

Tuesday 20 March 2018 at 2.30pm

**Oral Questions, 30 minutes*

***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.

†***Baroness Bakewell** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they will consider further ways of promoting part-time study in the light of the findings set out in the report by the Sutton Trust *The Lost Part-Timers*.

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

National Minimum Wage (Amendment) Regulations 2018 Lord Henley to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 5 February be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 15 March.*

Criminal Justice and Police Act 2001 (Powers of Seizure) Order 2018 Lord Henley to move that the draft Order laid before the House on 23 January be approved. *19th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Considered in Grand Committee on 15 March.*

Works Detrimental to Navigation (Powers and Duties of Inspectors) Regulations 2018 Lord Henley to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 18 January be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 15 March.*

Nuclear Safeguards Bill Report [Lord Henley] *13th and 17th Reports from the Delegated Powers Committee*

Lord Bassam of Brighton to move that this House regrets Her Majesty's Government bringing forward changes 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 which will undermine work incentives in Universal Credit and leave up to a million poor children unable to claim free school meals; 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 (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.



Grand Committee in Moses Room at 3.30pm

Industrial Training Levy (Construction Industry Training Board) Order 2018 Consideration in Grand Committee [Viscount Younger of Leckie]

Armed Forces Act (Continuation) Order 2018 Consideration in Grand Committee [Earl Howe]

Greater Manchester Combined Authority (Amendment) Order 2018 Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Bourne of Aberystwyth]

Insolvency of Registered Providers of Social Housing Regulations 2018 Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Bourne of Aberystwyth]

Gambling Act 2005 (Operating Licence Conditions) (Amendment) Regulations 2018 Consideration in Grand Committee [Baroness Chisholm of Owlpen]

Electronic Commerce Directive (Miscellaneous Provisions) Regulations 2018 Consideration in Grand Committee [Baroness Chisholm of Owlpen]

Data Protection (Charges and Information) Regulations 2018 Consideration in Grand Committee [Baroness Chisholm of Owlpen]

Future Business

Wednesday 21 March 2018 at 11.00am

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

At 3.00pm

Prayers will have been read

**Oral Questions, 30 minutes*

***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. [1]

***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.

†***Lord Dubs** to ask Her Majesty's Government what further action they intend to take to reduce gender inequality in pay.

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

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.

Topical oral question. Ballot to be drawn at 1pm on Tuesday 20 March.

Middle Level Bill Second Reading

Passport (Fees) Regulations 2018 Baroness Williams of Trafford to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 29 January be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 15 March.*

The following two motions are expected to be debated together:

Lord Ahmad of Wimbledon to move that this House takes note of the Commonwealth Heads of Government Meeting 2018.

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).

Legislative Reform Measure The Lord Bishop of Rochester to move that this House do direct that, in accordance with the Church of England Assembly (Powers) Act 1919, the Legislative Reform Measure be presented to Her Majesty for the Royal Assent.

Mission and Pastoral etc. (Amendment) Measure The Lord Bishop of Rochester to move that this House do direct that, in accordance with the Church of England Assembly (Powers) Act 1919, the Mission and Pastoral etc. (Amendment) Measure be presented to Her Majesty for the Royal Assent.

The following three motions are expected to be debated together:

Pensions (Pre-consolidation) Measure The Lord Bishop of Rochester to move that this House do direct that, in accordance with the Church of England Assembly (Powers) Act 1919, the Pensions (Pre-consolidation) Measure be presented to Her Majesty for the Royal Assent.

Statute Law (Repeals) Measure The Lord Bishop of Rochester to move that this House do direct that, in accordance with the Church of England Assembly (Powers) Act 1919, the Statute Law (Repeals) Measure be presented to Her Majesty for the Royal Assent.

Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction and Care of Churches Measure The Lord Bishop of Rochester to move that this House do direct that, in accordance with the Church of England Assembly (Powers) Act 1919, the Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction and Care of Churches Measure be presented to Her Majesty for the Royal Assent.

