)
6. Higher Education and Research Act 2017 (Consequential, Transitional, Transitory and Saving Provisions) Regulations 2018 (245)
7. Her Majesty's Chief Inspector of Education, Children's Services and Skills (Fees and Frequency of Inspections) (Children's Homes etc.) (Amendment) Regulations 2018 (246)
8. Bolton College (Designated Institution in Further Education) Order 2018 (247)
9. Compulsory Purchase (Inquiries Procedure) (Miscellaneous Amendments and Electronic Communications) Rules 2018 (248)
10. Portability of Online Content Services Regulations 2018 (249)
11. Compulsory Purchase of Land (Written Representations Procedure) (Ministers) (Miscellaneous Amendments and Electronic Communications) Regulations 2018 (253)
12. Electricity (Connection Offer Expenses) Regulations 2018 (254)
13. Energy Information (Amendment) Regulations 2018 (255)
14. Social Security (Contributions) (Amendment No. 2) Regulations 2018 (257)
15. London Government (London Fire Commissioner and Policing) (Amendment) Regulations 2018 (269)

Paper not subject to Parliamentary Proceedings

The following paper was laid before the House:

1. Office for Students Regulatory Framework