

**Wednesday 16 October 2019 at 3.00pm**

†**Business of the House** The Lord Privy Seal (Baroness Evans of Bowes Park) to move, pursuant to the resolutions of the House of 5 September and 9 September, that the Sentencing (Pre-consolidation Amendments) Bill [HL] and the Birmingham Commonwealth Games Bill [HL] having been read a first time in the same form as they stood at the end of the last Session of Parliament, Standing Order 46 (*No two stages of a Bill to be taken on one day*) be dispensed with to enable the bills to be taken *pro forma* through the remaining stages which they had completed in the last Session of Parliament.

**Committee of Selection** The Senior Deputy Speaker to move that in accordance with Standing Order 63 a Committee of Selection be appointed to select and propose to the House the names of the members to form each select committee of the House (except the Committee of Selection itself and any committee otherwise provided for by statute or by order of the House) or any other body not being a select committee referred to it by the Senior Deputy Speaker, and the panel of Deputy Chairmen of Committees; and that the following members together with the Senior Deputy Speaker be appointed to the Committee:

Ashton of Hyde, L.	Newby, L.
Craig of Radley, L.	Plant of Highfield, L.
Evans of Bowes Park, B.	Smith of Basildon, B.
Judge, L.	Stoneham of Droxford, L.
McAvoy, L.	Ullswater, V.

†*If the motion in the name of the Lord Privy Seal is agreed to:*

†**Birmingham Commonwealth Games Bill [HL]** *Second Reading, Committee and Report [Baroness Barran]*

†**Sentencing (Pre-consolidation Amendments) Bill** *Second Reading, Committee and Report [Lord Keen of Elie] (Law Commission Bill)*

†**Queen's Speech** Adjourned Debate on the Motion that a Humble Address be presented to Her Majesty as follows:

“Most Gracious Sovereign,

We, Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Lords Spiritual and Temporal in Parliament assembled, beg leave to thank Your Majesty for the most gracious Speech which Your Majesty has addressed to both Houses of Parliament.”

*It is expected that the principal topics for debate will be exiting the European Union, trade, foreign affairs and defence.*

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*[I] indicates that the member concerned has a relevant registered interest.*



***Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 3.45pm***

**Specific Food Hygiene (Regulation (EC) No. 853/2004) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019** Consideration in Grand Committee [Baroness Blackwood of North Oxford]

*The following five motions are expected to be debated together:*

**Agriculture (Miscellaneous Amendments) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019** Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Gardiner of Kimble]

**Common Organisation of the Markets in Agricultural Products and Common Agricultural Policy (Miscellaneous Amendments etc.) (EU Exit) (No. 2) Regulations 2019** Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Gardiner of Kimble]

**Import and Export Licences (Amendments etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019** Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Gardiner of Kimble]

**Common Organisation of the Markets in Agricultural Products (Transitional Arrangements etc.) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019** Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Gardiner of Kimble]

**Common Agricultural Policy and Common Organisation of the Markets in Agricultural Products (Miscellaneous Amendments) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019** Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Gardiner of Kimble]

**Environment and Wildlife (Legislative Functions) (EU Exit) (Amendment) Regulations 2019** Consideration in Grand Committee [Baroness Chisholm of Owlpen]

**Pesticides (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019** Consideration in Grand Committee [Baroness Chisholm of Owlpen] *59th Report, Session 2017–19, from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

**Financial Services (Electronic Money, Payment Services and Miscellaneous Amendments) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019** Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Bethell] *61st Report, Session 2017–19, from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

**Prospectus (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019** Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Bethell] *61st Report, Session 2017–19, from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

## **Future Business**

**Thursday 17 October 2019 at 11.00am**

**Lord Barwell** and

†**Lord Davies of Gower** will be introduced.

\***Lord Hain** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to impose similar sanctions to those announced by the United States Department of the Treasury on 10 October against Rajesh Gupta, Atul Gupta and Ajay Gupta for money laundering and corruption in South Africa.

\***Baroness Meacher** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to publish policy recommendations following their consultation on the review of bailiff reforms, which closed on 17 February.

\***Lord Wigley** to ask Her Majesty's Government what are their latest proposals to avoid delays at customs control on goods being transported between Dublin and Holyhead, following the United Kingdom's departure from the European Union.

†\***Lord Watson of Invergowrie** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they will take further to the recent survey of local authorities in England which found that since 2014 approximately £400 million has been diverted from mainstream education budgets in order to pay for special needs education.

*It is expected that the debate on the address will continue and that the principal topics for debate will be economic affairs, business, agriculture, environment, energy and transport.*

**Lord Duncan of Springbank** to move that this House takes note of the Report pursuant to section 3(5) of the Northern Ireland (Executive Formation etc) Act 2019, which was laid before this House on Monday 14 October.

## **Monday 21 October 2019 at 2.30pm**

†**Baroness Penn** and

†**Lord Woolley of Woodford** will be introduced.

\***The Earl of Clancarty** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to review the visa system for non-European (1) academics and (2) musicians visiting the United Kingdom.

\***Baroness Parminter** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to tackle the shortage of psychiatrists in the United Kingdom.

\***Baroness Thornton** to ask Her Majesty's Government what impact assessment has been carried out of the effect that Babylon's GP at hand app (1) is having and (2) may have on (a) GP patient waiting lists, and (b) the funding of primary healthcare.

\***Baroness Jones of Moulsecoomb** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to (1) ban or (2) restrict frequent flyer "airmiles" schemes.

*It is expected that the debate on the address will continue and that the principal topics for debate will be home affairs, justice, local government, devolved affairs and constitutional affairs.*

## **Tuesday 22 October 2019 at 2.30pm**

†**Lord Parkinson of Whitley Bay** and

†**Baroness Sanderson of Welton** will be introduced.

\***Baroness Kennedy of Cradley** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to change the law in respect of the offence of rape.

