

**Wednesday 6 January 2021 at 12 noon***Oral questions (40 minutes)*

\***Baroness Deech** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the research on the impact of divorce published by Resolution on 30 November 2020, what steps they are taking (1) to improve the capacity of family courts, and (2) to support divorce litigants.

\***Lord Oates** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the effectiveness of the Green Homes Grant scheme.

\***Lord McCrea of Magherafelt and Cookstown** to ask Her Majesty's Government what financial support they have provided to religious groups in the United Kingdom during the COVID-19 pandemic.

†\***Lord Harris of Haringey** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact on law enforcement agencies in the United Kingdom of (1) not having access to European Union databases for the purposes of investigating crime, and (2) the replacement being put in place for the European Arrest Warrant.

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

†**Lord Watson of Invergowrie** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ensure that exams which were originally scheduled to take place in January can take place safely; and when they plan to publish alternative arrangements for exams which were scheduled to take place in the summer.

†**Medicines and Medical Devices Bill** Lord Bethell to move that the amendments for the Report stage be marshalled and considered in the following order:

Clauses 1 to 29	Schedule 2
Schedule 1	Clauses 40 to 49
Clauses 30 to 39	Title.

†**Covert Human Intelligence Sources (Criminal Conduct) Bill** Baroness Williams of Trafford to move that the amendments for the Report stage be marshalled and considered in the following order:

Clauses 1 to 3	Schedule 2
Schedule 1	Clauses 6 and 7
Clauses 4 and 5	Title.

†Questions on a Ministerial statement on the provisional local government finance settlement for 2021/22, made in the House of Commons on Thursday 17 December 2020. (40 minutes)

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*Items marked † are new or have been altered*

*[†] indicates that the member concerned has a relevant registered interest.*



†*At a convenient point after 2.00pm*

**Trade Bill** Report (day 3) [Lord Grimstone of Boscobel] *15th Report from the Constitution Committee*

†*It is expected that the House will adjourn at around 7.00pm, and will resume at a convenient point after 7.15pm.*

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

**Antique Firearms Regulations 2020** Consideration in Grand Committee [Baroness Williams of Trafford] *(1 hour)*

†*At a convenient point after 3.45pm*

†**Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (Regulated Activities) (Amendment) Order 2020** Consideration in Grand Committee [Baroness Penn] *37th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (1 hour)*

## **Future Business**

### **Thursday 7 January 2021 at 12 noon**

**Lord Wolfson of Tredegar** will be introduced.

*Oral questions (40 minutes)*

\***Baroness D’Souza** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what plans they have to appoint a Cabinet-level minister with responsibility for policies relating to the welfare of children.

\***Baroness Neville-Rolfe** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what progress they have made towards supporting leaseholders who cannot (1) sell, or (2) mortgage, their properties as a result of issues with cladding.

\***The Lord Bishop of St Albans** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of the cost to taxpayers of problem gambling.

†\***Lord Robathan** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of the success of the restrictions introduced to address the COVID-19 pandemic in reducing the transmission of COVID-19 between 1 July and 31 December 2020.

†**Business of the House** The Lord Privy Seal (Baroness Evans of Bowes Park) to move that Standing Order 72 (*Affirmative Instruments*) be dispensed with to allow the motions to approve the Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (Self-Isolation and Linked Households) (England) Regulations 2020, laid before the House on 11 December 2020, the Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (All Tiers) (England) (Amendment) (No. 4) Regulations 2020, laid before the House on 30 December 2020, and the Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (No. 3) and (All Tiers) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2021, laid before the House on 5 January, to be moved today, notwithstanding that no report from the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments on the instruments has been laid before the House; and that the debate on the Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (Self-Isolation and Linked Households) (England) Regulations 2020, the Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (All Tiers) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2020, the Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (All Tiers) (England) (Amendment) (No. 4) Regulations 2020 and the Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (No. 3) and (All Tiers) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 set down for today shall be limited to 3 hours and not 1½ hours.

†**Business of the House** The Lord Privy Seal (Baroness Evans of Bowes Park) to move that the debate on the motion in the name of Lord True set down for Friday 8 January shall be limited to 5 hours and not 3 hours.

*The following four motions are expected to be debated together, for up to 3 hours (if the Business of the House motion is agreed to).*

**Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (Self-Isolation and Linked Households) (England) Regulations 2020** Lord Bethell to move that the Regulations laid before the House on 11 December 2020 be approved. *40th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Instrument not yet reported by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments*

**Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (All Tiers) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2020** Lord Bethell to move that the Regulations laid before the House on 14 December 2020 be approved. *40th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

**Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (All Tiers) (England) (Amendment) (No. 4) Regulations 2020** Lord Bethell to move that the Regulations laid before the House on 30 December 2020 be approved. *40th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Instrument not yet reported by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments*

†**Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (No. 3) and (All Tiers) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2021** Lord Bethell to move that the Regulations laid before the House on 5 January be approved. *Instrument not yet reported by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments*

### **Friday 8 January 2021 at 11.00am**

**Lord True** to move that this House takes note of the Trade and Cooperation Agreement reached between the United Kingdom and the European Union.

### **Monday 11 January 2021 at 1.00pm**

*Oral questions (40 minutes)*

\***Baroness Bennett of Manor Castle** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to support the initiative for an Agreement on Climate Change, Trade and Sustainability.

\***Viscount Hanworth** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the capacity of the National Grid; and what plans they have to commission the construction of small modular reactors to address any capacity issues identified.

\***Baroness Morgan of Cotes** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to permit (1) the resumption of grassroots sporting fixtures, and (2) the re-opening of sports facilities.

\***Lord Lexden** to ask Her Majesty's Government what recent discussions they have had with the Northern Ireland Executive about extending the Defamation Act 2013 to Northern Ireland.

†**Covert Human Intelligence Sources (Criminal Conduct) Bill** Report [Baroness Williams of Trafford] *10th Report from the Joint Committee on Human Rights, 19th Report from the Constitution Committee*

### **Tuesday 12 January 2021 at 12 noon**

*Oral questions (40 minutes)*

\***Baroness Hayman of Ullock** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to improve enforcement rates for (1) animal welfare, and (2) wildlife crime, offences.

\***Lord Howell of Guildford** to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their estimate of the total cost of replacing gas boilers and heaters in all homes in the United Kingdom; when any such replacement programme will commence; and what charges will fall on (1) individual households, (2) property owners, and (3) tenants.