Baroness Lister of Burtersett to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to support survivors of domestic abuse and to prevent future abuse. (*1½ hours*)

Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 2.00pm

Haulage Permits and Trailer Registration Bill [HL] Committee (day 2) [Baroness Sugg] *15th Report from the Delegated Powers Committee*

Friday 23 March 2018 at 10.00am

House of Lords (Hereditary Peers) (Abolition of By-Elections) Bill [HL] Committee [Lord Grocott]

Lord Trefgarne to move, as an amendment to the motion that the House do now resolve itself into a Committee on the bill, at end to insert “but regrets that the bill is proceeding notwithstanding that the recommendations set out in the report of the Lord Speaker’s committee on the size of the House have not yet been implemented.”

Conscientious Objection (Medical Activities) Bill [HL] Committee [Baroness O’Loan]

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.

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

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 11.00am

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

**Oral Questions, 30 minutes (at 3.00pm)*

Prayers will have been read

***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.

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

Thursday 29 March 2018 at 11.00am

***Baroness Ludford** to ask Her Majesty's Government, in the light of their intention for the United Kingdom to leave the European Union on 29 March 2019, whether, and on what basis, British citizens can be confident that they will have reached agreement by that date on a future relationship with the European Union.

***Lord Lee of Trafford** to ask Her Majesty's Government on what date they intend to introduce new United Kingdom passports; and what will be the status of existing passports after 29 March 2019.

***Lord Wallace of Saltaire** to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their assessment of whether preparations for (1) national border controls, facilities and staffing, and (2) the registration of European Union citizens in the United Kingdom, will be complete by 29 March 2019.

Baroness Brinton to move that this House takes note of the effect of the United Kingdom's planned withdrawal from the European Union on the health and welfare of United Kingdom citizens and residents. *(Balloted Debate, 2½ hours)*

Lord Roberts of Llandudno to move that this House takes note of the humanitarian crisis in Syria. *(Balloted Debate, 2½ hours)*

Monday 16 April 2018 at 2.30pm

†***Lord Ahmed** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they intend to encourage the government of India to withdraw its formal reservations against the right of self-determination so that the conflicts in Indian-controlled Kashmir, Punjab and other territories in the north east of the Indian sub-continent can move towards a peaceful resolution in a democratic manner, underpinned by international law.

†***Lord Harris of Haringey** to ask Her Majesty's Government when they will authorise the use of public alert technology for mobile phone systems for use by the police and emergency services in the event of a terrorist incident.

†***Lord Spicer** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they have prepared an analysis of the benefit to the United Kingdom of participation in worldwide free trade; and if so, whether they will publish that analysis.

†***Baroness McIntosh of Pickering** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the implications for business of a short transition period as part of the United Kingdom's withdrawal from the European Union.

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*

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 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). *21st Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Lord Kennedy of Southwark to move that this House regrets that the Housing and Planning Act 2016 (Database of Rogue Landlords and Property Agents) Regulations 2018 (SI 2018/258) do not allow tenants access to the database of Rogue Landlords and Property Agents, therefore severely restricting potential tenants' ability to make informed choices and protect themselves.

Questions for Written Answer

Tabled on 19 March and due for answer by 4 April.

Lord Bassam of Brighton to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they will publish the advice they have provided to public bodies, local authorities and housing associations following the fire and safety test failure of the type of fire door used at Grenfell Tower. HL6431

Lord Bassam of Brighton to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they intend to undertake further tests to determine whether the type of fire doors installed at Grenfell Tower in 2013 conformed to the appropriate fire standard. HL6432

Lord Bassam of Brighton to ask Her Majesty's Government what discussions they have had with Kensington and Chelsea Council regarding (1) whether the type of fire doors installed at Grenfell Tower in 2013 were fire and safety tested prior to installation, (2) whether the contract for the supply of the fire doors was subjected to competitive tender, (3) who undertook the installation of the fire doors, (4) what checks were undertaken following installation to ensure that the doors were fit for purpose, (5) which fire door options were considered for installation, and (6) on what basis the decision to install those particular fire doors was made. HL6433

