

GOVERNMENT WHIPS' OFFICE
HOUSE OF LORDS

TODAY'S LISTS
THURSDAY 23 APRIL 2020

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Virtual Proceedings at 11.00am

Prayers by the Bishop of Newcastle (5 mins)

Oral Questions (40 mins)

- * The Earl of Clancarty to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ensure that their support for the self-employed during the COVID-19 pandemic is sufficient. **(Lord Agnew of Oulton, HMT)**

Speakers following the Earl of Clancarty's supplementary question:

- L Flight
- B Bull
- B Young of Old Scone
- L Fox
- 5 L Randall of Uxbridge
- B Ritchie of Downpatrick
- L Livermore
- L Purvis of Tweed
- B Verma
- 10 L Hunt of Kings Heath

- * Lord Black of Brentwood to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of COVID-19 on (1) the United Kingdom music sector, and (2) the creative economy. **(Baroness Barran, DCMS)**

Speakers following Lord Black of Brentwood's supplementary question:

- B Quin
- L Aberdare
- L Caine
- L Clement-Jones
- 5 B Rawlings
- B Kidron
- L Griffiths of Burry Port
- L Marland

L Foster of Bath

10 L Moynihan

* Lord Young of Cookham to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to repeal the Vagrancy Act 1824. **(Lord Keen of Elie, MoJ)**

Speakers following Lord Young of Cookham's supplementary question:

L Judge

L Bourne of Aberystwyth

L Bird

L Foulkes of Cumnock

5 B Grender

L Falconer of Thoroton

L Harries of Pentregarth

* Baroness McIntosh of Pickering to ask Her Majesty's Government how many United Kingdom manufacturers are in place to ensure an adequate supply of personal protective equipment is made available to (1) the National Health Service, and (2) carers, to all regions of the United Kingdom; and what direct contact they have had with such manufacturers based in the North of England. **(Lord Bethell, DHSC)**

Speakers following Baroness McIntosh of Pickering's supplementary question:

L Harris of Haringey

B Brinton

L Blencathra

E Erroll

5 Bp Newcastle

L Empey

B Thornton

B Blackwood of North Oxford

B Watkins of Tavistock

10 L Mackenzie of Framwellgate

Private Notice Question at 12.15pm

Baroness Smith of Basildon to ask Her Majesty's Government what arrangements are in place for cross departmental working across Government for the distribution, supply and manufacture of PPE. **(Lord Bethell, DHSC)**

Speakers following Baroness Smith of Basildon's supplementary question:

- E Shrewsbury
- B Barker
- L Hannay of Chiswick
- B Ramsay of Cartvale
- 5 L Balfe
- L Patel
- L Hunt of Kings Heath
- L Berkeley
- L Loomba
- 10 L Lennie
- L Ramsbotham
- L Foulkes of Cumnock
- L Craig of Radley

Main Business at 1.00pm

Baroness Wheeler to move that this House takes note of the short term and long term impact of the Government's approach to the COVID-19 pandemic on the provision and delivery of social and domiciliary care for disabled and vulnerable adults and children, and the urgent need to ensure the sustainability of social care services. (Time-limited to 3 hours)

Speakers:

- B Wheeler
- L Astor of Hever
- L Blunkett
- B Tyler of Enfield
- 5 B Grey-Thompson
- B Warwick of Undercliffe
- B Jolly
- B Masham of Ilton
- B Verma
- 10 L Hain
- B Barker
- L Alton of Liverpool

- L Hunt of Kings Heath
B Northover
- 15 B Meacher
L Dubs
B Finlay of Llandaff
L Wei
B Sherlock
- 20 L Campbell of Pittenweem
B Jones of Moulsecoomb
B Pitkeathley
B Watkins of Tavistock
L Turnberg
- 25 B Wilcox of Newport
L Shipley
B Uddin
B Bull
L Farmer
- 30 B Blower
L Addington
L Liddle
L Tyrie
B Bowles of Berkhamsted
- 35 L Bilimoria
B Altmann
B Massey of Darwen
B Hollins
- B Brinton
- 40 B Thornton
L Bethell
B Wheeler

Except for Baroness Wheeler (15 mins), Baroness Brinton (10 mins), Baroness Thornton (10 mins) and Lord Bethell (20 mins), all speeches are limited to 3 minutes

Topical Question for Short Debate at 4.30pm

Lord German to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of the COVID-19 epidemic on the prison population and offender rehabilitation programmes. (Time-limited to 60 minutes)

Speakers:

- L German
- L Naseby
- L Harris of Haringey
- L McNally
- 5 L Ramsbotham
- Bp Gloucester
- L Farmer
- B Healy of Primrose Hill
- B Humphreys
- 10 B Bennett of Manor Castle
- L Woolf
- L Blencathra
- L Dubs
- L Hastings of Scarisbrick
- 15 L Balfe
- L Faulkner of Worcester
- L Singh of Wimbledon

- L Marks of Henley-on-Thames
- L Ponsonby of Shulbrede
- 20 L Keen of Elie

Except for Lord German (10 minutes) and Lord Keen of Elie (12 minutes), all speeches are limited to 2 minutes.

Oral Statement Repeat at 6.00pm

Update on Coronavirus (Lord Bethell, DHSC)

Frontbench speakers (20 minutes):

- B Thornton
- B Brinton

Backbench speakers (30 minutes):

- L Mackay of Clashfern
B Meacher
B Buscombe
L Liddle
5 L Scriven
B McIntosh of Pickering
L Touhig
L Patel
L Lucas
10 B Walmsley
B Pidding
L Hunt of Kings Heath
B Ritchie of Downpatrick
L Robathan
15 E Clancarty
B Altmann
B Boycott
L Randall of Uxbridge
B Wheatcroft
20 L Balfe
L Woolf
L Blencathra
L Dobbs
L Sheikh

Estimated rising time

Virtual proceedings are expected to end at around 7.00pm

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).*
- *Time estimates are best endeavours: there is no certainty other than for formally time-limited business. It is the duty of individual members to observe the rules on attendance at debate (Companion 4.32) and, in particular, to ensure that they are present for the start of business in which they wish to take part.*
- *Speaking in debates (Companion 4.34): A member of the House who is taking part in a debate (including general debates and debates on amendments or motions) should attend the start, end and greater part of that debate. In addition, it is considered discourteous for members not to be present for at least the opening speeches, the speeches before and after their own, and for the winding-up speeches. Ministers may decide not to answer, orally or in writing, points made by a speaker who does not stay to hear the Minister's closing speech. Members who believe that they are unlikely to be able to stay until the end of a debate should not seek to participate in it (and if the debate has a speakers' list, should remove their names from the list).*