\***Lord Greaves** to ask Her Majesty's Government what risk assessment they have undertaken of the reliance of (1) the economy, and (2) society, on the use of large-scale technology for the provision of essential services.

†*Topical oral question. Ballot opens at 3pm on Wednesday 6 January, to be drawn at 1pm on Friday 8 January.*

†**Medicines and Medical Devices Bill** Report [Lord Bethell] *19th Report from the Delegated Powers Committee, 10th Report from the Constitution Committee*

### **Wednesday 13 January 2021 at 12 noon**

*Oral questions (40 minutes)*

\***Baroness Lawrence of Clarendon** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of how many people from black, Asian and ethnic minority communities participated in COVID-19 vaccine trials.

\***Lord Scriven** to ask Her Majesty's Government when they first became aware (1) of the new variant of COVID-19, and (2) that such a variant of the virus was prevalent in the areas placed into Tier 4 on 20 December 2020.

†\***Lord Thomas of Gresford** to ask Her Majesty's Government what reciprocal extradition arrangements are in place for the surrender of nationals between the United Kingdom and the European Union member states where the surrender of such nationals to a third country is forbidden or restricted by law.

†*Topical oral question. Ballot opens at 3pm on Thursday 7 January, to be drawn at 1pm on Monday 11 January.*

†*It is expected that the Report stage of the Covert Human Intelligence Sources (Criminal Conduct) Bill will continue, and that it will conclude.*

### **Thursday 14 January 2021 at 12 noon**

*Oral questions (40 minutes)*

\***Lord Young of Cookham** to ask Her Majesty's Government when they plan to establish the Constitution, Democracy and Human Rights Commission.

\***Baroness Northover** to ask Her Majesty's Government what formal arrangements they have put in place to enable regular dialogue between the United Kingdom and the European Union about foreign policy matters.

\***Lord Aberdare** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they have taken since the publication on 26 February 2020 of the responses to their consultation on retention payments in the construction industry.

†*Topical oral question. Ballot opens at 3pm on Friday 7 January, to be drawn at 1pm on Tuesday 12 January.*

†*It is expected that the Report stage of the Medicines and Medical Devices Bill will continue, and that it will conclude.*

## Monday 18 January 2021 at 1.00pm

*Oral questions (40 minutes)*

\***Lord Wallace of Saltaire** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the role of the BBC in their international soft power strategy.

\***Lord Randall of Uxbridge** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the report by the Climate Change Committee *Sixth Carbon Budget: The UK's path to Net Zero*, published on 9 December 2020, what plans they have to review the Airports National Policy Statement.

\***Baroness Boycott** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to encourage (1) a circular economy, and (2) the elimination of waste.

\***Baroness Cox** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the situation in the Nagorno-Karabakh region.

## Tuesday 19 January 2021 at 12 noon

*Oral questions (40 minutes)*

\***Lord Bradshaw** to ask Her Majesty's Government what estimate they have made of the reduction in the use of diesel oil if railways connecting (1) ports, and (2) quarries, to inland distribution centres were electrified.

\***Baroness Parminter** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to *The Health Survey for England 2019*, published on 15 December 2020, and the finding that 19 per cent of women aged 16 and over screened positive for a possible eating disorder, what steps they are taking to support those with eating disorders.

\***Lord Hunt of Kings Heath** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to encourage research into (1) the causes, and (2) the treatment, of brain tumours.

## Wednesday 20 January 2021 at 12 noon

*Oral questions (40 minutes)*

\***Lord Leigh of Hurley** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the report by the Office for Tax Simplification *OTS Capital Gains Tax Review: Simplifying by design*, published on 11 November 2020, what steps they have taken to ascertain the impact of the equalisation of Capital Gains Tax to income tax on entrepreneurs starting new businesses.

\***The Lord Bishop of Gloucester** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the wellbeing of children under five affected by the COVID-19 pandemic; and what steps they are taking to support the early years sector affected by the pandemic.

\***Lord Rooker** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of preparations against flooding in England in 2021.

## Thursday 21 January 2021 at 12 noon

*Oral questions (40 minutes)*

\***Lord McConnell of Glenscorrodale** to ask Her Majesty's Government what outcomes they hope to achieve at the G7 Summit due to be held in the United Kingdom in 2021.

\***Lord Faulkner of Worcester** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to ensure that heritage organisations have access to sufficient supplies of locally produced coal to continue operating after 2021.

\***The Lord Bishop of Coventry** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the United Nations Treaty on the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons.

†*It is expected that there will be four balloted Questions for Short Debate taken in Grand Committee. The ballot will close on Tuesday 12 January, to be drawn on Wednesday 13 January.*

### **Monday 25 January 2021 at 1.00pm**

*Oral questions (40 minutes)*

\***Lord Clement-Jones** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the SolarWinds cyberattack, first reported on 13 December 2020; and what action they are taking in response.

\***Lord West of Spithead** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the statement on Integrated Review of Security, Defence, Development and Foreign Policy by the Prime Minister on 19 November 2020 (HC Deb, cols 488–9), how many of the new ships have been ordered; and, if none, when the first orders will be placed.

\***Lord Carrington** to ask Her Majesty's Government what guidance they are using to inform their plans to plant 30,000 hectares of trees per year.

\***Lord Haskel** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the report by the Office for National Statistics *Social capital in the UK: 2020*, published on 20 February 2020, what steps they are taking to rebuild improve social capital.

### **Tuesday 26 January 2021 at 12 noon**

*Oral questions (40 minutes)*

\***Lord Roberts of Llandudno** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to increase the number of houses being built.

\***Baroness McIntosh of Pickering** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of the restrictions put in place to address the COVID-19 pandemic on (1) the income of businesses working in, and (2) jobs related to, the night-time economy; and what steps they are taking to address any such impact. [1]

\***Baroness Hoey** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to introduce legislation to decriminalise television licence evasion.

### **Wednesday 27 January 2021 at 12 noon**

*Oral questions (40 minutes)*

\***Lord Grocott** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to limit the size of the House of Lords.

\***Lord Holmes of Richmond** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to improve financial inclusion in the United Kingdom.

\***Baroness Grender** to ask Her Majesty's Government what progress they have made towards preparing the legislation to end "no fault" evictions announced in the Queen's Speech on 19 December 2019.