Lord Bassam of Brighton to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they intend to identify and publish (1) the type of fire doors installed at Grenfell Tower in 2013, and (2) the manufacturer that supplied those doors; whether they have established which public bodies, local authorities, housing associations, and other volume users have used and fitted the same fire door type in the last 10 years; and if so, whether they will publish a list of those bodies. HL6434

Lord Beecham to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they took into account the visa humanitarian exemption in the case of Ernesto Schwartz-Marin and his wife Arely Cruz-Santiago who have been ordered to leave the country after exceeding the time permitted to be abroad by undertaking humanitarian work in Mexico; and if not, why not. HL6435

Baroness Bowles of Berkhamsted to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of whether members of boards that set and endorse accounting standards (1) have the Financial Conduct Authority designation to represent the interest of public investors, and (2) have been adequately vetted for potential conflicts of interest. HL6436

Lord Bradshaw to ask Her Majesty's Government, in assembling the information required for their 2016 report *Evaluation of Concessionary Bus Travel*, whether any monetary value was attributed to the effect on concessionary pass holders in decisions to curtail or withdraw bus services in rural areas; and whether, in making those calculations, any financial benefit was ascribed to the Treasury from tax raised from such people using their own or someone else's car for journeys. HL6437

Lord Bradshaw to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Lord Gardiner of Kimble on 15 March (HL5998), (1) when did Network Rail seek the Environment Agency's assurance in providing assistance to relieve the flood problems at Cowley Bridge Junction, (2) when the Environment Agency responded to that request, and in what form, (3) when is Network Rail expected to respond to this request, (4) how long the Environment Agency forecasts it will take to assess the consequences of the structure, and (5) in the meantime, what assessment has been made of the flood risk to the railway and surrounding area. HL6438

Lord Bradshaw to ask Her Majesty's Government how much of the money transferred to local authorities from the Bus Service Operators Grant has been used (1) for sustaining bus services, and (2) to support other local authority services, since April 2012. HL6439

Baroness Cavendish of Little Venice to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they intend to extend the powers of the Information Commissioner to investigate companies which harvest large quantities of data from individuals. HL6440

The Lord Bishop of Coventry to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact on religious minorities in Pakistan of the ruling by the Islamabad High Court on 9 March that requires citizens to take a religious oath upon joining the civil service, armed forces, or judiciary.

HL6441

The Lord Bishop of Coventry to ask Her Majesty's Government what representations they have made to the government of Myanmar regarding the proposed amendments to the 2011 Peaceful Assembly and Procession Law which might restrict the right of freedom of expression and assembly in Myanmar.

HL6442

Baroness Deech to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the strategy of the Equality and Human Rights Commission in combating rising levels of antisemitism and hate crime.

HL6443

Baroness Deech to ask Her Majesty's Government what discussions they have had with the Office for Students concerning the upholding of laws on freedom of speech following the postponement by King's College London (KCL) of a planned lecture on 16 March on freedom of speech by Dr Adam Perkins to the KCL Libertarian Society.

HL6444

Baroness Falkner of Margravine to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they are aware of any action by the Serious Fraud Office against major Russian shareholders of companies listed on the London Stock Exchange.

HL6445

Baroness Falkner of Margravine to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they have made an assessment of whether those Russians listed by the United States Treasury Department on 30 January as potentially subject to United States sanctions for illegal activity, including those identified by the Anti-Corruption Foundation for wrongdoing under the UK Bribery Act 2010, are persons connected to companies listed on the London Stock Exchange.

HL6446

Lord Flight to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the case for introducing reforms to the UK's corporate insolvency framework after the UK went from 13th to 14th in the World Bank's ease of doing business rankings in respect of resolving insolvencies.

