No. 223

& MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

Thursday 13 December 2018 at 11.00am

*Oral Questions, 30 minutes

- *Baroness Gardner of Parkes to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to repeal the exemptions from the requirement for wheeled goods vehicles to be fitted with sideguards.
- *Lord Brooke of Alverthorpe to ask Her Majesty's Government what progress has been made, if any, in discussions between the BBC and Public Health England regarding a joint strategic plan on childhood obesity.
- *Baroness Wheeler to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the report by the National Institute of Economic and Social Research, *Brexit and the Health & Social Care Workforce in the UK*, published on 6 November.
- *Lord West of Spithead to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they have revised their estimates of (1) the cost of, and (2) the timetable for completing, HS2 following delays and increased costs in relation to Crossrail.

Business of the House The Lord Privy Seal (Baroness Evans of Bowes Park) to move that Standing Order 40 (*Arrangement of the Order Paper*) be dispensed with on 19 December to enable the motions in the names of Lord Moynihan and Baroness Neville-Rolfe to be taken before the motions in the name of the Lord Bishop of Chichester.

†Business of the House The Lord Privy Seal (Baroness Evans of Bowes Park) to move that the debate on the motion in the name of Lord Foulkes of Cumnock set down for today shall be limited to 3 hours and that in the name of Baroness Armstrong of Hill Top to 2 hours.

Lord Foulkes of Cumnock to move that this House takes note of the current constitutional challenges within the United Kingdom and the case for the establishment of a United Kingdom-wide Constitutional Convention to address issues of democratic accountability and devolution, particularly in England.

Baroness Anelay of St Johns to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the role of their *Strategy for Disability Inclusive Development*, published on 3 December, towards meeting the United Kingdom's commitments given at the Global Disability Summit in July. (*Topical Question for Short Debate, 1 hour*)

Baroness Armstrong of Hill Top to move that this House takes note of the challenges facing young people.

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Future Business

Friday 14 December 2018 at 10.00am

The Lord Archbishop of Canterbury to move that this House takes note of the role of reconciliation in British foreign, defence and international development policy.

Monday 17 December 2018 at 2.30pm

- *Lord Ahmed to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the situation of Rohingya refugees and the likelihood of their safe return to Burma.
- *Baroness Lister of Burtersett to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the statement by the United Nations Special Rapporteur on extreme poverty and human rights, published on 16 November, following his visit to the United Kingdom.
- *Baroness Tonge to ask Her Majesty's Government what guidance they provide to United Kingdom companies who wish to trade with companies based in Israeli settlements in the Occupied Palestinian Territories.
- †*Lord Roberts of Llandudno to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they plan to halt the removal of failed asylum seekers to countries to which the Foreign and Commonwealth Office advise against all travel for British citizens; and if not, why not.

Privileges and Conduct The Senior Deputy Speaker to move that the further Report from the Select Committee on the conduct of Lord Lester of Herne Hill (3rd Report, HL Paper 252) be agreed to.

Counter-Terrorism and Border Security Bill Report (day 2) [Baroness Williams of Trafford] *35th and 40th Reports from the Delegated Powers Committee, 11th Report from the Joint Committee on Human Rights*

Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 3.30pm

Lord Balfe to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps, if any, they will take to prevent workers being dismissed from their jobs following diagnosis of a terminal illness. (*1 hour*)

Lord Hunt of Kings Heath to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the current standard of gas safety in homes in the United Kingdom. (*1 hour*) [I]

Viscount Waverley to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the current situation in Ukraine. (*1 hour*)

Lord Alderdice to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the report by the Commission on Religious Education *Religion and Worldviews: the way forward*, published in September; and whether they intend to publish any response. (*I hour*)

Tuesday 18 December 2018 at 2.30pm

- *Lord Suri to ask Her Majesty's Government what support they are providing to the government of Nigeria in its efforts to end the violence between herders and farmers in that country; and what assessment they have made of the impact on that country of the continuance of such intercommunal violence.
- *Lord Faulkner of Worcester to ask Her Majesty's Government what discussions they have had with the Scottish Government about the future of transport policing in Scotland.
- †*Lord Lexden to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the reply by Baroness Barran on 11 December (HL Deb, cols 1329–32), whether they will reassess the case for an independent inquiry into the seven unsubstantiated allegations against Sir Edward Heath left unresolved at the end of Operation Conifer.

Topical oral question. Ballot to be drawn at 1pm on Friday 14 December.

Voyeurism (Offences) (No. 2) Bill Report [Lord Keen of Elie]

Operation of Air Services (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 Baroness Sugg to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 17 October be approved. *4th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (Sub-Committee A), debated in Grand Committee on 21 November*

Lord Foulkes of Cumnock to move, as an amendment to the above motion, at end insert "but regrets that the effect of a no deal exit from the European Union risks grounding all civil aircraft after 29 March 2019; and calls on Her Majesty's Government to seek United Kingdom membership of the European Common Aviation Area in its own right to prevent such an outcome."

Non-Contentious Probate (Fees) Order 2018 Lord Keen of Elie to move that the draft Order laid before the House on 5 November be approved. *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments, 40th Report, 6th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (Sub-Committee A)*

Lord Marks of Henley-on-Thames to move, as an amendment to the above motion, leave out from "that" to the end and insert "this House declines to approve the draft Order, because it would be an abuse of the fee-levying power, since the proposed increased fees substantially exceed the cost involved in making grants of probate and would amount to a tax, which should only be introduced, if at all, by primary legislation."

Lord Beecham to move, as an amendment to the motion in the name of Lord Keen of Elie, at the end to insert "but this House regrets that the draft Order will introduce a revised non-contentious probate fee structure considered by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee to be "so far above the actual cost of the service [it] arguably amounts to a stealth tax and, therefore, a misuse of the feelevying power" under section 180 of the Anti-social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014; and that this Order represents a significant move away from the principle that fees for a public service should recover the cost of providing it and no more."

