

**Monday 21 September 2020 at 1.00pm**

*At 1.00pm, oral questions (40 minutes)*

\***Baroness Cox** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the report by the All-Party Parliamentary Group for International Freedom of Religion or Belief, *Nigeria: unfolding genocide?*, published on 15 June.

\***Lord Allen of Kensington** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to provide financial support to retail businesses which have been categorised as 'undertakings in difficulty' under European Union State Aid rules, and are unable to access support under the Coronavirus Business Interruption Loan Scheme; and what assessment they have made of the effectiveness of any financial support that they have provided to such businesses.

\***Lord Balfe** to ask Her Majesty's Government what guidance they have issued since the end of May 2020 to hospitals, General Practitioners and other health care providers about giving appropriate treatment to different patient age groups.

\***Lord Ramsbotham** to ask Her Majesty's Government how many probation staff will be needed to implement the *Probation Workforce Strategy*, published on 30 July.

†*At a convenient point after 2.00pm*

†Questions on a Ministerial statement on the Sentencing White Paper, made in the House of Commons on Wednesday 16 September. (40 minutes)

†*At a convenient point after 2.45pm*

**Counter-Terrorism and Sentencing Bill** Second Reading [Baroness Williams of Trafford]

If the bill is read a second time, Baroness Williams of Trafford to move that the bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

†*At a convenient point after 6.30pm*

†Questions on a Ministerial statement on COVID-19, made in the House of Commons on Thursday 17 September. (50 minutes)

**Grand Committee in Committee Room 2A at 2.30pm**

**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, Session 2017–19, HL Paper 355). (3 hours)

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## Future Business

### Tuesday 22 September 2020 at 12 noon

*At 12 noon, oral questions (40 minutes)*

\***Lord Bruce of Bennachie** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they will take to ensure the recovery and diversification of the United Kingdom oil and gas industry supply chain.

\***Baroness Bonham-Carter of Yarnbury** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking during the COVID-19 pandemic to support diversity in the creative industries.

\***Lord Foulkes of Cumnock** to ask Her Majesty's Government what consideration they are giving to further devolution in England.

†\***Lord Young of Cookham** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the progress in removing dangerous cladding from high-rise buildings.

**Agriculture Bill** Report (day 3) [Lord Gardiner of Kimble] *13th Report from the Delegated Powers Committee*

### *Grand Committee in Committee Room 2A at 2.30pm*

**Lord Jay of Ewelme** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the European Union Committee *Brexit: refugee protection and asylum policy* (48th Report, Session 2017–19, HL Paper 428). (3 hours)

### Wednesday 23 September 2020 at 12 noon

*At 12 noon, oral questions (40 minutes)*

\***The Lord Bishop of St Albans** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the condition of Uighur internment camps in Xinjiang in China.

\***Lord Rose of Monewden** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to join the Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for Trans-Pacific Partnership; and if they have such plans, when they plan to join.

\***Baroness Garden of Frognal** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they made of external expert advice prior to the use of the algorithm to determine A-level results for the 2019/20 academic year.

*Topical oral question. Ballot to be drawn at 1pm on Monday 21 September.*

**Parliamentary Works Estimates Commission** The Lord Privy Seal (Baroness Evans of Bowes Park) to move that Lord McFall of Alcluith and Lord Macpherson of Earl's Court be appointed as members of the Parliamentary Works Estimates Commission.

*The following two motions are expected to be debated together for up to 1½ hours.*

**Baroness Grender** to move, a Humble Address be presented to Her Majesty praying that the Civil Procedure (Amendment No. 4) (Coronavirus) Rules 2020, laid before the House on 17 July, be annulled because they will permit evictions of individuals who have been served a notice of eviction between 23 March and 28 August before Parliament has had an opportunity to debate the impact of the Rules on (1) homelessness, and (2) the spread of COVID-19 (SI 2020/751). *24th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

**Lord Ponsonby of Shulbrede** to move, that the House regrets that the Civil Procedure (Amendment No. 4) (Coronavirus) Rules 2020 will not continue to protect tenants from eviction, and calls on Her Majesty's Government to amend the Housing Act 1998 to give courts temporary discretion on evictions, including on evictions arising from rent arrears (SI 2020/751). *24th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

**Restriction of Public Sector Exit Payments Regulations 2020** Lord Agnew of Oulton to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 21 July be approved. *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (1½ hours)*

**Immigration (Health Charge) (Amendment) Order 2020** Baroness Williams of Trafford to move that the draft Order laid before the House on 21 July be approved. *24th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (1½ hours)*

***Grand Committee in Committee Room 2A at 2.30pm***

**Lord True** to move that the Grand Committee takes note of the United Kingdom's approach to negotiating the future relationship with the European Union. *(4½ hours)*

**Thursday 24 September 2020 at 12 noon**

*At 12 noon, oral questions (40 minutes)*

\***Lord Harris of Haringey** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of the decision to ban Huawei equipment on the delivery of the new Emergency Services Network.

\***Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick** to ask Her Majesty's Government what recent engagements they have had with victim groups in Northern Ireland on the Troubles-related incident victims payment scheme.

\***Baroness Massey of Darwen** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether mental health services for young people will be expanded to deal with concerns expressed during the COVID-19 pandemic; and if so, how.

*Topical oral question. Ballot to be drawn at 1pm on Tuesday 22 September.*

*It is expected that the Report stage of the Agriculture Bill will continue, and that it will conclude.*

***Grand Committee in Committee Room 2A at 2.30pm***

*The following two motions are expected to be debated together for up to 1½ hours.*

**Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (Leicester) (No. 2) Regulations 2020** Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Bethell] *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee.*

**Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (Leicester) (No. 2) (Amendment) Regulations 2020** Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Bethell] *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee.*

*The following four motions are expected to be debated together for up to 1½ hours.*

**Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (Blackburn with Darwen and Bradford) Regulations 2020** Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Bethell] *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee.*

**Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (Blackburn with Darwen and Bradford) (Amendment) Regulations 2020** Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Bethell] *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee.*

**Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (Blackburn with Darwen and Bradford) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2020** Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Bethell] *26th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee.*

**Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (Blackburn with Darwen and Bradford) (Amendment) (No. 3) Regulations 2020** Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Bethell] *26th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Instrument not yet reported by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments*

### **Friday 25 September 2020 at 11.00am**

*The following six motions are expected to be debated together for up to 1½ hours.*

**Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions on Gatherings) (North of England) Regulations 2020** Lord Bethell to move that the Regulations laid before the House on 4 August be approved. *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee.*

**Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions on Gatherings) (North of England) (Amendment) Regulations 2020** Lord Bethell to move that the Regulations laid before the House on 10 August be approved. *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee.*

**Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions on Gatherings) (North of England) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2020** Lord Bethell to move that the Regulations laid before the House on 14 August be approved. *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee.*

**Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (North of England) (Amendment) Regulations 2020** Lord Bethell to move that the Regulations laid before the House on 25 August be approved. *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee.*

**Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (North of England) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2020** Lord Bethell to move that the Regulations laid before the House on 2 September be approved.

**Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (Blackburn with Darwen and Bradford, Leicester, and North of England) (Amendment) Regulations 2020** Lord Bethell to move that the Regulations laid before the House on 7 September be approved. *Instrument not yet reported by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments*

**Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (Greencore) Regulations 2020** Lord Bethell to move that the Regulations laid before the House on 1 September be approved. *(1½ hours)*

### **Monday 28 September 2020 at 1.00pm**

**Baroness Fullbrook of Dogmersfield, and**

**Lord Sarfraz** will be introduced.

*Oral questions (40 minutes)*

\***Lord McNally** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to help regional theatres survive the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on their normal operations and sources of income.