\***Lord Kennedy of Southwark** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the relationship between the number of police officers and the level and types of crimes committed.

\***Lord Harris of Haringey** to ask Her Majesty's Government what consideration they have given, as part of the Protect workstream of the CONTEST counter-terrorism strategy, to the introduction of a so-called "Martyn's Law" in order to place a duty on large public venues to assess the risk of an attack and put appropriate measures in place.

†*Topical oral question. Ballot opens at 3pm on Wednesday 16 October; to be drawn at 1pm on Friday 18 October.*

*It is expected that the debate on the address will conclude and that the principal topics for debate will be health, social care, education, culture, welfare and pensions.*

### Wednesday 23 October 2019 at 3.00pm

\***Baroness Cox** to ask Her Majesty's Government what progress they have made in implementing the first recommendation of *The independent review into the application of sharia law in England and Wales*, published in February 2018, in order to protect Muslim women in Islamic marriages which are not civilly registered.

\***Lord Greaves** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the effectiveness of the EU Settlement Scheme.

\***Lord McConnell of Glenscorrodale** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they have taken to secure justice for the Yazidi people of Northern Iraq, following the genocide attempted by the so-called Islamic State.

†*Topical oral question. Ballot opens at 3pm on Thursday 17 October, to be drawn at 1pm on Monday 21 October.*

†**Freedom of Establishment and Free Movement of Services (EU Exit) Regulations 2019** Lord Duncan of Springbank to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 11 July be approved. *58th Report, Session 2017–19, from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

**Lord Stevenson of Balmacara** to move, as an amendment to the above motion, at end insert “but that this House regrets that the draft Regulations will remove certain rights for European Union, European Economic Area, Swiss and Turkish nationals, namely to be self-employed, own and manage a company and provide services in the United Kingdom without facing additional restrictions; further regrets the impact this may have for many long-residing individuals and families, as well as the wider consequences for the United Kingdom economy and employment; expresses concern that this change may result in the loss of rights for United Kingdom citizens resident elsewhere in the European Union, European Economic Area, Switzerland or Turkey; and calls on Her Majesty's Government to immediately and unilaterally guarantee the continuation of the relevant rights of European Union, European Economic Area, Swiss and Turkish nationals in the United Kingdom beyond exit day.”

†**Electricity Supplier Obligations (Excluded Electricity) (Amendment) Regulations 2019** Lord Duncan of Springbank to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 9 September be approved.

†**Waste and Environmental Protection (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019** Baroness Chisholm of Owlpen to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 15 July be approved. *58th Report, Session 2017–19, from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

†**Plant Health (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019** Lord Gardiner of Kimble to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 22 July be approved.

†**European Parliamentary Elections Etc. (Repeal, Revocation, Amendment and Saving Provisions) (United Kingdom and Gibraltar) (EU Exit) (Amendment) Regulations 2019** Earl Howe to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 23 July be approved. *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments, 69th Report, Session 2017–19*

### Thursday 24 October 2019 at 11.00am

\***Baroness Randerson** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to encourage more people to travel by bus.

\***Baroness Wheeler** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking (1) to improve access to palliative care, rehabilitation and psychosocial care for people living with a brain tumour, and (2) to provide support for their carers and families.

\***Baroness Sheehan** to ask Her Majesty's Government what progress has been made to eradicate polio in (1) Pakistan, and (2) Afghanistan.

†*Topical oral question. Ballot opens at 3pm on Friday 18 October, to be drawn at 1pm on Tuesday 22 October.*

†**Lord Greaves** to move that this House takes note of the levels of government support for neighbourhood services provided by district councils and other local authorities. (*Balloted debate, 2½ hours*)

†**Lord McConnell of Glenscorrodale** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the situation in Syria and Iraq following Turkey's invasion of Syria. (*Topical Question for Short Debate, 1 hour*)

†**Lord Alton of Liverpool** to move that this House takes note of the recent political unrest in Hong Kong, and of the calls to offer residents of Hong Kong citizenship in another country. (*Balloted debate, 2½ hours*)

### **Monday 28 October 2019 at 2.30pm**

†**Baroness Hallett** and

†**Lord Hendy** will be introduced.

\***Lord Brooke of Alverthorpe** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to assess the regulation, and the general effectiveness, of methadone.

\***Baroness Doocey** to ask Her Majesty's Government what consideration they have given to granting local authorities more powers to manage their local tourism industries.

\***Baroness Gardner of Parkes** to ask Her Majesty's Government what proposals they have to regulate websites such as Airbnb; and what assessment they have made of the impact of such websites on the availability of housing for rent.

\***Lord Lexden** to ask Her Majesty's Government what progress they have made towards the restoration of devolved government in Northern Ireland.

### **Tuesday 29 October 2019 at 2.30pm**

†**Lord Ranger** will be introduced.

\***Lord Naseby** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of the use of electric scooters on public roads and pavements on (1) road users, and (2) pedestrian safety.

\***Lord Berkeley** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to give new duties to regulators to promote the achievement of net zero carbon emissions by 2050, as recommended in the National Infrastructure Commission Report *Strategic Investment and Public Confidence*, published on 11 October.

\***Lord Haskel** to ask Her Majesty's Government what is the fiscal framework within which they are making their spending promises.

### **Wednesday 30 October 2019 at 3.00pm**

\***Baroness Jones of Whitchurch** to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their policy on farm subsidies after 2020.

\***Baroness Neville-Rolfe** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to introduce a single national system for recycling plastics in England to maximise efficiency and encourage participation.

\***Lord Balfre** to ask Her Majesty's Government what estimate they have made of the number of additional deaths each month caused by doctors having to curtail their hours because of the rates of tax they would incur due to the pensions regime in the NHS.

### **Thursday 31 October 2019 at 11.00am**

\***Lord Dubs** to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their response to the demands of Extinction Rebellion.