Gaming Machine (Miscellaneous Amendments and Revocation) Regulations 2018 Lord Ashton of Hyde to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 15 November be approved. 7th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (Sub-Committee B)

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

Accounts and Reports (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 Lord Henley to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 31 October be approved. 5th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (Sub-Committee B)

Statutory Auditors and Third Country Auditors (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 Lord Henley to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 6 November be approved.

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

Human Fertilisation and Embryology (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 Lord O'Shaughnessy to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 19 November be approved.

Human Tissue (Quality and Safety for Human Application) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 Lord O'Shaughnessy to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 19 November be approved.

Quality and Safety of Organs Intended for Transplantation (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 Lord O'Shaughnessy to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 19 November be approved.

Wednesday 19 December 2018 at 3.00pm

*Lord Lea of Crondall to ask Her Majesty's Government what powers they have to require retail banks to maintain a presence on the high street.

*Lord Sherbourne of Didsbury to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ensure that all government papers and publications which set out government policy are written in plain English.

*Baroness Redfern to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to ensure that patients with pancreatic cancer begin treatment within 20 days of diagnosis.

Topical oral question. Ballot opens at 3pm on Thursday 13 December, to be drawn at 1pm on Monday 17 December.

Age of Criminal Responsibility Bill [HL] Committee [Lord Dholakia]

Divorce (Financial Provision) Bill [HL] Third Reading [Baroness Deech]

†Homes (Fitness for Human Habitation) Bill Third Reading [Lord Best]

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

†Bank Recovery and Resolution and Miscellaneous Provisions (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 Lord Bates to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 23 October be approved. Considered in Grand Committee on 12 December

†Capital Requirements (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 Lord Bates to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 15 November be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 12 December*

†Payment Accounts (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 Lord Bates to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 6 November be approved. 6th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (Sub-Committee A), considered in Grand Committee on 12 December

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

†Blood Safety and Quality (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 Lord O'Shaughnessy to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 19 November be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 12 December*

†Human Fertilisation and Embryology (Parental Orders) Regulations 2018 Lord O'Shaughnessy to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 15 November be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 12 December*

†Human Fertilisation and Embryology Act 2008 (Remedial) Order 2018 Lord O'Shaughnessy to move that the draft Order laid before the House on 19 July be approved. 14th Report from the Joint Committee on Human Rights, considered in Grand Committee on 12 December

†Humane Trapping Standards Regulations 2019 Baroness Vere of Norbiton to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 14 November be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 12 December*

†Anti-social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014 (Amendment) Order 2018 Baroness Manzoor to move that the draft Order laid before the House on 5 December be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 12 December*

FUTURE BUSINESS

If the Business of the House motion on Thursday 13 December is agreed to, it is expected that the motions in the names of Lord Moynihan and Baroness Neville-Rolfe will be taken before the motions in the name of the Lord Bishop of Chichester.

The Lord Bishop of Chichester intends to move the following four motions en bloc: but if any Lord objects the motions must be moved separately to the extent desired.

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

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

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

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

Lord Moynihan to move that this House takes note of how sport, recreation, and the arts contribute to wellbeing of society.

Baroness Neville-Rolfe to move that this House takes note of the threat to the environment posed by plastic and the case for improved recycling.

Thursday 20 December 2018 at 11.00am

*Baroness Boycott to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they will take to ensure that healthy and nutritious food does not become more expensive after Brexit. [I]

*Lord Shipley to ask Her Majesty's Government when they will achieve their commitment to build 300,000 new homes a year.

*Lord Brown of Eaton-under-Heywood to ask Her Majesty's Government whether in the case of imprisonment for public protection prisoners they will encourage the Parole Board to apply the legal principle that the longer the prisoner serves beyond the tariff period, the clearer should be the Parole Board's perception of public risk to justify the continued deprivation of liberty involved.

Topical oral question. Ballot opens at 3pm on Friday 14 December, to be drawn at 1pm on Tuesday 18 December.

Lord Sheikh to move that this House takes note of the impact of Islamophobia in the United Kingdom. (*Balloted debate*, 2½ hours)

Lord Berkeley to ask Her Majesty's Government what progress has been made on the tendering process for building five new Type 31e frigates; and what impact this process will have on the future of the Appledore shipyard. (*Topical Question for Short Debate, 1 hour*)

Lord Campbell-Savours to move that this House takes note of the remit of, and arrangements for the handling of evidence by, the Independent Inquiry into Child Sexual Abuse. (*Balloted debate*, 2½ hours)

Monday 7 January 2019 at 2.30pm

- *Lord Berkeley to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they will consider proposals by Transport for the North to include capacity and capability for freight services within their plans to electrify and upgrade the Manchester to Leeds route; if not, why not; and what alternative proposals they will make for freight services.
- *Lord Holmes of Richmond to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to remove international students from the net migration statistics.
- *Lord Kennedy of Southwark to ask Her Majesty's Government how many blocks of flats in both the private and public sectors they estimate still have combustible cladding of the type that was on Grenfell Tower. [I]
- *Baroness McIntosh of Pickering to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their proposed timetable for the passage of all remaining (1) primary, and (2) secondary legislation required for Brexit by 29 March 2019.

Offensive Weapons Bill Second Reading [Baroness Williams of Trafford]

Tuesday 8 January 2019 at 2.30pm

- *Lord West of Spithead to ask Her Majesty's Government how many F-35B jets will make up the Operational Conversion Unit (OCU); and when the OCU will have its full complement of aircraft.
- *Lord Clark of Windermere to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to increase the number of nurses working the National Health Service in England.
- *Earl Attlee to ask Her Majesty's Government when they propose to deploy a largely full framed and supported division into field for divisional movement and manoeuvre training.

Wednesday 9 January 2019 at 3.00pm

- †*Baroness Jones of Moulsecoomb to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they will be liable to enforcement action brought by the European Commission in the European Court of Justice regarding breaches of air pollution rules during the proposed transition period; and if so, whether this will continue if the backstop is enacted.
- †*Baroness Miller of Chilthorne Domer to ask Her Majesty's Government what outreach work British embassies have undertaken in the 27 other European Union member states to keep United Kingdom nationals informed of their rights after Brexit.
- †*Lord Rooker to ask Her Majesty's Government when they will commence their consultation on the mandatory fortification of flour with folic acid to prevent foetal abnormalities.

