

Saturday 19 October 2019 at 10.00am

†**Lord Callanan** to move that for the purposes of section 1(1)(b) of the European Union (Withdrawal) (No. 2) Act 2019 and section 13(1)(c) of the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018, this House takes note of the negotiated withdrawal agreement titled “Agreement on the withdrawal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland from the European Union and the European Atomic Energy Community” and the framework for the future relationship titled “Political Declaration setting out the framework for the future relationship between the European Union and the United Kingdom” that the United Kingdom has concluded with the European Union under Article 50(2) of the Treaty on European Union, as well as a “Declaration by Her Majesty’s Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland concerning the operation of the ‘Democratic consent in Northern Ireland’ provision of the Protocol on Ireland/Northern Ireland”, copies of which three documents were laid before the House on Saturday 19 October.

†**Lord Callanan** to move that, for the purposes of section 1(2)(b) of the European Union (Withdrawal) (No. 2) Act 2019, this House takes note of the statement laid before the House on Saturday 19 October titled “Statement that the United Kingdom is to leave the European Union without an agreement having been reached under Article 50(2) of the Treaty on European Union”.

Future Business**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.

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



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

Lord Bethell intends to move the following three motions en bloc: but if any Lord objects the motions must be moved separately to the extent desired.

Financial Services (Electronic Money, Payment Services and Miscellaneous Amendments) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 Lord Bethell to move that the Regulations laid before the House on 5 September be approved. *61st Report, Session 2017–19, from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Considered in Grand Committee on 16 October*

Specific Food Hygiene (Regulation (EC) No. 853/2004) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 Lord Bethell to move that the Regulations laid before the House on 9 September be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 16 October*

Prospectus (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 Lord Bethell to move that the Regulations laid before the House on 5 September be approved. *61st Report, Session 2017–19, from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Considered in Grand Committee on 16 October*

†**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 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 to be drawn at 1pm on Friday 18 October.

†*The Senior Deputy Speaker intends to move the following five motions en bloc: but if any Lord objects the motions must be moved separately to the extent desired.*

†**International Relations and Defence** The Senior Deputy Speaker to move that a Select Committee be appointed to consider the United Kingdom’s international relations and issues relating to UK defence policy and that, as proposed by the Committee of Selection, the following members be appointed to the Committee:

Alton of Liverpool, L.	Helic, B.
Anelay of St Johns, B. (<i>Chair</i>)	Mendelsohn, L.
Blackstone, B.	Purvis of Tweed, L.
Fall, B.	Rawlings, B.
Grocott, L.	Reid of Cardowan, L.
Hannay of Chiswick, L.	Smith of Newnham, B.

That the Committee have power to appoint specialist advisers;

That the Committee have power to send for persons, papers and records;

That the Committee have power to adjourn from place to place;

That the Committee have leave to report from time to time;

That the reports of the Committee be printed, regardless of any adjournment of the House;

That the evidence taken by the International Relations Committee in the last session of Parliament be referred to the Committee;

That the evidence taken by the Committee be published, if the Committee so wishes.

†**Electoral Registration and Administration Act 2013** The Senior Deputy Speaker to move that a Select Committee be appointed to consider and report on the Electoral Registration and Administration Act 2013, and to make recommendations; and that, as proposed by the Committee of Selection, the following members be appointed to the Committee:

Adams of Craigielea, B.	Lexden, L.
Campbell-Savours, L.	Mallalieu, B.
Dykes, L.	Pidding, B.
Eaton, B.	Shutt of Greetland, L. (<i>Chair</i>)
Hayward, L.	Suttie, B.
Janvrin, L.	Wills, L.

That the Committee have power to appoint specialist advisers;

That the Committee have power to send for persons, papers and records;

That the Committee have power to adjourn from place to place;

That the evidence taken by the Committee be published, if the Committee so wishes;

That the evidence taken by the Select Committee on the Electoral Registration and Administration Act 2013 in the last session of Parliament be referred to the Committee;

That the Committee do report by 21 May 2020;

That the report of the Committee be printed, regardless of any adjournment of the House.

