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Thursday 28 March 2019 at 11.00am

**Oral Questions, 30 minutes*

***Baroness Bonham-Carter of Yarnbury** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the speech of the Chief Executive of Ofcom on 28 November 2018 in which she encouraged public service broadcasters to collaborate to compete with global giants such as Netflix and Amazon in producing high-quality original content.

***Lord Haskel** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to modernise the way productivity is measured in the economy.

***Baroness Ludford** to ask Her Majesty's Government, in the light of developments including the judgment of the Court of Justice of the European Union of 26 February *Œuvre d'assistance aux bêtes d'abattoirs v Ministre de l'Agriculture et de l'Alimentation* (C-497/17) that meat prepared according to the rules of religious slaughter cannot be classed as organic, what plans they have to encourage a wider debate about the space for practice in accordance with religious rights that respects human rights and equalities laws.

***Baroness Hayman** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the current humanitarian situation in the countries affected by Cyclone Idai.

Liaison The Senior Deputy Speaker to move that the Report from the Committee *New special inquiry committees 2019–20* (4th Report, HL Paper 309) be agreed to.

Forestry and Land Management (Scotland) Act 2018 (Consequential Provisions and Modifications) Order 2019 Lord Duncan of Springbank to move that the draft Order laid before the House on 11 February be approved.

The following three motions are expected to be debated together:

Employment Rights (Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2019 Lord Henley to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 17 December 2018 be approved. *12th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (Sub-Committee A)*

Agency Workers (Amendment) Regulations 2019 Lord Henley to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 17 December 2018 be approved. *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments, 46th Report. 12th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (Sub-Committee A)*

Conduct of Employment Agencies and Employment Businesses (Amendment) Regulations 2019 Lord Henley to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 17 December 2018 be approved. *16th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (Sub-Committee B)*

Baroness Goldie to move that this House takes note of the continuing and evolving role of the Commonwealth and the United Kingdom's relationship with it.