## Thursday 28 January 2021 at 12 noon

*Oral questions (40 minutes)*

†\***Lord German** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of the United Kingdom–European Union Trade and Cooperation Agreement on musicians and musical enterprises seeking to work and tour in the European Union.

†\***Lord Dubs** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to implement the United Kingdom–European Union Joint Political Declaration on Asylum and Returns.

†\***Lord Balfé** to ask the Senior Deputy Speaker what plans the Procedure and Privileges Committee has to consult the House on the further steps that could be taken to implement the recommendations of the Lord Speaker's committee on the Size of the House.

## Monday 1 February 2021 at 1.00pm

*Oral questions (40 minutes)*

†\***Baroness Coussins** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of reports that Iraqi interpreters are being targeted by militia groups because of their work with foreign militaries; and what steps they are taking to protect such interpreters who have worked for the British Armed Forces.

†\***Lord Crisp** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to celebrate the World Health Organization's International Year of Health and Care Workers in 2021.

†\***Lord Foulkes of Cumnock** to ask Her Majesty's Government what action they (1) have taken, and (2) plan to take, as a result of the Dunlop Review into UK Government Union capability.

†\***Baroness Randerson** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of the end of the transition period of the United Kingdom's departure from the European Union on the logistics industry in the United Kingdom.

## Tuesday 2 February 2021 at 12 noon

*Oral questions (40 minutes)*

†\***Lord Storey** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the provision of online learning for school pupils, and, in particular, for disadvantaged pupils.

†\***Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ensure that farmers continue to receive financial support following the United Kingdom's departure from the European Union.

†\***Lord Rose of Monewden** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on the employment of young people; and what steps they are taking to address youth unemployment.

## 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 2020*

**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 2020*

**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 2020*

**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 2020*

**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 2020*

**Lord Forsyth of Drumlean** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Economic Affairs Committee *Universal Credit isn't working: proposals for reform* (2nd Report, HL Paper 105). *31 July 2020*

**Baroness Armstrong of Hill Top** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Public Services Committee *A critical juncture for public services: lessons from COVID-19* (1st Report, HL Paper 167). *13 November 2020*

**Lord Grade of Yarmouth** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Select Committee on the Social and Economic Impact of the Gambling Industry *Gambling Harm—Time for Action* (HL Paper 79). *2 July 2020*



## 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*

**Baroness Randerson** to move that this House regrets that the Town and Country Planning (Border Facilities and Infrastructure) (EU Exit) (England) Special Development Order 2020 (SI 2020/928) will have considerable implications for the haulage industry and the local areas that these measures will affect, and regrets that the failure of Her Majesty's Government to prepare for Brexit has required these measures to be implemented. *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 26th Report*

**Lord Berkeley** to move that this House regrets that the Channel Tunnel (Arrangements with the Kingdom of the Netherlands) Order 2020 does not provide that frontier controls on rail passenger services may take place on moving trains for the benefit and convenience of passengers. *26th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

**Lord Falconer of Thoroton** to move that this House regrets that the Prosecution of Offences (Custody Time Limits) (Coronavirus) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 do not provide sufficient measures to address the backlog of Crown Court trials; and that this House agrees with the conclusion of the 27th Report of the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee which states that the extension of remand periods "delays justice for both the defendant and the victim and may add to the difficulties that prisons are facing during the pandemic. Extending remand can have extremely detrimental effects on the mental health of the individual and on the welfare of their families". *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 27th Report*

**Lord Foster of Bath** to move that this House takes note of the Audiovisual Media Services Regulations 2020 (SI 2020/1062). *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 30th Report*

**Lord Green of Deddington** to move that this House regrets that the Statement of changes in Immigration Rules, published on 22 October 2020, does not provide a clear and comprehensible description of the changes proposed, nor of their likely effect. *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 33rd Report*

**Earl Attlee** to move that this House regrets that the Road Vehicles (Construction and Use) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 (SI 2020/1178) have no business case because very few commercial operators use unsuitable tyres on a front steering axle and for private operators, and that the cost of compliance with the Regulations would be comparable to the annual cost of insurance of the relevant vehicle. *33rd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

## Motions Relating to Treaties

**Lord Collins of Highbury** to move that this House takes note of the Agreement between the United Kingdom and the United States of America on Technology Safeguards associated with United States Participation in Space Launches from the United Kingdom, laid before the House on 16 October. *Special attention drawn by the European Union Committee, 17th Report*

**Lord Teverson** to move that this House takes note of the Framework Agreement on Fisheries between the United Kingdom and Norway, laid before the House on 19 October. *Special attention drawn by the European Union Committee, 17th Report*

## Balloted Questions for Short Debate

*The ballot will close on Tuesday 12 January, for four Questions to be drawn on Wednesday 13 January for debate on Thursday 21 January. Time limit 1 hour.*

**Baroness Coussins** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of COVID-19 in South America. (*Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office*)

**Baroness Deech** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the report by the Community Security Trust *Campus Antisemitism in Britain 2018–2020*, published on 17 December, and in particular, the finding that the number of antisemitic incidents in universities has increased. (*Department for Education*)

†**The Earl of Clancarty** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they plan to take to support the music sector with (1) touring, and (2) other work, in Europe. (*Department for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport*)

†**Baroness Noakes** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the opportunities for the United Kingdom following the United Kingdom's departure from the European Union. (*Cabinet Office*)

## Questions for Written Answer

*Tabled on 5 January and due for answer by 19 January.*

**Lord Alton of Liverpool** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the report by Genocide Watch *Nigeria is a Killing Field of Defenseless Christians*, published on 13 April 2020, which states that "over 11,500 Christians have been murdered since June 2015"; and what action they have taken (1) to verify the reported figures, or (2) to seek independent verification. HL11715

**Lord Alton of Liverpool** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the report by Intersociety *2,200 Nigerian Christians hacked to death in 2020 and 34,400 since 2009*, published on 16 December 2020; and what action they have taken (1) to verify the reported figures, or (2) to seek independent verification. HL11716

**Lord Alton of Liverpool** to ask Her Majesty's Government what representations they have made to the government of Nigeria about reported killings of Christians in that country; and when any such representations were last made. HL11717

**Lord Alton of Liverpool** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to introduce export licensing controls for equipment used for the removal, freezing, or transportation, of organs to countries where there have been credible reports of forced organ harvesting. HL11718

**Earl Attlee** to ask Her Majesty's Government why they are offering for sale at least seven ex-Ministry of Defence MAN HX18.330 SV6T flat-bed trucks in Germany, advertised as unused. HL11719