†**Social and Economic Impact of the Gambling Industry** The Senior Deputy Speaker to move that a Select Committee be appointed to consider the social and economic impact of the gambling industry, and to make recommendations; and that, as proposed by the Committee of Selection, the following members be appointed to the Committee:

Armstrong of Hill Top, B.	Mancroft, L.
Butler of Brockwell, L.	Smith of Hindhead, L.
Filkin, L.	St Albans, Bp.
Foster of Bath, L.	Thornhill, B.
Grade of Yarmouth, L. (<i>Chair</i>)	Trevethin and Oaksey, L.
Layard, L.	Watts, L.

That the Committee have power to appoint specialist advisers;

That the Committee have power to send for persons, papers and records;

That the Committee have power to adjourn from place to place;

That the evidence taken by the Committee be published, if the Committee so wishes;

That the evidence taken by the Select Committee on the Social and Economic Impact of the Gambling Industry in the last session of Parliament be referred to the Committee;

That the Committee do report by 21 May 2020;

That the report of the Committee be printed, regardless of any adjournment of the House.

†**Democracy and Digital Technologies** The Senior Deputy Speaker to move that a Select Committee be appointed to consider democracy and digital technologies, and to make recommendations; and that, as proposed by the Committee of Selection, the following members be appointed to the Committee:

Black of Brentwood, L.	Lipsey, L.
Dobbs, L.	Lucas, L.
German, L.	Mitchell, L.
Harris of Haringey, L.	Morris of Yardley, B.
Holmes of Richmond, L.	Puttnam, L. (<i>Chair</i>)
Kidron, B.	Scriven, L.
Knight of Weymouth, L.	

That the Committee have power to appoint specialist advisers;

That the Committee have power to send for persons, papers and records;

That the Committee have power to adjourn from place to place;

That the evidence taken by the Committee be published, if the Committee so wishes;

That the evidence taken by the Select Committee on Democracy and Digital Technologies in the last session of Parliament be referred to the Committee;

That the Committee do report by 21 May 2020;

That the report of the Committee be printed, regardless of any adjournment of the House.

†**Food, Poverty, Health and the Environment** The Senior Deputy Speaker to move that a Select Committee be appointed to consider the links between inequality, public health and food sustainability; and that, as proposed by the Committee of Selection, the following members be appointed to the Committee:

Boycott, B.	Parminter, B.
Caithness, E.	Redfern, B.
Empey, L.	Rooker, L.
Janke, B.	Sater, B.
Krebs, L. (<i>Chair</i>)	Whitty, L.
Osamor, B.	

That the Committee have power to appoint specialist advisers;

That the Committee have power to send for persons, papers and records;

That the Committee have power to adjourn from place to place;

That the evidence taken by the Committee be published, if the Committee so wishes;

That the evidence taken by the Select Committee on Food, Poverty, Health and the Environment in the last session of Parliament be referred to the Committee;

That the Committee do report by 21 May 2020;

That the report of the Committee be printed, regardless of any adjournment of the House.

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 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

Lord Hendy and

Baroness Hunt of Bethnal Green 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 Balfé** 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 Frogna** 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 and

Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick 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.

Wednesday 13 November 2019 at 3.00pm

***Lord Selkirk of Douglas** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to support the establishment of educational provision at the planned memorial to those under British command at the D-Day landings in Ver-sur-Mer.

***Baroness Redfern** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the effect of vaping on public health.

***Baroness Boycott** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to monitor the standards of free school meals.

Thursday 14 November 2019 at 11.00am

†***Baroness Seccombe** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have (1) to make cricket more accessible for younger generations, and (2) to add televised cricket competitions to the list of sporting events that must be offered to the main free-to-air terrestrial broadcasters.

†***Lord Kirkhope of Harrogate** to ask Her Majesty's Government, following the publication of *Transforming children and young people's mental health provision: a green paper* in December 2017, what progress they have made in reducing waiting times for additional support for children and young people, particularly through mental health support teams and the Link Programme.