\***Lord Kirkhope of Harrogate** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to reform the asylum system.

\***Lord Howell of Guildford** to ask Her Majesty's Government when they anticipate publishing the next energy White Paper.

\***Lord Roberts of Llandudno** to ask Her Majesty's Government what arrangements they are making to assist with (1) the medical, and (2) the funeral, expenses of those who have had COVID-19.

## **Tuesday 29 September 2020 at 12 noon**

**Lord McLoughlin**, and

**Baroness Hayman of Ullock** will be introduced.

*Oral questions (40 minutes)*

\***Baroness Doocey** to ask Her Majesty's Government how measures to protect the victims of child trafficking have been affected by the COVID-19 pandemic.

\***The Lord Bishop of Gloucester** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of (1) the level of funding that has been provided to the Female Offender Strategy launched in June 2018, and (2) whether such funding is sufficient to implement the Strategy fully.

\***Baroness Northover** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the current political situation in Hong Kong.

## **Wednesday 30 September 2020 at 12 noon**

*At 12 noon, oral questions (40 minutes)*

\***Lord Young of Cookham** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the arrangements in place to compensate customers whose holidays are cancelled.

\***Lord Scriven** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the use of Exposure Notifications Express in mobile telephone operating systems for the tracking of COVID-19.

\***Baroness Donaghy** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of (1) whether current safety testing standards for lightweight polyethylene chest plates are fit for purpose, and (2) concerns expressed by experts about the safety of such chest plates.

## **Thursday 1 October 2020 at 12 noon**

*At 12 noon, oral questions (40 minutes)*

\***Baroness Browning** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the use of Do Not Resuscitate notices in hospitals and nursing homes since March.

\***Lord Brownlow of Shurlock Row** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to introduce a new sentencing tariff for those who commit a crime and who kill a member of the emergency services as a result.

\***Baroness Hayman** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether the Net Zero Review will take into account co-benefits, including those relating to (1) improved health, (2) productivity, and (3) employment, in calculating the costs and investments needed to reach net zero emissions.

## Monday 5 October 2020 at 1.00pm

**Lord Moylan**, and

**Lord Botham** will be introduced.

*Oral questions (40 minutes)*

\***Baroness Greengross** to ask Her Majesty's Government, following the suspension of all casework by the Local Government and Social Care Ombudsman between 26 March and 29 June due to the COVID-19 pandemic, what steps they have taken to ensure that complaints made during that period were handled in line with the Local Authority Social Services and National Health Service Complaints (England) Regulations 2009; and what steps they are now taking to ensure that complaints about adult social care are handled appropriately.

\***Baroness Bakewell** to ask Her Majesty's Government what provisions they have put in place to meet the needs of those with learning difficulties and autism during the COVID-19 pandemic.

\***Baroness McDonagh** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact on primary and secondary school students' ability to learn for those students (1) who have digital connectivity, and (2) who do not have such connectivity, when learning from home due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

\***Baroness McIntosh of Pickering** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of quarantine provisions to address the COVID-19 pandemic on civil aviation; and what measures they plan to take to support the aviation sector.

## Tuesday 6 October 2020 at 12 noon

**Lord Sikka**, and

**Lord Field of Birkenhead** will be introduced.

*Oral questions (40 minutes)*

\***Lord Empey** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answers by Baroness Sugg on 15 June (HL4960), 29 June (HL5655), 22 July (HL6669) and 6 August (HL7207), whether they will now answer the questions put, in particular, on what date they were informed by the government of Ireland of its plans for passengers travelling from Great Britain to the Republic of Ireland to be subject to quarantine restrictions in Ireland; and how those plans were communicated.

\***Baroness Randerson** to ask Her Majesty's Government what additional support they plan to give to the transport industry to enable that industry to address the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic.

\***Lord Lexden** to ask Her Majesty's Government when the next meeting of the United Kingdom Government-Northern Ireland Executive Joint Board will be held; and what will be on the agenda.

## Wednesday 7 October 2020 at 12 noon

*At 12 noon, oral questions (40 minutes)*

\***Lord Dubs** to ask Her Majesty's Government what estimate they have made of the shortage of social care workers for (1) residential care homes, and (2) domiciliary care.



\***Lord West of Spithead** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the value for money to the taxpayer of building the new Fleet Solid Support Ships in (1) the United Kingdom or (2) overseas; and whether any such assessment includes (a) the level of tax paid onshore, (b) any requirement to maintain skilled jobs, and (c) any strategic requirement for a minimal shipbuilding capability in the United Kingdom.

\***Lord Rooker** to ask Her Majesty's Government what is the estimated cost to the taxpayer of requiring food business operators in England to display the relevant food hygiene rating score at the entrance to premises.

### **Thursday 8 October 2020 at 12 noon**

**Baroness Fox of Buckley**, and

**Baroness Fleet** will be introduced.

*Oral questions (40 minutes)*

\***Baroness Sherlock** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on (1) low-income families with children, and (2) the support provided to them by the social security system.

\***Lord Polak** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to support an extension of the United Nations arms embargo on the government of Iran.

\***Lord Clark of Windermere** to ask Her Majesty's Government how many vacancies there were for general practitioners in the National Health Service for England in July; and what were the comparable figures in (1) 2015, and (2) 2010.

### **Monday 12 October 2020 at 1.00pm**

**Lord Sharpe of Epsom**, and

**Lord Lancaster of Kimbolton** will be introduced.

*Oral questions (40 minutes)*

\***Baroness Bryan of Partick** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the advice by the World Health Organization that people over 60 should be treated as vulnerable to COVID-19, what plans they have to support people in this age group during the COVID-19 pandemic who must work because they do not have access to a pension.

\***Lord Black of Brentwood** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking (1) to support, and (2) to enhance, lesbian, gay, bisexual and trans rights internationally.

\***Baroness Anelay of St Johns** to ask Her Majesty's Government what are their plans for the implementation of the proposals set out in their paper *UK Approach to Protection of Civilians in Armed Conflict*, published on 27 August.

\***Lord Leigh of Hurley** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are planning to take (1) to protect third party sellers from the dominance of Amazon, and (2) to ensure that Amazon does not benefit from passing on the costs of the Digital Services Tax to sellers.

## Tuesday 13 October 2020 at 12 noon

**Lord Moore of Etchingham** will be introduced.

*Oral questions (40 minutes)*

\***Baroness Greender** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the announcement by the Ministry of Housing, Communities and Local Government on 18 March about the complete ban on evictions and additional protection for renters affected by COVID-19, what progress they have made to ensure that "no renter who has lost income due to coronavirus will be forced out of their home"

\***Lord Farmer** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the passage of the Divorce, Dissolution and Separation Act 2020, what progress they have made in introducing the changes required (1) to divorce procedure, (2) to court information technology systems, and (3) to online information and guidance.

\***Baroness Thornhill** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the efficacy of the Housing Delivery Test.

## Wednesday 14 October 2020 at 12 noon

*At 12 noon, oral questions (40 minutes)*

\***Lord Greaves** to ask Her Majesty's Government what discussions they (1) have had, and (2) propose to have, with Rolls-Royce about that company's plans to transfer the manufacture of wide-chord fan blades to Singapore; and what steps they are taking to ensure that that company maintains advanced manufacturing jobs in the United Kingdom.

\***Baroness Warwick of Undercliffe** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the report by the Police Foundation and The People's Pension *Protecting People's Pensions: Understanding and Preventing Scams*, published on 7 September, what action they are taking to protect people from pension scams.