**Lord Balfre** to ask Her Majesty's Government what is the average age of people who have had COVID-19 cited as a contributory cause of death in the last four weeks; how many such people were (1) 0–18, (2) 19–30, (3) 31–40, (4) 41–50, (5) 51–60, (6) 61–70, (7) 71–80, (8) 81–90, and (9) over 90, years old at the time of death; and in each cohort how many such deaths occurred in people with underlying health conditions. HL11720

**Lord Berkeley** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the report by Transport Focus *Fairer fares: the future of rail commuting* published on 18 August 2020, in particular the recommendation to trial flexi-season tickets and other marketing initiatives to encourage rail travel as COVID-19 restrictions are lifted; and what discussions they have had with railway operators about conducting such trials. HL11721

**Lord Blunkett** to ask Her Majesty's Government how many nominations for honours were (1) received, and (2) awarded, broken down by region or nation in the UK. HL11722

**Lord Blunkett** to ask Her Majesty's Government how many people were nominated for honours above the level of OBE in the Sheffield city region; and how many such honours were awarded. HL11723

**Lord Blunkett** to ask Her Majesty's Government what is the breakdown of honours received by region or nation in the UK as a percentage of the population of each such region or nation. HL11724

**Lord Crisp** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to introduce the same space standards for all new housing as those agreed for housing constructed under Permitted Development Rights. HL11725

**Baroness Deech** to ask Her Majesty's Government what evidence they have of the impact on the effectiveness of the Pfizer/BioNTech COVID-19 vaccination of postponing a second dose of the vaccination beyond 21 days from the first compared to giving such a dose within 21 days. HL11726

**Baroness Deech** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to collect evidence of the effectiveness of the second dose of the Pfizer/BioNTech COVID-19 vaccination being administered more than 21 days after the first. HL11727

**Baroness Deech** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to encourage investment in (1) so-called 'Wave 2', and (2) other future generations of, vaccines for COVID-19. HL11728

**Baroness Deech** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the reasons given by (1) UK Research and Innovation, and (2) the Medical Research Council, for (a) rejecting, and (b) accepting, applications for grant assistance from researchers developing COVID-19 vaccinations. HL11729

**Baroness Deech** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to encourage grant funders to support so-called 'Wave 2' vaccines in development. HL11730

**Baroness Deech** to ask Her Majesty's Government to whom (1) the Medical Research Council, and (2) UK Research and Innovation, are accountable for decisions taken to support research into COVID-19 vaccines. HL11731

**Lord Framlingham** to ask Her Majesty's Government what was the total number of deaths in the UK in (1) 2015, (2) 2016, (3) 2017, (4) 2018, (5) 2019, and (6) 2020. HL11732

**Lord Framlingham** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of the UK–EU Trade and Cooperation Agreement on the conditions governing the importation of trees and shrubs, in particular those relating to disease control. HL11733

**Lord Garnier** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to reform or update the Honours (Prevention of Abuses) Act 1925. HL11734

**Lord Garnier** to ask Her Majesty's Government how many investigations have been undertaken in each of the last 25 years for which figures are available into alleged offences under (1) section 1(1), and (2) section 1(2) of the Honours (Prevention of Abuses) Act 1925; on how many occasions in such a period evidence has been provided to the Crown Prosecution Service for its consideration of a prosecution under each of these sub-sections of the Act; and when any such occasions took place. HL11735

**Lord Goodlad** to ask Her Majesty's Government how many gigawatts of electricity they forecast will be required in 2030; and from what sources such electricity will be generated. HL11736

**Lord Goodlad** to ask Her Majesty's Government what discussions they have had with the (1) Royal College of Nursing, and (2) Nursing and Midwifery Council, about the availability of (a) student nurses, and (b) nursing students, volunteering to be seconded to the NHS; and what has been the outcome of any such discussions. HL11737

**Lord Green of Deddington** to ask Her Majesty's Government what was the total UK net public sector contributions to the EU/EC budget between 1991 and 2019 at real 2019 prices. HL11738

**Baroness Hayter of Kentish Town** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of reports that they awarded personal protective equipment (PPE) contracts to companies with records of human rights abuses; what steps they are taking in response to any such assessment; whether their requests for tenders for the supply of PPE stipulate that (1) the International Labour Organization minimum standards, (2) human rights legislation, or (3) their equivalent requirements, must be met; and what checks they undertake to ensure that those requirements are met before awarding any contract. HL11739

**Baroness Hooper** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the implications of the UK–EU Trade and Cooperation Agreement for Gibraltar. HL11740

**Lord Horam** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the introduction of the points-based immigration system, what they estimate net migration levels in the UK will be in (1) 2021, (2) 2022, (3) 2023, (4) 2024, and (5) 2025. HL11741

**Lord Hylton** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking, if any, to support the provision of COVID-19 vaccines (1) to the Occupied Palestinian Territories, and (2) Palestinian prisoners in Israel. HL11742

**Lord Jones of Cheltenham** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to vaccinate patients who are in hospital for reasons other than for treatment for COVID-19. HL11743

**Lord Jones of Cheltenham** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to provide financial support to those registered as self-employed who were excluded from previous COVID-19 financial support schemes. HL11744

**Lord Jones of Cheltenham** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to extend the furlough scheme beyond 30 April. HL11745

**Lord Jones of Cheltenham** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact on consumers of EU-based companies suspending deliveries to the UK because of documentation and taxation requirements for imported goods following the end of the transition period for the UK's departure from the EU. HL11746

**Lord Jones of Cheltenham** to ask Her Majesty's Government what estimate they have made of the total daily cost of their COVID-19 financial support packages. HL11747

**Lord Jones of Cheltenham** to ask Her Majesty's Government why analysis of the number of (1) school workers, and (2) other key workers who had COVID-19, has not been included in ONS infection surveys since 6 November 2020; and what plans they have to publish such analysis for the period since 6 November 2020. HL11748

**Lord Jones** to ask Her Majesty's Government how many Accident and Emergency units there were in England in (1) 2010, and (2) 2018. HL11749

**Lord Jones** to ask Her Majesty's Government how many hospital beds there were in England in (1) 2010, and (2) 2018. HL11750

**Lord Jones** to ask Her Majesty's Government how many (1) students, (2) teachers, and (3) other staff, at (a) primary schools, (b) secondary schools, and (c) further education institutions, have been reported as having COVID-19 since 31 January 2020. HL11751