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 Chadlington** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of the convergence of gaming and gambling on the level of gambling-related harm in the United Kingdom. *(17 October)*

†**Baroness Doocey** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of National Health Service charges on vulnerable groups of migrant women. *(17 October)*

Questions for Written Answer

Tabled on 17 October and due for answer by 31 October.

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty's Government why there has been a delay in their publication of the next edition of the review of compliance with the Sino-British Declaration on Hong Kong. HL183

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the joint report by the APPG for the Pakistani Minorities and the APPG for International Freedom of Religion or Belief *Religious minorities of Pakistan: report of a parliamentary visit*, published on 9 September. HL185

Lord Bassam of Brighton to ask Her Majesty's Government how many football-related racist incidents were recorded in each year since 2009. HL180

Lord Bassam of Brighton to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to investigate the possibility of increasing the penalties for football-related racist attacks and incidents. HL181

Lord Bassam of Brighton to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to review the Football (Disorder) Act 2000 with a view to increasing penalties for racist incidents. HL182

Lord Birt to ask Her Majesty's Government what percentage of vehicles used to convey Cabinet, and other ministers, are all-electric. HL184

Lord Bourne of Aberystwyth to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to commemorate the 25th anniversary of the genocide at Srebrenica. HL175

Lord Bourne of Aberystwyth to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have (1) to encourage the reporting of hate crime, and (2) to achieve successful prosecutions for hate crime. HL176

Lord Brougham and Vaux to ask Her Majesty's Government when the refurbishment of Wellington Barracks is likely to start; and what plans they have for the future of Hyde Park Barracks. HL179

Baroness Doocey to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking, if any, to ensure that there is a competitive and fair purchasing process for Thomas Cook's former airline routes. HL186

Baroness Doocey to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking, if any, to ensure that there is a competitive and fair purchasing process for Thomas Cook's former landing and take-off slots at Gatwick Airport. HL187

Baroness Doocey to ask Her Majesty's Government what estimate they have made of the costs to the public arising from the collapse of Thomas Cook as a result of (1) the repatriation of passengers, and (2) the loss of tax revenues received from the company. HL188

Baroness Doocey to ask Her Majesty's Government, following the collapse of Thomas Cook, what steps they intend to take, if any, to help protect tour operators from bankruptcies. HL189

Baroness Doocey to ask Her Majesty's Government, following the collapse of Thomas Cook, what steps they intend to take, if any, to help airlines mitigate risks of bankruptcy. HL190

Baroness Doocey to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to conduct a review of the collapse of Thomas Cook; and if so, to what timescale. HL191

Lord Greaves to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they have taken to improve and extend the cycle network since the publication of their *Cycling and Walking Investment Strategy* in 2017. HL192

Lord Greaves to ask Her Majesty's Government under what powers the police may confiscate camping equipment, food, solar panels, portable lavatories and litter bins, which are being stored in connection with planned demonstrations; and whether the police are required to keep a record of such items that are seized, and to store them in appropriate conditions. HL193

Lord Greaves to ask Her Majesty's Government whether there is any recourse for the owners of items that are damaged when the police remove them from the site of demonstrations; and whether the owners of such items can reclaim them from the police. HL194

Baroness Hayter of Kentish Town to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the report by the Fraser of Allander Institute *Economic Perspectives: Could a reduction in alcohol consumption be good news for the UK economy?*, published in June 2018, in particular its finding that an increase in alcohol taxes could boost national income and create 17,000 jobs; and what steps, if any, they intend to take in response to that finding. HL195

Baroness Hayter of Kentish Town to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of raising alcohol duty on Her Majesty's Treasury's income. HL196

Baroness Hayter of Kentish Town to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the research by the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine *Pregnancy, Fertility, Breastfeeding, and Alcohol Consumption: An Analysis of Framing and Completeness of Information Disseminated by Alcohol Industry-Funded Organizations*, published on 13 October, which found that the information provided by alcohol industry-funded organisations is misleading about the risks to pregnant women of consuming alcohol, what steps they intend to take to ensure that pregnant women are given accurate information about such risks. HL197