\***Lord Randall of Uxbridge** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the report by the Committee on Climate Change *Land use: Policies for a Net Zero UK*, published on 23 January, what plans they have to end rotational burning of peat moorlands.

## Thursday 15 October 2020 at 12 noon

**Lord Mendoza** will be introduced, and

**Dame Minouche Shafik** will be introduced as a Baroness.

*Oral questions (40 minutes)*

\***Baroness Sheehan** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ensure equitable access for low and middle-income countries to any future vaccine for COVID-19.

\***Baroness D'Souza** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to provide assistance for (1) humanitarian, (2) development, and (3) girls' education, work in Afghanistan after the withdrawal of peacekeeping forces.

\***Baroness Bull** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the report by the Social Mobility Commission *The long shadow of deprivation*, published on 15 September.



## Select Committee Reports

*The date on which the report was published is in italics.*

**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, Session 2017–19). *14 March 2019*

**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, Session 2017–19, HL Paper 333). *1 May 2019*

**Lord Price** 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, Session 2017–19). *25 April 2019*

**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, Session 2017–19, HL Paper 386). *26 June 2019*

**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, Session 2017–19, HL Paper 392). *4 July 2019*

**Lord Gilbert of Panteg** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Communications and Digital Committee *Public service broadcasting: as vital as ever* (1st Report, HL Paper 16). *5 November 2019*

**Lord Forsyth of Drumlean** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Economic Affairs Committee *Off-payroll working: treating people fairly* (1st Report, HL Paper 50). *27 April*

**Lord Puttnam** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Democracy and Digital Technologies Committee *Digital Technology and the Resurrection of Trust* (HL Paper 77). *29 June*

**The Earl of Kinnoull** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the European Union Committee *The Protocol on Ireland/Northern Ireland* (9th Report, HL Paper 66). *1 June*

**Lord Krebs** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Food, Poverty, Health and the Environment Committee *Hungry for change: fixing the failures in food* (HL Paper 85). *6 July*

**Baroness Anelay of St Johns** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the International Relations and Defence Committee *The UK and Sub-Saharan Africa: prosperity, peace and development co-operation*. (1st Report, HL Paper 88). *10 July*

## Motions Relating to Delegated Legislation

**Lord Rosser** to move that this House regrets that the Accreditation of Forensic Service Providers (Amendment) Regulations 2019 (SI 2019/1384) may inappropriately implement European Union legislation; notes concerns that the process may no longer meet the International Organization for Standardization standard and that United Kingdom courts may not accept evidence obtained under the new arrangement; and therefore calls on Her Majesty's Government to withdraw the Regulations until these issues have been addressed. *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 1st Report*

**Baroness Thornton** to move that this House regrets that the National Health Service (General Dental Services Contracts and Personal Dental Services Agreements) (Amendment) Regulations 2019 (SI 2019/1445) further extends the piloting of the remuneration scheme for National Health Service dentists; further regrets that after eight years of pilots Her Majesty's Government still feels they have insufficient information; and calls on the Government to conclude the pilot by March 2022. *2nd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

**Lord Rosser** to move that this House takes note of the Health Protection (Coronavirus, Public Health Information for Passengers Travelling to England) Regulations 2020 (SI 2020/567) and the Health Protection (Coronavirus, International Travel) (England) Regulations 2020 (SI 2020/568). *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 18th Report*

**Lord Hunt of Kings Heath** to move that this House regrets that the Health Protection (Coronavirus, International Travel) (England) Regulations 2020 (SI 2020/568) have been laid without making available to Parliament the advice from the Scientific Advisory Group for Emergencies used to inform the development of those Regulations. *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 18th Report*

**Lord Rosser** to move that this House takes note of the Electric Scooter Trials and Traffic Signs (Coronavirus) Regulations and General Directions 2020 (SI 2020/663). *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 22nd Report*

**Lord German** to move that this House regrets that the Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) (England) (Amendment) (No. 2) Order 2020 (SI 2020/755), the Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) (England) (Amendment) (No. 3) Order 2020 (SI 2020/756), the Town and Country Planning (Use Classes) (Amendment) (England) Regulations 2020 (SI 2020/757), the Town and Country Planning (Use Classes) (Amendment) (England) (No. 2) Regulations 2020 (SI 2020/859), and the Town and Country Planning (Use Classes) (Amendment) (England) (No. 3) Regulations 2020 (SI 2020/895) have been laid as delegated legislation because it would have been more appropriate to bring forward such substantial and wide ranging changes to the planning system in primary legislation. *Special attention drawn to the instruments by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 25th Report*

**Lord Lamont of Lerwick** to move that this House declines to approve the Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (No. 2) (England) (Amendment) (No. 4) Regulations 2020, laid before the House on 14 September, due to the failure by Her Majesty's Government to adequately consult the public in the preparation of the Regulations and the impracticality of enforcing the measures.

## Questions for Short Debate

*Time limit 1 hour or 1½ hours.*

**Baroness Massey of Darwen** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the report by the Royal College of Paediatrics and Child Health, State of Child Health, published on 4 March, and what action they intend to take as a result. *(21 April)*

**Lord Rennard** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to review prescription charges in England. *(5 May)*

**The Lord Bishop of Worcester** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to enable the cancellation of debts (1) to multilateral, (2) to bilateral, and (3) to private, creditors for lower income countries. *(13 May)*

**Lord Campbell of Pittenweem** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to facilitate the publication of the redacted report of the Intelligence and Security Committee of Parliament, Russia, sent to the Prime Minister on 17 October 2019. (2 June)

**Lord Palmer of Childs Hill** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ensure that (1) tenants can pay, and (2) landlords receive, rent during the COVID-19 pandemic. (9 June)

**Lord Lucas** to ask the Senior Deputy Speaker what work has been conducted to consider the ways in which the House can take advantage of proceedings being conducted virtually in order to increase the effectiveness of its work. (10 June)

**Lord Curry of Kirkharle** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to carry out a strategic review of priorities for overseas aid as a consequence of the merger of the Foreign and Commonwealth Office and the Department for International Development. (22 June)

**Baroness Hooper** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they will take to support biodiversity protection and nature-based solutions in the United Kingdom's Overseas Territories as part of the next Comprehensive Spending Review. (29 June)

**Lord McNicol of West Kilbride** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to protect young people from the addiction risks from the use of loot boxes in online games. (29 June)

**Lord Butler of Brockwell** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of the early retirement of the Cabinet Secretary on the operation of Her Majesty's Government. (29 June)

**Lord Hunt of Kings Heath** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ensure that (1) all voices are heard in discussions about (a) gender reassignment, (b) gender recognition, (c) the definition of sex in law, and (d) how reforms associated with those issues could impact on the human rights of those affected, and (2) people taking part in such debates can do so without intimidation. (6 July)

**Lord Howell of Guildford** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of (1) the role of their Hydrogen Advisory Council, and (2) that Council's objectives. (22 July)

**Baroness Coussins** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of COVID-19 in South America. (23 July)

**Lord Howell of Guildford** to ask Her Majesty's Government, in the light of the Report from the International Relations Committee *The UK's relationship with the Pacific Alliance* (8th Report, Session 2017–19, HL Paper 386), what steps they plan to take to further relations with the Pacific Alliance and the countries in the Alliance. (29 July)

**Baroness McDonagh** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to improve access to (1) organised sports, and (2) physical activity, for children and young people from low income families. (29 July)

**Lord Alli** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to address the impact of digital exclusion. (29 July)

**Lord Kennedy of Southwark** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ensure that employment benefits are received by employees. (29 July)