**Lord Lipsey** to ask Her Majesty's Government what criteria they used to determine the London boroughs in which primary schools would not open at the scheduled beginning of term in January. HL11752

**Lord Mann** to ask the Senior Deputy Speaker how many members of the House of Lords did not attend any proceedings between 12 December 2019 and 20 December 2020. HL11753

**Lord Mann** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the requirement or otherwise for DBS checks to be made on volunteers to assist with car parking and people movement in any forthcoming programme of mass vaccinations for COVID-19. HL11754

**Lord Mann** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they have determined that retired (1) nurses, (2) GPs and (3) anaesthetists, are incapable of safely administering COVID-19 vaccinations; and if so, what criteria were used to make any such determination. HL11755

**Lord Mann** to ask Her Majesty's Government how many people have been tested for COVID-19 in Nottinghamshire since the announcement of mass testing in November 2020. HL11756

**Lord Mann** to ask Her Majesty's Government how many GP practices have refused to participate in COVID-19 vaccinations. HL11757

**Lord Mann** to ask Her Majesty’s Government how many (1) local staff, and (2) UK nationals, have been vaccinated against COVID-19 in (a) the UK embassy in Tel Aviv, and (b) the UK consulate in Jerusalem. HL11758

**Lord Mendelsohn** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what recent assessment they have made of the effectiveness of their social distancing guidance during the COVID-19 pandemic; and what plans they have, if any, to change that guidance. HL11759

**Lord Mendelsohn** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what recent assessment they have made of the effectiveness of their standards for personal protective equipment; and what plans they have, if any, to change those standards. HL11760

**Lord Mendelsohn** to ask Her Majesty’s Government whether any hospitals have had to change their admission criteria for COVID-19 to reduce in-hospital patient numbers; and if so, which such hospitals have done so. HL11761

**Lord Mendelsohn** to ask Her Majesty’s Government (1) what assessment they have made of whether current guidelines for schools are sufficient to address the spread of (a) the strain of COVID-19 identified in the UK, and (b) the reported “South African” strain of COVID-19; (2) who has conducted and is conducting any such assessment; (3) whether they plan to provide any new safety measures to schools to address any such new strains of COVID-19; and (4) if so, when they plan to do so. HL11762

**Lord Mendelsohn** to ask Her Majesty’s Government which (1) clinical commissioning groups, and (2) GP surgeries, were given places for the Pfizer/BioNTech COVID-19 vaccine in each week since vaccinations started. HL11763

**Lord Mendelsohn** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what percentage of vaccinations have been used compared to doses provided for each day since vaccinations started. HL11764

**Lord Moonie** to ask Her Majesty’s Government which nations participated in the Royal Navy’s “Thursday Wars” during 2020. HL11765

**Lord Myners** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what plans they have to publish a daily report of the number of people who have received a COVID-19 vaccination in each 24 hour period. HL11766

**Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what steps they have taken to reduce the risk of flooding for communities that have already experienced flooding in the last 12 months. HL11767

**Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of the level of access to insurance for households affected by the 2019/2020 winter floods. HL11768

**Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what plans they have to publish an annual league table to assess the performance of water companies in addressing water leaks and wastage. HL11769

**Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what steps they are taking to promote sustainable fishing. HL11770

**Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of the level of air pollution from motor vehicles since the restrictions put in place to address the COVID-19 pandemic were eased in August 2020. HL11771

**Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of the financial viability of (1) wildlife trusts, and (2) nature reserves. HL11772

**Lord Roberts of Llandudno** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Lord Bethell on 4 May 2020 (HL3062), what steps are now being taken to expedite the registration of those doctors who are awaiting final registration by the General Medical Council so that they may assist with the COVID-19 pandemic. HL11773

**Lord Roberts of Llandudno** to ask Her Majesty's Government what support they provide to the children of asylum seekers who are expelled from the UK following imprisonment for a criminal offence. HL11774

**Baroness Sheehan** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the factors which they consider will most limit the roll out of the Oxford/Astrazeneca vaccine at scale; and what such factors they have identified. HL11775

**Baroness Sheehan** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Lord Ahmad of Wimbledon on 30 November 2020 (HL10390), when the Foreign Secretary will publish the outcome of the cross-Government review to review, appraise and finalise the UK's Official Development Assistance allocations for 2021. HL11776

**Baroness Sheehan** to ask Her Majesty's Government when they plan to publish daily data on the number of people vaccinated by (1) the Pfizer/BioNTech, and (2) the Oxford/Astrazeneca, vaccine. HL11777

**Lord Smith of Hindhead** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they plan to include non-profit private members' clubs as a qualifying category for the Christmas Support Payment for wet-led pubs; and if not, why not. HL11778 [I]

**Lord Taylor of Warwick** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to support the Football Association in the recruitment of BAME referees in grassroots football. HL11779

**Lord Taylor of Warwick** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to introduce a racial diversity threshold for boardrooms of all football organisations. HL11780

**Lord Taylor of Warwick** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to offer additional emergency financial support to non-professional football clubs whose competition participation has been suspended due to restrictions put in place to address the COVID-19 pandemic. HL11781

**Lord Taylor of Warwick** to ask Her Majesty's Government what discussions they have had with the Football Association about increasing racial diversity amongst football managers. HL11782

**Lord Teverson** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Lord Callanan on 4 January (HL11621), what is the absolute number of TrustMark registered businesses now certified to install insulation measures in park homes under the Green Homes Grant Voucher Scheme; and where those installers are located. HL11783

**Baroness Tonge** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of reports that olive trees are being destroyed by Israeli settlers in the West Bank. HL11784

**Baroness Tonge** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the database published by the Yasser Arafat Foundation *Private Ownership by Palestine Refugees Data* on 24 February 2020; and what representations they intend to make to the government of Israel about the payment of reparations for any such occupied land. HL11785

**Baroness Tonge** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of reports of (1) increasing numbers of incursions by Israelis into the courtyard of Al-Aqsa Mosque in Jerusalem, and (2) Israeli police preventing Muslim worshippers from accessing that mosque for the duration of tours by Israelis. HL11786

**Baroness Tonge** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of reports of increasing numbers of incidents of hit-and-run incidents by Israelis in the West Bank where limited action is taken against those causing such incidents. HL11787

**Baroness Tonge** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of reports of a bombing of a paediatric hospital in Gaza on 26 December 2020. HL11788

