

GOVERNMENT WHIPS' OFFICE  
HOUSE OF LORDS

**TODAY'S LISTS**  
**TUESDAY 20 OCTOBER 2020**

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

**Hybrid Proceedings at 12.00 noon**

*Prayers by the Bishop of London (p) (5 mins)*

*Oral Questions (40 mins)*

- \* Lord Touhig to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans, if any, they have to help armed forces personnel from Commonwealth countries to settle in the United Kingdom. **(Baroness Goldie, MoD) (p)**

*Speakers following Lord Touhig's supplementary question:*

- B Warsi (p)  
L Singh of Wimbledon  
L Judd  
B Smith of Newnham  
5 L Foulkes of Cumnock (p)  
V Trenchard (p)  
L Loomba  
L Campbell of Pittenweem (p)  
B Gardner of Parkes  
10 L Bhatia

- \* Lord Rennard to ask Her Majesty's Government how the new cancer taskforce will operate; and what funding that taskforce will be able to direct towards reducing any backlog in identifying and treating cancer patients. **(Lord Bethell, DHSC) (p)**

*Speakers following Lord Rennard's supplementary question:*

- B Thornton (p)  
L McCrea of Magherafelt and Cookstown  
L Flight (p)  
L Addington (p)  
5 L Balfe (p)

- B Finlay of Llandaff  
L McColl of Dulwich  
L Woolf  
10 B Ritchie of Downpatrick

\* Lord Vaizey of Didcot (p) to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the financial impact on (1) the retail, and (2) the tourism, sector of the decision to withdraw the VAT Retail Export Scheme from 1 January 2021.  
**(Baroness Penn, HMT) (p)**

*Speakers following Lord Vaizey's supplementary question:*

- L Mann (p)  
L Leigh of Hurley  
B Bull (p)  
L Tunncliffe  
5 B Kramer  
L Davies of Gower (p)  
E Clancarty (p)  
L Lucas  
B Doocey (p)  
10 L Robathan (p)

\* Lord Ravensdale to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the report by the International Energy Agency *World Energy Outlook 2020*, published on 13 October. **(Lord Callanan, BEIS) (p)**

*Speakers following Lord Ravensdale's supplementary question:*

- B Blackstone (p)  
L Taylor of Goss Moor  
B Neville-Rolfe (p)  
L Broers  
5 L Grantchester (p)  
L Teverson  
Bp Salisbury  
B Hayman  
L West of Spithead (p)  
10 V Waverley

*Private Notice Question at 1:00pm*

- \* Lord Hunt of Kings Heath (p) to ask Her Majesty's Government what is the legal basis for the Memorandum of Understanding with the National Police Chiefs Council which allows police forces to access information that tells them if a specific individual has been told to self-isolate. **(Lord Bethell, DHSC) (p)**

*Speakers following Lord Hunt of Kings Heath's supplementary question:*

- L Morris of Aberavon
- L Scriven (p)
- B Lane-Fox of Soho
- B Thornton (p)
- 5 L Mann (p)
- B Jones of Moulsecoomb

*Main Business*

**United Kingdom Internal Market Bill – Second Reading (winding speeches) – Lord Callanan (p)**

- **Second Reading Amendment (Regret Motion) – Lord Judge**
- **Second Reading Amendment (Regret Motion) – Lord Cormack (p)**

*Speakers:*

- L Fox (p)
- L Stevenson of Balmacara (p)
- L True (p)
- L Judge

- **Commitment Motion – Lord True (p)**
- **Order of Consideration Motion – Lord True (p)**

*At a convenient point after 2:00pm*

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

**Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (No. 2) (England) (Amendment) (No. 5) Regulations 2020 – Approval Motion – Lord Bethell (p)**

- **Amendment (Regret Motion) – Baroness Jolly**

**Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (North of England, North East and North West of England and Obligations of Undertakings (England) etc.) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 – Approval Motion – Lord Bethell (p)**

*Speakers:*

- L Bethell (p)
- B Jolly
- L Hunt of Kings Heath (p)
- B Barker (p)
- 5 B Altmann (p)
- L Bilimoria
- Bp London (p)
- L Adonis (p)
- L Blencathra (p)
- 10 L Scriven (p)
- B Stroud
- B Fox of Buckley (Maiden) (p)
- L Moylan (p)
- B Massey of Darwen
- 15 L McColl of Dulwich
- L Shipley
- B Bennett of Manor Castle
- L Moynihan (p)
- L Desai
- 20 L Bourne of Aberystwyth
- L Mann (p)
- L Balfe (p)
- B Jones of Moulsecoomb
- B Neville-Rolfe (p)
- 25 B Uddin (p)
- B Gardner of Parkes
- L Bhatia
- B McIntosh of Pickering
- B Thornton (p)
- 30 L Bethell (p)
- B Jolly

*Except for Lord Bethell (opening 8 mins, closing 10 mins), Baroness Jolly (8 mins), and Baroness Thornton (6 mins), all speeches are limited to 2 minutes*

*At a convenient point after 3.30pm*

**Agriculture Bill - Consideration of Commons Reasons - Lord Gardiner of Kimble (p)**

Grouping of amendments:

A, C, C1, F, F1

L Gardiner of Kimble (p)

L Whitty

B Jones of Whitchurch (p)

*Any non-listed speakers*

B Boycott

B Bakewell of Hardington Mandeville

L Gardiner of Kimble (p)

B, B1

L Gardiner of Kimble (p)

L Krebs (p)

*Any non-listed speakers*

B Boycott

B Bakewell of Hardington Mandeville

B Jones of Whitchurch (p)

L Gardiner of Kimble (p)

L Krebs (p)

D, E, E1, G, G1

L Gardiner of Kimble (p)

L Grantchester (p)

L Curry of Kirkhale

*Any non-listed speakers*

B Boycott

B Bakewell of Hardington Mandeville

L Gardiner of Kimble (p)

*Oral Statement at a convenient time after 7:30pm*

**Lord Bethell will answer questions on the 'Covid-19 Update' statement (p)**

*Frontbench speakers (20 minutes):*

B Thornton (p)

B Jolly

*Backbench speakers (30 minutes):*

L Lansley (p)

L Robathan (p)

Bp London (p)

B Andrews

5 B Stroud

L Rooker

B Pidding

L Dubs

B Wheatcroft

10 B Bennett of Manor Castle

L Hunt of Kings Heath

B Ritchie of Downpatrick

*Estimated rising time*

The House may sit late.

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Notes:

- This document sets out the matters for the day's business which the Government Whips' Office coordinates: Speakers' Lists (Companion 4.26), ministerial statements (Companion 6.02) and the grouping of amendments (Companion 8.70).
- 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.
- The number of sessions shown for a stage of a bill represents the Government's assessment of reasonable time given the balance of bills and remaining days to the likely end of the session. Progress remains in the hands of the House. Report stage is usually half the length of Committee.

- *The grouping of amendments is informal. Although every effort is made to secure agreement to groupings, any peer may speak to an amendment in its place on the Marshalled List. "g" before an amendment indicates a Government amendment.*
- *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).*