

Wednesday 30 June 2021 at 12 noon*Oral questions (40 minutes)*

***Viscount Ridley** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the possibility that the COVID-19 virus escaped from a laboratory at the Wuhan Institute of Virology.

***Lord Hunt of Kings Heath** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to review the guidance restricting the performance of indoor amateur choirs to no more than six people.

***Lord Grocott** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have, if any, for reform of the House of Lords.

***Lord Sarfraz** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the report by the United States Office of the Director of National Intelligence *Preliminary Assessment: Unidentified Aerial Phenomena*, published on 25 June; and what data they hold on unidentified flying object sightings in the United Kingdom.

†At 1.00pm

Parliamentary Works Estimates Commission The Lord Privy Seal (Baroness Evans of Bowes Park) to move that Lord Gardiner of Kimble be appointed as a member of the Parliamentary Works Estimates Commission in place of Lord McFall of Alcluith.

Parliamentary Works Sponsor Body The Lord Privy Seal (Baroness Evans of Bowes Park) to move that Marta Phillips, Dr Simon Thurley and Simon Wright be appointed as external members of the Parliamentary Works Sponsor Body.

†Questions on an answer to an Urgent Question on the loss of secret documents from the Ministry of Defence, asked in the House of Commons on Monday 28 June. (10 minutes)

†At a convenient point after 1.30pm

Environment Bill Committee (day 4) [Lord Goldsmith of Richmond Park] *3rd Report from the Delegated Powers Committee, 4th Report from the Constitution Committee*

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

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Grand Committee in Committee Room 2A at 2.30pm

Birmingham Commonwealth Games (Compensation for Enforcement Action) Regulations 2021 Consideration in Grand Committee [Baroness Barran] (*1 hour*)

†*At a convenient point after 3.20pm*

Introduction and the Import of Cultural Goods (Revocation) Regulations 2021 Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Parkinson of Whitley Bay] (*1 hour*)

†*At a convenient point after 4.10pm*

Criminal Justice (Electronic Commerce) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2021 Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Wolfson of Tredegar] (*1 hour*)

Future Business

Thursday 1 July 2021 at 12 noon

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Baroness Kidron** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they plan to take in response to General comment No. 25 (2021) on children's rights in relation to the digital environment adopted by the United Nation's Committee on the Rights of the Child on 2 March.

***Baroness Bonham-Carter of Yarnbury** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have for the future (1) funding, and (2) governance, of Channel 4.

***Lord Wallace of Saltaire** to ask Her Majesty's Government when they next intend to review the adequacy of the contributions made by the Crown Dependencies towards the cost of their access to the United Kingdom's (1) public services, (2) provision of security, and (3) international representation.

†***Lord Foulkes of Cumnock** to ask Her Majesty's Government what consideration they have given, if any, to changing the arrangements for the appointment of non-executive directors of Government departments.

†**Town and Country Planning (Fees for Applications, Deemed Applications, Requests and Site Visits) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2021** Lord Greenhalgh to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 27 May be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 29 June*

†**Social Security (Scotland) Act 2018 (Disability Assistance, Young Carer Grants, Short-term Assistance and Winter Heating Assistance) (Consequential Provision and Modifications) Order 2021** Baroness Scott of Bybrook to move that the draft Order laid before the House on 17 May be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 29 June*

†*Baroness Vere of Norbiton intends to move the following four motions en bloc: but if any Lord objects the motions must be moved separately to the extent desired.*

†**Space Industry (Appeals) Regulations 2021** Baroness Vere of Norbiton to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 24 May be approved. *4th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Considered in Grand Committee on 29 June*

†**Space Industry Regulations 2021** Baroness Vere of Norbiton to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 24 May be approved. *4th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Considered in Grand Committee on 29 June*

†**Spaceflight Activities (Investigation of Spaceflight Accidents) Regulations 2021** Baroness Vere of Norbiton to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 24 May be approved. *4th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Considered in Grand Committee on 29 June*

†**Contracting Out (Functions in Relation to Space) Order 2021** Baroness Vere of Norbiton to move that the draft Order laid before the House on 24 May be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 29 June*

Lord Fowler to move that this House takes note of the importance of the UK foreign aid programme. (3 hours)

The Earl of Kinnoull to move that this House takes note of (1) *The Dunlop Review into UK Government Union capability*, and (2) the progress update on the review of intergovernmental relations, both published on 24 March. (1½ hours)

Monday 5 July 2021 at 1.00pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord McKenzie of Luton** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the report by the Trades Union Congress *RIDDOR, Covid and underreporting*, published on 23 May; and what steps they plan to take in response to the finding that work-related cases of COVID-19 leading to deaths have been underreported.

***Lord Faulkner of Worcester** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the management of the Historical Railways Estate by Highways England; and in particular, whether that management is consistent with the Government's policies (1) to reverse the Beeching rail cuts, and (2) to promote active travel.

***Lord Clement-Jones** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of the pandemic on (1) access to, and (2) the affordability of, broadband internet services.

***Baroness Couttie** to ask Her Majesty's Government what is the national average waiting time for a referral to a memory service following a suspected dementia diagnosis; and how this has changed since January 2020.

†*It is expected that the Committee stage of the Environment Bill will continue.*

Grand Committee in Committee Room 2A at 2.30pm

†**European Union and European Atomic Energy Community (Immunities and Privileges) Order 2021** Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Ahmad of Wimbledon] *Instrument not yet reported by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments (1 hour)*

†**Health Security (EU Exit) Regulations 2021** Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Bethell] *6th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (1 hour)*

†**Coronavirus Act 2020 (Early Expiry) Regulations 2021** Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Bethell] *1st Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (1 hour)*

†**Occupational Pension Schemes (Climate Change Governance and Reporting) Regulations 2021** Consideration in Grand Committee [Baroness Stedman-Scott] (1 hour)

Tuesday 6 July 2021 at 12 noon

Sir Simon Stevens will be introduced as a Baron.

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Ramsbotham** to ask Her Majesty's Government what progress they have made with the establishment of the Royal Commission on the Criminal Justice System announced in the 2019 Queen's Speech.

***Lord Oates** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the benefits of implementing a tax strategy that aligns with the United Kingdom's net zero greenhouse gas emissions target.

***Baroness Coussins** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Baroness Goldie on 28 April (HL15285), what plans they have for considering applications for relocation to the United Kingdom from the 15 Afghan interpreters who have fled to a third country.