\***Baroness Northover** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have made to coordinate joint engagement on foreign affairs with European Union member states if the United Kingdom leaves the European Union.

\***Baroness Hussein-Ece** to ask Her Majesty's Government, following the death of a newborn baby in HMP Bronzefield, whose mother reportedly gave birth alone in a cell with no medical care, what action they are taking to ensure that vulnerable pregnant women have access to good quality healthcare, and are safe, in prison.

†*Topical Question for Short Debate. Ballot opens at 10am on Monday 21 October, to be drawn at 12 noon on Tuesday 22 October.*

### **Monday 4 November 2019 at 2.30pm**

†**Baroness Wilcox of Newport** and

†**Baroness Blower** will be introduced.

\***Baroness McIntosh of Pickering** to ask Her Majesty's Government what will be the arrangements for environmental protection and upholding environmental standards between the date of the United Kingdom leaving the European Union and the establishment of any new environmental regulation regime.

\***Baroness Miller of Chilthorne Domer** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the National Biodiversity Network report *State of Nature 2019*.

\***Baroness Garden of Frognal** to ask Her Majesty's Government what guidance they have given to universities recruiting European Union students on courses longer than four years concerning the eligibility of such students for a visa for the duration of their studies.

\***Lord Leigh of Hurley** to ask Her Majesty's Government how many universities in England have adopted the International Holocaust Remembrance Alliance definition of anti-semitism; and what steps they intend to take in respect of those which have not. [I]

### **Tuesday 5 November 2019 at 2.30pm**

†**Lord Choudrey** will be introduced.

\***Lord Aberdare** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the prevalence and impact of malnutrition among people in health and social care settings; and what steps they are taking to prevent it.

\***Lord Jordan** to ask Her Majesty's Government what guidance they have given to the housebuilding sector in order to reduce the number of accidents within the home.

\***Lord Clement-Jones** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the recommendations of the report of the Digital Competition Expert Panel, *Unlocking Digital Competition*, published on 13 March.

### **Wednesday 6 November 2019 at 3.00pm**

\***Lord Scriven** to ask Her Majesty's Government what improvements they expect in protecting human rights in Bahrain after the visit of Bahraini officials to courts and probation centres in the United Kingdom.

\***Lord Addington** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to remove unnecessary bureaucracy and process from the identification and allocation of appropriate resources to help those with special educational needs within the school system.

\***Lord Cormack** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to provide financial assistance towards the maintenance of the fabric of cathedrals in England.

### **Thursday 7 November 2019 at 11.00am**

\***Lord Fox** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the delays to the construction of Hinkley Point C, what is their revised strategy for zero carbon energy generation.

\***Lord Hussain** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the human rights situation in Indian-administered Jammu and Kashmir.

\***Lord Foulkes of Cumnock** to ask Her Majesty's Government what discussions they have had with the BBC to address the funding of free TV licences for people over 75. [I]

### **Monday 11 November 2019 at 2.30pm**

\***The Lord Bishop of St Albans** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the relationship between online gaming and gambling.

\***Lord Harries of Pentregarth** to ask Her Majesty's Government what representations they are making to the government of Indonesia to ensure free access to West Papua for non-governmental organisations and the media.

\***Baroness Bull** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the reporting and referral rates for vertebral fractures across the United Kingdom.

\***Baroness Whitaker** to ask Her Majesty's Government what action they intend to take in response to the report by Baroness Kennedy of The Shaws, *A perverse and ominous enterprise: the death penalty and illegal executions in Saudi Arabia*, published in July.

### **Tuesday 12 November 2019 at 2.30pm**

†\***Lord Suri** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to ensure the protection of the right to freedom of religion or belief in their international development policies.

†\***Lord Hoyle** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to ensure the sovereignty of the people and government of Gibraltar when the United Kingdom leaves the European Union.

†\***Lord Beith** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have, if any, to change the system for appointments to the Supreme Court.

## Select Committee Reports

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

**Lord Teverson** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the European Union Committee *Fisheries: implementation and enforcement of the EU landing obligation* (26th Report, HL Paper 276). 8 February

**Lord Boswell of Aynho** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the European Union Committee *Beyond Brexit: how to win friends and influence people* (35th Report, HL Paper 322). 25 March

**Lord Saville of Newdigate** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Select Committee on the Bribery Act 2010 *The Bribery Act 2010: post-legislative scrutiny* (HL Paper 303). 14 March

**Lord Patel** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Science and Technology Committee *Forensic science and the criminal justice system: a blueprint for change* (3rd Report, HL Paper 333). 1 May

**Lord Teverson** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the European Union Committee *The EU fisheries landing obligation: six months on* (43rd Report, HL Paper 395). 16 July

**Baroness Taylor of Bolton** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Constitution Committee *Parliamentary Scrutiny of Treaties* (20th Report, HL Paper 345). 30 April

**Lord Whitty** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the European Union Committee *Brexit: road, rail and maritime transport* (39th Report, HL Paper 355). 21 May

**Lord Boswell of Aynho** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the European Union Committee *Scrutiny of international agreements: lessons learned* (42nd Report, HL Paper 387). 27 June

**Lord True** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Select Committee on Intergenerational Fairness and Provision *Tackling intergenerational unfairness* (HL Paper 329). 25 April

**Lord Forsyth of Drumlean** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Economic Affairs Committee *Rethinking High Speed 2* (6th Report, HL Paper 359). 16 May

**Lord Howell of Guildford** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the International Relations Committee *The UK's relationship with the Pacific Alliance* (8th Report, HL Paper 386). 26 June

**Lord Forsyth of Drumlean** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Economic Affairs Committee *Social care funding: time to end a national scandal* (7th Report, HL Paper 392). 4 July

## Motion Relating to Delegated Legislation

†**Lord Hodgson of Astley Abbotts** to move that this House regrets that the Her Majesty's Government have not complied with the review procedures laid down in the Civil Liability Act 2018 in respect of the Damages (Personal Injury) Order 2019. 58th Report, Session 2017–19, from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee



## Questions for Short Debate

*Time limit 1 hour or 1½ hours.*

†**Lord Naseby** to ask Her Majesty's Government, in the light of the progress made by the government of Sri Lanka since the adoption of the United Nations Human Rights Council Resolutions 30/1 (in 2015) and 34/1 (in 2017), what consideration they have given to withdrawing their sponsorship of those resolutions. *(14 October, as amended 15 October)*

†**Lord Dubs** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking (1) to ensure that child refugees have access to safe and legal routes to the United Kingdom, and (2) to provide full support to those refugees on arrival. *(15 October)*

†**Baroness Boycott** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to promote a reduction in the consumption of meat. *(15 October)*

†**Lord Harris of Haringey** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of community and societal resilience to withstand major emergencies and what steps, if any, they are taking to bolster such resilience. *(15 October)*

## Questions for Written Answer

*Tabled on 15 October and due for answer by 29 October.*

**Lord Alton of Liverpool** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made as to whether the execution of Hevrin Khalaf, the secretary-general of the Future Syria Party, constitutes a war crime. HL18049

**Lord Alton of Liverpool** to ask Her Majesty's Government what information they have about the claim by the Syrian Democratic Forces that nine executions of civilians have been carried out since the invasion of Syria by Turkey. HL18050

**Lord Alton of Liverpool** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they have discussed with the government of the United States their condemnation of the executions of Syrian civilians by Turkish-allied Syria groups; and what plans they have to seek a referral of Turkey to the International Criminal Court. HL18051

**Lord Alton of Liverpool** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they will publish the names of combatants fighting alongside Turkish forces in north-east Syria who are known to have affiliations with ISIS or other terrorist organisations. HL18052

**Lord Alton of Liverpool** to ask Her Majesty's Government what information they have received about the plight of religious or political minorities at risk from genocidaires in north-east Syria; and what action they are taking in accordance with the requirements of the Convention on the Prevention of Genocide to protect them and to bring the perpetrators to justice. HL18053

**Lord Alton of Liverpool** to ask Her Majesty's Government what progress they are making in establishing international judicial mechanisms to bring those responsible for genocide in Syria and Iraq to justice. HL18054

**Lord Bassam of Brighton** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to fund a UK-wide replacement for the Erasmus+ scheme if the UK cannot associate with the next programme in 2021–27. HL18055

**Lord Bassam of Brighton** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have, in the event of a no-deal Brexit, to guarantee funding for student exchanges for the 2020/21 academic year to bring it in line with the funding that would have been provided by the Erasmus+ scheme. HL18056

**Lord Birt** to ask Her Majesty's Government what representations they have made to the government of Bulgaria about the behaviour of spectators present at the Bulgaria vs England football match on 14 October. HL18057

**Lord Bourne of Aberystwyth** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to legislate to finance rate relief for local authorities in relation to the provision of public lavatories in the present Parliamentary session. HL18058

**Lord Bourne of Aberystwyth** to ask Her Majesty's Government what provision they are making to enable those adults whose first language is not English to learn the language to a reasonable standard; and what resources they have committed to such provision in the last 12 months. HL18059

**Lord Caine** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to promote to the people of Northern Ireland the benefits of Northern Ireland forming part of the UK. HL18060

**Lord Caine** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the economic benefits to Northern Ireland of being a part of the UK. HL18061

**Lord Caine** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether promoting the benefits to Northern Ireland of being part of the UK is one of the core functions of the Northern Ireland Office. HL18062

**Lord Caine** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they plan to take to strengthen Northern Ireland's place within the UK. HL18063

**Baroness Deech** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of (1) the accuracy of the report on the internal ethics of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency, produced in 2018, and (2) the suspension of aid by Belgium, Switzerland and the Netherlands to that Agency; and what steps they are taking in the light of the allegations of nepotism, bullying and corruption in that Agency. HL18064

**Baroness Deech** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ensure that the United Nations Relief and Works Agency has published data to the International Aid Transparency Index in order to inform their review of that Agency's performance. HL18065

**The Lord Bishop of Durham** to ask Her Majesty's Government when they plan to launch the new national strategy for English Language learning announced this autumn; and whether that strategy will include an assessment of the efficacy of English for Speakers of Other Languages as an English language learning programme. HL18066

**The Lord Bishop of Durham** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether any of the funds pledged to the Integration Areas Programme in the September spending round will be used for the provision of childcare services for English for Speakers of Other Languages participants. HL18067

**The Lord Bishop of Durham** to ask Her Majesty's Government how much of the funds pledged for the Integration Areas Programme will be used for English for Speakers of Other Languages provision. HL18068

**The Lord Bishop of Durham** to ask Her Majesty's Government what guarantee, if any, has been provided to charities and non-governmental organisations who currently receive funding from the Asylum, Migration and Integration Fund through the UK responsible authority rather than through direct bids to the European Commission. HL18069

**Lord Foulkes of Cumnock** to ask Her Majesty's Government what meetings have taken place between House of Lords Ministers and Ministers in the Scottish Government in the last six months. HL18070

**Lord Foulkes of Cumnock** to ask Her Majesty's Government who attends on their behalf meetings of the Joint Ministerial Committees with the (1) Scottish and (2) Welsh Governments. HL18071

**Lord Foulkes of Cumnock** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they have received any requests from the Scottish Government for additional powers to be devolved to the Scottish Parliament in the last six months. HL18072

**Baroness Hayter of Kentish Town** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they intend to lay regulations to implement mandatory electrical safety checks for the private rented sector; and if so, when. HL18073

**Baroness Hayter of Kentish Town** to ask Her Majesty's Government what consideration is being given to the introduction of mandatory electrical safety checks in the social rented sector. HL18074