Thursday 17 January 2019 at 11.00am

Lord Lisvane to move that this House takes note of the possible effects of Brexit on the stability of the Union between the parts of the United Kingdom.

Topical Question for Short Debate. Ballot opens at 10am on Monday 7 January, to be drawn at 12 noon on Tuesday 8 January.

Baroness Kidron to move that this House takes note of the relationship between the use of digital technology and the health and wellbeing of children and young people.

Select Committee Reports

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

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*

Lord Gilbert of Panteg to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Communications Committee *UK advertising in a digital age* (1st Report, HL Paper 116). *11 April*

Lord Forsyth of Drumlean to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Economic Affairs Committee *Treating Students Fairly: The Economics of Post-School Education* (2nd Report, HL Paper 139). *11 June*

Lord Jay of Ewelme to move that this House takes note of the Report from the European Union Committee *Brexit: the proposed UK–EU security treaty* (18th Report, HL Paper 164). *11 July*

Baroness Verma to move that this House takes note of the Report from the European Union Committee *Brexit: Common Security and Defence Policy missions and operations* (16th Report, HL Paper 132). *14 May*

Baroness Verma to move that this House takes note of the Report from the European Union Committee *Brexit: the customs challenge* (20th Report, HL Paper 187). *20 September*

Lord Teverson to move that this House takes note of the Report from the European Union Committee *Brexit: food prices and availability* (14th Report, HL Paper 129). *10 May*

Lord Teverson to move that this House takes note of the Report from the European Union Committee *Brexit: chemical regulation* (23rd Report, HL Paper 215). 7 *November*

Lord Forsyth of Drumlean to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Economic Affairs Committee *Making Tax Digital for VAT: Treating Small Businesses Fairly* (3rd Report, HL Paper 229). *22 November*

Lord Forsyth of Drumlean to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Economic Affairs Committee *The Powers of HMRC: Treating Taxpayers Fairly* (4th Report, HL Paper 242). *4 December*

Other Motions for Debate

†Lord Lexden to move that this House resolves that an independent inquiry should be established by Her Majesty's Government to review the seven allegations against Sir Edward Heath left unresolved at the end of Operation Conifer.

Motions Relating to Delegated Legislation

Lord Griffiths of Burry Port to move that this House takes note of the Final Version of the Regulatory Action Policy to be issued by the Information Commissioner. *40th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Lord Rosser to move that this House regrets that the Statement of Changes in Immigration Rules (Cm 9675) introduces, via inserted provision EU15(c), a requirement for European Union citizens wishing to obtain settled status which is inconsistent with the three core checks outlined in the oral statement EU Settlement Scheme by the Minister for Immigration (Caroline Nokes) on 21 June (HC Deb, col 508), and calls on Her Majesty's Government to implement further changes to the Immigration Rules in order to honour their previous commitments to European Union citizens.

Questions for Written Answer

Tabled on 12 December and due for answer by 28 December.

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty's Government what discussions they have had with the Northern Ireland Executive on (1) the recruitment of paediatric pathologists in Northern Ireland, and (2) steps being taken to enable post mortems of infants to be conducted in Northern Ireland. HL12216

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the findings of the EU Agency for Fundamental Rights report on discrimination and hate crime against Jews in the EU; and what action they intend to take in response.

HL12217

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the preliminary findings of the Independent Tribunal Into Forced Organ Harvesting from Prisoners Of Conscience in China on allegations of forced organ harvesting from prisoners in China.

HL12218

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty's Government how many plastic bottles they estimate are used in the UK each year; what proportion of these plastic bottles is recyclable; and whether cans and glass bottles do more harm to the environment than plastic bottles.

HL12219

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of whether polyethylene terephthalate (PET) has a lower carbon footprint than other forms of alternative packaging; why there is only one site in the UK able to recycle PET for use in food grade products; and what assessment they have made of the absence of such facilities on the amount of waste exported for recycling.

HL12220

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Lord Ahmad of Wimbledon on 10 December (HL11765), whether they intend to ask the Chevening Secretariat to make an analysis of the number of members of Pakistani minorities who have been awarded Chevening Scholarships in each of the last five years.

HL12221

Baroness Benjamin to ask Her Majesty's Government whether UK law enforcement agencies have experienced any new or increased difficulties or obstacles in their investigations since The Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers changed the basis on which WHOIS data can be accessed.

HL12222

Baroness Benjamin to ask Her Majesty's Government whether The Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers' changes to accessing WHOIS data have materially affected or delayed any investigations into online crimes against (1) adults, and (2) children, since they came into force; and whether any UK law enforcement agencies have had to incur additional expenditure as a result of those rules in order to further their investigations into such matters.

HL12223

Baroness Benjamin to ask Her Majesty's Government how many criminal investigations have (1) had to be abandoned, and (2) taken an unusual amount of time to investigate since The Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers' changes to accessing WHOIS data came into effect; and what has been the effect on victims of crime.

HL12224

Baroness Deech to ask Her Majesty's Government what discussions they have had with City, University of London about the cancellation of a planned speech by the Israeli Ambassador on 21 November; and whether they have received any representations from the Office for Students about freedom of speech at that University.

HL12225

Baroness Deech to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they will issue guidance to universities on the misuse of data protection law and non-cooperation with security requirements in relation to upholding free speech.

HL12226

Baroness Deech to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the effectiveness of section 43 of the Education (No. 2) Act 1986 in upholding lawful freedom of speech on university campuses following the cancellation of a planned speech by the Israeli Ambassador at City, University of London on 21 November.

HL12227

Baroness Doocey to ask Her Majesty's Government what, if any, recent progress they have made on agreeing a tourism sector deal since their announcement to enter negotiations; whether such a deal is likely to come into effect; and if so, when.