†*Topical oral question. Ballot opens at 3pm on Wednesday 30 June, to be drawn at 1pm on Friday 2 July.*

†**Conduct** Lord Mance to move that the Report from the Select Committee *Further amendments to the Code of Conduct* be agreed to. (1st Report, HL Paper 20)

†**Skills and Post-16 Education Bill [HL]** Committee [Baroness Berridge]

Grand Committee in Committee Room 2A at 2.30pm

†**Animal Welfare (Sentience) Bill [HL]** Committee [Lord Benyon]

Wednesday 7 July 2021 at 12 noon

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Harris of Haringey** to ask Her Majesty's Government what progress they have made on enabling the police to release material from body-worn videos in a timely fashion following an incident.

***Lord Campbell of Pittenweem** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to recognise Palestine as a State.

***Lord Bird** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to incentivise the private sector to make their operations more environmentally friendly ahead of COP26.

†*Topical oral question. Ballot opens at 3pm on Thursday 1 July, to be drawn at 1pm on Monday 5 July.*

†*It is expected that the Committee stage of the Environment Bill will continue.*

Grand Committee in Committee Room 2A at 2.30pm

†**Charities Bill [HL]** (*Law Commission Bill*) Second Reading Committee [Baroness Barran]

Thursday 8 July 2021 at 12 noon

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Baroness Newlove** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made, if any, of (1) the number of non-fatal strangulation and suffocation incidents each year in England and Wales, and (2) the division of such incidents between (a) cases of domestic abuse, (b) cases of sexual violence, and (c) other situations.

***Lord Lexden** to ask Her Majesty's Government what recent assessment they have made of the work of the Independent Office for Police Conduct.

***Lord Singh of Wimbledon** 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 *Commentary on the Current State of International Freedom of Religion or Belief (2020)*, published on 1 March.

†*Topical oral question. Ballot opens at 3pm on Friday 2 July, to be drawn at 1pm on Tuesday 6 July.*

Lord Howell of Guildford to move that this House takes note of the progress made in renewing the United Kingdom's trading relationship with Commonwealth countries. (3 hours)

Baroness Jenkin of Kennington to move that this House takes note of the steps taken to improve women's health outcomes. (1½ hours)

Grand Committee in Committee Room 2A at 2.30pm

†**Market Surveillance (Northern Ireland) Regulations 2021** Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Callanan] *6th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (1 hour)*

†**Business and Planning Act 2020 (Pavement Licences) (Coronavirus) (Amendment) Regulations 2021** Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Greenhalgh] *6th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (1 hour)*

†**Bank of England Act 1998 (Macro-prudential Measures) (Amendment) Order 2021** Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Agnew of Oulton] (1 hour)

†**Road Vehicle Carbon Dioxide Emission Performance Standards (Cars and Vans) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2021** Consideration in Grand Committee [Baroness Vere of Norbiton] (1 hour)

Monday 12 July 2021 at 1.00pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Browne of Ladyton** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made as to whether the reported killings of civilian protestors in Colombia has put the government of that country in breach of its commitments to respect human rights and democratic principles, as set out in the UK–Andean Countries Trade Agreement of 15 May 2019.

***Baroness Ludford** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to tackle the illegal riding of e-scooters.

***Lord Allen of Kensington** to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their industrial strategy for the steel sector.

***Baroness Hayter of Kentish Town** to ask the Leader of the House when she expects a motion to be brought before the House of Lords to establish and constitute the United Kingdom–European Union Parliamentary Partnership Assembly.

Tuesday 13 July 2021 at 12 noon

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Baroness Altmann** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to narrow the gender pensions gap; and what assessment they have made of (1) the underpayments of state pensions to married women, and (2) the reduced private pension contributions associated with female work patterns, in the development of those plans.

***Baroness Sherlock** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to increase the number of people employed through the Kickstart Scheme.

***Lord Rooker** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the reply by Lord Bethell on 3 September 2020 (HL Deb, cols 444–5), whether they have yet been able to form a conclusion on the outcome of their consultation on the proposal to add folic acid to flour which closed on 9 September 2019.

Wednesday 14 July 2021 at 12 noon

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Brooke of Alverthorpe** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to review the objectives of the National Lottery.

***Lord McConnell of Glenscorrodale** to ask Her Majesty's Government what outcomes they expect from the Global Education Summit being co-hosted by the United Kingdom and Kenya on 28 and 29 July.

***Baroness Gale** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to investigate the nature of domestic abuse of older people; and what support they offer to victims of such abuse.

Thursday 15 July 2021 at 12 noon

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Beith** to ask Her Majesty's Government what discussions they have had with London North Eastern Railway about proposals to change the frequency of services north of Newcastle on the East Coast Main Line.

***Lord Scriven** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether the Prime Minister discussed human rights abuses in Bahrain when he met the Crown Prince of Bahrain on 17 June.

***Lord Thomas of Gresford** to ask Her Majesty's Government (1) what estimate they have made of the cost of Thames Valley Police's investigation into Councillor Jonathon Seed subsequent to his election as the Police and Crime Commissioner for Swindon and Wiltshire on 6 May, and (2) following the finding that Councillor Seed was ineligible to stand, what estimate they have made of the cost of the resulting by-election.

Monday 19 July 2021 at 1.00pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Holmes of Richmond** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have (1) to designate the United Kingdom's cash infrastructure as critical national infrastructure, and (2) to introduce a universal service obligation for the provision of cash.

***Lord Blunkett** to ask Her Majesty's Government what are the regulatory requirements for British citizens (1) visiting countries with low levels of COVID-19 infection, and (2) returning to England from such countries.

***Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to create an office of the hydrogen economy in the Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy.

***Lord Adonis** to ask Her Majesty's Government what salary attaches to the new post of Director of the Brexit Opportunities Unit at the Cabinet Office.

Tuesday 20 July 2021 at 12 noon

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Foulkes of Cumnock** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to adopt the Council of Europe Convention on Access to Official Documents (CETS No. 205).

***Baroness Sheehan** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to make human rights due diligence mandatory for businesses, in particular those engaged in forest risk commodities.

***Lord Alton of Liverpool** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to curtail reliance on Chinese products and companies linked to violations of human rights.

Wednesday 21 July 2021 at 12 noon

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Baroness Boycott** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the case for establishing a crime of ecocide.

***Lord Trees** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the proportion of infectious diseases in people, that originate in animals; and what plans they have to adopt a 'One Health' approach to prepare for future pandemics.

***Lord Soley** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to create a register of all home educated children.

Thursday 22 July 2021 at 12 noon

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Rennard** to ask Her Majesty's Government what progress they have made in ensuring that details on how to join the electoral register are included with the notices informing young people of their National Insurance numbers.

***Baroness Hayman** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the recommendation of the Climate Change Committee that all government policies should be subject to a 'Net Zero Test'; and what steps they intend to take in response.

***Lord Young of Cookham** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have, if any, to introduce higher rate bands for Council Tax.