**Baroness Hayter of Kentish Town** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the publication of the Prevention green paper in July, what steps they plan to take to address and prevent alcohol harm. HL18075

**Baroness Hayter of Kentish Town** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of alcohol on health, and health inequalities; and what plans they have to prevent alcohol harm. HL18076

**Baroness Hayter of Kentish Town** to ask Her Majesty's Government when the new Alcohol Strategy will be published. HL18077

**Baroness Hayter of Kentish Town** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to prevent alcohol harm and reduce health inequalities. HL18078

**Lord Hunt of Kings Heath** to ask Her Majesty's Government how many schools which were approved in wave 9 of the free schools programme are (1) under construction, and (2) open. HL18079

**Lord Hunt of Kings Heath** to ask Her Majesty's Government how much funding was allocated to the Continuity of Education Allowance to fund school places (1) globally, and (2) in England, in each of the last five financial years. HL18080

**Lord Hunt of Kings Heath** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to introduce legislation to make obstructive pavement parking a civil offence enforced by local authorities. HL18081

**Lord Hunt of Kings Heath** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they intend to take to deal with issues relating to pavement parking. HL18082

**Lord Hunt of Kings Heath** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of pavement parking on the safety of pedestrians. HL18083

**Lord Hunt of Kings Heath** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to remind the public that driving on the pavement is illegal. HL18084

**Lord Hylton** to ask Her Majesty's Government what discussions they have had, or intend to have, with Transport for London about the restrictions and limitations which exist for sight-seeing buses and coaches, in particular regard to (1) exhaust emissions, (2) travelling in central London during rush hours, (3) stopping and parking on double single yellow lines, and (4) using existing bus routes; and whether they will place a copy of any response in the Library of the House including details on the enforcement of any restrictions imposed. HL18085

**Lord Hylton** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they intend to immediately repatriate the children and widows of British citizens or residents in Syria, who wish to return to the UK; and if not, why not. HL18086

**Baroness Lister of Burtersett** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Lord Duncan of Springbank on 8 October (HL17821) and the report of the Department for Communities in Northern Ireland *Review of Welfare Mitigation Schemes*, published in March, which stated that "in the absence of a functioning Assembly it is considered that the only viable option for providing the legal authority for the Department to make a mitigation payment beyond 2020 would be for the Westminster Parliament to bring forward appropriate legislation", what steps they are taking to bring forward such legislation. HL18087

**Baroness Lister of Burtersett** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ensure that British citizenship is granted to a stateless person born in the UK who fulfils the conditions of paragraph 3 of Schedule 2 to the British Nationality Act 1981 but who cannot afford the registration fee. HL18088

**Baroness Lister of Burtersett** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the number of children born each year in the UK without British citizenship to (1) a parent also born in the UK without British citizenship, and (2) to a parent who grew up in this country after being brought to the UK at a young age and has continued to live here since; and what steps, if any, they are taking to reduce those numbers. HL18089

**Baroness Lister of Burtersett** to ask Her Majesty's Government what impact assessments they have conducted into the statutory good character requirement for children who register as British citizens; and whether they have undertaken any assessment of that requirement's impact on (1) children's best interests, (2) race discrimination, and (3) race relations. HL18090

**Baroness Lister of Burtersett** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of the fee for a child or young person to register as a British citizen upon people born stateless in the UK. HL18091

**Baroness Lister of Burtersett** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ensure that British citizenship is granted to stateless persons born in the UK in accordance with the UK's obligations under Article 1 of the 1961 UN Convention on the Reduction of Statelessness. HL18092

**Lord Maginnis of Drumglass** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they have made an assessment of (1) the report of the United Nations Secretary-General on the United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus, published on 10 July, (2) the willingness of the Greek Cypriot representatives to resume negotiations and (3) the likelihood of such negotiations leading to an outcome where both Turkish and Greek Cypriot groups will have political equality. HL18093

**Lord Maginnis of Drumglass** to ask Her Majesty's Government what has been their assessment of the implications of the recent Memorandum of Understanding with the Republic of Cyprus for the Government's role as a guarantor power under 1960 Treaty of Guarantee, and for the rights of the Turkish Cypriot community to be fairly represented on the island; and what were the reasons for agreeing that Memorandum. HL18094

**Lord Moonie** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Baroness Goldie on 8 October (HL17928), why approximately 90 per cent of applications from those who apply to join the Armed Forces are rejected. HL18095

**Lord Moonie** to ask Her Majesty's Government what is the average cost of external advertising for each recruit admitted into the Armed Forces over the last 12 months. HL18096

**Lord Myners** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether when the FCA processed the FSMA full Part A application made by Collateral (UK) Limited on 23 March 2016, for which Collateral paid a fee of £1,500, whether it checked the information already contained in its Interim Permission file 656714; and whether it checked details on Collateral at Companies House and the date of Collateral's incorporation in respect of the date of grant of Interim Permission. HL18097

**Lord Naseby** to ask Her Majesty's Government how pensioners who do not have a bank account will receive their pension when the contract with the Post Office expires in 2021. HL18098

**Baroness Randerson** to ask Her Majesty's Government what arrangements for a no-deal Brexit have been put in place at the port of Holyhead. HL18099

**Baroness Randerson** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to review debit card charges for retailers such as vehicle retailers which deal in high value transactions. HL18100

**Baroness Randerson** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made how the rights of, and protection for, customers and retailers are affected when high-value goods are purchased using bank transfers rather than debit cards. HL18101

**Baroness Scott of Needham Market** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the interest rate rises announced by the Public Works Loan Board. HL18102

**Lord Scriven** to ask Her Majesty's Government what representations they have made to the government of Bahrain about Bahraini human rights activist Ali Al-Hajee and his access to (1) dental implants and dental surgery, and (2) unobstructed family visitation; and whether they intend to take any further steps in relation to his case. HL18103