HL12228

Baroness Doocey to ask Her Majesty's Government what information they hold on the number of children recruited as covert human intelligence sources in county line crimes since the passing of the Modern Slavery Act 2015.

HL12229

Baroness Doocey to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their planned timescale for the national rollout of the Independent Child Trafficking Advocates Scheme in 2019.

HL12230

Baroness Doocey to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made in the last six months of the causes behind child victims of trafficking going missing shortly after the point of referral to the National Referral Mechanism.

HL12231

Baroness Doocey to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they have taken, if any, to assess the links between organised crime networks, re-trafficking and children who go missing from care after being referred to the National Referral Mechanism.

HL12232

Baroness Doocey to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by the Parliamentary Under Secretary of State for Crime, Safeguarding and Vulnerability on 20 November (187328), why they do not publish data on the number and proportion of successful referrals that have been made to the National Referral Mechanism as a result of gang involvement.

HL12233

Lord Empey to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to prevent trafficking of migrants from France to England via the English Channel.

HL12234

Lord Empey to ask Her Majesty's Government how many migrants they have detected trying to enter the UK illegally via the English Channel in the last 12 months.

HL12235

Lord Empey to ask Her Majesty's Government what discussions they have had with the government of France about preventing the use of the English Channel by people smugglers.

HL12236

Lord Empey to ask Her Majesty's Government what is the current status of people who have been found to have entered the UK illegally via the English Channel; and of those who have since claimed asylum, whether their applications for asylum are affected by their method of entry.

HL12237

Lord Empey to ask Her Majesty's Government how many people who entered the UK illegally via the English Channel have been deported in the last year for which figures are available.

HL12238

Lord Empey to ask Her Majesty's Government what financial support is offered to those who have entered the UK illegally and are awaiting the outcome on their application for asylum. HL12239

Baroness Henig to ask Her Majesty's Government what rules are applied to Home Office arms length bodies such as the Disclosure and Barring Service and the Security Industry Authority in relation to how they can use surplus income generated from the accumulation of previous years' fees.

HL12240

Baroness Henig to ask Her Majesty's Government how much the Security Industry Authority (SIA) paid the Home Office for their services in scrutinising and holding the SIA to account in each of the last three financial years; and how many Home Office officials were engaged in that work.

HL12241

Lord Hylton to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to tackle the social injustices identified in the statement made by the Prime Minister at the EU Council on 25 November. HL12242

Baroness Jolly to ask Her Majesty's Government what guidance they provide to local authorities about the payment of sleep-in shifts; and whether any such guidance has been updated following the ruling by the Court of Appeal in *Royal Mencap Society v Tomlinson-Blake and Shannon v Rampersad [2018] EWCA Civ 1641.*HL12243

Baroness Jolly to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ensure that social care providers and staff are not penalised financially if local authorities decide to reduce the fees at which they commission future sleep-in shifts.

HL12244

Lord Judd to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the finding in the report by YMCA *Cut Loose*, published on 6 December, that local authorities have cut more than £781 million from youth services since 2010; and what steps they are taking to address this.

HL12245

Baroness O'Loan to ask Her Majesty's Government in which countries where abortion is limited, highly restricted or prohibited they have funded initiatives aimed at legal and policy reform on abortion in each of the last seven years; what estimate they have made of how much of that funding has been spent on that issue in each of those countries; to which organisations in those countries they have provided such funding for that purpose; and how much money they have given to each of those organisations, and for what purpose.

HL12246

Baroness O'Loan to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they work with delivery partners in other countries that provide abortions which are illegal in those countries.

HL12247

Baroness O'Loan to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they have made any estimate of the number of abortion procedures undertaken by Marie Stopes International and its international subsidiaries in 2017 that were funded by the UK taxpayer.

HL12248

Baroness O'Loan to ask Her Majesty's Government how much funding they have provided to Marie Stopes International and any of its international subsidiaries for its work in countries outside the UK in each of the last 20 years.

HL12249

Baroness O'Loan to ask Her Majesty's Government how much funding they have committed to Marie Stopes International and any of its international subsidiaries in (1) 2018, (2) 2019, (2) 2020, (3) 2021, and (4) 2022. HL12250

Baroness O'Loan to ask Her Majesty's Government what discussions they have had with (1) the government of Kenya, and (2) Marie Stopes International Kenya about the announcement by the Kenya Medical Practitioners and Dentist Board that Marie Stopes has been (a) directed immediately to cease offering any form of abortion services in all its facilities in Kenya, (b) instructed to review its existing Guidelines for Reproductive Health Services to ensure conformity with the law, and (c) admonished for contravening the Medical Practitioners and Dentists (Practitioners and Health Facilities) (Advertising) Rules 2016; and whether they intend to halt any funding provided to Marie Stopes International Kenya through Official Development Assistance as a result of that announcement.

Lord Ramsbotham to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to develop a clear definition of joint commissioning for children and young people with speech, language and communication needs; and what discussions they have had with the Royal College of Speech and Language Therapists and I CAN on that issue.

HL12252

Lord Ramsbotham to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to address the findings of Her Majesty's Chief Inspector of Education, Children's Services and Skills in her 2017–18 Annual Report in relation to provision for children with special education needs and disabilities (SEND); and what plans they have to improve (1) identification of SEND, and (2) outcomes for those who do not quite meet the threshold for an education, health and care plan.

HL12253

Lord Ramsbotham to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to ensure that speech and language therapists are included in the trailblazer areas anticipated in the Green Paper *Transforming Children and Young People's Mental Health* Provision, published on 25 July.

HL12254

Lord Ramsbotham to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Lord O'Shaughnessy on 5 June (HL8079) on speech and language disorders, when NHS England's review of the Comprehensive Health Assessment Tool will be completed; and whether the findings of that review will be made publicly available.

HL12255

Baroness Randerson to ask Her Majesty's Government what incentives they use during the franchise bidding process to encourage Train Operating Companies to improve facilities for carrying bicycles on trains.