†*Three oral questions to the Minister of State at the Cabinet Office (Lord Frost) (30 minutes). Ballot opens at 10am on Monday 12 July, to be drawn at 1pm on Monday 19 July.*

†*It is expected that four balloted Questions for Short Debate will be taken in Grand Committee.*

Select Committee Reports

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

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, Session 2019–21, 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* (Session 2019–21, 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, Session 2019–21, HL Paper 66). 1 June 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, Session 2019–21, HL Paper 88). 10 July 2020

Baroness Suttie to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Electoral Registration and Administration Act 2013 Committee *An electoral system fit for today? More to be done* (Session 2019–21, HL Paper 83). 8 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, Session 2019–21, 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, Session 2019–21, 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* (Session 2019–21, HL Paper 79). 2 July 2020

Baroness Donaghy to move that this House takes note of the Report from the European Union Committee *The future UK–EU relationship on professional and business services* (13th Report, Session 2019–21, HL Paper 143). 13 October 2020

Lord Patel to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Science and Technology Committee *Ageing: Science, Technology and Healthy Living* (1st Report, Session 2019–21, HL Paper 183). 15 January

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 Afghanistan* (2nd Report, Session 2019–21, HL Paper 208). 13 January

Lord Patel to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Science and Technology Committee *Catapults: bridging the gap between research and industry* (2nd Report, Session 2019–21, HL Paper 218). 5 February

Lord Goldsmith to move that this House takes note of the Report from the International Agreements Committee *Scrutiny of international agreements: Free Trade Agreement with Singapore, Trade Continuity Agreement with Canada and Association Agreement with Egypt* (1st Report, Session 2019–21, HL Paper 219). 29 January

Lord Forsyth of Drumlean to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Economic Affairs Committee *Employment and COVID-19: time for a new deal* (3rd Report, Session 2019–21, HL Paper 188). 14 December 2020

Lord Gilbert of Panteg to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Communications and Digital Committee *Breaking News? The Future of UK Journalism* (1st Report, Session 2019–21, HL Paper 176). *27 November 2020*

Baroness Taylor of Bolton to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Constitution Committee *COVID-19 and the Courts* (22nd Report, Session 2019–21, HL Paper 257). *30 March*

Baroness Andrews to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Common Frameworks Scrutiny Committee *Common Frameworks: building a cooperative Union* (1st Report, Session 2019–21, HL Paper 259). *31 March*

The Earl of Kinnoull to move that this House takes note of the Report from the European Union Committee *Beyond Brexit: the institutional framework* (21st Report, Session 2019–21, HL Paper 246). *22 March*

Lord Teverson to move that this House takes note of the Report from the European Union Committee *Beyond Brexit: food, environment, energy and health* (22nd Report, Session 2019–21, HL Paper 247). *23 March*

Baroness Donaghy to move that this House takes note of the Report from the European Union Committee *Beyond Brexit: trade in services* (23rd Report, Session 2019–21, HL Paper 248). *24 March*

Baroness Verma to move that this House takes note of the Report from the European Union Committee *Beyond Brexit: trade in goods* (24th Report, Session 2019–21, HL Paper 249). *25 March*

Lord Ricketts to move that this House takes note of the Report from the European Union Committee *Beyond Brexit: policing, law enforcement and security* (25th Report, Session 2019–21, HL Paper 250). *26 March*

Motions Relating to Delegated Legislation

Baroness Bull to move that this House regrets that the draft Calorie Labelling (Out of Home Sector) (England) Regulations 2021 will not have their intended effect of addressing concerning levels of obesity in the United Kingdom; further regrets that their introduction will have negative and damaging consequences to those living with, or at risk of developing, eating disorders; further regrets that they have not taken into account the views of experts and those with lived experience of eating disorders and do not take an integrated public health approach to obesity and eating disorders; and calls on Her Majesty's Government to commit to timely reviews of the impact of these regulations not only on obesity, but on eating disorders, as such disorders have the highest mortality rate of all mental health illnesses in the United Kingdom. *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 4th Report.*

Lord Watson of Invergowrie to move that this House regrets that the Early Years Foundation Stage (Miscellaneous Amendments) and Childcare Fees (Amendment) Regulations 2021 introduces the Reception Baseline Assessment that takes effect in September 2021, when the workload of teachers will be significant, schools will be focused on re-opening, and special attention will need to be paid to those children who were unable to develop their language skills because of social isolation during the pandemic; and calls on Her Majesty's Government to provide schools with the flexibility to defer implementation of the Reception Baseline Assessment for the cohort of children starting Reception this year until January 2022. *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 53rd Report, Session 2019–21.*

Lord Lucas to move that this House takes note of the draft School Admissions Code 2021 and the School Information (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 (SI 2021/570). *3rd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Lord Berkeley to move that this House regrets that the Merchant Shipping (Cargo Ship) (Bilge Alarm) Regulations 2021 (SI 2021/592), introduced as a result of a fatal accident involving the ‘Abigail H’ at the port of Heysham in November 2008, have taken over 11 years to be introduced; further regrets that this delay has put at risk the safety of crews of 425 ships of a similar type on the UK Ship Register; and notes that nine similar incidents to those at Heysham had been reported to the Marine and Coastguard Agency since 1996. *4th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Baroness D’Souza to move that this House regrets that the Regulation of Investigatory Powers (Criminal Conduct Authorisations) (Amendment) Order 2021 (SI 2021/601) does not provide adequate safeguards on the actions of covert agents, as the Covert Human Intelligence Sources (Criminal Conduct) Act 2021 failed to include express limits on the crimes covert agents can commit; and calls on Her Majesty’s Government to amend the Act to provide proper limits on, and oversight of, crimes committed by covert agents. *4th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Motion Relating to Treaties

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 2020. *Special attention drawn by the European Union Committee, 17th Report, Session 2019–21*

Balloted Questions for Short Debate

The ballot for four Questions will close at 5pm on Tuesday 13 July and be drawn on Wednesday 14 July for debate on Thursday 22 July. Time limit 1 hour.