**Baroness Greengross** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to ensure sustainable funding for (1) social care, and (2) intergenerational fairness. (26 August)

**Baroness Randerson** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to ensure that the recovery of the transport industry following the COVID-19 pandemic is undertaken in a way that reduces the environmental impact of that industry. (26 August)

**Lord McInnes of Kilwinning** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the delivery of humanitarian aid to internally displaced persons in Syria. *(2 September)*

**Lord Alton of Liverpool** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assistance they plan to give the independent tribunal established by Sir Geoffrey Nice QC to examine whether the Uyghur people are being subjected to genocide. *(7 September)*

**Lord Lingfield** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on children and young people with special educational needs. *(14 September)*

**Lord Oates** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the political and economic crisis in Zimbabwe; and what plans they have to work with the government of Zimbabwe and international partners to support political reform and economic recovery in that country. *(15 September)*

## Questions for Written Answer

*Tabled on 18 September and due for answer by 2 October.*

**Lord Beith** to ask Her Majesty's Government on what date and at what time the Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (North East of England) Regulations 2020 (SI 2020/1010) (1) were laid before Parliament, (2) came into force, and (3) were published on the legislation.gov.uk website; and if they were not so published by 8am on 18 September, why not. HL8263

**Baroness Bennett of Manor Castle** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to reduce the amount of unmanaged woodland and forest. HL8264

**Baroness Bennett of Manor Castle** to ask Her Majesty's Government when they intend to include those involved in corruption in their global human rights sanctions regime. HL8265

**Baroness Bennett of Manor Castle** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact that dividend recapitalisations have on financial security (1) nationally, and (2) internationally. HL8266

**Lord Birt** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of reports that the delivery of the flu vaccine this autumn has been delayed in reaching GP surgeries. HL8267

**Lord Blencathra** to ask Her Majesty's Government what action they are taking over reports that French Navy patrol boats have been aiding asylum seekers to enter UK waters illegally. HL8268

**Lord Blencathra** to ask Her Majesty's Government how much they have paid (1) to the government of France, and (2) organisations based in France, in the last five years to limit asylum seekers crossing the English Channel illegally; and what assessment they have made of whether the government of France has met the commitments of any agreements in place to limit such crossings. HL8269

**Lord Blencathra** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether retail workers have to wear facemasks in the shops in which they are employed; and if not, why not. HL8270

**Lord Blencathra** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of reports of issues with the use of e-scooters in (1) Coventry, and (2) Middlesbrough; and what plans they have to pause the e-scooter rental trials until appropriate safeguards are introduced to protect pedestrians. HL8271

**Lord Blencathra** to ask Her Majesty's Government what information they have requested from Voi about the illegal use of e-scooters; and what plans they have to publish any such information. HL8272

**Lord Blencathra** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to encourage members of the public to perform citizens' arrests if they witness dangerous use of e-scooters on pavements. HL8273

**Lord Brooke of Alverthorpe** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to consider revenue-raising opportunities and consequential behavioural changes through the levying of taxes on online and television advertisements. HL8274

**Lord Jones of Cheltenham** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Baroness Sugg on 17 September (HL7786), whether the reference in that answer to emergency support having been provided to the Mauritian Wildlife Fund should have been to the Mauritian Wildlife Foundation. HL8275

**Lord Jones of Cheltenham** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of the exemptions included in the Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (No. 2) (England) (Amendment) (No. 4) Regulations 2020 relating to organised outdoor sports on species at risk of extinction. HL8276

**Baroness Kennedy of Cradley** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the likelihood of negative interest rates being introduced in the current financial year. HL8277

**Baroness Kennedy of Cradley** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the levels of pollution in rivers and lakes in England; and how many have achieved a good ecological status.  
HL8278

**Baroness Kennedy of Cradley** to ask Her Majesty's Government how many financial institutions in the UK have been subject to fines for misconduct in each year since 2000; and what was the total amount of fines paid by them.  
HL8279

**Baroness Kennedy of Cradley** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of relations between the governments of Greece and Turkey.  
HL8280

**Baroness Kennedy of Cradley** to ask Her Majesty's Government what the level of trade is between the UK and Taiwan.  
HL8281

**Baroness Kennedy of Cradley** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the financial preparedness of train operators to meet any ongoing challenges posed by the COVID-19 pandemic.  
HL8282

**Lord Kennedy of Southwark** to ask Her Majesty's Government what are the mechanisms used to ensure that the First Ministers of Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland are informed of actions being taken by the Government to address the COVID-19 pandemic.  
HL8283

**Lord Kennedy of Southwark** to ask Her Majesty's Government what action they plan to take to ban the sale of fur products in England.  
HL8284

**Lord Kennedy of Southwark** to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their latest assessment of the rollout of smart meters.  
HL8285

**Lord Kennedy of Southwark** to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their latest assessment of the work being undertaken to upgrade the gas supply network.  
HL8286

**Lord Kennedy of Southwark** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the future of nuclear power in the UK.  
HL8287

**Lord Kennedy of Southwark** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of (1) the biofuels market in the UK, and (2) that market's potential for growth.  
HL8288

**Lord Patten** to ask Her Majesty's Government what estimate they have made of the number of young people who do not have the required mental capacity to make the decision to access a Child Trust Fund at the age of 18; and what steps they are taking to ensure that such young people do have access to those funds.  
HL8289

**Lord Patten** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of preparations to mitigate flooding of the Somerset Levels in the winter.  
HL8290

**Lord Patten** to ask Her Majesty's Government how much money they have allocated for flood defences and further related mitigation measures in the Somerset Levels in the current financial year; and what current schemes are underway to mitigate flooding in the area.  
HL8291

**Lord Patten** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the current health situation in Yemen; and how much (1) aid, and (2) medical supplies, they intend to provide to that country in the current financial year.  
HL8292

**Baroness Randerson** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether their review into regional connectivity following the collapse of airline Flybe has started; and when they plan to publish that review's findings.  
HL8293



**Baroness Randerson** to ask Her Majesty's Government when they last met representatives of the British International Freight Association; and what assessment they have made of the ability of the customs and logistics sector to cope with any additional processes required after the end of the Brexit transition period. HL8294

**Baroness Randerson** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of (1) the effectiveness, and (2) the impact, of the Border Operating Model in helping the logistics sector to understand the requirements of new procedures. HL8295

**The Lord Bishop of St Albans** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have (1) to prevent developments stalling, and (2) to ensure obligations to build are met in a timely manner, in their changes to planning rules. HL8296

**Baroness Stroud** to ask Her Majesty's Government further to the research by Fengqing Chao et al *Probabilistic projection of the sex ratio at birth and missing female births by State and Union Territory in India*, published on 19 August, what representations they have made to the government of India about preventing sex-selective abortion. HL8297

## Questions unanswered after 10 working days

*The questions asked on the dates shown in bold were due for answer by the dates in brackets. The government department responsible for answering each question is shown in square brackets.*

**21 April** (5 May)

HL3216 Lord Roberts of Llandudno [Department of Health and Social Care]

**5 May** (13 May)

HL4017 Baroness Altmann [Department of Health and Social Care]

**13 May** (28 May)

HL4375 Lord Alton of Liverpool [Department of Health and Social Care]

**19 May** (3 June)

HL4697 Lord Kennedy of Southwark [Department of Health and Social Care]

**3 June** (17 June)

HL5260 Lord Warner [Department of Health and Social Care]

**11 June** (25 June)

HL5575 Lord Adonis [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL5576 Lord Adonis [Department of Health and Social Care]

**17 June** (1 July)

HL5829 Lord Bassam of Brighton [Department of Health and Social Care]

