

GOVERNMENT WHIPS' OFFICE  
HOUSE OF LORDS

**TODAY'S LISTS**  
**WEDNESDAY 23 OCTOBER 2019**

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

**Business in the Chamber at 3.00pm**

*Prayers by the Bishop of Salisbury (5 mins)*

*Oral Questions (30 mins)*

- \* 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 Keen of Elie, MoJ)**
- \* Lord Greaves to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the effectiveness of the EU Settlement Scheme. **(Baroness Williams of Trafford, HO)**
- \* 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. **(Lord Ahmad of Wimbledon; FCO)**
- \* Lord Dubs to ask Her Majesty's Government what proposals they have regarding British people who joined ISIS and are now being held in custody by the Kurds. **(Baroness Williams of Trafford, HO)**

*Business expected to be brief*

**Five Statutory Instrument approval motions en bloc – Lord Gardiner of Kimble**

**Two Statutory Instrument approval motions en bloc– Baroness Chisholm of Owlpen**

**Birmingham Commonwealth Games Bill [HL] – Third Reading – Baroness Barran**

*Urgent Question Repeat*

**Immediately after Third Reading of the Birmingham Commonwealth Games Bill, Lord Ahmad of Wimbledon will repeat an answer to a UQ on North East Syria.**

*Main Business*

**Freedom of Establishment and Free Movement of Services (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 - approval motion – Lord Duncan of Springbank**

- **amendment to the approval motion – Lord Stevenson of Balmacara**

**Electricity Supplier Obligations (Excluded Electricity) (Amendment) Regulations 2019 – approval motion – Lord Duncan of Springbank**

**Waste and Environmental Protection (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 – approval motion – Baroness Chisholm of Owlpen**

**Plant Health (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 – approval motion – Lord Gardiner of Kimble**

**European Parliamentary Elections Etc. (Repeal, Revocation, Amendment and Saving Provisions) (United Kingdom and Gibraltar) (EU Exit) (Amendment) Regulations 2019 – approval motion – Earl Howe**

*Estimated rising time*

The House is expected to rise at 7:30pm.

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*Notes:*

- *This document sets out the matters for the day's business which the Government Whips' Office coordinates: Speakers' Lists (Companion 4.26), ministerial statements (Companion 6.02) and the grouping of amendments (Companion 8.70). It is not the formal order paper, which is produced by the Clerk of the Parliaments and is available from the Printed Paper Office and [www.parliament.uk/lords](http://www.parliament.uk/lords)*
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