

GOVERNMENT WHIPS' OFFICE
HOUSE OF LORDS

TODAY'S LISTS
THURSDAY 23 JANUARY 2020

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

Business in the Chamber at 11.00am

Prayers by the Bishop of Birmingham (5 mins)

Introduction

Baroness Hallett will be introduced

Oral Questions (30 mins)

- * Baroness Quin to ask Her Majesty's Government what discussions they have held with representatives of environmental organisations about the environmental aspects of government trade policy. **(Lord Gardiner of Kimble, DEFRA)**
- * Lord Hain to ask Her Majesty's Government what proposals they have for legislation providing similar powers to United States government sanctions. **(Lord Ahmad of Wimbledon, FCO)**
- * Lord Kennedy of Southwark to ask Her Majesty's Government what action they are taking to reduce homelessness. **(Viscount Younger of Leckie, MHCLG)**
- * Baroness Thornton to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they plan to ban repair of hymen surgery. **(Lord Bethell, DHSC)**

Oral Questions to the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport (20 mins)

Lord Lucas to ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport whether digital inclusion is a priority for Her Majesty's Government; and what plans the Secretary of State has to incorporate it in future Government policy.

Lord Moynihan to ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport what steps she is taking to improve access to sport and recreational facilities and opportunities (1) during, and (2) outside of, school hours.

Lord Young of Norwood Green to ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport what assessment she has made of the report by David Perry QC, TV Licence Fee Enforcement Review, published in July 2015; and what steps she has taken since that report was published.

Business expected to be brief

Business of the House Motion – Baroness Evans of Bowes Park

Main Business

The following two motions are expected to be debated together:

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, Session 2017–19, HL Paper 276).

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, Session 2017–19, HL Paper 395).

Advisory backbench speaking time: 7 minutes

Speakers:

- L Teverson
- D Montrose
- B Young of Old Scone
- B Byford
- 5 L Cameron of Dillington
- V Hanworth
- B Bennett of Manor Castle
- L Thurlow

- L Addington
- 10 B Jones of Whitchurch
- L Goldsmith of Richmond Park
- L Teverson

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, Session 2017–19, HL Paper 359).

Advisory backbench speaking time: 7 minutes

Speakers:

- L Forsyth of Drumlean
- L Hollick
- L Bradshaw
- L Kerr of Kinlochard
- 5 B Neville-Rolfe
- L Adonis

- L Rodgers of Quarry Bank
L Kerslake
L Howard of Rising
L Grocott
10 B Kramer
L Mair
L Howell of Guildford
L Berkeley
L Greaves
15 V Astor
L Faulkner of Worcester
L Shipley
L Fairfax of Cameron
B Young of Old Scone
20 L Randall of Uxbridge
L Desai
L Framlingham
L Hunt of Kings Heath
B Bennett of Manor Castle
25 L Monks
L Turnbull
L Truscott

B Randerson
L Collins of Highbury
30 B Vere of Norbiton
L Forsyth of Drumlean

Royal Assent

Estimated rising time

The House is expected to rise at 6pm.

Notes:

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