**Baroness Tonge** to ask Her Majesty's Government what representations they have made to the government of Israel about reports that the Israeli Defence Force used tear gas and rubber-coated bullets during an incident at Palestinian medical facilities in Ramallah. HL11789

**Lord Watson of Invergowrie** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Baroness Berridge on 25 November 2020 (HL10314), what progress they have made with mobile network operators to provide access to free additional data to support remote education during periods of school closures. HL11790

**Lord Watson of Invergowrie** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Baroness Berridge on 25 November 2020 (HL10314), how many mobile network providers have responded to the request to provide a national service until the end of the academic year to assist disadvantaged families in gaining access to a free mobile data uplift to support remote education during periods of school closures. HL11791

**Lord Watson of Invergowrie** to ask Her Majesty's Government what additional support they will make available during the period of school closures announced by the Prime Minister on 4 January to ensure that all children who are participating in remote learning have access to (1) laptops or tablets, (2) internet provision, and (3) online education platforms; and what steps they have taken to ensure that such children have access to such items without having to share access with siblings or working parents. HL11792

**Lord West of Spithead** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Baroness Goldie on 10 December 2020 (HL10934), what tests they have conducted with British merchant ships contacting UK maritime authorities using (1) High Frequency, or (2) Single Side Band, radio communications from the (a) North Atlantic, (b) South Atlantic, (c) Indian, and (d) Pacific, oceans since the closure of Portishead radio station. HL11793

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HL8024 Lord Greaves [Department of Health and Social Care]

### **15 September (29 September)**

HL8127 Baroness McGregor-Smith [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL8216 Lord Warner [Department of Health and Social Care]

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### **21 September (5 October)**

HL8322 Baroness Lister of Burtsett [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL8317 Lord Jones of Cheltenham [Department of Health and Social Care]



**23 September** (7 October)

HL8422 Baroness McGregor-Smith [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL8445 Lord Empey [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL8493 Lord Willis of Knaresborough [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL8574 Lord Alton of Liverpool [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL8798 Lord Alton of Liverpool [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL8902 Lord Alton of Liverpool [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL9320 Lord Scriven [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL9512 Lord Bourne of Aberystwyth [Department of Health and Social Care]

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**27 October** (10 November)

HL9689 Lord Walney [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL9691 Lord Walney [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL9666 Lord Myners [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL9848 Lord Judd [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL9878 Lord Taylor of Goss Moor [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL9881 Lord Taylor of Goss Moor [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL9839 Baroness Hayman [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL9883 Lord Taylor of Goss Moor [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL9957 Lord Taylor of Goss Moor [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL9949 Baroness Sherlock [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL9954 Baroness Sherlock [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL9908 Lord Bassam of Brighton [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL9945 The Lord Bishop of St Albans [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL9947 The Lord Bishop of St Albans [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL9933 The Marquess of Lothian [Department of Health and Social Care]

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**4 November (18 November)**

HL9979 Lord Birt [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL9987 Lord Jones of Cheltenham [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL9989 Lord Jones of Cheltenham [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL9990 Lord Jones of Cheltenham [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL9992 Lord Jones of Cheltenham [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL9998 Baroness McGregor-Smith [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL10047 Lord Birt [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL10033 Lord Alton of Liverpool [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL10129 Lord Strasburger [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL10087 Baroness Mone [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL10291 Lord Hunt of Kings Heath [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL10359 Baroness Noakes [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL10448 Lord Scriven [Department of Health and Social Care]  
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HL10487 Lord Pendry [Department of Health and Social Care]  
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HL10550 Baroness Stroud [Department of Health and Social Care]  
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**23 November** (7 December)

HL10632 Lord Porter of Spalding [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL10692 Baroness Bennett of Manor Castle [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL10762 Lord Hunt of Kings Heath [Department of Health and Social Care]  
HL10763 Lord Hunt of Kings Heath [Department of Health and Social Care]  
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HL10915 Lord Stunell [Department of Health and Social Care]  
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HL10940 Lord Alton of Liverpool [Department of Health and Social Care]  
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HL10942 Lord Alton of Liverpool [Department of Health and Social Care]  
HL10943 Lord Alton of Liverpool [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL10993 Lord Scriven [Department of Health and Social Care]  
HL10965 Baroness Hayman of Ullock [Department of Health and Social Care]  
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HL10945 Earl Attlee [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL11014 Lord Allan of Hallam [Department of Health and Social Care]  
HL11051 Lord Taylor of Warwick [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL11064 Lord Blencathra [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL11144 Lord Lamont of Lerwick [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL11174 Lord Strasburger [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL11116 Baroness Eaton [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL11195 Lord Campbell-Savours [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL11227 Lord McCrea of Magherafelt and Cookstown [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL11308 Baroness Lister of Burtersett [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL11309 Baroness Lister of Burtersett [Department of Health and Social Care]

**10 December** (24 December)

HL11360 Baroness Manzoor [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL11345 Baroness Finlay of Llandaff [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL11346 Baroness Finlay of Llandaff [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL11371 Lord Robathan [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL11372 Lord Robathan [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL11385 Earl Attlee [Department of Health and Social Care]

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**15 December 2020** (31 December 2020)

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HL11508 Lord Taylor of Warwick [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL11547 The Lord Bishop of St Albans [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL11557 Lord Taylor of Warwick [Department for Education]

HL11539 Lord Hunt of Kings Heath [Department of Health and Social Care]

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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	
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Unconscionable Conduct in Commerce Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
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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
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Marriage and Civil Partnership (Minimum Age) Bill [HL]	Private Member's
Traffic Management (Approved Devices) Bill [HL]	Private Member's
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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
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Public Contracts (Modern Slavery) Bill [HL]	Private Member's
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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
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Provision of Personal Care Bill [HL]	Private Member's
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Wellbeing of Future Generations Bill [HL] ( <i>Queen's consent to be signified</i> )	Private Member's	
Counter-Terrorism and Sentencing Bill	Government	
Domestic Abuse Bill ( <i>Scottish Legislative Consent Motion passed</i> )	Government	
<b>Waiting for Report</b>		
Air Traffic Management and Unmanned Aircraft Bill [HL] ( <i>Scottish and Northern Irish Legislative Consent Motions passed</i> )	Government	
Trade Bill ( <i>Northern Irish Legislative Consent Motion passed</i> )	Government	6 January
Medicines and Medical Devices Bill ( <i>Scottish Legislative Consent Motion passed</i> )	Government	12 January
Covert Human Intelligence Sources (Criminal Conduct) Bill	Government	11 January
<b>Waiting for Third Reading</b>		
Telecommunications Infrastructure (Leasehold Property) Bill ( <i>Northern Irish Legislative Consent Motion passed</i> )	Government	
<b>Waiting for Consideration of Commons Amendments</b>		
Pension Schemes Bill [HL] ( <i>Northern Irish Legislative Consent Motion passed</i> )	Government	
<b>Returned to the Commons with Amendments</b>		
Fire Safety Bill ( <i>Welsh Legislative Consent Motion passed</i> )	Government	
High Speed Rail (West Midlands–Crewe) Bill	Hybrid	