Baroness Hayter of Kentish Town to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the research by the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine *Pregnancy, Fertility, Breastfeeding, and Alcohol Consumption: An Analysis of Framing and Completeness of Information Disseminated by Alcohol Industry-Funded Organizations*, published on 13 October, what plans they have to make warnings of the risks of consuming alcohol in pregnancy mandatory. HL198

Baroness Hayter of Kentish Town to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they plan to take to ensure that they meet the deadline to remove the out-of-date Chief Medical Officer's guidelines from alcohol product labels. HL199

Lord Hutton of Furness to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to their commitment to reduce carbon emissions to net-zero by 2050, made on 27 June, what plans they have to require that all new (1) policy, (2) legislation, and (3) regulations, are accompanied by impact assessments setting out their effect on carbon emissions. HL177

Lord Hylton to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they have received any evidence of the recent use by Turkey in northern Syria of (1) white phosphorus in gas or solid form, and (2) flechettes; and whether there is any evidence to suggest that detention camps have been targeted by Turkish forces with a view to freeing ISIS fighters. HL200

Lord Hylton to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to support the resettlement of vulnerable children and unaccompanied minors from the Greek Islands. HL201

Lord Hylton to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans, if any, they have to evacuate critically ill children from Greece whose access to adequate and timely healthcare services in that country is obstructed by their migrant status. HL202

Lord Hylton to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps, if any, they are taking to ensure the provision of essential healthcare and mental healthcare for unaccompanied minors in Greece. HL203

Lord Hylton to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to consult *Médecins Sans Frontières* about the ways in which healthcare for unaccompanied asylum-seeking young people in France can be improved, including psycho-social support. HL204

Baroness Jones of Whitchurch to ask Her Majesty's Government what estimate they have made of the tonnage of UK fruit and vegetables that were not harvested and left in the fields as a result of a shortage of seasonal workers. HL205

Baroness Jones of Whitchurch to ask Her Majesty's Government when they intend to introduce extended producer responsibility charges for manufactures producing plastic packaging. HL206

Baroness Jones of Whitchurch to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to prevent the increased use of virgin plastics in products as a result of the rise in the cost of recycled plastic flakes. HL207

The Earl of Lytton to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by the Financial Secretary to the Treasury on 8 October (HC294199), when the Ministry of Housing, Communities and Local Government will (1) launch, and (2) conclude, its review of the effectiveness of the Check, Challenge, Appeal system; and whether business rates payers will be consulted as part of such a review. HL178

Lord Oates to ask Her Majesty's Government when they last met with the government of Zimbabwe at ministerial level to discuss the economic crisis in that country. HL208

Lord Oates to ask Her Majesty's Government what discussions they have had with the government of South Africa about the economic crisis in Zimbabwe. HL209

Lord Oates to ask Her Majesty's Government what discussions they have had with the EU about the economic crisis in Zimbabwe. HL210

Lord Oates to ask Her Majesty's Government what discussions they have had with any international partners about political and economic reform in Zimbabwe, and bilateral and multilateral financing for that country. HL211

Baroness O'Loan to ask Her Majesty's Government whether women in Northern Ireland considering an abortion between 22 October 2019 and 31 March 2020 will be offered counselling equivalent to that offered to women in England and Wales. HL212

Baroness O'Loan to ask Her Majesty's Government how they will ensure that women's safety and well-being are protected should decriminalisation of abortion in Northern Ireland lead to unregulated abortions. HL213

Baroness O'Loan to ask Her Majesty's Government what legal frameworks will be in place between 22 October 2019 and 31 March 2020 to protect health professionals in Northern Ireland with a conscientious objection to abortion. HL214

Baroness O'Loan to ask Her Majesty's Government what the legal framework for abortion in Northern Ireland will be on 31 March 2020 if a majority of Northern Ireland voters state that they are opposed to new abortion legislation. HL215