**Lord Scriven** to ask Her Majesty's Government what representations they have made to the government of Bahrain about Bahraini human rights activist Naji Fateel and his access to (1) medical care for his injuries purportedly sustained during torture in detention, (2) unobstructed family visitation, and (3) his right to practice his religion; and whether they intend to take any further steps in relation to his case. HL18104

**Lord Scriven** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what representations they have made to the government of Bahrain about political prisoners Hassan Mushaima and Abduljalil al-Singace and their access to specialised medical treatment without being restrained in contravention of the UN Standard Minimum Rules for the Treatment of Prisoners; and whether they intend to take any further steps in relation to those prisoners’ cases. HL18105

**Lord Scriven** to ask Her Majesty’s Government how much funding, if any, they allocated from the Defence Assistance Fund to (1) Saudi Arabia, (2) Kuwait, (3) Qatar, (4) the United Arab Emirates, (5) Oman, and (6) Bahrain, in each of the last three financial years. HL18106

**Lord Scriven** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of the findings of the report by the Bahrain Institute for Rights and Democracy and Americans for Democracy and Human Rights in Bahrain *Breaking the Silence: Bahraini Women Political Prisoners Expose Systemic Abuses*, published on 11 September, which reveals patterns of physical, psychological, and sexual torture and due process violations by law enforcement officials against women human rights activists in Bahrain. HL18107

**Lord Scriven** to ask Her Majesty’s Government, further to the report by Channel 4 about an incident at the Bahraini Embassy in London where photojournalist Moosa Mohammed was reportedly “battered with a wooden stick”, what steps they will take against the Bahraini Ambassador to the UK, and any others involved. HL18108

**Lord Steel of Aikwood** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what consideration they have given, if any, to including provisions in the Immigration and Social Security Co-ordination (EU Withdrawal) Bill for a separate short-stay visa category. HL18109

**Lord Stevenson of Balmacara** to ask Her Majesty’s Government whether the Taking Control of Goods (Fees) Regulations 2014 have ensured that VAT is no longer applied to debts enforced under a High Court judgment; and if not, what steps they will take to resolve this. HL18110

**Lord Stevenson of Balmacara** to ask Her Majesty’s Government whether children visiting farms are protected by the statutory duties on employers and others to protect the health and safety of non-employees, including members of the public, as set out in the Health and Safety at Work etc. Act 1974. HL18111

**Lord Stevenson of Balmacara** to ask Her Majesty’s Government how many cases involving children at farms have been investigated by the Health and Safety Executive in each of the last 10 years. HL18112

**Lord Stoddart of Swindon** to ask Her Majesty’s Government, further to the Written Answer by the Earl of Courtown on 8 October (HL17934), whether they will now answer the question put, namely what assessment they have made of the constitutional and political implications of the Supreme Court ruling that the Government’s decision to advise Her Majesty The Queen to prorogue Parliament was unlawful, and therefore the subsequent prorogation was void and of no effect. HL18113

**Lord Taylor of Warwick** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what plans they have to reduce violent hate crime towards disabled people. HL18114

**Lord Taylor of Warwick** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what plans, if any, they have to make 2025 the new target for zero carbon emissions. HL18115

**Lord Taylor of Warwick** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of the prediction by the Institute for Fiscal Studies that a no-deal Brexit would increase borrowing to £92 billion a year and total debt as a share of national income would rise by 2024 to 83 per cent. HL18116

**Bills in Progress**

	<b>Type of Bill</b>	<b>To be considered</b>
<b>Waiting for Second Reading</b>		
Birmingham Commonwealth Games Bill [HL] ( <i>Welsh Legislative Consent Motion passed.</i> )	Government	
Sentencing (Pre-consolidation Amendments) Bill [HL]	Government	
Divorce, Dissolution and Separation Bill [HL]	Government	
Health Service Safety Investigations Bill [HL]	Government	
Pension Schemes Bill [HL]	Government	
<b>Waiting for Commitment</b>		
High Speed Rail (West Midlands–Crewe) Bill	Hybrid	

**Statutory Instruments in Progress****Affirmative Instruments waiting for consideration by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments**

Welfare of Animals at the Time of Killing (England and Northern Ireland) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

Railways (Safety, Access, Management and Interoperability) (Miscellaneous Amendments and Transitional Provision) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

Common Fisheries Policy and Animals (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

Agriculture, Environment and Rural Affairs (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) (EU Exit) (No. 2) Regulations 2019

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

Rights, Equality and Citizenship Programme (Revocation) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

Persistent Organic Pollutants (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

Agricultural Products, Food and Drink (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

Common Organisation of the Markets in Agricultural Products (Producer Organisations and Wine) (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

Common Agricultural Policy (Market Measures, Notifications and Direct Payments) (Miscellaneous Amendments) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

Draft Representation of the People (Annual Canvass) (Amendment) Regulations 2019

Draft Criminal Justice and Courts Act 2015 (Consequential Amendment) Regulations 2019

Draft Legal Aid, Sentencing and Punishment of Offenders Act 2012 (Commencement No. 14) Order 2019

Draft Release of Prisoners (Alteration of Relevant Proportion of Sentence) Order 2019

The INSPIRE (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 Freedom of Establishment and Free Movement of Services (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 *58th Report, Session 2017–19, from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (23 October)*

Draft Waste and Environmental Protection (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 *58th Report, Session 2017–19, from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (23 October)*

Draft Pesticides (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 *59th Report, Session 2017–19, from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (16 October)*

Burundi (Sanctions) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

Guinea (Sanctions) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

Draft Plant Health (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 *(23 October)*

Draft Import and Export Licences (Amendments etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 *(16 October)*

Draft Common Agricultural Policy and Common Organisation of the Markets in Agricultural Products (Miscellaneous Amendments) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 *(16 October)*

Draft Common Organisation of the Markets in Agricultural Products (Transitional Arrangements etc.) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 *(16 October)*