Baroness Bennett of Manor Castle to ask Her Majesty’s Government what plans they have to update the Bribery Act 2010 to address (1) domestic, and (2) international, developments in tackling (a) corruption, (b) bribery, and (c) undue use of influence. (*Ministry of Justice*)

Lord Lingfield to ask Her Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of the social impact of their funding of cadet forces. (*Ministry of Defence*)

Baroness Quin to ask Her Majesty’s Government what plans they have to review their (1) immigration, and (2) visa, policies in relation to the member countries of (a) the European Union, and (2) the European Economic Area. (*Home Office*)

Lord Dubs to ask Her Majesty’s Government what is their policy towards Iran; and what engagement they have had with the government of that country on (1) the Joint Comprehensive Plan of Action, and (2) the detention of dual nationals. (*Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office*)

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

Lord Boateng to ask Her Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of (1) the benefits of mandatory ethnicity pay gap reporting, and (2) the joint call by the Confederation of British Industry, the Trades Union Congress, and the Equality and Human Rights Commission, for the introduction of mandatory ethnicity pay gap reporting. (*Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy*)

Lord Davies of Brixton to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of (1) the report by the Money and Mental Health Policy Institute *Set Up To Fail: Making it easier to get help with Universal Credit*, published on 26 May, and (2) any barriers to people with mental health problems receiving support for the management of their Universal Credit accounts. (*Department for Work and Pensions*)

Lord Scriven to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the human rights of LGBT+ people across the world; and how that assessment influences the United Kingdom's asylum system. (*Home Office*)

†**Baroness Greengross** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to address the intergenerational impact of social care funding. (*Department of Health and Social Care*)

Questions for Written Answer

Tabled on 29 June and due for answer by 13 July.

Lord Bradshaw to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the introduction of the flexible season ticket for commuters, what market research they undertook to inform this policy; whether they sought any guidance from marketing experts; what plans they have to publish this market research; and what assessment they have made of the impact of reducing the number of cars commuting into towns and cities on decisions about future rail fare levels. HL1509

Lord Bradshaw to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the letter to the Chief Executive of National Rail from the Department for Transport on 8 October 2020 commissioning a review of the way capacity is allocated on the East Coast Main Line, when they will publish this review; what are the reasons this review has not already been published; and whether the review offers timetable options for (1) passengers, and (2) taxpayers, that are preferable to those proposed in London North Eastern Railway's 2022 timetable consultation. HL1510

Lord Browne of Belmont to ask Her Majesty's Government how many full-time staff there have been in (1) UK Visa and Immigration, and (2) UK Border Force, in each year since 2017. HL1511

Lord Browne of Belmont to ask Her Majesty's Government how much debt is outstanding under confiscation orders obtained by the Crown Prosecution Service; and what assessment they have made of how much of the debt is recoverable. HL1512

Lord Browne of Belmont to ask Her Majesty's Government what recent assessment they have made of the quality of NHS care for veterans. HL1513

Lord Browne of Belmont to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to prevent the long-term loss of labour market participation among people under the age of 40 as COVID-19 restrictions are eased. HL1514

Lord Browne of Belmont to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they have taken to help prevent the spread of COVID-19 in the UK's Overseas Territories. HL1515

Lord Browne of Belmont to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to increase the number of UK ratings now employed in the cruise industry who were previously in the Royal Navy. HL1516

Baroness Bull to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the letter from the Minister of State for Patient Safety, Suicide Prevention and Mental Health to Baroness Bull on 18 June, what funding they have allocated to the new eating disorder study jointly led by King's College London and Beat; and through which funding mechanism any such funding was provided. HL1517

The Lord Bishop of Durham to ask Her Majesty's Government whether European Economic Area nationals who apply late to the EU Settlement Scheme will be permitted to have the right to work and rent while their applications are pending. HL1518

The Lord Bishop of Durham to ask Her Majesty's Government whether EU nationals living in the UK before 31 December 2020 and who go on to be granted settled status under the EU Settlement Scheme will be liable for chargeable healthcare as set out in NHS Charging Regulations guidance or whether they are entitled to free healthcare. HL1519

The Lord Bishop of Durham to ask Her Majesty's Government what measures are in place to ensure that the number of young people in the care of local authorities who still need to apply to the EU Settlement Scheme do so before the deadline. HL1520

The Lord Bishop of Durham to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to work with local authorities to ensure all eligible children in care and care leavers are identified before the EU Settlement Scheme deadline. HL1521

The Lord Bishop of Durham to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they intend to publish updated figures of the number of children in care and care leavers identified as eligible to apply to the EU Settlement Scheme. HL1522

The Lord Bishop of Durham to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the update to the EU Settlement Scheme caseworker guidance on late applications and its discussion of children in care and care leavers, whether care leavers who are over 18 at the deadline are included as having reasonable grounds to make out of time applications. HL1523

Baroness Greengross to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to invest in preventative healthcare; and what assessment they have made of the effect of such investment on (1) the waiting lists for hospital treatment, and (2) demand for NHS services generally. HL1524

Lord Hay of Ballyore to ask Her Majesty's Government how many accidents involving private leisure craft were caused by the consumption of alcohol in the last three years. HL1525

Lord Hay of Ballyore to ask Her Majesty's Government how many fatalities there were in each of the last three years on (1) motorways, (2) dual carriageways, and (3) single carriageways. HL1526

Lord Hay of Ballyore to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the levels of business investment for (1) the remainder of 2021, and (2) 2022. HL1527

Lord Hay of Ballyore to ask Her Majesty's Government what proportion of migrants to the UK from 2016 to 2020 were from the EU. HL1528

Lord Hay of Ballyore to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the potential bilateral fisheries agreement between the UK and Norway. HL1529

Lord Hunt of Kings Heath to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the article 'Children in care as young eleven handcuffed like 'dangerous animals' published by the *Sunday Express* on 27 June; and what steps they intend to take in response to the claim that children in the care of local government, who are not charged with or convicted of any offence, are routinely being handcuffed. HL1530

Lord Hunt of Kings Heath to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their policy regarding the handcuffing of children in the care of local government and who are not charged with or convicted of any offence; and what plans they have, if any, to review that policy. HL1531

Lord Hunt of Kings Heath to ask Her Majesty's Government what data they hold on (1) the numbers of children who are handcuffed whilst in the care of local government and not charged with or convicted of any offence, and (2) the reasons for such restraints being used. HL1532

Lord Jones of Cheltenham to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of plans by the governments of the United States and Russia to allow test drilling for (1) gas, and (2) oil, on land in the Arctic or in the Arctic Ocean, and (3) the compatibility of these plans with those nations' commitments under the Paris Agreement. HL1533

Lord Jones of Cheltenham to ask Her Majesty's Government what penalties apply to ministers who are found to have breached paragraph 1.7 of the Ministerial Code. HL1534

Baroness Jones of Moulsecoomb to ask Her Majesty's Government whether the National Audit Office were given access to the private email accounts of either (1) civil servants, (2) special advisers, or (3) ministers, when carrying out their investigation into government procurement during the COVID-19 pandemic. HL1535

Baroness Jones of Moulsecoomb to ask Her Majesty's Government whether the National Audit Office have the power to access the private emails of either (1) civil servants, (2) special advisers, or (3) ministers, if these have been used for government business relating directly to their investigations.

HL1536

Lord Lancaster of Kimbolton to ask Her Majesty's Government whether British Army Gurkha veterans living in (1) the UK, and (2) Nepal, are covered by the Armed Forces Covenant.