Lord Palmer to ask the Senior Deputy Speaker what was the cost of this year's refurbishment of the House of Lords' River Restaurant. HL216

Lord Storey to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to prevent children accessing pornography online now that they do not intend to introduce age verification for pornographic websites. HL217

Lord Storey to ask Her Majesty's Government when the Silver Jubilee Bridge in Runcorn will reopen. HL218

Lord Trefgarne to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Baroness Vere of Norbiton on 9 September (HL17697), what plans they have to review the legal framework under which public utility companies can obstruct the highway for urgent repairs particularly in the Greater London Authority area; and which projects they are taking forward to modernise the current regime. HL174

Bills in Progress

	Type of Bill	To be considered
Waiting for Second Reading		
Divorce, Dissolution and Separation Bill [HL]	Government	
Health Service Safety Investigations Bill [HL]	Government	
Pension Schemes Bill [HL]	Government	
Historical Institutional Abuse (Northern Ireland) Bill [HL]	Government	
Higher Education Cheating Services Prohibition Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Unaccompanied Asylum Seeking Children (Legal Advice and Appeals) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Traffic Management (Amendment) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Gambling Act 2005 (Amendment) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Duchy of Cornwall Bill [HL] (<i>Queen's and Prince of Wales' consent to be signified</i>)	Private Member's	
Waiting for Commitment		
High Speed Rail (West Midlands–Crewe) Bill	Hybrid	
Waiting for Third Reading		
Birmingham Commonwealth Games Bill [HL] (<i>Welsh Legislative Consent Motion passed.</i>)	Government	
Sentencing (Pre-consolidation Amendments) Bill [HL] (<i>Law Commission Bill</i>)	Government	

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

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*

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

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

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

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

Draft Agriculture (Miscellaneous Amendments) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

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

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 (21 October)*

Prospectus (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 *61st Report, Session 2017–19, from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (21 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 (21 October)

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

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

Negative Instruments

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

Universal Credit (Managed Migration Pilot and Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2019 *58th and 59th Reports, 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 order 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*

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: 30 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*

Retirement

The following member of the House has given notice of her intention to retire.

Baroness Emerton (1 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.

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

Constitution Committee	Room 1	10.15am
EU Home Affairs Sub-Committee	Room 3	10.30am
EU Energy and Environment Sub-Committee	Room 2	10.30am
International Relations Committee	Room 4	10.40am
Human Rights (Joint Committee)	Room 1	3.00pm
Statutory Instruments (Joint Committee)	Room 7	3.45pm
Finance Committee	Room 1	4.15pm

Thursday 24 October

EU External Affairs Sub-Committee	Room 1	10.00am
EU Internal Market Sub-Committee	Room 4	10.15am
Services Committee	Room 2	1.00pm

Tuesday 29 October

Democracy and Digital Technologies Committee	Room 2	10.00am
Food, Poverty, Health and Environment Committee	Room 2A	10.30am
Ecclesiastical Committee (Statutory Committee)	The Moses Room	11.00am
Electoral Registration and Administration Act 2013 Committee	Room 2A	3.15pm
Gambling Industry Committee	Room 4	3.15pm

Wednesday 30 October

EU Financial Affairs Sub-Committee	Room 3A	10.00am
Delegated Powers and Regulatory Reform Committee	Room 2A	10.30am

Monday 4 November

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

House of Lords Commission	The Lord Speaker's Room	10.30am
Conduct Committee	Room 3	4.00pm

Minutes of Proceedings of Thursday 17 October 2019

The House met at 11.00am.

Prayers were read by the Lord Bishop of Coventry.

1 **Lord Barwell** The Rt Hon. Gavin Laurence Barwell, having been created Baron Barwell, of Croydon in the London Borough of Croydon, for life by Letters Patent dated in the afternoon of 7 October 2019, was introduced between Lord Young of Cookham and Lord Gilbert of Panteg, made and subscribed the solemn affirmation and signed an undertaking to abide by the Code of Conduct.

