

HOUSE OF LORDS BUSINESS

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Items marked † are new or have been altered.

Monday 9 September 2019 at 2.30pm

**Oral Questions, 30 minutes*

***Lord Teverson** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to end the commercial exploitation of peatlands.

***Baroness Barker** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to maintain the human rights of variations of sex characteristics (VSC) intersex citizens of all ages.

***Lord Hayward** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the answer by Lord Gardiner of Kimble on 17 July (HL Deb, col 232), how much income charities would have received since 17 July had a plastic bag charge on small and medium-sized enterprises been introduced.

***Baroness Jones of Moulsecoomb** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of a warming climate on the operational risks of nuclear power stations, particularly in the light of the reduction in capacity of nuclear reactors in France in the July heatwave.

Chair of the European Union Committee The Lord Privy Seal (Baroness Evans of Bowes Park) to move that the Earl of Kinnoull be appointed Principal Deputy Chairman of Committees (to be known as Chair of the European Union Committee), in place of Lord Boswell of Aynho.

Birmingham Commonwealth Games Bill [HL] Baroness Barran to move to resolve that it is expedient that if the Birmingham Commonwealth Games Bill [HL]—

- (a) has not completed all of its stages by the end of this session of Parliament, and
- (b) is reintroduced in the next session of Parliament,

the bill as reintroduced shall, notwithstanding the provisions of Standing Order 46 (*No two stages of a Bill to be taken on one day*), be taken *pro forma* through all of the stages completed in this session.

High Speed Rail (West Midlands–Crewe) Bill Second Reading [Baroness Vere of Norbiton]

If the bill is read a second time, Baroness Vere of Norbiton to move that the bill be committed to a Select Committee.

High Speed Rail (West Midlands–Crewe) Bill Baroness Vere of Norbiton to move that if a bill in the same terms as those in which the High Speed Rail (West Midlands–Crewe) Bill stood when it was brought to this House in this session is brought to this House from the House of Commons in the next session—

- (a) the proceedings on the bill in the next session shall be *pro forma* in regard to every stage through which the bill has passed in this session;
- (b) any petition deposited against the bill in this session shall be taken to be deposited against the bill in the next session; and
- (c) the Standing Orders of the House applicable to the bill, so far as complied with or dispensed with in this session, shall be deemed to have been complied with or (as the case may be) dispensed with in the next session.

Northern Ireland (Ministerial Appointment Functions) (No. 2) Regulations 2019 Lord Duncan of Springbank to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 11 July be approved. *57th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee.*

Government of Wales Act 2006 (Amendment) Order 2019 Baroness Bloomfield of Hinton Waldrist to move that the draft Order laid before the House on 11 July be approved.

The following five motions are expected to be debated together:

Lord Duncan of Springbank to move that this House takes note of *Report Pursuant to Sections 3(1), 3(6), 3(7), 3(8), 3(9) and 3(10) of the Northern Ireland (Executive Formation etc) Act 2019.*

Lord Duncan of Springbank to move that this House takes note of *Report Pursuant to Section 3(14) of the Northern Ireland (Executive Formation etc) Act 2019.*

Lord Duncan of Springbank to move that this House takes note of *Report Pursuant to Section 3(13) of the Northern Ireland (Executive Formation etc) Act 2019.*

Lord Duncan of Springbank to move that this House takes note of *Report Pursuant to Section 3(12) of the Northern Ireland (Executive Formation etc) Act 2019.*

Lord Duncan of Springbank to move that this House takes note of *Report Pursuant to Section 3(11) of the Northern Ireland (Executive Formation etc) Act 2019.*

†Further to the Order approved at the Privy Council on 28 August proroguing Parliament no earlier than Monday 9 September and no later than Thursday 12 September, a Royal Commission may take place.

Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 3.30pm

The Marquess of Lothian to move that the Grand Committee takes note of the recent work of the Intelligence and Security Committee of Parliament.