HL1537 [I]

Lord Lancaster of Kimbolton to ask Her Majesty's Government what provision has been made to vaccinate British Army Gurkha veterans living in Nepal.

HL1538 [I]

Lord Lancaster of Kimbolton to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they consider the differential treatment of the vaccination of British Army Gurkha Veterans living in Nepal compared to their UK based counterparts as a breach of the Armed Forces Covenant.

HL1539 [I]

Baroness Lister of Burtersett to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Baroness Williams of Trafford on 28 June (HL 1071), (1) how long they anticipate the ongoing review of child citizenship fees will take, and (2) when they anticipate the results will be published.

HL1540

Lord Lucas to ask Her Majesty's Government what options they are considering for recording sex as part of the Unified Information Standard for Protected Characteristics; and in particular, what consideration they are giving to those instances where sex may be hard to determine or non-standard in its expression.

HL1541

Lord Lucas to ask Her Majesty's Government what options they are considering for recording gender reassignment as part of the Unified Information Standard for Protected Characteristics; whether they are considering recording gender identity as part of that consideration; and if so, in what form.

HL1542

Lord Lucas to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they intend the Unified Information Standard for Protected Characteristics to apply across government; and if so, how they intend to record a rape committed by a male who identifies as a woman with respect to (1) sex, and (2) gender identity.

HL1543

Lord McCrea of Magherafelt and Cookstown to ask Her Majesty's Government when they will publish their social care reforms.

HL1544

Lord McCrea of Magherafelt and Cookstown to ask Her Majesty's Government when legislation will be introduced to protect soldiers from vexatious prosecutions.

HL1545

Lord McCrea of Magherafelt and Cookstown to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they will fully end COVID-19 related restrictions in July.

HL1546

Lord McCrea of Magherafelt and Cookstown to ask Her Majesty's Government how many extra hospital beds across the United Kingdom will be needed to meet winter pressures in 2021–22.

HL1547

Lord McCrea of Magherafelt and Cookstown to ask Her Majesty's Government what further steps they intend to take to protect retail workers from violence and abuse.

HL1548

Lord McCrea of Magherafelt and Cookstown to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to introduce tougher sentencing for stalkers.

HL1549

Lord McKenzie of Luton to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Baroness Stedman-Scott on 11 June (HL874), whether they will publish a comprehensive list of the (1) literature reviews, and (2) individual studies, on the relationship between silica or asbestos and anti-neutrophil cytoplasmic antibody associated vasculitis that they have taken into account since the publication of the Position Paper of the Industrial Injuries Advisory Council on 3 April 2020.

HL1550

Baroness Merron to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact on tourism for (1) Liverpool, and (2) the wider North West region, of the UNESCO World Heritage Site status of that city's waterfront.

HL1551

Baroness Merron to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the reported threat to Liverpool's UNESCO World Heritage Site status, what plans they have to (1) review, and (2) amend, relevant national planning guidance. HL1552

Lord Ponsonby of Shulbrede to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to address problems in youth custody centres; and in particular Rainsbrook Secure Training Centre. HL1553

Lord Porter of Spalding to ask Her Majesty's Government what consideration they have given to allowing the addition of a separate set of Model Standards to those provided in 1983 under the Caravan Sites Control and Development Act 1960, which would recognise the distinction between caravans and motorcaravans. HL1554 [I]

Lord Porter of Spalding to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they will meet with the family of Collette Gallacher to discuss changing the law to ensure that those convicted of committing violent sexual offences against children before 1997 can be included on the sex offenders register. HL1555 [I]

Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking (1) to increase digital inclusivity, and (2) to address the digital divide. HL1556

Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick to ask Her Majesty's Government what recent estimate they have made of the levels of child poverty in England. HL1557

Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the health benefits of breakfast cereals in promoting a healthy diet in children. HL1558

Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick to ask Her Majesty's Government how they are (1) monitoring, and (2) addressing, the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on child food poverty. HL1559

Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the case for creating a Food Security Minister responsible for interventions to people living in poverty. HL1560

Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick to ask Her Majesty's Government what discussions they have had, if any, with (1) breakfast cereal manufacturers, and (2) related stakeholders, on how to support families facing food poverty. HL1561

Lord Roberts of Llandudno to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to clear the backlog of settled status applications. HL1562

Lord Roberts of Llandudno to ask Her Majesty's Government what is the date by which settled status applications have to be made; and what steps they are taking to ensure that all applicants are treated fairly. HL1563

The Lord Bishop of St Albans to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the black market for counterfeit marriage certificates following the changes to marriage certification. HL1564

The Lord Bishop of St Albans to ask Her Majesty's Government what measures they plan to implement to combat counterfeit marriage certificates. HL1565

The Lord Bishop of St Albans to ask Her Majesty's Government what avenues for recourse authorised clergy have in response to a counterfeit marriage falsely bearing their name as the officiating minister. HL1566

Lord Scriven to ask Her Majesty's Government what powers they have under Freedom of Information legislation to check, in the process of responding to an FOI request, a minister's private email address to see whether they have used it for government business. HL1567

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask Her Majesty’s Government what steps they are taking to ensure that persistently absent school pupils receive targeted educational support programmes. HL1568

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask Her Majesty’s Government what steps they are taking to ensure that all businesses have the required funding to carry out sufficient on course training for apprenticeships. HL1569

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask Her Majesty’s Government what plans they have to enhance workers’ rights in the gig economy; and what steps they are taking to provide more clarity to businesses over employment status criteria. HL1570

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask Her Majesty’s Government what steps they are taking to ensure that businesses understand how to use the online ‘Check Employment Status’ tool in regard to IR35 status. HL1571

Lord Truscott to ask Her Majesty’s Government what plans they have to introduce new legislation on the regulation of property agents. HL1572

Lord Truscott to ask Her Majesty’s Government what plans they have to supply Taiwan with COVID-19 vaccines; and what is the timetable on any such plans. HL1573

Lord Truscott to ask Her Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made, if any, of the reported comments by General Sir Nick Carter that incidents such as the recent confrontation with Russia off the Crimea are giving him “sleepless nights” and are an example of where a miscalculation could come from an “unwarranted escalation”. HL1574

Lord Truscott to ask Her Majesty’s Government what risk assessment was carried out, if any, of HMS Defender’s mission to sail close to the Russian Black Sea Fleet headquarters on 23 June. HL1575

Lord Truscott to ask Her Majesty’s Government which media representatives were aboard HMS Defender in the Black Sea on 23 June; and what was the reason for their invitation. HL1576

Lord Truscott to ask Her Majesty’s Government (1) on what date, and (2) at what time, they were made aware by the BBC that classified documents relating to HMS Defender’s Black Sea mission had been discovered at a Kent bus stop. HL1577