2 **Lord Davies of Gower** Henry Byron Davies, Esquire, having been created Lord Davies of Gower in the County of Swansea, for life by Letters Patent dated in the forenoon of 10 October 2019, was introduced between Lord Stevens of Kirkwhelpington and Lord Bourne of Aberystwyth, took and subscribed the oath and signed an undertaking to abide by the Code of Conduct.

3 **Notification of retirement** The Clerk of the Parliaments informed the House that he had received written notice from Baroness Emerton under section 1 of the House of Lords Reform Act 2014 stating that she would retire from the House on 1 November.

Public Business

4 **South Africa: money laundering and corruption** A question was asked by Lord Hain and answered by Lord Ahmad of Wimbledon.

5 **Bailiff reforms** A question was asked by Baroness Meacher and answered by Lord Keen of Elie.

6 **Brexit: customs controls at Holyhead** A question was asked by Lord Wigley and answered by Lord Callanan.

7 **Education: special educational needs budgets** A question was asked by Lord Watson of Invergowrie and answered by Lord Agnew of Oulton.

8 **Higher Education Cheating Services Prohibition Bill [HL]** Lord Storey presented a bill to make it an offence to provide or advertise cheating services for Higher Education assessments. It was read a first time and ordered to be printed. (HL Bill 8)

9 **Unaccompanied Asylum Seeking Children (Legal Advice and Appeals) Bill [HL]** Baroness Hussein-Ece, on behalf of Lord Roberts of Llandudno, presented a bill to make provision for unaccompanied asylum seeking children to receive legal advice and for extending the deadline for an unaccompanied asylum seeking child to appeal an asylum decision. It was read a first time and ordered to be printed. (HL Bill 9)

10 **Traffic Management (Amendment) Bill [HL]** Baroness Pinnock presented a bill to make provision in relation to the civil enforcement of speeding contraventions. It was read a first time and ordered to be printed. (HL Bill 10)

11 **Gambling Act 2005 (Amendment) Bill [HL]** The Lord Bishop of Coventry, on behalf of The Lord Bishop of St Albans, presented a bill to prohibit payments for remote gambling to be made using money obtained on credit and to prohibit the use of cash machines on premises licensed for gambling. It was read a first time and ordered to be printed. (HL Bill 11)

12 **Duchy of Cornwall Bill [HL]** Lord Berkeley presented a bill to amend the succession to the title of the Duke of Cornwall; to remove various powers, exemptions and immunities from the Duchy of Cornwall; to make provisions relating to the Treasury Solicitor and any solicitor or attorney appointed in the affairs of the Duchy; and for connected purposes. It was read a first time and ordered to be printed. (HL Bill 12)

13 **Online pornography: age verification** Baroness Barran repeated as a ministerial statement the answer given to an Urgent Question in the House of Commons.

14 **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 21 October.

15 **Northern Ireland (Executive Formation etc) Act 2019: section 3(5)** Lord Duncan of Springbank moved 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. After debate, the motion was agreed to.

The House adjourned at 6.54pm until Saturday 19 October at 10.00am.

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.

Command Paper

The following paper was presented to the House by command of Her Majesty:

1. Post-Legislative Scrutiny—Memorandum to the House of Commons Justice Committee on Post-Legislative Assessment of the Defamation Act 2013. (180)

Treaty subject to scrutiny under the Constitutional Reform and Governance Act 2010

The following paper was laid before the House by command of Her Majesty:

1. Air Services—Agreement between the United Kingdom and Montenegro on Air Services (181)

Papers not subject to Parliamentary Proceedings

The following papers were laid before the House:

1. Report and Accounts of the Regulator of Social Housing 2018–19
2. Report of the Judicial Appointments and Conduct Ombudsman 2018–19
3. Strategic plan of the Independent Anti-Slavery Commissioner for 2019–21
4. Memorandum of understanding between HM Treasury, the Bank of England, the Prudential Regulation Authority and the Financial Conduct Authority: equivalence and exemptions

