

HOUSE OF LORDS BUSINESS

No. 214

Items marked † are new or have been altered.

Thursday 15 April 2021 at 12 noon

Baroness Merron, and

Lord Morse will be introduced.

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Black of Brentwood** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to improve the welfare of domestic animals in the United Kingdom.

***Lord Hunt of Kings Heath** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the variation in the standard of care received by patients with (1) Crohn's disease, and (2) ulcerative colitis; and what plans they have to work with NHS England to implement a framework to improve care and outcomes for such patients.

***Lord Beith** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to reduce the backlog of outstanding cases in the Crown Courts.

***Lord Moylan** to ask Her Majesty's Government when they intend to update their guidance on *Students returning to, and starting, Higher Education*, last published on 8 March, following the resumption of university courses after Easter.

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

†**Lord Campbell of Pittenweem** to ask Her Majesty's Government what discussions they have held with NATO allies regarding the recent amassing of Russian forces on the Ukrainian border.

Business of the House The Lord Privy Seal (Baroness Evans of Bowes Park) to move that Standing Order 44 (*No two stages of a Bill to be taken on one day*) be dispensed with on Monday 19 April to allow the Financial Services Bill to be taken through its remaining stages that day and that therefore, in accordance with Standing Order 47 (*Amendments on Third Reading*), amendments shall not be moved on Third Reading.

Greenhouse Gas Emissions (Kyoto Protocol Registry) Regulations 2021 Lord Callanan to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 25 February be approved. *48th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Considered in Grand Committee on 13 April*

British Library Board (Power to Borrow) Bill Committee [Lord Vaizey of Didcot]

Lord Vaizey of Didcot to move that the order of commitment be discharged.

Education and Training (Welfare of Children) Bill Committee [Baroness Blower]

Baroness Blower to move that the order of commitment be discharged.

Forensic Science Regulator Bill Committee [Lord Kennedy of Southwark]

Lord Kennedy of Southwark to move that the order of commitment be discharged.

†*At a convenient point after 1.30pm*

National Security and Investment Bill Report [Lord Callanan]

†*It is expected that the House will adjourn at around 7.30pm, and will resume at a convenient point after 7.45pm.*

Grand Committee in Committee Room 2A at 2.30pm

Recognised Auction Platforms (Amendment and Miscellaneous Provisions) Regulations 2021
Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Agnew of Oulton] (*1 hour*)

†*At a convenient point after 3.00pm*

Common Organisation of the Markets in Agricultural Products (Wine) (Amendment, etc.) Regulations 2021 Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Gardiner of Kimble] (*1 hour*)

†*At a convenient point after 4.05pm*

Plant Health etc. (Fees) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Gardiner of Kimble] *50th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee.* (*1 hour*)