Lord Vinson to ask Her Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of the lack of proof of a link between pigs being fed food waste and Creutzfeldt-Jakob Disease; and what plans they have to revoke legislation preventing food waste being fed to pigs in order to reduce the volume that ends up in landfill HL1578

Lord Walney to ask Her Majesty’s Government what estimate they have made of the number of days of in-person education lost by school pupils in England and Wales as a result of isolating after coming into contact with a fellow pupil who has tested positive for COVID-19. HL1579

Lord West of Spithead to ask Her Majesty’s Government whether there is a requirement for a sovereign capability to repair and maintain undersea cables in UK waters; and how many UK companies are able to conduct such operations. HL1580

Lord West of Spithead to ask Her Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of the UK supply chain for submarine cable maintenance; and what steps they are taking to protect that supply chain. HL1581

Lord West of Spithead to ask Her Majesty’s Government what plans they have to include the building of subsea cable repair ships within the National Shipbuilding Strategy. HL1582

Lord West of Spithead to ask Her Majesty’s Government whether the proposed naval cable monitoring and repair ship is intended to replace the sophisticated ships currently looking after undersea cables. HL1583

Baroness Whitaker to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Lord Goldsmith of Richmond Park on 9 June (HL981), what plans they have to propose amendments to the Rome Statute establishing the International Criminal Court to include the crime of ecocide by amending preambular paragraph 2 and article 8 of the Rome Statute, as proposed by the Stop Ecocide Foundation in their document *Independent Expert Panel for the Legal Definition of Ecocide*, published on 22 June. HL1584

The Lord Bishop of Worcester to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of food security in Tigray; and what steps they are taking to respond to cases of acute malnutrition amongst children under five years of age in that region. HL1585

The Lord Bishop of Worcester to ask Her Majesty's Government what discussions they have had with the government of Ethiopia about the need for unfettered humanitarian access to Tigray. HL1586

The Lord Bishop of Worcester to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of reports that soldiers from Eritrea are using food as a weapon of war in Tigray. HL1587

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.

12 May (26 May)

HL128 Lord Alton of Liverpool [Department of Health and Social Care]

24 May (8 June)

HL514 Lord Mann [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL523 Lord Mendelsohn [Department of Health and Social Care]

26 May (10 June)

HL606 Baroness Bull [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL607 Baroness Bull [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL619 Baroness Hayman of Ullock [Department of Health and Social Care]

7 June (21 June)

HL747 Baroness Healy of Primrose Hill [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL756 Lord Hunt of Kings Heath [Department of Health and Social Care]

8 June (22 June)

HL897 Lord Strasburger [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL898 Lord Strasburger [Department of Health and Social Care]

9 June (23 June)

HL926 Lord Browne of Belmont [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL929 Lord Browne of Belmont [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL964 Lord Mendelsohn [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL965 Lord Robathan [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL969 Lord Scriven [Department of Health and Social Care]

10 June (24 June)

HL1025 Lord Scriven [Department of Health and Social Care]

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14 June (28 June)

HL1088 Lord Strasburger [Department of Health and Social Care]

15 June (29 June)

HL1098 Lord Alton of Liverpool [Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office]

HL1106 Baroness Bonham-Carter of Yarnbury [Department for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport]

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

Department for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport (1)

Department of Health and Social Care (17)

Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office (1)

Bills in Progress

	Type of Bill	To be considered
Referred to the Examiners		
Monken Hadley Common Bill	Private	1 July
Waiting for Second Reading		
Elderly Social Care (Insurance) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Organ Tourism and Cadavers on Display Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Education (Environment and Sustainable Citizenship) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Assisted Dying Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Status of Workers Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Education (Assemblies) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Age Assurance (Minimum Standards) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
House of Lords (Hereditary Peers) (Abolition of By-Elections) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Sewage (Inland Waters) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Refugees (Family Reunion) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Onshore Wind Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Advanced Research and Invention Agency Bill	Government	
Coroners (Determination of Suicide) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Digital Economy Act 2017 (Commencement of Part 3) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Game Birds (Cage Breeding) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Representation of the People (Young People's Enfranchisement) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Cigarette Stick Health Warnings Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Office for Demographic Change Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Age of Criminal Responsibility Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Modern Slavery (Amendment) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Digital Economy Act 2017 (Amendment) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Front-loaded Child Benefit Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Constitutional Convention Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Referred to a Second Reading Committee		
Charities Bill [HL] (<i>Law Commission Bill</i>)	Government	7 July
Committed to a Grand Committee		
Animal Welfare (Sentience) Bill [HL]	Government	6 July
Telecommunications (Security) Bill	Government	
Committed to a Committee of the Whole House		
Environment Bill	Government	30 June
Skills and Post-16 Education Bill [HL]	Government	6 July
Wellbeing of Future Generations Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Office of the Whistleblower Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Higher Education Cheating Services Prohibition Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Waiting for Report		
Leasehold Reform (Ground Rent) Bill [HL]	Government	

Professional Qualifications Bill [HL]	Government
Dormant Assets Bill [HL]	Government
Sent to the Commons	
Highgate Cemetery Bill	Private

Statutory Instruments in Progress

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

Draft European Union and European Atomic Energy Community (Immunities and Privileges) Order 2021 (5 July)

Draft Fisheries Act 2020 (Scheme for Financial Assistance) (England) Regulations 2021 *7th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft European Union (Future Relationship) Act 2020 (References to the Trade and Cooperation Agreement) Regulations 2021 *7th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft Medical Devices (Northern Ireland Protocol) Regulations 2021

Draft Medical Devices (Coronavirus Test Device Approvals) (Amendment) Regulations 2021

Corporate Insolvency and Governance Act 2020 (Coronavirus) (Extension of the Relevant Period) (No. 2) Regulations 2021

Draft Electricity Capacity (Amendment) Regulations 2021

Draft Motor Fuel (Composition and Content) and the Biofuel (Labelling) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2021

Draft Occupational Pension Schemes (Administration, Investment, Charges and Governance) (Amendment) Regulations 2021

Draft Railway (Licensing of Railway Undertakings) (Amendment) Regulations 2021

Draft Health and Social Care Act 2008 (Regulated Activities) (Amendment) (Coronavirus) Regulations 2021

Draft Pensions Regulator (Employer Resources Test) Regulations 2021

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*

Draft International Waste Shipments (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2021 *41st Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, Session 2019–21*

Draft Cat and Dog Fur (Control of Movement etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2021 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments, 43rd Report, Session 2019–21*

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Draft Coronavirus Act 2020 (Early Expiry) Regulations 2021 *1st Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (5 July)*

Draft Calorie Labelling (Out of Home Sector) (England) Regulations 2021 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 4th Report*

Draft Birmingham Commonwealth Games (Compensation for Enforcement Action) Regulations 2021 (30 June)

