

HOUSE OF LORDS BUSINESS

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Items marked † are new or have been altered.

Thursday 17 September 2020 at 12 noon

Lord Clarke of Nottingham, and

Baroness Stuart of Edgbaston will be introduced.

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Oates** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether the Hydrogen Advisory Council will develop a fully-funded hydrogen strategy for the United Kingdom.

***Lord Mountevans** to ask Her Majesty's Government what proportion, if any, of the increased research and innovation funding, announced in the Budget on 11 March, is allocated to the maritime industry to assist that sector to meet its net zero emissions obligations. [I]

***Lord Haskel** to ask Her Majesty's Government what progress they have made towards introducing (1) a regulation system for chemicals to replace the European Union's Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals regulations, and (2) a conformity assessed quality standard to replace the CE certification mark.

***Baroness D'Souza** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of reports of the presence of the Chinese Air Force in Taiwan's airspace; and what steps they are taking to support the independence of that country.

†*At 1.00pm, Private Notice Question (15 minutes)*

†**Baroness Hayter of Kentish Town** to ask Her Majesty's Government, in the light of reports that new guidance has been issued to civil servants working on Brexit, whether civil servants are expected to "comply with the law and uphold the administration of justice" as set out in the Civil Service Code.

Common Frameworks Scrutiny The Senior Deputy Speaker to move that a Select Committee be appointed to scrutinise and consider matters relating to common frameworks; and that, as proposed by the Committee of Selection, the following members be appointed to the Committee:

Andrews, B. (<i>Chair</i>)	McInnes of Kilwinning, L.
Bruce of Bennachie, L.	Murphy of Torfaen, L.
Caine, L.	Randerson, B.
Crawley, B.	Redfern, B.
Foulkes of Cumnock, L.	Ritchie of Downpatrick, B.
Garnier, L.	Thomas of Cwmgiedd, L.
Hope of Craighead, L.	

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

That the Committee have power to appoint specialist advisers;

That the Committee have power to meet outside Westminster;

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 Committee be published, if the Committee so wishes.

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

Communications and Digital The Senior Deputy Speaker to move that Baroness Rebuck be appointed a member of the Committee.

Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments The Senior Deputy Speaker to move that Baroness Gale be appointed a member of the Committee.

Procedure and Privileges The Senior Deputy Speaker to move that Lord Whitty be appointed a member of the Committee, in place of Lord Foulkes of Cumnock.

Lord Callanan intends to move the following two motions en bloc: but if any Lord objects the motions must be moved separately.

Square Kilometre Array Observatory (Immunities and Privileges) Order 2020 Lord Callanan to move that the draft Order laid before the House on 14 July be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 14 September*

Intellectual Property (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020 Lord Callanan to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 13 July be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 14 September*

Professional Qualifications and Services (Amendments and Miscellaneous Provisions) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020 Baroness Bloomfield of Hinton Waldrist to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 6 July be approved. *23rd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Considered in Grand Committee on 14 September*

†*At a convenient point after 1.30pm*

†Questions on a Ministerial statement on the Japan Free Trade Agreement, made in the House of Commons on Monday 14 September. *(40 minutes)*

†*At a convenient point after 2.20pm*

Agriculture Bill Report (day 2) [Lord Gardiner of Kimble] *13th Report from the Delegated Powers Committee*

†*It is expected that the House will adjourn at around 7.30pm, and will resume at a convenient point after 8.00pm.*