HL6447

Lord Flight to ask Her Majesty's Government, in the light of the possible barriers to resolving cross-border insolvencies post-Brexit, what assessment they have made of the case for reforming the UK's corporate insolvency framework to ensure that it is fit for purpose.

HL6448

Lord Flight to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to implement the EU's Insolvency, Restructuring and Second Chance Directive.

HL6449

Lord Harris of Haringey to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the reply by Baroness Williams of Trafford on 8 February (HL Deb, col 2072), when the Department for Education's review of its health, safety and school security advice will be completed; whether in reviewing its guidance it will consult the Community Security Trust; whether it will advise schools to consult counter-terrorism security advisers; and if so, whether police forces are adequately resourced to provide such advice.

HL6450

Lord Hylton to ask Her Majesty's Government what action they are taking to support making temporary ceasefires in Syria (1) effective, and (2) permanent.

HL6451

Lord Hylton to ask Her Majesty's Government what discussions they have had with the governments of Germany and other states about the supply of weapons and munitions to Turkey, Iran and other combatants in Syria.

HL6452

Lord Kinnock to ask Her Majesty's Government, following the statement by the Chief Executive of the Civil Aviation Authority (CAA) to UK Transport in Europe on 5 September 2017 that the CAA was undertaking no preparatory work to assume the responsibilities of the European Aviation Safety Agency (EASA) after Brexit because "it would be misleading to suggest that's a viable option", what alternatives to EASA participation they are considering.

HL6453

Baroness Lister of Burtersett to ask Her Majesty's Government what estimate they have made of the number of local councils, if any, refusing to give ashes to families after public health funerals; and what is their response to reports of such practices. HL6454

Lord Lucas to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Baroness Williams of Trafford on 16 March (HL6114), why a report of a receipt of a fraudulent approach which did not lead to any further action is not counted as a crime by Action Fraud. HL6455

Baroness McIntosh of Pickering to ask Her Majesty's Government how many veterinary surgeons who work in abattoirs come from (1) the UK, and (2) other EU countries. HL6456

Baroness McIntosh of Pickering to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to address the potential shortage of veterinary surgeons working in abattoirs after Brexit. HL6457

Baroness McIntosh of Pickering to ask Her Majesty's Government what will be the role of (1) Natural England, and (2) the Rural Payments Agency, in administering countryside stewardship schemes after Brexit. HL6458

Baroness McIntosh of Pickering to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to improve (1) mobile phone coverage, (2) broadband access, and (3) internet speeds, in rural areas HL6459

Lord Naseby to ask Her Majesty's Government how many Sri Lankan nationals have sought asylum in each year since 1 January 2007; and how many were successful. HL6460

Lord Naseby to ask Her Majesty's Government what is the annual cost of NHS England's Healthy New Towns 10 pilot sites programme. HL6461

Lord Patten to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their assessment of the democratic accountability of the new Heart of the South West Joint Committee. HL6462

Lord Patten to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their assessment of the democratic accountability of the West of England Local Enterprise Partnership. HL6463

Lord Patten to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their assessment of the democratic accountability of (1) Exmoor National Park, and (2) Dartmoor National Park, organisations. HL6464

Lord Patten to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their estimate of the number of incursions by Spanish state vessels into the British waters around Gibraltar in the last 12 months. HL6465

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask Her Majesty's Government further to the Spring Statement by the Chancellor of the Exchequer on 13 March (HC Deb, col 720), how they intend to "eliminate the scourge of late payments" to support small business. HL6466

Baroness Tonge to ask Her Majesty's Government what representations they have made to the government of Israel regarding claims that the Israeli military protect settlers whilst those settlers are attacking Palestinians and damaging or invading Palestinian property. HL6467

Baroness Tonge to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the amendment to the Entry into Israel Law 1972, passed by the Israeli parliament, which allows the interior minister to revoke the residency rights of any Palestinian in Jerusalem on the ground of a breach of loyalty to Israel. HL6468