HL12256

Baroness Randerson to ask Her Majesty's Government which Train Operating Companies are not covered by the Delay Repay compensation scheme; and when those companies are expected to join that scheme.

HL12257

Baroness Randerson to ask Her Majesty's Government when Ministers last met (1) representatives of the Thomas Cook Group, and (2) other airline and airport representatives; and following those meetings, what assessment they have made of the market for aviation services.

HL12258

Baroness Randerson to ask Her Majesty's Government which organisations and individuals responded to their consultation *Future of Mobility*, published on 30 July; and when they expect to publish their conclusions.

HL12259

Baroness Randerson to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the analysis by the Institute for Public Policy Research North of government spending on transport between 2013–14 and 2017–18, which concludes that transport spending has risen by twice as much per person in London as in the North; and what steps they intend to take to redress the balance.

HL12260

Baroness Randerson to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they have conducted a capacity assessment of rail passenger car parking facilities; and what obligations they place on Network Rail to make adequate provision for car parking facilities.

HL12261

Lord Scriven to ask Her Majesty's Government what representations they have made to the government of Thailand about the detention of Bahraini refugee Hakeem al-Araibi and its plans to extradite him to Bahrain despite reports of him having been tortured in that country for his involvement in political protests.

HL12262

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of (1) reports that the United States' economy may be heading into a recession, and (2) the impact this could have on UK–US trade.

HL12263

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to strengthen financial ties with (1) India, and (2) China, after Brexit.

HL12264

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to collect more tax revenue from large multinational companies.

HL12265

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of (1) reports that Switzerland may be offered temporary access to EU stock markets, and (2) the implications that any decision on a "Swiss-style" equivalence arrangement could have on the UK financial sector after Brexit.

HL12266

Baroness Tonge to ask Her Majesty's Government what discussions, and with whom, they have had about councils being unable to provide accurate data on funding for contraceptive services.

HL12267

Baroness Tonge to ask Her Majesty's Government what representations they are making to the government of Israel about the destruction of farmland and crops in Gaza by Israeli settlers.

HL12268

Baroness Tonge to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the ruling by the Israeli High Court of Justice on 26 November to classify methods used by Israeli intelligence officers against a Palestinian prisoner as enhanced interrogation rather than torture.

HL12269

Baroness Tonge to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they intend to take to support the healthcare system in Gaza, particularly in relation to dealing with complex and serious gunshot wounds. HL12270

Baroness Tonge to ask Her Majesty's Government what representations they have made to the government of Israel about the contamination of schools and communities in the West Bank with sewage, reportedly dumped by Israeli settlers.

HL12271

Baroness Tonge to ask Her Majesty's Government what representations they have made to the government of Israel about plans to evict residents of the villages of Silwan and Batn al-Hawa in East Jerusalem following the decision by the Israeli High Court of Justice to refuse those residents' petition and instead refer that petition to the Jerusalem Magistrates Court.

HL12272

Viscount Waverley to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they will encourage UK ambassadors to the 27 EU member states to request a meeting between a delegation of UK citizens resident in those countries and the respective governments of those countries to express their concerns and discuss future plans for their residency arrangements after Brexit.

HL12273 [I]

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 November (10 December)

HL11822 Lord Wigley [Department for Exiting the European Union]

HL11826 Lord Wigley [Department for Exiting the European Union]

27 November (11 December)

HL11861 Lord Myners [Department for Exiting the European Union]

HL11862 Lord Myners [Department for Exiting the European Union]

HL11872 Lord Wigley [Department for Exiting the European Union]

28 November (12 December)

HL11883 Lord Bowness [Department for Exiting the European Union]

HL11884 Lord Bowness [Department for Exiting the European Union]

HL11887 Lord Bowness [Department for Exiting the European Union]

HL11898 Lord Fox [Cabinet Office]

HL11899 Lord Fox [Cabinet Office]

HL11903 Lord Hoyle [Department for Exiting the European Union]

HL11921 Lord Wigley [Department for Exiting the European Union]

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

Cabinet Office (2)

Department for Exiting the European Union (10)

Bills in Progress

	Type of Bill	To be considered
Waiting for Second Reading		
Succession to Peerages Bill [HL] (Queen's consent to be signified)	Private Member's	
House of Lords Bill [HL] (Queen's consent to be signified)	Private Member's	
Anonymity (Arrested Persons) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
BBC (Independence) Bill [HL] (Queen's consent to be signified)	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	
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	
Marriage (Same Sex Couples) (Northern Ireland) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Clean Air (Human Rights) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Divorce (etc.) Law Review Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Act of Union Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Civil Partnerships, Marriages and Deaths (Registration Etc.) Bill	Private Member's	
Stalking Protection Bill	Private Member's	
Parking (Code of Practice) Bill (Queen's consent to be signified, Scottish Legislative Consent Motion passed)	Private Member's	
Goods Mortgages Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Offensive Weapons Bill (Scottish Legislative Consent Motion passed)	Government	7 January
Scottish Election (Date) (2020) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
EU Membership Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Committed to a Committee of the Whole House		
Age of Criminal Responsibility Bill [HL]	Private Member's	19 December
Democratic Political Activity (Funding and Expenditure) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Equality Act 2010 (Amendment) (Disabled Access) 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	
Open Skies Agreement (Membership) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Ecumenical Marriage Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Criminal Records Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Bat Habitats Regulation Bill [HL] (Queen's consent to be signified)	Private Member's	
Civil Partnership Act 2004 (Amendment) (Sibling Couples) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
European Union (Information, etc.) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Trade Bill (Queen's consent to be signified)	Government	
Duchy of Cornwall Bill [HL] (Queen's and Prince of Wales's consent to be signified)	Private Member's	
Organ Donation (Deemed Consent) Bill	Private Member's	
Financial Services (Implementation of Legislation) Bill [HL]	Government	
Waiting for Report		
Counter-Terrorism and Border Security Bill	Government	17 December
House of Lords (Hereditary Peers) (Abolition of By-Elections) Bill [HL] (Queen's consent to be signified)	Private Member's	
Voyeurism (Offences) (No. 2) Bill	Government	18 December
Waiting for Third Reading		
Divorce (Financial Provision) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	19 December
Tenant Fees Bill (Queen's consent to be signified)	Government	
Homes (Fitness for Human Habitation) Bill	Private Member's	19 December
Sent to the Commons		
Asset Freezing (Compensation) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Unpaid Work Experience (Prohibition) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Family Relationships (Impact Assessment and Targets) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Modern Slavery (Victim Support) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	