Draft Environment and Wildlife (Legislative Functions) (EU Exit) (Amendment) Regulations 2019 *(16 October)*

Draft Agriculture (Miscellaneous Amendments) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 *(16 October)*

Draft Common Organisation of the Markets in Agricultural Products and Common Agricultural Policy (Miscellaneous Amendments etc.) (EU Exit) (No. 2) Regulations 2019 *(16 October)*

Draft European Parliamentary Elections Etc. (Repeal, Revocation, Amendment and Saving Provisions) (United Kingdom and Gibraltar) (EU Exit) (Amendment) Regulations 2019 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments, 69th Report, Session 2017–19. (23 October)*

Financial Services (Electronic Money, Payment Services and Miscellaneous Amendments) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 *61st Report, Session 2017–19, from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (16 October)*

Prospectus (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 *61st Report, Session 2017–19, from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (16 October)*

Competition (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) (No. 2) Regulations 2019 *61st Report, Session 2017–19, from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Specific Food Hygiene (Regulation (EC) No. 853/2004) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 *(16 October)*

Draft Electricity Supplier Obligations (Excluded Electricity) (Amendment) Regulations 2019 *(23 October)*



## Negative Instruments

Damages (Personal Injury) Order 2019 *58th Report, Session 2017–19, from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 16 October.*

Notification of Deaths Regulations 2019 *58th Report, Session 2017–19, from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 16 October.*

Universal Credit (Managed Migration Pilot and Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2019 *58th and 59th Report, Session 2017–19, from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 23 October.*

Air Navigation (Cosmic Radiation: Protection of Air Crew and Space Crew and Consequential Amendments) Order 2019 *59th Report, Session 2017–19, from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 18 October.*

School Teachers' Incentive Payments (England) Order 2019 *59th Report, Session 2017–19, from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 20 October.*

Teachers' Pensions Schemes (Amendment) Regulations 2019 *59th Report, Session 2017–19, from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 18 October.*

REACH etc. (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) (No. 3) Regulations 2019 *59th Report, Session 2017–19, from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 19 October.*

Export Control (Amendment) (No. 2) Order 2019 *59th Report, Session 2017–19, from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 23 October.*

Draft Statement of Strategic Priorities for telecommunications, the management of radio spectrum and postal services *59th Report, Session 2017–19, from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 19 October.*

Draft Code of Practice for the Welfare of Pigs *61st Report, Session 2017–19, from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 2 November.*

Heavy Commercial Vehicles in Kent (No. 3) Order 2019 *61st Report, Session 2017–19, from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 28 October.*

Town and Country Planning (North Weald Airfield) (EU Exit) Special Development Order 2019 *61st Report, Session 2017–19, from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 28 October.*

Town and Country Planning (Waterbrook Ashford) (EU Exit) Special Development Order 2019 *61st Report, Session 2017–19, from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 29 October.*

Town and Country Planning (Car Park D Ebbsfleet International Station) (EU Exit) Special Development Order 2019 *61st Report, Session 2017–19, from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 29 October.*

Food Information (Amendment) (England) Regulations 2019 *61st Report, Session 2017–19, from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 29 October.*

Ecodesign for Energy-Related Products and Energy Information (Amendment) Regulations 2019 *61st Report, Session 2017–19, from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 3 November.*

School Teachers' Pay and Conditions (England) Order 2019 *1st Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 8 November.*

### **Human Rights Remedial Orders**

*The date is the date of expiry of the statutory period*

#### **Draft orders under paragraph 2(a) referred to the Joint Committee on Human Rights**

Draft Jobseekers (Back to Work Schemes) Act 2013 (Remedial) Order 2019 23 November

Draft Human Rights Act 1998 (Remedial) Order 2019 14 December

#### **Proposal for order reported from the Joint Committee on Human Rights**

Draft Fatal Accidents Act 1976 (Remedial) Order 2019 21st Report

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

Network and Information Systems (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) (No. 2) Regulations 2019 *Sifting period expires: 31 October*

### **Other Instrument**

#### **Public Bodies Order**

*The date is the date of expiry of the statutory period*

#### **Draft Order waiting for consideration by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments**

Draft Public Bodies (Abolition of Public Works Loan Commissioners) Order 2019 22 November

## 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.*

#### **Wednesday 16 October**

EU Energy and Environment Sub-Committee	Room 2	9.30am
EU Financial Affairs Sub-Committee	Room 3A	10.00am
Constitution Committee	Room 1	10.15am
House of Lords Commission	The Lord Speaker's Room	10.30am
Human Rights (Joint Committee)	Room 1	3.00pm

#### **Thursday 17 October**

EU External Affairs Sub-Committee	Room 1	10.00am
EU Internal Market Sub-Committee	Room 4	11.00am

#### **Monday 21 October**

European Union Committee	Room 3	12.00pm
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#### **Tuesday 22 October**

Science and Technology Committee	Room 1	10.15am
EU Justice Sub-Committee	Room 3	10.30am
Communications Committee	Room 2	3.15pm
Economic Affairs Committee	Room 1	3.30pm
Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee	Room 3A	3.45pm

#### **Wednesday 23 October**

EU Home Affairs Sub-Committee	Room 3	10.30am
International Relations Committee	Room 4	10.40am
Finance Committee	Residence 1	4.15pm

#### **Thursday 24 October**

Services Committee	Room 2	1.00pm
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#### **Tuesday 29 October**

Ecclesiastical Committee (Statutory Committee)	The Moses Room	11.00am
Electoral Registration and Administration Act 2013 Committee	Room 2A	3.15pm

#### **Monday 4 November**

Economic Affairs: Finance Bill Sub-Committee	Room 2	3.00pm
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#### **Wednesday 6 November**

Conduct Committee	Room 2	4.00pm
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## Minutes of Proceedings of Tuesday 15 October 2019

*The House met at 2.30pm.*

*Prayers were read by the Lord Bishop of Coventry.*

**1 Baroness Bennett of Manor Castle** Natalie Louise Bennett, having been created Baroness Bennett of Manor Castle, of Camden in the London Borough of Camden, for life by Letters Patent dated in the forenoon of 7 October 2019, was introduced between Baroness Jones of Moulsecoomb and Lord Bird, made and subscribed the solemn affirmation and signed an undertaking to abide by the Code of Conduct.