Baroness Tonge to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the comments by the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights Zeid Ra'ad al-Husseini describing Israeli settlements in the occupied West Bank and Jerusalem as war crimes. HL6469

Baroness Tonge to ask Her Majesty's Government what representations they have made to the government of Israel regarding reports of incursions by Israeli settlers into Al-Aqsa Mosque, escorted by Israeli police. HL6470

Baroness Tonge to ask Her Majesty's Government what representations they have made to the government of Israel about the suspension of Haneen Zoabi from the Knesset in response to her calling Israeli Defense Force soldiers murderers. HL6471

Baroness Tonge to ask Her Majesty's Government what representations they have made to the government of Israel about the raid on Birzeit University and the reported abduction of its Student Council President Omar al-Kiswani by undercover Israeli agents on 7 March. HL6472

Viscount Waverley to ask Her Majesty's Government how much time they expect there will be between the publication of the final Brexit agreement and the vote in the House of Commons. HL6473

Viscount Waverley to ask Her Majesty's Government when they intend to present the final Brexit agreement to select committees of Parliament; and how long they expect that to be before a vote in either House of Parliament. HL6474

Viscount Waverley to ask Her Majesty's Government how much time they expect there will be between the vote in the House of Commons on the Brexit agreement and exit day. HL6475

Viscount Waverley to ask Her Majesty's Government what additional documentation they will publish to accompany the final Brexit agreement. HL6476

Viscount Waverley to ask Her Majesty's Government how the resolution presented to the House on the final Brexit agreement will be worded. HL6477

Viscount Waverley to ask the Leader of the House how much time she proposes that the House will allocate to the debate of the final draft of the Brexit agreement. HL6478

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.

26 February (12 March)

HL5876 Baroness Helic [Foreign and Commonwealth Office]

1 March (15 March)

HL5972 Lord Bassam of Brighton [Ministry of Justice]

HL5973 Lord Bassam of Brighton [Ministry of Justice]

HL5974 Lord Bassam of Brighton [Ministry of Justice]

5 March (19 March)

HL6040 Lord Lucas [Department for Education]

HL6049 Lord Ouseley [Department for Education]

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

Department for Education (2)

Foreign and Commonwealth Office (1)

Ministry of Justice (3)

Bills in Progress

	Type of Bill	To be considered
Waiting for Second Reading		
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	
Cosmetic Surgery (Standards) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	

LEGISLATION

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	
Middle Level Bill	Private	22 March
Committed to an Unopposed Bill Committee		
Richmond Burgage Pastures Bill [HL]	Private	
Committed to a Grand Committee		
Automated and Electric Vehicles Bill	Government	
Haulage Permits and Trailer Registration Bill [HL]	Government	22 March
Smart Meters Bill	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	23 March
Age of Criminal Responsibility Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Modern Slavery (Victim Support) 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	23 March
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	21 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		
Nuclear Safeguards Bill (<i>Queen's consent to be signified</i>)	Government	20 March
Waiting for Third Reading		
Unpaid Work Experience (Prohibition) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
University of London Bill [HL]	Private	

Sent to the Commons

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
Laser Misuse (Vehicles) Bill [HL]	Government
Secure Tenancies (Victims of Domestic Abuse) Bill [HL]	Government

Measures in Progress**Waiting for Affirmative Resolution**

- Statute Law (Repeals) Measure *(22 March)*
- Pensions (Pre-consolidation) Measure *(22 March)*
- Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction and Care of Churches Measure *(22 March)*
- Mission and Pastoral etc. (Amendment) Measure *(22 March)*
- Legislative Reform Measure *(22 March)*