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Refugees (Family Reunion) Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Creditworthiness Assessment Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Registration of Marriage Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Home Education (Duty of Local Authorities) Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Courts and Tribunals (Judiciary and Functions of Staff) Bill [HL]	Government
Children Act 1989 (Amendment) (Female Genital Mutilation) Bill	Private Member's
[HL]	

Crime (Overseas Production Orders) Bill [HL] (Scottish

Government

Legislative Consent Motion passed)

Mental Capacity (Amendment) Bill [HL]

Government

Waiting for Royal Assent

Civil Liability Bill [HL]	Government
Health and Social Care (National Data Guardian) Bill	Private Member's
Prisons (Interference with Wireless Telegraphy) Bill	Private Member's
Ivory Bill (Welsh and Scottish Legislative Consent Motions	Government
passed)	

University of London Bill [HL] Private

Measures in Progress

Waiting for Affirmative Resolution

Ecumenical Relations Measure (19 December)

Church of England (Miscellaneous Provisions) Measure (19 December)

Church Property Measure (19 December)

Church of England Pensions Measure (19 December)

Statutory Instruments in Progress

Affirmative Instruments waiting for consideration by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments

Draft Insolvency (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018

Draft Merchant Shipping and Other Transport (Environmental Protection) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018

Draft Ship Recycling (Facilities and Requirements for Hazardous Materials on Ships) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

Draft Occupational and Personal Pension Schemes (Amendment etc.) (Northern Ireland) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018

Draft Occupational and Personal Pension Schemes (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018

Draft Consumer Protection (Enforcement) (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018

Draft Fisheries (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

Draft Over the Counter Derivatives, Central Counterparties and Trade Repositories (Amendment, etc., and Transitional Provision) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018

Draft Environment (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

Draft Floods and Water (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

Draft Air Services (Competition) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

Draft Invasive Non-native Species (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

Draft Market Abuse (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018

Draft European Qualifications (Pharmacists) (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2018

Draft Jurisdiction and Judgments (Family) (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

Draft Airports Slot Allocation (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

Draft Conservation (Natural Habitats, etc.) (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

Draft Conservation of Habitats and Species (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

Draft Product Safety and Metrology etc. (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

Draft Civil Jurisdiction and Judgments (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

Draft Civil Partnership and Marriage (Same Sex Couples) (Jurisdiction and Judgments) (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

Draft Combined Authorities (Mayoral Elections) (Amendment) Order 2019

Draft Local Authorities (Mayoral Elections) (England and Wales) (Amendment) (England) Regulations 2019

Draft Mutual Recognition of Protection Measures in Civil Matters (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

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 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 Immigration (Alcohol Licensing and Late Hours Catering) (Scotland) Regulations 2018

Draft Operation of Air Services (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 4th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (Sub-Committee A) (18 December)

Draft Bank Recovery and Resolution and Miscellaneous Provisions (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 (19 December)

Draft Accounts and Reports (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 5th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (Sub-Committee B) (18 December)

Draft Employment Rights (Amendment) (EU Exit) (No. 2) Regulations 2018

Draft Employment Rights (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) (EU Exit) (No. 2) Regulations 2018

Draft Takeovers (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

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Draft Anti-social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014 (Amendment) Order 2018 (19 December)

Draft Universal Credit (Managed Migration) Regulations 2018 8th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (Sub-Committee B)

Draft Payment Accounts (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 6th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (Sub-Committee A) (19 December)

Draft Statutory Auditors and Third Country Auditors (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 (18 December)

Draft Merchant Shipping (Recognised Organisations) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

Draft Social Entrepreneurship Funds (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018

Draft Venture Capital Funds (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018

Draft Humane Trapping Standards Regulations 2019 (19 December)

Draft Capital Requirements (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 (19 December)

Draft Gaming Machine (Miscellaneous Amendments and Revocation) Regulations 2018 7th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (Sub-Committee B) (18 December)

Draft Human Fertilisation and Embryology (Parental Orders) Regulations 2018 (19 December)

Draft Blood Safety and Quality (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 (19 December)

Draft Human Fertilisation and Embryology (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 (18 December)

Draft Human Tissue (Quality and Safety for Human Application) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 (18 December)

Draft Quality and Safety of Organs Intended for Transplantation (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 (18 December)

Draft Non-Contentious Probate (Fees) Order 2018 Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments, 40th Report, 6th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (Sub-Committee A) (18 December)

Draft Interchange Fee (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018

Draft Ship and Port Security (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018

Draft Services of Lawyers and Lawyer's Practice (Revocation etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

Draft Justification Decision Power (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018

Draft Aviation Safety (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 9th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (Sub-Committee A)

Draft Energy Efficiency (Private Rented Property) (England and Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2018

Draft Intellectual Property (Exhaustion of Rights) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018

Draft Air Passenger Rights and Air Travel Organisers' Licensing (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018

Draft Civil Legal Aid (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

Draft Patents (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018

Draft Trade Marks (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018

Draft Transfrontier Shipment of Radioactive Waste and Spent Fuel (EU Exit) Regulations 2018

Draft Alternative Investment Fund Managers (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018

Draft Electronic Communications and Wireless Telegraphy (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

Draft Money Laundering and Transfer of Funds (Information) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018

Draft Motor Vehicles (Wearing of Seatbelts) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018

Draft Nuclear Safeguards (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 9th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (Sub-Committee B)

Draft Nuclear Safeguards (Fissionable Material and Relevant International Agreements) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 9th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (Sub-Committee B)

Draft Higher Education (Fee Limits for Accelerated Courses) (England) Regulations 2018

Draft Immigration (Leave to Enter and Remain) (Amendment) Order 2018

Negative Instruments

Non-Contentious Probate (Amendment) Rules 2018 6th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (Sub-Committee A). Praying time expires 19 December.