## Statutory Instruments in Progress

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

Misappropriation (Sanctions) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020 *Approval period expires 28 February*

Draft Fertilisers and Ammonium Nitrate Material (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2021

Draft Plant Health (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020 *40th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Unauthorised Drilling Activities in the Eastern Mediterranean (Sanctions) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020 *Approval period expires 28 February*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (Self-Isolation and Linked Households) (England) Regulations 2020 *40th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Approval period expires 24 January (7 January)*

Draft Government of Wales Act 2006 (Amendment) Order 2021

Draft International Waste Shipments (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2021

Draft West Yorkshire Combined Authority (Election of Major and Functions) Order 2021

Customs Miscellaneous Non-fiscal Provisions and Amendments etc. (EU Exit) Regulations 2020. *Approval period expires 31 January*

Official Controls (Animals, Feed and Food, Plant Health etc.) (Amendment) (EU Exit) (No. 2) Regulations 2020. *Approval period expires 31 January*

Operation of Air Services (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020. *Approval period expires 31 January*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (All Tiers) (England) (Amendment) (No. 4) Regulations 2020 *40th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Approval period expires 31 January (7 January)*

Drivers' Hours and Tachographs (Amendment) Regulations 2020

Agricultural Products, Food and Drink (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020

Organic Production (Organic Indications) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020

Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (No. 3) and (All Tiers) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 *(7 January)*

### 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 *Approval period expires 28 February*

Guinea (Sanctions) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 *Approval period expires 28 February*

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

Sanctions (EU Exit) (Miscellaneous Amendments) (No. 2) Regulations 2020 *Approval period expires 5 March*

Cyber (Sanctions) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020 *Approval period expires 28 February*

Bosnia and Herzegovina (Sanctions) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020 *Approval period expires 28 February*

Nicaragua (Sanctions) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020 *Approval period expires 28 February*

Sanctions (EU Exit) (Miscellaneous Amendments) (No. 4) Regulations 2020 *Approval period expires 5 March*

Draft Antique Firearms Regulations 2020 *(6 January)*

Draft Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (Regulated Activities) (Amendment) Order 2020 *37th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (6 January)*

Draft Airports Slot Allocation (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2021 *38th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Corporate Insolvency and Governance Act 2020 (Coronavirus) (Extension of the Relevant Period) (No. 2) Regulations 2020 *40th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Approval period expires 2 February*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (All Tiers) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 *40th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Approval period expires 27 January (7 January)*

### **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 2020.*

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 2020.*

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 2020.*

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 2020.*

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 expired 12 October 2020.*

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

Prosecution of Offences (Custody Time Limits) (Coronavirus) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 27th Report. Praying time expired 16 October 2020.*

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Audiovisual Media Services Regulations 2020 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 30th Report. Praying time expired 8 November 2020.*

Statement of changes in Immigration Rules *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 33rd Report. Disapproval period expired 30 November 2020.*

Patents, Trade Marks and Designs (Address for Service) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Rules 2020 *37th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 18 January.*

Producer Responsibility Obligations (Packaging Waste) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 *37th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 19 January.*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, International Travel) (England) (Amendment) (No. 27) Regulations 2020 *37th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 22 January.*

Greenhouse Gas Emissions Trading Scheme (Withdrawal Agreement) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020 *38th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 23 January.*

Parish and Community Meetings (Coronavirus) (Polls) (Amendment) (England) Rules 2020 *38th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 26 January.*

Direct Payments to Farmers and Cross-Compliance (Simplifications) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 *38th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 26 January.*

Town and Country Planning (Local Planning, Development Management Procedure, Listed Buildings etc.) (England) (Coronavirus) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 *38th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 28 January.*

Vaccine Damage Payments (Specified Disease) Order 2020 *38th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 28 January.*

National Health Service (General Medical Services Contracts and Personal Medical Services Agreements) (Amendment) (No. 3) Regulations 2020 *38th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 28 January.*

Channel Tunnel (Customs and Excise) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Order 2020 *38th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 29 January.*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, International Travel) (England) (Amendment) (No. 28) Regulations 2020 *38th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 29 January.*

Statement of Changes in Immigration Rules (361) *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 40th Report. Disapproval period expires 4 February.*

Clean Air Zones Central Services (Fees) (England) Regulations 2020 *40th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 1 February.*

International Waste Shipments (Amendment of Regulation (EC) No 1013-2006) Regulations 2020 *40th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 2 February.*

National Lottery (Amendment) Regulations 2020 *40th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 2 February.*

Business Tenancies (Protection from Forfeiture: Relevant Period) (Coronavirus) (England) (No. 3) Regulations 2020 *40th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 3 February.*

Personal Protective Equipment (Temporary Arrangements) (Coronavirus) (England) Regulations 2020 *40th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 3 February.*

Air Traffic Management (Amendment etc) (EU Exit) (No. 3) Regulations 2020 *40th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 4 February.*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, International Travel and Public Health Information) (England) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2020 *40th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 5 February.*

Tax Credits, Childcare Payments and Childcare (Extended Entitlement) (Coronavirus and Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2020 *40th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 5 February.*

Rent Officers (Housing Benefit and Universal Credit Functions) (Modification) Order 2020 *40th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 8 February.*

Social Security Contributions (Disregarded Payments) (Coronavirus) (No. 2) Regulations 2020 *40th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 8 February.*

Social Security Contributions (Disregarded Payments) (Coronavirus) (Scotland and Wales) Regulations 2020 *40th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 9 February.*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, Travel from South Africa) (England) Regulations 2020 *40th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 12 February.*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, International Travel) (England) (Amendment) (No. 29) Regulations 2020 *40th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 12 February.*