Draft Social Security (Scotland) Act 2018 (Disability Assistance, Young Carer Grants, Short-term Assistance and Winter Heating Assistance) (Consequential Provision and Modifications) Order 2021 (1 July)

Draft Introduction and the Import of Cultural Goods (Revocation) Regulations 2021 *4th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (30 June)*

Draft Contracting Out (Functions in Relation to Space) Order 2021 (1 July)

Draft Space Industry (Appeals) Regulations 2021 *4th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (1 July)*

Draft Space Industry Regulations 2021 *4th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (1 July)*

Draft Spaceflight Activities (Investigation of Spaceflight Accidents) Regulations 2021 *4th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (1 July)*

Draft Town and Country Planning (Fees for Applications, Deemed Applications, Requests and Site Visits) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 (1 July)

Draft Criminal Justice (Electronic Commerce) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2021 (30 June)

Draft Health Security (EU Exit) Regulations 2021 *6th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (5 July)*

Draft Alcohol Licensing (Coronavirus) (Regulatory Easements) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 *5th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft Business and Planning Act 2020 (Pavement Licences) (Coronavirus) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 *6th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (8 July)*

Draft Environmental Authorisations (Scotland) Regulations 2018 (Consequential Modifications) Order 2021

Draft Occupational Pension Schemes (Climate Change Governance and Reporting) Regulations 2021 (5 July)

Draft Road Vehicle Carbon Dioxide Emission Performance Standards (Cars and Vans) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2021 (8 July)

Draft Market Surveillance (Northern Ireland) Regulations 2021 *6th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (8 July)*

Draft Bank of England Act 1998 (Macro-prudential Measures) (Amendment) Order 2021 (8 July)

Negative Instruments

Early Years Foundation Stage (Miscellaneous Amendments) and Childcare Fees (Amendment) Regulations 2021 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 53rd Report, Session 2019–21. Praying time expired 11 June.*

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Health Protection (Coronavirus, International Travel) (England) (Amendment) (No. 15) Regulations 2021 *2nd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 30 June.*

Assured Tenancies and Agricultural Occupancies (Forms) (England) (Amendment) and Suspension (Coronavirus) Regulations 2021 *3rd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 30 June.*

Coronavirus Act 2020 (Residential Tenancies: Protection from Eviction) (Amendment) (England) (No. 2) Regulations 2021 *3rd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 30 June.*

Draft School Admissions Code 2021 *3rd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Disapproval period ends 1 July.*

School Information (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 *3rd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 1 July.*

Recognition of Professional Qualification (Amendment etc) (EU Exit) Regulations 2021 *3rd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 1 July.*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, International Travel and Operator Liability) (England) Regulations 2021 *3rd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 2 July.*

Valuation Tribunal for England (Council Tax and Rating Appeals) (Procedure) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 *3rd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 5 July.*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, International Travel and Operator Liability) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 *3rd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 6 July.*

Merchant Shipping (Cargo Ship) (Bilge Alarm) Regulations 2021 *4th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 12 July.*

Regulation of Investigatory Powers (Criminal Conduct Authorisations) (Amendment) Order 2021 *4th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 13 July.*

Food (Amendment and Transitional Provisions) (England) Regulations 2021 *4th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 13 July.*

Agricultural Holdings (Requests for Landlord's Consent or Variation of Terms and the Suitability Test) (England) Regulations 2021 *4th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 13 July.*

Town and Country Planning (Control of Advertisements) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 *4th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 15 July.*

Child Benefit (General) (Coronavirus) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 *4th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 15 July.*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, Testing Requirements and Standards) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 5th Report. Praying time expires 17 July.*

Common Organisation of the Markets in Agricultural Products (Transitional Arrangements) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 *5th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 13 July.*

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Health Protection (Coronavirus, International Travel and Operator Liability) (England) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2021 *5th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 16 July.*

Sea Fisheries (Amendment etc) Regulations 2021 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 6th Report. Praying time expires 19 July.*

Insolvency (England and Wales) (Amendment) Rules 2021 *6th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 17 July.*

Insolvency Proceedings (Monetary Limits) (Amendment) Order 2021 *6th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 17 July.*

Hydrocarbon Oil Duties (Reliefs for Electricity Generation) (Amendment and Modification) Regulations 2021 *6th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 17 July.*

Queen Elizabeth II Conference Centre Trading Fund (Variation) Order 2021 *6th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 17 July.*

Official Controls (Temporary Measures) (Coronavirus) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2021 *6th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 17 July.*

Gambling (Operating Licence and Single-Machine Permit Fees) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 *7th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 6 September.*

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

REACH etc. (Amendment) Regulations 2021 *Sifting period expires: 15 July*

Treaties before the House

Protocol amending the Agreement between the United Kingdom and Japan for Co-operation in the Peaceful Uses of Nuclear Energy *Scrutiny period expires: 13 July*

Agreement between the United Kingdom and the Republic of Estonia concerning the Protection of Classified Information *Scrutiny period expires: 22 July*

Protocol of amendments to the Agreement of 15 July 1986 between the United Kingdom and the Soviet Union concerning the Prevention of Incidents at Sea beyond the Territorial Sea *Scrutiny period expires: 22 July*

Agreement between the United Kingdom and the Swiss Confederation on the Mutual Recognition of their Authorised Economic Operator Programmes *Scrutiny period expires: 22 July*

Agreement between the United Kingdom and the Republic of Latvia concerning the Protection of Classified Information *Scrutiny period expires: 6 September*

Agreement between the United Kingdom and the Kingdom of Belgium concerning the Protection of Classified Information *Scrutiny period expires: 14 September*

Retirement

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

Lord Sainsbury of Turville (1 July)

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

Wednesday 30 June

Constitution Committee	Virtual meeting (webcast)	10.00am
International Relations and Defence Committee	Virtual meeting	11.00am
Public Services Committee	Virtual meeting (transcript only)	2.30pm
Human Rights (Joint Committee)	Virtual meeting	2.40pm
National Plan for Sport and Recreation Committee	Virtual meeting (webcast)	3.30pm
Statutory Instruments (Joint Committee)	Virtual meeting	3.40pm

Thursday 1 July

Economic Affairs Committee	Virtual meeting	9.00am
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Monday 5 July

National Security Strategy (Joint Committee)	Virtual meeting	2.00pm
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Tuesday 6 July

Environment and Climate Change Committee	Virtual meeting (webcast)	9.30am
Built Environment Committee	Virtual meeting	9.30am
COVID-19 Committee	Virtual meeting (webcast)	9.45am
Science and Technology Committee	Virtual meeting	10.00am
Common Frameworks Scrutiny Committee	Virtual meeting (webcast)	10.00am
Industry and Regulators Committee	Virtual meeting	10.15am
Communications and Digital Committee	Virtual meeting	2.00pm
Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee	Virtual meeting	3.45pm

Wednesday 7 July

Protocol on Ireland/Northern Ireland Sub-Committee	Virtual meeting	4.00pm
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Monday 12 July

Liaison Committee	Virtual meeting	3.30pm
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Wednesday 14 July

Delegated Powers and Regulatory Reform Committee	Virtual meeting	10.00am
Finance Committee	Virtual meeting	3.15pm

Tuesday 20 July

Ecclesiastical Committee (Statutory Committee)	Virtual meeting	10.00am
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Thursday 22 July

Conduct Committee	Virtual meeting	1.00pm
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Minutes of Proceedings of Tuesday 29 June 2021

The House met at 12 noon.