**18 June** (2 July)

HL5956 Lord Wigley [Department of Health and Social Care]

**25 June** (9 July)

HL6148 Lord Bassam of Brighton [Department of Health and Social Care]

**30 June** (14 July)

HL6335 Lord Taylor of Warwick [Department of Health and Social Care]

**1 July (15 July)**

HL6345 Lord Beecham [Department of Health and Social Care]  
HL6356 Lord Kennedy of Southwark [Department of Health and Social Care]  
HL6357 Lord Kennedy of Southwark [Department of Health and Social Care]  
HL6358 Lord Kennedy of Southwark [Department of Health and Social Care]  
HL6359 Lord Kennedy of Southwark [Department of Health and Social Care]  
HL6360 Lord Kennedy of Southwark [Department of Health and Social Care]  
HL6361 Lord Kennedy of Southwark [Department of Health and Social Care]

**2 July (9 July)**

HL6394 Baroness Altmann [Department of Health and Social Care]

**2 July (16 July)**

HL6410 Lord Kennedy of Southwark [Department of Health and Social Care]  
HL6411 Lord Kennedy of Southwark [Department of Health and Social Care]  
HL6412 Lord Kennedy of Southwark [Department of Health and Social Care]  
HL6413 Lord Kennedy of Southwark [Department of Health and Social Care]  
HL6414 Lord Kennedy of Southwark [Department of Health and Social Care]  
HL6415 Lord Kennedy of Southwark [Department of Health and Social Care]

**6 July (20 July)**

HL6490 Lord Kennedy of Southwark [Department of Health and Social Care]  
HL6491 Lord Kennedy of Southwark [Department of Health and Social Care]

**9 July (16 July)**

HL6657 Lord Birt [Department of Health and Social Care]

**9 July (23 July)**

HL6689 Lord Scriven [Department of Health and Social Care]  
HL6690 Lord Scriven [Department of Health and Social Care]

**10 July (24 July)**

HL6739 Lord Warner [Department of Health and Social Care]  
HL6742 Lord Warner [Department of Health and Social Care]

**13 July (27 July)**

HL6790 Lord Pendry [Home Office]

**14 July (28 July)**

HL6835 Lord Browne of Belmont [Department of Health and Social Care]

**20 July (3 August)**

HL7043 Viscount Waverley [Department of Health and Social Care]

**21 July (4 August)**

HL7073 Lord Bassam of Brighton [Department of Health and Social Care]  
HL7074 Lord Bassam of Brighton [Department of Health and Social Care]

**28 July (11 August)**

HL7462 Baroness Masham of Ilton [Department of Health and Social Care]  
HL7463 Baroness Masham of Ilton [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL7464 Baroness Masham of Ilton [Department of Health and Social Care]

**29 July** (5 August)

HL7537 Baroness McIntosh of Pickering [Department of Health and Social Care]

**29 July** (12 August)

HL7536 Lord McCrea of Magherafelt and Cookstown [Department of Health and Social Care]

**2 September** (16 September)

HL7590 Lord Beecham [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL7667 Lord Lilley [Home Office]

HL7591 Lord Beecham [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL7704 Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL7669 Lord Lipsey [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL7617 Lord Bradley [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL7726 Baroness Thornton [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL7727 Baroness Thornton [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL7728 Baroness Thornton [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL7729 Baroness Thornton [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL7693 Lord Naseby [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL7610 Lord Blunkett [Department for Education]

HL7609 Lord Birt [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL7578 Baroness Altmann [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL7579 Baroness Altmann [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL7658 Lord Hylton [Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office]

HL7670 Lord Lipsey [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL7721 Lord Taylor of Warwick [Women and Equalities]

HL7725 Lord Taylor of Warwick [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL7586 Lord Balfe [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL7588 Lord Balfe [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL7589 Lord Balfe [Department of Health and Social Care]

**3 September** (17 September)

HL7812 Baroness Randerson [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL7776 Lord Hunt of Kings Heath [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL7777 Lord Hunt of Kings Heath [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL7836 Lord Wigley [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL7828 Baroness Tonge [Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office]

HL7788 Lord Jones of Cheltenham [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL7772 Lord Greaves [The Senior Deputy Speaker]

HL7774 Lord Greaves [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL7757 Baroness Browning [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL7768 Baroness Goudie [Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office]

HL7745 Lord Balfe [Department of Health and Social Care]

QUESTIONS FOR WRITTEN ANSWER

*Number of questions allocated to each department which are unanswered after 10 working days*

Department for Education (1)

Department of Health and Social Care (67)

Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office (3)

Home Office (2)

SDS (1)

Women and Equalities (1)

**Bills in Progress**

	<b>Type of Bill</b>	<b>To be considered</b>
<b>Waiting for Second Reading</b>		
Referendums Criteria Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Financial Services (Duty of Care) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Asylum Support (Prescribed Period) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Marriage (Approved Organisations) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Refugees (Family Reunion) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Clean Air (Human Rights) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Unpaid Work Experience (Prohibition) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Criminal Records Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Emissions Reduction (Local Authorities in London) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Modern Slavery (Victim Support) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Online Harms Reduction Regulator (Report) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Road Traffic Offences (Cycling) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Schools (Mental Health and Wellbeing) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Heritage Railways and Tramways (Voluntary Work) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Inheritance Tax Act 1984 (Amendment) (Siblings) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Petroleum (Amendment) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Public Advocate Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
House of Lords (Elections and Reform) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Property Boundaries (Resolution of Disputes) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Abortion Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Coroners (Determination of Suicide) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Joint Committee of Nominations to the Supreme Court Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
School Holiday Open Days Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Mandatory Training on Learning Disabilities and Autism Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Pensions (Amendment) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Unconscionable Conduct in Commerce Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Pavement Parking Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Divorce (Financial Provision) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Video Gaming Health and Wellbeing Strategy Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Duchy of Cornwall Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Anonymity (Arrested Persons) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Small Business Commissioner and Late Payments etc Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Certificate of Loss Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Digital Economy Act 2017 (Commencement of Part 3) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Armed Forces (Posthumous Pardons) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Storage Period for Gametes Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Immigration Control (Gross Human Rights Abuses) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Rented Homes Bill [HL]	Private Member's	

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Victims of Crime (Rights, Entitlements, and Notification of Child Sexual Abuse) Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Cosmetic Surgery (Standards) Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Electric Vehicle Trading Scheme and Road Usage Duty (Consultation) Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Education (Assemblies) Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Constitutional Privileges Bill [HL]	Private Member's
European Union (Information, etc.) Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Hares Preservation Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Traffic Management (Amendment) Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Marriage and Civil Partnership (Minimum Age) Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Traffic Management (Approved Devices) Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Department of Health (Northern Ireland) Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Regulation of Political Opinion Polling Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Equal Pay Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Office of the Whistleblower Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Organ Tourism and Cadavers on Display Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Assisted Dying Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Buses (Zero Emissions) Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Local Authorities (Transport Powers) Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Police Conduct (Operation Conifer) Inquiry Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Hereditary Peerages and Baronetcies (Equality of Inheritance) Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Data Protection (Independent Complaint) Bill [HL]	Private Member's
House of Lords (Removal of Bishops) Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Contracts for Difference and Onshore Wind Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Elections (Candidates' Expenditure and Nominations) Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Right to Die at Home Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Higher Education Cheating Services Prohibition Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Devolution in England Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Workforce Information Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Public Contracts (Modern Slavery) Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Duty to Plan for Terrorism (Consultation) Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Marriage Act 1949 (Amendment) Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Fixed-term Parliaments Act 2011 (Repeal) Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Automated Facial Recognition Technology (Moratorium and Review) Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Unaccompanied Asylum Seeking Children (Legal Advice and Appeals) Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Period Products (Free Provision) Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Age of Criminal Responsibility Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Provision of Personal Care Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Goods Mortgages Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Policing Resources Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Genocide Determination Bill [HL]	Private Member's



