

GOVERNMENT WHIPS' OFFICE
HOUSE OF LORDS

TODAY'S LISTS
WEDNESDAY 20 MARCH 2019

[Notes about this document are set out at the end]

Business in the Chamber at 3.00pm

Prayers by the Bishop of Chester (5 mins)

Oral Questions (30 mins)

- * Baroness Lister of Burtersett to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to prevent destitution among newly recognised refugees in the light of the British Red Cross Report *Still an ordeal*, published in December 2018. **(Baroness Williams of Trafford, HO)**
- * Lord Beith to ask Her Majesty's Government what meetings have been scheduled to take place after 29 March 2019 between Ministers and representatives of the European Union, and what matters are planned for discussion at such meetings. **(Baroness Goldie, DExEU)**
- * Baroness Smith of Newnham to ask Her Majesty's Government what initiatives the Foreign and Commonwealth Office has put in place to strengthen bilateral relations with individual European Union member states after Brexit. **(Lord Ahmad of Wimbledon, FCO)**
- * Lord Wallace of Saltaire to ask Her Majesty's Government what changes they are considering to the outsourcing of public services as a result of Interserve entering into administration. **(Lord Young of Cookham, CO)**

Urgent Question Repeats

Immediately after Oral Questions Lord Keen of Elie will repeat an answer to an Urgent Question on powers of the "Joint Committee", contained in the proposed EU Withdrawal Agreement; followed by 10 minutes of Q and A.

At a convenient point after 5.15pm Lord Callanan will repeat an answer to an Urgent Question on 'no deal' Brexit preparations; followed by 10 minutes of Q and A.

Main Business

Trade Bill – Third Reading – Baroness Fairhead

Grouping of amendments:

g1, g2, 3, 4

g5, 6

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Lord Bates to move that this House takes note of the economy in the light of the Spring Statement.

Speakers:

- L Bates
- L Tunncliffe
- L Shipley
- L Macpherson of Earl's Court
- 5 Bp Chester
- L Wakeham
- L Hain
- B Thornhill
- E Lytton
- 10 L Leigh of Hurley
- V Chandos
- L Scriven
- L Gadhia
- L Northbrook
- 15 L Davies of Stamford
- L Bilimoria
- L Suri
- E Listowel

- B Kramer
- 20 L Davies of Oldham
- L Bates

Estimated rising time

The House is expected to rise at 9.00pm

Business in Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 3.45pm

The following five motions are expected to be debated together:

Common Agricultural Policy and Agriculture and Horticulture Development Board (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 - Consideration in Grand Committee - Lord Gardiner of Kimble

Common Agricultural Policy (Financing, Management and Monitoring Supplementary Provisions) (Miscellaneous Amendments) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 - Consideration in Grand Committee - Lord Gardiner of Kimble

**Common Agricultural Policy (Financing, Management and Monitoring)
(Miscellaneous Amendments) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 - Consideration in
Grand Committee - Lord Gardiner of Kimble**

**Agriculture (Legislative Functions) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 - Consideration in
Grand Committee - Lord Gardiner of Kimble**

**State Aid (Agriculture and Fisheries) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 -
Consideration in Grand Committee - Lord Gardiner of Kimble**

**Food and Drink, Veterinary Medicines and Residues (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit)
Regulations 2019 - Consideration in Grand Committee - Baroness Vere of
Norbiton**

**Zoonotic Disease Eradication and Control (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations
2019 - Consideration in Grand Committee - Baroness Vere of Norbiton**

Estimated Rising Time

The Grand Committee is expected to rise at 6.45pm

Notes:

- *This document sets out the matters for the day's business which the Government Whips' Office coordinates: Speakers' Lists (Companion 4.26), ministerial statements (Companion 6.02) and the grouping of amendments (Companion 8.70). It is not the formal order paper, which is produced by the Clerk of the Parliaments and is available from the Printed Paper Office and www.parliament.uk/lords*
- *Time estimates are best endeavours: there is no certainty other than for formally time-limited business. It is the duty of individual members to observe the rules on attendance at debate (Companion 4.32) and, in particular, to ensure that they are present for the start of business in which they wish to take part.*
- *The number of sessions shown for a stage of a bill represents the Government's assessment of reasonable time given the balance of bills and remaining days to the likely end of the session. Progress remains in the hands of the House. Report stage is usually half the length of Committee.*
- *The grouping of amendments is informal. Although every effort is made to secure agreement to groupings, any peer may speak to an amendment in its place on the Marshalled List. "g" before an amendment indicates a Government amendment.*
- *Speaking in debates (Companion 4.34): A member of the House who is taking part in a debate (including general debates and debates on amendments or motions) should attend the start, end and greater part of that debate. In addition, it is considered discourteous for members not to be present for at least the opening speeches, the speeches before and after their own, and for the winding-up speeches. Ministers may decide not to answer, orally or in writing, points made by a speaker who does not stay to hear the Minister's closing speech. Members who believe that they are unlikely to be able to stay until the end of a debate should not seek to participate in it (and if the debate has a speakers' list, should remove their names from the list).*