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

- Draft Combined Authorities (Borrowing) Regulations 2018
- Draft Crime and Courts Act 2013 (Commencement No. 18) Order 2018
- Draft Enterprise Act 2002 (Share of Supply Test) (Amendment) Order 2018
- Draft Licensing of Houses in Multiple Occupation (Mandatory Conditions of Licences) (England) Regulations 2018
- Draft Child Safeguarding Practice Review and Relevant Agency (England) Regulations 2018
- Draft East Suffolk (Local Government Changes) Order 2018
- Draft East Suffolk (Modification of Boundary Change Enactments) Regulations 2018
- Draft Employment Rights Act 1996 (NHS Recruitment—Protected Disclosure) Regulations 2018
- Draft Renewable Heat Incentive Scheme Regulations 2018 *21st Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*
- Draft Transport Levying Bodies (Amendment) Regulations 2018
- Draft West Suffolk (Local Government Changes) Order 2018
- Draft West Suffolk (Modification of Boundary Change Enactments) Regulations 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 Works Detrimental to Navigation (Powers and Duties of Inspectors) Regulations 2018 *(20 March)*

Draft Industrial Training Levy (Construction Industry Training Board) Order 2018 *(20 March)*

Draft Passport (Fees) Regulations 2018 *(22 March)*

Draft Gambling Act 2005 (Operating Licence Conditions) (Amendment) Regulations 2018 *(20 March)*

Draft Armed Forces Act (Continuation) Order 2018 *(20 March)*

Draft Electronic Commerce Directive (Miscellaneous Provisions) Regulations 2018 *(20 March)*

Draft Criminal Justice and Police Act 2001 (Powers of Seizure) Order 2018 *19th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (20 March)*

Draft Electricity Supplier Payments (Amendment) Regulations 2018

Draft Greater Manchester Combined Authority (Amendment) Order 2018 *(20 March)*

Draft Insolvency of Registered Providers of Social Housing Regulations 2018 *(20 March)*

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 *(20 March)*

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

Negative Instruments

Universal Credit (Tenant Incentive Scheme) Amendment Regulations 2017 *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.*

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. (20 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 *21st Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. 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.*

Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2018 *21st Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 20 April.*

Housing and Planning Act 2016 (Database of Rogue Landlords and Property Agents) Regulations 2018 *Instrument not reported by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 26 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 Orders in Progress

Draft Orders 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*

Draft Legislative Reform (Constitution of the Council of the Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons) Order 2018 (1 March) *Parliamentary procedure: affirmative.*

Human Rights Remedial Order

Proposal for order under paragraph 3 referred to the Joint Committee on Human Rights

Proposal for the Draft British Nationality Act 1981 (Remedial) Order 2018 (9 June)

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. (15 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.

Tuesday 20 March

Science and Technology Committee	Room 4A	10.00am
Human Rights (Joint Committee)	TV Interview Room, Committee Corridor	10.00am
Political Polling and Digital Media Committee	Room 2	10.30am
EU Justice Sub-Committee	Room 3	10.30am
Communications Committee	Room 2	3.15pm
Economic Affairs Committee	Room 1	3.30pm
Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee	Room 3A	3.45pm
European Union Committee	Room 4A	4.00pm

Wednesday 21 March

House of Lords Commission	The Lord Speaker's Room	9.00am
Constitution Committee	Room 1	9.45am
EU Financial Affairs Committee	Room 4A	10.00am
EU Home Affairs Sub-Committee	Room 3	10.15am
Delegated Powers and Regulatory Reform Committee	Room 2A	10.30am
Citizenship and Civic Engagement Committee	Room 3A	10.30am
EU Energy and Environment Sub-Committee	Room 2	10.30am
International Relations Committee	Room 4	10.40am
Human Rights (Joint Committee)	Room 1	3.00pm
Statutory Instruments (Joint Committee)	Room 7	3.45pm
Finance Committee	Other (Parliamentary Estate)	4.15pm

Thursday 22 March

EU Internal Market Sub-Committee	Room 4A	10.00am
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Monday 16 April

Audit Committee	Room 2A	4.00pm
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Minutes of Proceedings of Monday 19 March 2018

The House met at 2.30pm.

