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TODAY'S LISTS
THURSDAY 1 NOVEMBER 2018

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Business in the Chamber at 11.00am

Prayers by the Bishop of Portsmouth (5 mins)

Royal Assent

Oral Questions (30 mins)

- * Lord Bruce of Bennachie to ask Her Majesty's Government what advice they will provide to United Kingdom residents planning to book holidays in European Union Member States commencing after the end of March 2019 regarding health and travel insurance. **(Lord Bates, HMT)**
- * Lord Thomas of Gresford to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they will promote an architectural competition to design a standard prefabricated council house to current standards of insulation, energy saving and ease of construction. **(Lord Bourne of Aberystwyth, MHCLG)**
- * Lord Davidson of Glen Clova to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the implications of deployment of the Royal Navy in the South China Sea for efforts to develop trade relations with China. **(Baroness Goldie, FCO)**
- * Lord Farmer to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they intend to respond to the concerns raised by the Faculty of Pain Medicine in their *Faculty Position Statement on the medicinal use of Cannabinoids in Pain Medicine*, and their call for further research into the potential benefits of cannabis for medicinal uses. **Lord O'Shaughnessy (Department of Health and Social Care).**

Business expected to be brief

Business of the House motion – Lord Taylor of Holbeach

Urgent Question Repeat

Immediately before the debate in the name of the Bishop of St Albans the Earl of Courtown will repeat an answer to an Urgent Question on fixed odds betting terminals; followed by 10 minutes of Q and A.

Main Business

Baroness Massey of Darwen to move that this House takes note of initiatives in early intervention in children's lives that would improve the welfare, life chances and social mobility of young people in the United Kingdom. (Time limited to 2½ hours)

Speakers:

B Massey of Darwen

- L Baker of Dorking
- B McIntosh of Hudnall
- B Tyler of Enfield
- 5 B Hollins
- L Pendry
- B Bull
- B Redfern
- B Young of Old Scone
- 10 B Flather
- B Morgan of Huyton
- L Farmer
- B Bakewell
- L Russell of Liverpool
- 15 L Haskel
- L Loomba
- L Touhig

- L Watson of Invergowrie
- L Agnew of Oulton
- 20 B Massey of Darwen

Except for Baroness Massey of Darwen, Lord Watson of Invergowrie (10 mins) and Lord Agnew of Oulton (20 mins), all speeches are limited to 6 mins

Topical Question for Short Debate

The Lord Bishop of St Albans to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to (1) reduce the number of problem gamblers hospitalised each year, and (2) protect vulnerable people from gambling addiction. (Time-limited to 60 minutes)

Speakers:

- Bp of St Albans
- B Bloomfield of Hinton Waldrist
- B Benjamin
- L Alton of Liverpool
- 5 L Chadlington
- L Thomas of Gresford

L Stevenson of Balmacara

B Manzoor

Except for The Lord Bishop of St Abans (10 mins) and Baroness Manzoor (12 mins), all speeches are limited to 6 mins

Last business

Lord Bassam of Brighton to move that this House takes note of the impact on family life of multiple reductions in welfare benefits, universal credit, tax credits, housing benefits and child benefit. (Time limited to 2½ hours)

Speakers:

L Bassam of Brighton

B Jenkin of Kennington

B Lister of Burtersett

L Farmer

5 B Pitkeathley

Bp Portsmouth

B Bryan of Partick

B Wyld

L Livermore

10 B Warwick of Undercliffe

L Sherbourne of Didsbury

B Donaghy

L Shinkwin

B Andrews

15 B Pidding

L Young of Norwood Green

L Kirkwood of Kirkhope

B Drake

B Buscombe

20 L Bassam of Brighton

Except for Lord Bassam of Brighton, Lord Kirkwood of Kirkhope (10 mins), Baroness Drake (10 mins) and Baroness Buscombe (20 mins), all speeches are limited to 6 mins

Business expected to be brief

Statutory Instrument approval motion – Baroness Buscombe
Statutory Instrument approval motion – Lord Bourne of Aberystwyth

Estimated rising time

The House is expected to rise at around 5.30pm

Notes:

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