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School Admissions for Children Adopted from Overseas Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Cohabitation Rights Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Office for Science Quality Assessment Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Non-Domestic Rating (Lists) Bill [HL]	Government	
Domestic Abuse Bill ( <i>Scottish Legislative Consent Motion passed</i> )	Government	
Counter-Terrorism and Sentencing Bill	Government	21 September
Non-Domestic Rating (Public Lavatories) Bill	Government	
Fire Safety Bill	Government	
<b>Committed to a Select Committee</b>		
High Speed Rail (West Midlands–Crewe) Bill	Hybrid	
Highgate Cemetery Bill [HL]	Private	
<b>Committed to a Grand Committee</b>		
Medicines and Medical Devices Bill	Government	
Trade Bill	Government	
<b>Committed to a Committee of the Whole House</b>		
Domestic Premises (Energy Performance) Bill [HL] ( <i>Queen's consent to be signified</i> )	Private Member's	
Extension of Franchise (House of Lords) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Access to Palliative Care and Treatment of Children Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
House of Lords (Hereditary Peers) (Abolition of By-Elections) Bill [HL] ( <i>Queen's consent to be signified</i> )	Private Member's	
Wellbeing of Future Generations Bill [HL] ( <i>Queen's consent to be signified</i> )	Private Member's	
<b>Waiting for Report</b>		
Air Traffic Management and Unmanned Aircraft Bill [HL] ( <i>Scottish and Northern Irish Legislative Consent Motions passed</i> )	Government	
Agriculture Bill ( <i>Queen's consent to be signified</i> ) ( <i>Scottish Legislative Consent Motion passed</i> )	Government	22 September
Parliamentary Constituencies Bill	Government	
Immigration and Social Security Co-ordination (EU Withdrawal) Bill	Government	
<b>Waiting for Third Reading</b>		
Telecommunications Infrastructure (Leasehold Property) Bill ( <i>Northern Irish Legislative Consent Motion passed</i> )	Government	
<b>Sent to the Commons</b>		
Private International Law (Implementation of Agreements) Bill [HL] ( <i>Scottish Legislative Consent Motion passed</i> )	Government	
Fisheries Bill [HL] ( <i>Scottish Legislative Consent Motion passed</i> )	Government	
Pension Schemes Bill [HL] ( <i>Northern Irish Legislative Consent Motion passed</i> )	Government	
Sentencing Bill [HL] ( <i>Consolidation Bill</i> )	Government	
<b>Returned to the Commons amended</b>		
Prisoners (Disclosure of Information About Victims) Bill	Government	
<b>Waiting for Consideration of Commons Amendments</b>		
Extradition (Provisional Arrest) Bill [HL]	Government	

## Statutory Instruments in Progress

### Affirmative Instruments waiting for consideration by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments

Charitable Incorporated Organisations (Insolvency and Dissolution) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2020

Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (Blackburn with Darwen and Bradford) (Amendment) (No. 3) Regulations 2020 *6th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Approval period expires 29 September (24 September)*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (Blackburn with Darwen and Bradford, Leicester, and North of England) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 *(25 September)*

Draft Adjacent Waters Boundaries (Northern Ireland) (Amendment) Order 2020

Sanctions (EU Exit) (Miscellaneous Amendments) (No. 4) Regulations 2020

Draft Debt Respite Scheme (Breathing Space Moratorium and Mental Health Crisis Moratorium) (England and Wales) Regulations 2020

Draft Apprenticeships (Alternative English Completion Conditions and Miscellaneous Provisions) (Amendment) (Coronavirus) Regulations 2020

Draft Immigration Skills Charge (Amendment) Regulations 2020

Draft Criminal Procedure and Investigations Act 1996 (Code of Practice) Order 2020

Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (Bolton) Regulations 2020

Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (No. 2) (England) (Amendment) (No. 4) Regulations 2020 *Approval period expires 10 October*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (Leicester) (No. 2) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2020 *Approval period expires 11 October*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (Birmingham, Sandwell and Solihull) Regulations 2020 *Approval period expires 11 October*

Draft Consumer Protection (Enforcement) (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020

Pension Protection Fund (Moratorium and Arrangements and Reconstructions for Companies in Financial Difficulty) (Amendment and Revocation) Regulations 2020 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments. 22nd Report. Approval period expires 23 October*

Draft Sanctions (EU Exit) (Consequential Provisions) (Amendment) Regulations 2020

Health Protection (Coronavirus, Collection of Contact Details etc and Related Requirements) Regulations 2020

Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (Obligations of Hospitality Undertakings) (England) Regulations 2020

Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (North East of England) Regulations 2020

Draft Electricity (Risk-Preparedness) (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020

Draft European Qualifications (Health and Social Care Professions) (EFTA States) (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020

Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (North East of England) (Amendment) Regulations 2020

**Affirmative Instruments waiting for Affirmative Resolution**

Draft Hunting Act 2004 (Exempt Hunting) (Amendment) Order 2015 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 7th Report, Session 2015–16*

Draft Trade Union (Deduction of Union Subscriptions from Wages in the Public Sector) Regulations 2017 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 29th Report, Session 2016–17*

Burundi (Sanctions) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

Guinea (Sanctions) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019

Draft Criminal Justice Act 2013 (Early Release on Licence) Order 2020 *11th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft INSPIRE (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020

Sanctions (EU Exit) (Miscellaneous Amendments) (No. 2) Regulations 2020

Cyber (Sanctions) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020

Bosnia and Herzegovina (Sanctions) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020

Nicaragua (Sanctions) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020

Draft Sentencing (Pre-consolidation Amendments) Act 2020 (Exception) Regulations 2020

Draft Alternative Dispute Resolution for Consumer Disputes (Extension of Time Limits for Legal Proceedings) (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020

Draft Carriage of Dangerous Goods and Use of Transportable Pressure Equipment (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020

Draft European Structural and Investment Funds Common Provisions and Common Provision Rules etc. (Amendment) (EU Exit) (Revocation) Regulations 2020

Draft Greenhouse Gas Emissions Trading Scheme Order 2020 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 24th Report*

Charitable Incorporated Organisations (Insolvency and Dissolution) (Amendment) Regulations 2020

Draft Infrastructure Planning (Electricity Storage Facilities) Order 2020

Draft Air Quality (Domestic Solid Fuels Standards) (England) Regulations 2020 *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft Immigration (Health Charge) (Amendment) Order 2020 *24th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (23 September)*

Draft Restriction of Public Sector Exit Payments Regulations 2020 *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (23 September)*

Draft Services of Lawyers and Lawyer's Practice (Revocation etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020

Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (Leicester) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2020 *24th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Approval period expires 20 September*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (Blackburn with Darwen and Bradford) Regulations 2020 *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Approval period expires 28 September (24 September)*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (Leicester) (No. 2) Regulations 2020 *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Approval period expires 28 September (24 September)*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions on Gatherings) (North of England) Regulations 2020 *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Approval period expires 28 September (25 September)*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions on Gatherings) (North of England) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Approval period expires 28 September (25 September)*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions on Gatherings) (North of England) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2020 *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Approval period expires 28 September (25 September)*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (Leicester) (No. 2) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Approval period expires 28 September (24 September)*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (North of England) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Approval period expires 28 September (25 September)*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (Blackburn with Darwen and Bradford) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Approval period expires 28 September (24 September)*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (Greencore) Regulations 2020 *26th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Approval period expires 28 September (25 September)*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (Blackburn with Darwen and Bradford) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2020 *26th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Approval period expires 29 September (24 September)*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (North of England) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2020 *26th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Approval period expires 29 September (25 September)*

