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TODAY'S LISTS
THURSDAY 31 JANUARY 2019

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Business in the Chamber at 11.00am

Prayers by the Bishop of Chelmsford (5 mins)

Oral Questions (30 mins)

- * Lord Grocott to ask the Leader of the House what plans she has to make proposals for a review of the powers of the Lord Speaker. (**Baroness Evans of Bowes Park, LHOL**)
- * The Lord Bishop of Gloucester to ask Her Majesty's Government what progress they have made in implementing the female offenders' strategy. (**Lord Keen of Elie, MoJ**)
- * Lord Fox to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they place restrictions on commercial companies seeking to digitally map towns and cities in the United Kingdom; and if not, why not. (**Lord Young of Cookham, CO**)
- * The Lord Bishop of St Albans to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact caused by fly-tipping on areas of outstanding natural beauty, following reports that the Woodland Trust has spent over £1 million on cleaning up fly-tipping over the past five years. (**Lord Gardiner of Kimble, DEFRA**)

Business expected to be brief

Business of the House motion - Earl of Courtown

Urgent Question Repeat

Immediately after the business of the house motion Baroness Williams of Trafford will repeat an answer to an urgent question on the draft Domestic Abuse Bill; followed by 10 minutes of Q and A.

Main Business

Lord Whitty to move that this House takes note of the case for a long-term commitment to increased provision of social housing to help to reduce housing costs, homelessness and housing benefit expenditure. (Time-limited to 2½ hours)

Speakers:

L Whitty

L Porter of Spalding

B Warwick of Undercliffe

B Grender

5 Bp Chelmsford

- B Bloomfield of Hinton Waldrist
 L Pendry
 L Bird
 B Osamor (*Maiden Speech*)
 10 B Lister of Burterset
 B Thornhill
 L Best
 B Lawrence of Clarendon
 L Garel-Jones
 15 L Bassam of Brighton
 L Greaves
 L Beecham
 B Watkins of Tavistock
 B Blackstone
 20 L Morris of Handsworth
 L Fraser of Corriegarth
 B Healy of Primrose Hill
 L Judd
 L Thurlow
 25 L Sawyer
 B Donaghy
 L Whitty

 L Shipley
 L Kennedy of Southwark
 30 L Young of Cookham

Except for Lord Whitty (15 mins), Lord Shipley (10 mins), Lord Kennedy of Southwark (10 mins) and Lord Young of Cookham (20 mins), all speeches are limited to 3 minutes

Topical Question for Short Debate

Viscount Goschen to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the current situation in Zimbabwe. (*Time-limited to 60 minutes*)

Speakers:

V Goschen

L Chidgey

- L Hayward
L St John of Bletso
5 B Redfern

L Collins of Highbury
L Ahmad of Wimbledon

Except for Viscount Goschen (10 mins) and Lord Ahmad of Wimbledon (12 mins), all speeches are limited to 6 minutes

Last business

Lord Hunt of Kings Heath to move that this House takes note of the NHS Long Term Plan, published on 7 January, and the case for a fully funded, comprehensive and integrated health and care system which implements parity of esteem, preventative health and standards set out in the NHS Constitution. (Time-limited to 2½ hours)

Speakers:

- L Hunt of Kings Heath
L O'Shaughnessy
B Walmsley
B Donaghy
5 B Browning
B Masham of Ilton
L Turnberg
B Tyler of Enfield
B Watkins of Tavistock
10 Bp Carlisle
L Ribeiro
B Pitkeathley
L Low of Dalston
B Cumberlege
15 L Rogan
L Chadlington
B Gale
L Scriven
B Neville-Rolfe
20 B Wheeler

- L Bird
L Holmes of Richmond
V Hanworth
L Rennard
25 L Colwyn
L Brooke of Alverthorpe
L Stirrup
B Massey of Darwen
B Redfern

30 B Jolly
B Thornton
B Manzoor
L Hunt of Kings Heath

Except for Lord Hunt of Kings Heath (15 mins), Baroness Jolly (10 mins), Baroness Thornton (10 mins) and Baroness Manzoor (20 mins), all speeches are limited to 3 minutes

Estimated rising time

The House is expected to rise at 5.45pm

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