**2 Lord Brownlow of Shurlock Row** David Ellis Brownlow, CVO, having been created Baron Brownlow of Shurlock Row, of Shurlock Row in the Royal County of Berkshire, for life by Letters Patent dated in the afternoon of 9 October 2019, was introduced between Baroness Chisholm of Owlpen and Lord Callanan, took and subscribed the oath and signed an undertaking to abide by the Code of Conduct.

### Select Committee Report

#### 3 Secondary Legislation Scrutiny

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

Report on certain instruments, including:

School Teachers' Pay and Conditions (England) Order 2019

Correspondence: Missing Defra statutory instruments. (1st Report, HL Paper 3)

### Public Business

**4 Birmingham Commonwealth Games Bill [HL]** Baroness Barran presented a bill to make provision about the Commonwealth Games that are to be held principally in Birmingham in 2022; and for connected purposes. It was read a first time and ordered to be printed. (HL Bill 1)

**5 Birmingham Commonwealth Games Bill [HL]** The Explanatory Notes on the bill were ordered to be printed. (HL Bill 1–EN)

**6 Sentencing (Pre-consolidation Amendments) Bill [HL]** Lord Keen of Elie presented a bill to give effect to Law Commission recommendations relating to commencement of enactments relating to sentencing law and to make provision for pre-consolidation amendments of sentencing law. It was read a first time and ordered to be printed. (HL Bill 2)

**7 Sentencing (Pre-consolidation Amendments) Bill [HL]** The Explanatory Notes on the bill were ordered to be printed. (HL Bill 2–EN)

**8 Divorce, Dissolution and Separation Bill [HL]** Lord Keen of Elie presented a bill to make in relation to marriage and civil partnership in England and Wales provision about divorce, dissolution and separation; and for connected purposes. It was read a first time and ordered to be printed. (HL Bill 3)

**9 Divorce, Dissolution and Separation Bill [HL]** The Explanatory Notes on the bill were ordered to be printed. (HL Bill 3–EN)

**10 Health Service Safety Investigations Bill [HL]** Baroness Blackwood of North Oxford presented a bill to establish the Health Service Safety Investigations Body and to confer the function of carrying out investigations and other functions on that body; to make provision in connection with investigations carried out by that body; to make provision about medical examiners; and for connected purposes. It was read a first time and ordered to be printed. (HL Bill 4)

**11 Health Service Safety Investigations Bill [HL]** The Explanatory Notes on the bill were ordered to be printed. (HL Bill 4–EN)

12 **Pension Schemes Bill [HL]** Baroness Stedman-Scott presented a bill to make provision about pension schemes. It was read a first time and ordered to be printed. (HL Bill 5)

13 **Pension Schemes Bill [HL]** The Explanatory Notes on the bill were ordered to be printed. (HL Bill 5-EN)

14 **Northern Syria: Turkish incursion** Lord Ahmad of Wimbledon repeated as a ministerial statement the answer given to an Urgent Question in the House of Commons.

15 **Football: racism** Baroness Barran repeated as a ministerial statement the answer given to an Urgent Question in the House of Commons.

16 **Queen's Speech** The debate on the motion that a Humble Address be presented to Her Majesty was resumed and, after further debate, was again adjourned until 16 October.

17 **High Speed Rail (West Midlands-Crewe) Bill** The bill, having been brought from the Commons was, pursuant to the resolution of 9 September, deemed to have been read a first and second time; the Bill was ordered to be printed (HL Bill 6).

18 **High Speed Rail (West Midlands-Crewe) Bill** The Explanatory Notes on the bill were ordered to be printed. (HL Bill 6-EN)

19 **High Speed Rail (West Midlands-Crewe) Bill** The petition against the bill from Colwich Parish Council (No. 26) was withdrawn.

*The House adjourned at 7.39pm until Wednesday 16 October at 3.00pm.*

**Ed Ollard**  
*Clerk of the Parliaments*

## Papers

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

### Affirmative Instruments

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

1. The INSPIRE (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 (1352)

### Negative Instrument

The following instrument was laid before the House:

1. Public Interest Disclosure (Prescribed Persons) (Amendment) Order 2019 (1341)

### Papers not subject to Parliamentary Proceedings

The following papers were laid before the House:

1. Government Response to the Fifteenth Report from the Joint Committee on Human Rights, Session 2017–19, on the Proposal for a draft Human Rights Act 1998 (Remedial) Order 2019
2. Account of the National Insurance Fund 2018–19
3. Account of the Northern Ireland National Insurance Fund 2018–19
4. Government Response to the 2019 Progress Report to Parliament by the Committee on Climate Change: Progress in preparing for climate change
5. Government Response to the 2019 Progress Report to Parliament by the Committee on Climate Change: Reducing UK emissions: Leading on Clean Growth
6. Report and Accounts of United Kingdom Anti-Doping Limited 2018–19
7. Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Post Office Limited 2018–19
8. Report of the Post Office Network 2019

### Other Instrument

#### 1. Human Rights Remedial Order

The following Remedial Order was laid before the House for approval by resolution under paragraph 2(a) of Schedule 2 to the Human Rights Act 1998 and referred to the Joint Committee on Human Rights:

Draft Human Rights Act 1998 (Remedial) Order 2019

### Proposed Negative Statutory Instrument

The following paper was laid under the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018:

1. Network and Information Systems (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) (No. 2) Regulations 2019