Draft Prevention of Trade Diversion (Key Medicines) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020 *26th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee.*

Insolvency (Moratorium) (Special Administration for Energy Licensees) Regulations 2020 *26th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Approval period expires 11 October*

### **Negative Instruments**

Accreditation of Forensic Service Providers (Amendment) Regulations 2019 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 1st Report. Praying time expired 3 February.*

National Health Service (General Dental Services Contracts and Personal Dental Services Agreements) (Amendment) Regulations 2019 *2nd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expired 11 February.*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, Public Health Information for Passengers Travelling to England) Regulations 2020 *18th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expired 12 July.*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, International Travel) (England) Regulations 2020 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 18th Report. Praying time expired 12 July.*

Electric Scooter Trials and Traffic Signs (Coronavirus) Regulations and General Directions 2020 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 22nd Report. Praying time expired 11 September.*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, International Travel) (England) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2020 *23rd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 20 September.*

Childcare (Early Years Provision Free of Charge) (Extended Entitlement) (Coronavirus) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 *23rd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 20 September.*

Court Fees (Miscellaneous Amendments) Order 2020 *24th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 23 September.*

Marriage and Civil Partnership (Northern Ireland) Regulations 2020 *24th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 23 September.*

Family Procedure (Amendment No. 2) Rules 2020 *24th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 30 September.*

Procedure Rules 2020 *24th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 30 September.*

Co-operative and Community Benefit Societies and Credit Unions (Arrangements, Reconstructions and Administration) (Amendment) and Consequential Amendments Order 2020 *24th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 27 September.*

Town and Country Planning (Local Planning) (England) (Coronavirus) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 *24th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 25 September.*

Environmental Assessment of Plans and Programmes (Coronavirus) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 *24th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 25 September.*

Immigration and Nationality (Fees) (Amendment) (No. 3) Regulations 2020 *24th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 24 September.*

Scotland Act 1998 (Agency Arrangements) (Specification) (Coronavirus) Order 2020 *24th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 2 October.*

Scotland Act 1998 (Agency Arrangements) (Specification) (Coronavirus) (No. 2) Order 2020 *24th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 2 October.*

Civil Procedure (Amendment No. 4) (Coronavirus) Rules 2020 *24th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 27 September. (23 September)*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, International Travel) (England) (Amendment) (No. 3) Regulations *24th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 4 October.*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, International Travel) (England) (Amendment) (No. 4) Regulations *24th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 7 October.*



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Motor Vehicles (Tests) (Amendment) (Coronavirus) (No. 2) Regulations 2020 *24th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 1 October.*

Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) (England) (Amendment) (No. 2) Order 2020 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 25th Report. Praying time expires 1 October*

Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) (England) (Amendment) (No. 3) Order 2020 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 25th Report. Praying time expires 1 October.*

Town and Country Planning (Use Classes) (Amendment) (England) Regulations 2020 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 25th Report. Praying time expires 1 October*

Town and Country Planning (Use Classes) (Amendment) (England) (No. 2) Regulations 2020 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 25th Report. Praying time expires 1 October.*

Town and Country Planning (Use Classes) (Amendment) (England) (No. 3) Regulations 2020 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 25th Report. Praying time expires 1 October.*

Enterprise Act 2002 (Turnover Test) (Amendment) Order 2020 *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 30 September.*

Infrastructure Planning (Publication and Notification of Applications etc.) (Coronavirus) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 1 October.*

Town and Country Planning (Spatial Development Strategy) (Coronavirus) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 1 October.*

Road Vehicles (Certificates of Temporary Exemption) Regulations 2020 *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 10 October.*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, International Travel) (England) (Amendment) (No. 5) Regulations 2020 *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 10 October.*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, International Travel) (England) (Amendment) (No. 6) Regulations 2020 *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 10 October.*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, International Travel) (England) (Amendment) (No. 7) Regulations 2020 *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 10 October.*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, International Travel) (England) (Amendment) (No. 8) Regulations 2020 *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 10 October.*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, International Travel) (England) (Amendment) (No. 9) Regulations 2020 *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 10 October.*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, International Travel) (England) (Amendment) (No. 10) Regulations 2020 *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 10 October.*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, International Travel) (England) (Amendment) (No. 11) Regulations 2020 *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 10 October.*

Employment Rights Act 1996 (Coronavirus, Calculation of a Week's Pay) Regulations 2020 *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 10 October*



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Electricity (Individual Exemptions from the Requirement for a Transmission Licence) (Coronavirus) Order 2020 *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 10 October.*

Offshore Chemicals and Offshore Petroleum Activities (Oil Pollution Prevention and Control) (Coronavirus) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 10 October.*

Local Authorities and Police and Crime Panels (Coronavirus) (Flexibility of Local Authority and Police and Crime Panel Meetings) (England and Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 10 October.*

Education (Pupil Registration) (England) (Coronavirus) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2020 *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 10 October.*

Rating Lists (Valuation Date) (England) Order 2020 *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 10 October.*

National Health Service (Coronavirus) (Charges and Further Amendments Relating to the Provision of Primary Care Services During a Pandemic etc.) Regulations 2020 *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 10 October.*

Statutory Sick Pay (General) (Coronavirus Amendment) (No. 5) Regulations 2020 *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 10 October.*

Statutory Sick Pay (General) (Coronavirus Amendment) (No. 6) Regulations 2020 *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 10 October.*

Civil Procedure (Amendment No. 5) (Coronavirus) Rules 2020 *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 10 October.*

Town and Country Planning (Border Facilities and Infrastructure) (EU Exit) (England) Special Development Order 2020 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 26th Report. Praying time expires 12 October.*

Local Government (Structural Changes) (Coronavirus) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 *26th Report from the, Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 10 October.*

Local Government (Structural Changes) (Coronavirus) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 *26th Report from the, Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 10 October.*

Local Government Pension Scheme (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2020 *26th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 10 October.*

Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 *26th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 10 October.*

Waste (Circular Economy) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 *26th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 10 October.*

School Discipline (England) (Coronavirus) (Pupil Exclusions and Reviews) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2020 *26th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 10 October.*

Coronavirus Act 2020 (Residential Tenancies: Protection from Eviction) (Amendment) (England) Regulations 2020 *26th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 10 October.*

Adoption and Children (Coronavirus) (Amendment) (No.2) Regulations 2020 *26th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 10 October.*

Channel Tunnel (International Arrangements and Miscellaneous Provisions) (Amendment) Order 2020 *26th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 10 October.*

Channel Tunnel (Arrangements with the Kingdom of the Netherlands) Order 2020 *26th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 10 October.*

Assured Tenancies and Agricultural Occupancies (Forms) (England) (Amendment) and Suspension (Coronavirus) Regulations 2020 *26th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 10 October.*

Postponed Elections and Referendums (Coronavirus) and Policy Development Grants (Amendment) Regulations 2020 *26th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 10 October.*

Welfare Reform (Northern Ireland) Order 2015 (Cessation of Transitory Provision) Order 2020 *26th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 11 October.*

Competition Act 1998 (Coronavirus) (Public Policy Exclusions) (Amendment and Revocation) Order 2020 *26th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 12 October.*

Early Years Foundation Stage (Learning and Development and Welfare Requirements) (Coronavirus) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2020 *26th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 13 October.*