Building (Amendment) Regulations 2018 9th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (Sub-Committee A). Praying time expires 24 January 2019.

Legislative Reform Order in Progress

Super-affirmative draft Order reported from the Regulatory Reform Committee following first-stage scrutiny

Draft Legislative Reform (Horserace Betting Levy) Order 2018 38th and 41st Reports from the Regulatory Reform Committee (Super-Affirmative) Scrutiny period expires: 12 December

Human Rights Remedial Order

Draft order laid under paragraph 2 reported by the Joint Committee on Human Rights

Draft Human Fertilisation and Embryology Act 2008 (Remedial) Order 2018 14th Report (19 December)

Proposed Negative Statutory Instruments laid under the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018

Animal Breeding (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 Sifting period expires: 18 December

Animal Health and Welfare (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 Sifting period expires: 19 December

Ionising Radiation (Environmental and Public Protection) (Miscellaneous Amendments) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 Sifting period expires: 20 December

Trade in Animals and Related Products (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 Sifting period expires: 20 December

Water (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 Sifting period expires: 20 December

Marketing of Seeds and Plant Propagating Material (Amendment) (England and Wales) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 Sifting period expires: 7 January 2019

Statistics of Trade (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) (Regulations) 2018 Sifting period expires: 7 January 2019

Plant Breeders' Rights (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 Sifting period expires: 7 January 2019

Marketing of Seeds and Plant Propagating Material (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 Sifting period expires: 8 January 2019

Marketing of Seeds and Plant Propagating Material (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 *Sifting period expires: 8 January 2019*

Fisheries (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 Sifting period expires: 9 January 2019

Merchant Shipping (Marine Equipment) (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 Sifting period expires: 9 January 2019

Law Applicable to Contractual Obligations and Non-Contractual Obligations (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 *Sifting period expires: 9 January 2019*

Greenhouse Gas Emissions Trading Scheme (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 Sifting period expires: 10 January 2019

Protocol 1 to the EEA Agreement (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 Sifting period expires: 10 January 2019

Road Vehicles and Non-Road Mobile Machinery (Type-Approval) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 Sifting period expires: 10 January 2019

Pesticides and Fertilisers (Miscellaneous Amendments) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 Sifting period expires: 14 January 2019

Electronic Identification and Trust Services for Electronic Transactions (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 Sifting period expires: 14 January 2019

National Policy Statement

Draft National Policy Statement for Water Resources Infrastructure 2018 Scrutiny period expires: 16 May 2019

Instrument subject to disapproval

Final Version of the Regulatory Action Policy to be issued by the Information Commissioner

Paper subject to disapproval

Statement of Changes in Immigration Rules (Cm 9675)

Retirements

The following members of the House have given notice of their intention to retire.

Baroness Richardson of Calow (20 December)

Baroness Howells of St Davids (10 January 2019)

Lord Smith of Clifton (31 January 2019)

Lord Cullen of Whitekirk (1 February 2019)

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.

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Thursday 13 December		
EU External Affairs Sub-Committee	Room 1	10.00am
EU Internal Market Sub-Committee	Room 4A	10.00am
Monday 17 December		
SLSC Sub-Committee A	Room 3A	3.45pm
Tuesday 18 December		
Rural Economy Committee	Room 1	9.30am
EU Justice Sub-Committee	Room 3	10.30am
Bribery Act 2010 Committee	Room 4	10.30am
Intergenerational Fairness and Provision Committee	Room 4A	11.15am
Regenerating Seaside Towns and Communities Committee	Room 2A	3.15pm
House of Lords Commission	The Lord Speaker's Room	3.30pm
SLSC Sub-Committee B	Room 3A	3.45pm
European Union Committee	Room 3	4.00pm
Science and Technology Committee	Room 4A	4.15pm
Wednesday 19 December		
EU Financial Affairs Sub-Committee	Room 4A	10.00am
EU Energy and Environment Sub-Committee	Room 2	10.30am
International Relations Committee	Room 4	10.40am
Statutory Instruments (Joint Committee)	Room 7	3.45pm
Tuesday 8 January		
Communications Committee	Room 2	3.15pm
Economic Affairs Committee	Room 1	3.35pm
Monday 14 January		
Liaison Committee	Room 1	4.00pm
Monday 21 January		
National Security Strategy (Joint Committee)	Room 4A	4.00pm

Minutes of Proceedings of Wednesday 12 December 2018

The House met at 3.00pm.

Prayers were read by the Lord Bishop of St Albans.

1 **Retirement** The Lord Speaker (Lord Fowler) informed the House of the retirement with effect from 12 December of Lord Lester of Herne Hill under section 1 of the House of Lords Reform Act 2014.

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 Air Passenger Rights and Air Travel Organisers' Licensing (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018

Draft Alternative Investment Fund Managers (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018

Draft Civil Legal Aid (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

Draft Electronic Communications and Wireless Telegraphy (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

Draft Energy Efficiency (Private Rented Property) (England and Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2018

Draft Higher Education (Fee Limits for Accelerated Courses) (England) Regulations 2018

Draft Immigration (Leave to Enter and Remain) (Amendment) Order 2018

Draft Intellectual Property (Exhaustion of Rights) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018

Draft Money Laundering and Transfer of Funds (Information) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018

Draft Motor Vehicles (Wearing of Seatbelts) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018

Draft Nuclear Safeguards (EU Exit) Regulations 2018

Draft Nuclear Safeguards (Fissionable Material and Relevant International Agreements) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018

Draft Patents (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018

Draft Trade Marks (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018

Draft Transfrontier Shipment of Radioactive Waste and Spent Fuel (EU Exit) Regulations 2018. (41st Report, HL Paper 254)

3 Delegated Powers and Regulatory Reform

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

Report on the following bills:

Financial Services (Implementation of Legislation) Bill [HL]

Tenant Fees Bill: Government Response

Homes (Fitness for Human Habitation) Bill. (42nd Report, HL Paper 255)

Public Business

- 4 **Housing: serviced plots** A question was asked by Lord Naseby and answered by Lord Bourne of Aberystwyth.
- 5 **Animal welfare standards** A question was asked by Lord Trees and answered by Baroness Vere of Norbiton.
- 6 Brexit: People's Vote A question was asked by Lord Dykes and answered by Lord Callanan.
- 7 **Interserve: provision of public services** A question was asked by Lord Haskel and answered by Lord Young of Cookham.
- 8 Health and Social Care (National Data Guardian) Bill The bill was read a third time. Then the bill was passed.