Prayers were read by the Lord Bishop of St Albans.

1 **Deaths of Lords** The Lord Speaker informed the House that the following members of the House had died: Lord Crickhowell on 17 March 2018 Lord Richard on 18 March 2018

Select Committee Reports

2 **Liaison**

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

New ad hoc Committees in 2018–19. (2nd Report, HL Paper 103)

3 **National Security Strategy**

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

National Security Capability Review: A Changing Security Environment. (1st Report, HL Paper 104)

Private Business

4 **University of London Bill [HL]** The bill was reported from the Unopposed Bill Committee with amendments.

Public Business

5 **Trafficked children: asylum** A question was asked by Baroness Kennedy of Cradley and answered by Baroness Williams of Trafford.

6 **Prescription drugs: dependence** A question was asked by Lord Hunt of Kings Heath and answered by Lord O'Shaughnessy.

7 **Broadband: Universal Service Obligation** A question was asked by Lord Fox and answered by Lord Ashton of Hyde.

8 **Foreign policy: Parliamentary participation** A question was asked by Viscount Waverley and answered by Lord Ahmad of Wimbledon.

9 **European Union (Withdrawal) Bill** The bill was further considered in Committee, beginning with amendment 214. Amendments were considered. The House resumed.

10 **Money laundering** Baroness Williams of Trafford repeated as a ministerial statement the answer given to an Urgent Question in the House of Commons.

11 **Customs clearance arrangements at UK ports** Lord Bates repeated as a ministerial statement the answer given to an Urgent Question in the House of Commons.

12 **Cambridge Analytica** Lord Ashton of Hyde repeated as a ministerial statement the answer given to an Urgent Question in the House of Commons.

The House adjourned. The House resumed.

13 **European Union (Withdrawal) Bill** The bill was further considered in Committee, beginning with amendment 227. The House resumed after amendment 242.

The House adjourned at 1.17am on Tuesday 20 March until 2.30pm the same day.

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.

Instrument Withdrawn

The following affirmative instrument, laid before the House on the date shown, was withdrawn:

1. Draft Renewable Heat Incentive Scheme Regulations 2018 (7 February)

Command Papers

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

1. European Union—European Union Finances 2017: statement on the 2017 EU Budget and measures to counter fraud and financial mismanagement (16 March). (9576)
2. Pensions—Protecting Defined Benefit Pension Schemes (19 March). (9591)
3. Pensions—Security and Sustainability in Defined Benefit Pension Schemes - Summary of consultation responses (19 March). (9592)
4. Explanatory Memorandum (Revised)—Replacement Explanatory Memorandum to the National Health Service (Dental Charges) (Amendment) Regulations 2018, originally laid on 9 March (16 March). (—)

Statutory Instrument laid under Standing Order 70

The following instrument was laid before the House on the date shown:

1. Immigration and Nationality (Fees) Regulations 2018 (*Negative Instrument, No. 330, laid on 16 March*)

Affirmative Instruments

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

1. Draft Child Safeguarding Practice Review and Relevant Agency (England) Regulations 2018
2. Draft East Suffolk (Local Government Changes) Order 2018
3. Draft East Suffolk (Modification of Boundary Change Enactments) Regulations 2018
4. Draft Employment Rights Act 1996 (NHS Recruitment—Protected Disclosure) Regulations 2018
5. Draft Renewable Heat Incentive Scheme Regulations 2018
6. Draft Transport Levying Bodies (Amendment) Regulations 2018
7. Draft West Suffolk (Local Government Changes) Order 2018
8. Draft West Suffolk (Modification of Boundary Change Enactments) Regulations 2018

Papers not subject to Parliamentary Proceedings

The following papers were laid before the House:

1. Catchment partnership support grants: Environment Agency report 2016–17
2. Report of the Parliamentary and Health Service Ombudsman on Maintaining momentum: driving improvements in mental health care