Tax Credits (Coronavirus, Miscellaneous Amendments) (No. 2) Regulations 2020 *26th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 13 October.*

### **Legislative Reform Order in Progress**

*Draft order laid before the House and reported by the Regulatory Reform Committee*

Draft Legislative Reform (Renewal of Radio Licences) Order 2020 *(Affirmative) 20th Report from the Regulatory Reform Committee*

### **Special Procedure Order in Progress**

#### **Waiting for expiry of resolution period**

Midland Metro (Wednesbury to Brierley Hill Land Acquisition) Order 2020 *Resolution period expires 22 September*

### **Proposed Negative Statutory Instrument laid under the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018**

Aviation Safety (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020 *Sifting period expires: 24 September*

### **Treaties before the House**

Agreement between the United Kingdom and the Kingdom of the Netherlands concerning Border Controls on Rail Traffic between the Netherlands and the United Kingdom using the Channel Fixed Link *Scrutiny period expires: 8 October*

Agreement between the French Republic, the Kingdom of Belgium, the Kingdom of the Netherlands and the United Kingdom amending and supplementing the Agreement concerning Rail Traffic between Belgium and the United Kingdom using the Channel Fixed Link with Protocol *Scrutiny period expires: 8 October*

Special Arrangement between the French Republic, the Kingdom of Belgium, the Kingdom of the Netherlands and the United Kingdom concerning Security Matters relating to Trains using the Channel Fixed Link *Scrutiny period expires: 8 October*

Final Act of the International Conference and Decision by the Energy Charter Conference in respect of the Amendment to the Trade-Related Provisions of the Energy Charter Treaty *Scrutiny period expires: 8 October*

### **Select Committee Reports awaiting a Government response after two months**

*The Government has undertaken to respond in writing to the reports of select committees, if possible, within two months of publication. Only in exceptional circumstances should a response be deferred for more than six months after the report's publication. If it appears likely that a response may be received later than two months after the date of publication, the department concerned should write to the Committee explaining the reasons and indicating the likely timetable.*

**Economic Affairs Committee** *Social care funding: time to end a national scandal* (7th Report, Session 2017–19, HL Paper 392), (response due 4 September 2019, no further date agreed for a response) [Department of Health and Social Care]

**Social and Economic Impact of the Gambling Industry Committee** *Gambling Harm—Time for Action* (HL Paper 79), (response due 2 September, response expected 30 September) [Department for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport]

**Electoral Registration and Administration Act 2013 Committee** *An electoral system fit for today? More to be done* (HL Paper 83), (response due 8 September, no further date agreed for a response) [Cabinet Office]

## COMMITTEES

### Committees

*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. Meetings are hybrid where a Committee Room is listed.*

#### **Monday 21 September**

EU Environment Sub-Committee	Virtual Meeting	9.15am
COVID-19 Committee	Virtual Meeting	10.00am
EU Goods Sub-Committee	Virtual Meeting	10.30am

#### **Tuesday 22 September**

EU Security and Justice Sub-Committee	Virtual Meeting	10.00am
Science and Technology Committee	Virtual Meeting	10.00am
Procedure and Privileges Committee	Virtual Meeting	3.00pm
Communications and Digital Committee	Virtual Meeting	3.00pm
Economic Affairs Committee	Virtual Meeting	3.00pm
Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee	Virtual Meeting	3.45pm

#### **Wednesday 23 September**

International Relations and Defence Committee	Virtual Meeting	10.00am
Constitution Committee	Virtual Meeting	10.00am
Delegated Powers and Regulatory Reform Committee	Virtual Meeting	10.30am
EU International Agreements Sub-Committee	Virtual Meeting	2.40am
Public Services Committee	Virtual Meeting	3.00pm
High Speed Rail (West Midlands–Crewe) Bill Select Committee	Virtual Meeting	3.00pm
Statutory Instruments (Joint Committee)	Virtual Meeting	3.40pm

#### **Thursday 24 September**

Services Committee	Virtual Meeting	1.00pm
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#### **Wednesday 30 September**

Finance Committee	Virtual Meeting	4.15pm
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#### **Monday 5 October**

House of Lords Commission	Virtual Meeting	4.00pm
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#### **Tuesday 6 October**

Ecclesiastical Committee (Statutory Committee)	Room 4A	10.30am
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#### **Wednesday 14 October**

Liaison Committee	Virtual Meeting	9.00am
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## Minutes of Proceedings of Friday 18 September 2020

*The House met at 11.00am.*

*Prayers were read by the Lord Bishop of Peterborough.*

### Public Business

**1 NHS Counter Fraud Authority (Establishment, Constitution, and Staff and Other Transfer Provisions) (Amendment) Order 2020** Lord Bethell moved that the draft Order laid before the House on 11 June be approved. The motion was agreed to.

**2 Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (No. 2) (England) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2020** Lord Bethell moved that the Regulations laid before the House on 23 July be approved. The debate was adjourned and the House adjourned. The House resumed and after further debate, the motion was agreed to.

**3 Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (No. 2) (England) (Amendment) (No. 3) Regulations 2020** Lord Bethell moved that the Regulations laid before the House on 14 August be approved. The motion was agreed to.

**4 Health Protection (Coronavirus) (Restrictions on Holding of Gatherings and Amendment) (England) Regulations 2020** Lord Bethell moved that the Regulations laid before the House on 27 August be approved. The motion was agreed to.

*The House adjourned. The House resumed.*

**5 Health Protection (Coronavirus, Wearing of Face Coverings in a Relevant Place) (England) Regulations 2020** Lord Bethell moved that the Regulations laid before the House on 23 July be approved. Then Baroness Thornton moved, as an amendment to the motion, at end to insert “and that this House welcomes the introduction of the Regulations, but regrets the delay in bringing forward the Regulations as Her Majesty’s Government has advised the public to wear face coverings in enclosed public spaces since 11 May, announced that face coverings would be mandatory in shops from 24 July on 14 July, and laid these Regulations under the made affirmative procedure on 23 July; further regrets that this delay has caused confusion over where people will have to wear face coverings due to the absence of detailed legal requirements being available in advance; and notes the concerns of the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee in its 19th Report, published on 25 June, which urged Her Majesty’s Government “to ensure that the legislation follows on more closely from any announcement that they have made”.” After debate, the amendment was withdrawn. Then the original motion was agreed to.

**6 Health Protection (Coronavirus, Wearing of Face Coverings in a Relevant Place) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2020** Lord Bethell moved that the Regulations laid before the House on 7 August be approved. The motion was agreed to.

**7 Health Protection (Coronavirus, Wearing of Face Coverings in a Relevant Place) (England) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2020** Lord Bethell moved that the Regulations laid before the House on 21 August be approved. The motion was agreed to.

**8 Health Protection (Coronavirus, Wearing of Face Coverings in a Relevant Place and on Public Transport) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2020** Lord Bethell moved that the Regulations laid before the House on 27 August be approved. The motion was agreed to.

*The House adjourned at 2.09pm until Monday 21 September at 1.00pm.*

**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.*

### Affirmative Instrument

The following instrument was laid before the House for approval by resolution:

1. Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (North East of England) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 (1012)

### Negative Instrument

The following instrument was laid before the House:

1. Health Protection (Coronavirus, International Travel) (England) (Amendment) (No. 14) Regulations 2020 (1013)

### Instruments coming into operation before being laid

The Lord Speaker informed the House that he had received, under the proviso to section 4(1) of the Statutory Instruments Act 1946, notification that the following instruments had come into operation before being laid before Parliament, together with an explanation:

1. Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (North East of England) Regulations 2020 (1010)
2. Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (North East of England) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 (1012)