- 9 **Prisons (Interference with Wireless Telegraphy) Bill** The bill was read a third time. Then the bill was passed.
- 10 Homes (Fitness for Human Habitation) Bill The order of commitment was discharged.
- 11 **Off-site manufacture for construction (Science and Technology Report)** Lord Patel moved that this House takes note of the Report from the Science and Technology Committee *Off-site manufacture for construction: Building for change* (2nd Report, HL Paper 169). After debate, the motion was agreed to.
- 12 **Ivory Bill** The bill was returned from the Commons agreed to.
- 13 **Royal Academy of Arts: 250th anniversary** A question was asked by Lord Cormack and, after debate, answered by the Earl of Courtown.

The House adjourned at 7.05pm until Thursday 13 December at 11.00am.

Ed Ollard

Clerk of the Parliaments

Grand Committee Business

The Grand Committee met in the Moses Room at 3.45pm

Bank Recovery and Resolution and Miscellaneous Provisions (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 Lord Bates moved that the Grand Committee do consider the Bank Recovery and Resolution and Miscellaneous Provisions (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018. After debate, the motion was agreed to.

Capital Requirements (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 Lord Bates moved that the Grand Committee do consider the Capital Requirements (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018. The motion was agreed to.

Payment Accounts (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 Lord Bates moved that the Grand Committee do consider the Payment Accounts (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018. After debate, the motion was agreed to.

Humane Trapping Standards Regulations 2019 Baroness Vere of Norbiton moved that the Grand Committee do consider the Humane Trapping Standards Regulations 2019. After debate, the motion was agreed to.

Anti-social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014 (Amendment) Order 2018 Baroness Manzoor moved that the Grand Committee do consider the Anti-social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014 (Amendment) Order 2018. After debate, the motion was agreed to.

Blood Safety and Quality (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 Lord O'Shaughnessy moved that the Grand Committee do consider the Blood Safety and Quality (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019. After debate, the motion was agreed to.

Human Fertilisation and Embryology (Parental Orders) Regulations 2018 Lord O'Shaughnessy moved that the Grand Committee do consider the Human Fertilisation and Embryology (Parental Orders) Regulations 2018. After debate, the motion was agreed to.

Human Fertilisation and Embryology Act 2008 (Remedial) Order 2018 Lord O'Shaughnessy moved that the Grand Committee do consider the Human Fertilisation and Embryology Act 2008 (Remedial) Order 2018. The motion was agreed to.

The Committee adjourned at 6.07pm.

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

Papers

All statutory instruments laid before the House are accompanied by an Explanatory Memorandum presented by command of Her Majesty, unless otherwise indicated.

Instruments Withdrawn

The following affirmative instruments, laid before the House on the date shown, were withdrawn:

- 1. Draft Combined Authorities (Mayoral Elections) (Amendment) Order 2019 (5 December)
- 2. Draft Local Authorities (Mayoral Elections) (England and Wales) (Amendment) (England) Regulations 2019 (5 December)

Command Papers

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

- 1. Explanatory Memorandum (Revised)—Replacement Explanatory Memorandum to the Branded Health Service Medicines (Costs) (Amendment) Regulations 2018 (3 December). (—)
- 2. Explanatory Memorandum (Revised)—Replacement Explanatory Memorandum to the Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2018 (22 November).

Affirmative Instruments

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

- 1. Draft Civil Jurisdiction and Judgments (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019
- 2. Draft Civil Partnership and Marriage (Same Sex Couples) (Jurisdiction and Judgments) (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019
- 3. Draft Combined Authorities (Mayoral Elections) (Amendment) Order 2019
- 4. Draft Local Authorities (Mayoral Elections) (England and Wales) (Amendment) (England) Regulations 2019
- 5. Draft Mutual Recognition of Protection Measures in Civil Matters (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

Negative Instruments

The following instruments were laid before the House:

- National Institute for Health and Care Excellence (Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2018
 (1322)
- 2. Northamptonshire (Changes to Years of Elections) Order 2018 (1324)
- 3. Provision of Services (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 (1329)
- 4. Single European Sky (National Supervisory Authority) (Amendment) Regulations 2018 (1331)
- 5. Rent Officers (Housing Benefit and Universal Credit Functions) (Amendment) Order 2018 (1332)
- 6. INSPIRE (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 (1338)
- 7. Housing Benefit and Universal Credit Housing Costs (Executive Determinations) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2018 (SR 209)

- 8. Draft Crawley (Electoral Changes) Order 2019 (—)
- 9. Draft Norwich (Electoral Changes) Order 2019 (—)

Papers not subject to Parliamentary Proceedings

The following papers were laid before the House:

- 1. The Fourth Annual Report by Welsh Ministers about the Implementation and Operation of Part 2 (Finance) of the Wales Act 2014
- 2. The UK Government's Fourth Annual Report on the Implementation and Operation of Part 2 (Finance) of the Wales Act 2014

Proposed Negative Statutory Instruments

The following papers were laid under the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018:

- 1. Electronic Identification and Trust Services for Electronic Transactions (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018, replacing those laid on 5 December
- 2. Pesticides and Fertilisers (Miscellaneous Amendments) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018