Prayers were read by the Lord Bishop of Gloucester.

1 Baronies of Mowbray, Segrave and Stourton in the Peerage of England The Lord Chancellor reported that James Charles Peter Stourton had established his claim to the Baronies of Mowbray, Segrave and Stourton in the Peerage of England. The Clerk of the Parliaments was accordingly directed to enter Lord Mowbray, Segrave and Stourton on the register of hereditary peers maintained under Standing Order 9(4).

Select Committee Report

2 Secondary Legislation Scrutiny

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

Includes information paragraphs on:

Draft European Union (Future Relationship) Act 2020 (References to the Trade and Cooperation Agreement) Regulations 2021

Draft Fisheries Act 2020 (Scheme for Financial Assistance) (England) Regulations 2021

Gambling (Operating Licence and Single-Machine Permit Fees) (Amendment) Regulations 2021. (7th Report, HL Paper 33)

Public Business

3 Gambling reform A question was asked by the Lord Bishop of St Albans and answered by Baroness Barran.

4 Mortgages: EWS1 form A question was asked by Lord Kennedy of Southwark and answered by Lord Greenhalgh.

5 Hospital waiting lists A question was asked by Lord Balfe and answered by Lord Bethell.

6 Climate Change A question was asked by Lord Teverson and answered by Lord Callanan.

The House adjourned. The House resumed.

7 Security of ministers' offices and communications Lord True answered Questions on an answer to an Urgent Question on security arrangements relating to ministerial offices and communications, asked in the House of Commons on Monday 28 June.

8 Social care reform Lord Bethell answered Questions on an answer to an Urgent Question on social care reform, asked in the House of Commons on Wednesday 23 June.

9 COVID-19 update Lord Bethell answered Questions on a Ministerial statement on COVID-19, made in the House of Commons on Monday 28 June.

10 Charities Bill [HL] Baroness Barran moved that the bill be referred to a Second Reading Committee. The motion was agreed to.

11 Telecommunications (Security) Bill Baroness Barran moved that the bill be now read a second time. After debate, the motion was agreed to and the bill was committed to a Grand Committee.

The House adjourned. The House resumed.

12 Republic of Cameroon: Economic Partnership Agreement Lord Grantchester moved that this House regrets the Economic Partnership Agreement between the United Kingdom and the Republic of Cameroon given (1) the human rights abuses committed by President Biya's regime, and (2) the lack of parliamentary scrutiny before trading arrangements came into force on 1 January. After debate, the motion was disagreed to (see division).

13 Republic of Ghana: Interim Trade Partnership Agreement Lord Purvis of Tweed moved that this House takes note of the Interim Trade Partnership Agreement between the United Kingdom and the Republic of Ghana. The motion was agreed to.

The House adjourned at 6.55pm until Wednesday 30 June at 12 noon.

Simon Burton
Clerk of the Parliaments

Grand Committee Business

The Grand Committee met in Committee Room 2A at 2.30pm.

Town and Country Planning (Fees for Applications, Deemed Applications, Requests and Site Visits) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 Lord Greenhalgh moved that the Grand Committee do consider the draft Town and Country Planning (Fees for Applications, Deemed Applications, Requests and Site Visits) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2021. After debate, the motion was agreed to.

Social Security (Scotland) Act 2018 (Disability Assistance, Young Carer Grants, Short-term Assistance and Winter Heating Assistance) (Consequential Provision and Modifications) Order 2021 Baroness Scott of Bybrook moved that the Grand Committee do consider the draft Social Security (Scotland) Act 2018 (Disability Assistance, Young Carer Grants, Short-term Assistance and Winter Heating Assistance) (Consequential Provision and Modifications) Order 2021. The motion was agreed to.

Space Industry (Appeals) Regulations 2021 Baroness Vere of Norbiton moved that the Grand Committee do consider the draft Space Industry (Appeals) Regulations 2021. After debate, the motion was agreed to.

Space Industry Regulations 2021 Baroness Vere of Norbiton moved that the Grand Committee do consider the draft Space Industry Regulations 2021. The motion was agreed to.

Spaceflight Activities (Investigation of Spaceflight Accidents) Regulations 2021 Baroness Vere of Norbiton moved that the Grand Committee do consider the draft Spaceflight Activities (Investigation of Spaceflight Accidents) Regulations 2021. The motion was agreed to.

Contracting Out (Functions in Relation to Space) Order 2021 Baroness Vere of Norbiton moved that the Grand Committee do consider the draft Contracting Out (Functions in Relation to Space) Order 2021. The motion was agreed to.

The Committee adjourned at 4.44pm.

Papers

All statutory instruments laid before the House are accompanied by an Explanatory Memorandum presented by command of Her Majesty, unless otherwise indicated.

Command Papers

The following papers were presented to the House by command of Her Majesty:

1. Transport—High Speed Rail (West Midlands–Crewe) Act 2021: Government Response to the consultation under section 60. (471)
2. Contingent Liability—Minute from the Department of Health and Social Care concerning the contingent liability arising from an extension of the temporary indemnity for designated care home settings. (—)

Treaty subject to scrutiny under the Constitutional Reform and Governance Act 2010

The following paper was laid before the House by command of Her Majesty:

1. Intelligence and Security—Agreement between the United Kingdom and the Italian Republic concerning the Protection of Classified Information (465)

Papers not subject to Parliamentary Proceedings

The following papers were laid before the House:

1. Report and Accounts of Sussex Partnership NHS Foundation Trust 2020–21
2. Report and Financial Statements of Flood Re Limited 2020–21

Proposed Negative Statutory Instrument

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

1. REACH etc. (Amendment) Regulations 2021

Division**Economic Partnership Agreement between the United Kingdom and the Republic of Cameroon**

Lord Grantchester moved that this House regrets the Economic Partnership Agreement between the United Kingdom and the Republic of Cameroon given (1) the human rights abuses committed by President Biya's regime, and (2) the lack of parliamentary scrutiny before trading arrangements came into force on 1 January. The House divided:

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