Human Medicines (Coronavirus) (Further Amendments) Regulations 2020 *40th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 12 February.*

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

Social Fund Funeral Expenses Payment (Amendment) Regulations 2021 *Sifting period expires: 21 January*

### **Treaties before the House (Special Attention Drawn)**

Agreement in the form of an Exchange of Notes between the Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the Government of the United States of America on Technology Safeguards associated with United States Participation in Space Launches from the United Kingdom *Special attention drawn by the European Union Committee, 17th Report. Scrutiny period expired: 1 December 2020*

Framework Agreement on Fisheries between the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the Kingdom of Norway *Special attention drawn by the European Union Committee, 17th Report. Scrutiny period expired: 2 December 2020*

### **Retirement**

*The following member of the House has given notice of her intention to retire.*

Baroness Tonge (19 February)

## 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.*

#### **Wednesday 6 January**

EU Environment Sub-Committee	Virtual meeting	9.15am
International Relations and Defence Committee	Virtual meeting	10.00am
Delegated Powers and Regulatory Reform Committee	Virtual meeting	10.30am
Statutory Instruments (Joint Committee)	Virtual meeting	3.40pm

#### **Thursday 7 January**

COVID-19 Committee	Virtual Meeting	10.00am
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#### **Monday 11 January**

EU Goods Sub-Committee	Virtual	10.30am
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#### **Tuesday 12 January**

Science and Technology Committee	Virtual meeting (webcast)	9.40am
Common Frameworks Scrutiny Committee	Virtual meeting (webcast)	10.00am
EU Security and Justice Sub-Committee	Virtual meeting	10.00pm
Communications and Digital Committee	Virtual meeting	3.00pm

#### **Wednesday 13 January**

Constitution Committee	Virtual Meeting (webcast)	9.30am
Risk Assessment and Risk Planning Committee	Virtual meeting (webcast)	10.30am
Public Services Committee	Virtual meeting (webcast)	3.00pm
National Plan for Sport and Recreation Committee	Virtual meeting (webcast)	3.30pm
EU International Agreements Sub-Committee	Virtual meeting	4.00pm

#### **Thursday 14 January**

EU Services Sub-Committee	Virtual meeting	9.00am
Conduct Committee	Virtual meeting	2.00pm

## Minutes of Proceedings of Tuesday 5 January 2021

*The House met at 12 noon.*

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

**1 Leave of Absence** Leave of absence was granted to Lord Hague of Richmond for the remainder of the Session.

**2 Retirement** The Lord Speaker (Lord Fowler) informed the House of the retirement with effect from 1 January of Lord Cavendish of Furness under section 1 of the House of Lords Reform Act 2014.

**3 Barony of Renwick in the Peerage of the United Kingdom** The Lord Chancellor reported that Robert James Renwick had established his claim to the Barony of Renwick in the Peerage of the United Kingdom. The Clerk of the Parliaments was accordingly directed to enter Lord Renwick on the register of hereditary peers maintained under Standing Order 10(5).

### Select Committee Report

#### 4 Secondary Legislation Scrutiny

The following Report from the Select Committee was made and ordered to be printed:

Proposed Negative Statutory Instruments under the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018

Drawn to the special attention of the House:

Statement of Changes in Immigration Rules (361)

Correspondence: Test to Release Scheme

Information paragraphs on the following instruments:

17 instruments relating to COVID-19

Plant Health (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020

Clean Air Zones Central Services (Fees) (England) Regulations 2020

International Waste Shipments (Amendment of Regulation (EC) No 1013-2006) Regulations 2020

National Lottery (Amendment) Regulations 2020

Air Traffic Management (Amendment etc) (EU Exit) (No. 3) Regulations 2020. (40th Report, HL Paper 206)

### Public Business

**5 P&O Ferries** A question was asked by Lord Newby and answered by Baroness Vere of Norbiton.

**6 Obesity** A question was asked by Baroness Walmsley and answered by Lord Bethell.

**7 Housing: leasehold** A question was asked by Lord Truscott and answered by Lord Greenhalgh.

**8 Education: Turing scheme** A question was asked by Baroness Garden of Frognal and answered by Lord Parkinson of Whitley Bay.

*The House adjourned. The House resumed.*

**9 House of Lords Appointments Commission** A private notice question was asked by Baroness Hayman and answered by Lord True.

*The House adjourned. The House resumed.*

**10 Domestic Abuse Bill** Baroness Williams of Trafford moved that the bill be now read a second time. After debate, the motion was agreed to and the bill was committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*The House adjourned at 9.44pm until Wednesday 6 January at 12 noon.*

**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.*

### Statutory Instruments laid under Standing Order 70

The following instruments were laid before the House on the date shown:

1. Drivers' Hours and Tachographs (Amendment) Regulations 2020 (*Affirmative Instrument, No. 1658, laid on 31 December 2020*)
2. National Health Service (Charges to Overseas Visitors) (Amendment) (EU Exit) (No. 2) Regulations 2020 (*Negative Instrument, No. 1659, laid on 31 December 2020*)
3. Agricultural Products, Food and Drink (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020 (*Affirmative Instrument, No. 1661, laid on 31 December 2020*)
4. Libya (Sanctions) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020 (*Negative Instrument, No. 1665, laid on 4 January*)
5. Meat Preparations (Amendment and Transitory Modification) (England) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020 (*Negative Instrument, No. 1666, laid on 4 January*)
6. Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora (Commission Regulation (EC) No 865/2006) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 (*Instrument not subject to Parliamentary Proceedings, No. 1668, laid on 4 January*)
7. FLEGT Licensing Scheme (Council Regulation (EC) No 2173/2005) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 (*Negative Instrument, No. 2, laid on 4 January*)

### Affirmative Instruments

The following instruments were laid before the House for approval by resolution:

1. Organic Production (Organic Indications) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020 (1669)
2. Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (No. 3) and (All Tiers) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 (8)

### Paper subject to disapproval

The following paper was laid before the House:

1. Statement of Changes in Immigration Rules, laid by command of Her Majesty (31 December) (361)

### 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. Libya (Sanctions) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020 (1665)
2. Meat Preparations (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 (1666)
3. Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora (Commission Regulation (EC) No 865/2006) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 (1668)
4. Organic Production (Organic Indications) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020 (1669)

**Proposed Negative Statutory Instrument**

The following paper was laid under the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018:

1. Social Fund Funeral Expenses Payment (Amendment) Regulations 2021