

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.

***Lord Roberts of Llandudno** to ask Her Majesty's Government what discussions they have had with the devolved administrations to coordinate relaxing COVID-19 restrictions across the United Kingdom; and what assessment they have made of the need to agree such coordination.

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 Howell of Guildford set down for today shall be limited to 2½ hours and that in the name of Baroness Jenkin of Kennington to 2 hours.

†**Business of the House** The Lord Privy Seal (Baroness Evans of Bowes Park) to move that Standing Order 73 (*Affirmative Instruments*) be dispensed with to enable a motion to approve the draft Licensing Act 2003 (2020 UEFA European Championship Licensing Hours) Order 2021 to be moved today, notwithstanding that no report from the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments on the instrument has been laid before the House.

European Union and European Atomic Energy Community (Immunities and Privileges) Order 2021 Lord Ahmad of Wimbledon to move that the draft Order laid before the House on 17 May be approved. *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments, 7th Report. Considered in Grand Committee on 5 July*

†*At a convenient point after 1.00pm*

†Questions on a Ministerial statement on COVID-19, made in the House of Commons on Tuesday 6 July. (50 minutes)

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



†*At a convenient point after 1.50pm*

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. (*2½ hours*)

†*At a convenient point after 4.20pm*

Baroness Jenkin of Kennington to move that this House takes note of the steps taken to improve women's health outcomes. (*2 hours*)

†*At a convenient point after 6.20pm*

†**Licensing Act 2003 (2020 UEFA European Championship Licensing Hours) Order 2021** Baroness Williams of Trafford to move that the draft Order laid before the House on 7 July be approved. *Instrument not yet reported by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments (1 hour)*

†*At a convenient point after 6.50pm*

†Questions on a Ministerial statement on COVID-19: Easing Restrictions in Education Settings, made in the House of Commons on Tuesday 6 July. (*50 minutes*)

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)*

†*At a convenient point after 3.00pm*

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)*

†*At a convenient point after 4.05pm*

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

†*At a convenient point after 4.35pm*

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*)

Future Business

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.

†**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 Thursday 15 July to allow the Supply and Appropriation (Main Estimates) Bill to be taken through its remaining stages that day.

†*Lord Bethell intends to move the following two motions en bloc: but if any Lord objects the motions must be moved separately.*

†**Health Security (EU Exit) Regulations 2021** Lord Bethell to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 7 June be approved. *6th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Considered in Grand Committee on 5 July*

†**Coronavirus Act 2020 (Early Expiry) Regulations 2021** Lord Bethell to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 21 April be approved. *1st Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Considered in Grand Committee on 5 July*

†**Occupational Pension Schemes (Climate Change Governance and Reporting) Regulations 2021** Baroness Stedman-Scott to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 8 June be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 5 July*

†**Environment Bill** Committee (day 7) [Lord Goldsmith of Richmond Park] *3rd Report from the Delegated Powers Committee, 4th Report from the Constitution Committee*

Grand Committee in Committee Room 2A at 2.30pm

Medical Devices (Northern Ireland Protocol) Regulations 2021 Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Bethell] *(1 hour)*

Medical Devices (Coronavirus Test Device Approvals) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Bethell] *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 8th Report. (1 hour)*

Railway (Licensing of Railway Undertakings) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 Consideration in Grand Committee [Baroness Vere of Norbiton] *8th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. (1 hour)*

Motor Fuel (Composition and Content) and the Biofuel (Labelling) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2021 Consideration in Grand Committee [Baroness Vere of Norbiton] *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 8th Report. (1 hour)*

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.

Topical oral question. Ballot to be drawn at 1pm on Friday 9 July.

Parliamentary Works Sponsor Body The Lord Privy Seal (Baroness Evans of Bowes Park) to move that Baroness Doocey be appointed as a Parliamentary member of the Parliamentary Works Sponsor Body in place of Baroness Scott of Needham Market.

†*The following four motions are expected to be debated together.*

†**Procedure and Privileges** The Senior Deputy Speaker to move that the Report from the Select Committee *Procedural adaptations arising from the hybrid House; Interim option of voting using PeerHub; Ongoing virtual participation by disabled members* (1st Report, HL Paper 41) be agreed to.

†*If the above motion is agreed to, the following motions will be moved:*

†**Business of the House** The Lord Privy Seal (Baroness Evans of Bowes Park) to move that with effect from 6 September the previous motions agreed on 4 June 2020, 28 July 2020, 12 October 2020 and 9 February relating to the sittings of the hybrid House and the hybrid Grand Committee shall cease to have effect; and that until further notice:

(1) the provisions of Standing Orders 52 (*Divisions*), 53 (*Votes counted in the House*) and 54 (*Voting in wrong lobby*) shall not apply; and

(2) members may only cast their votes through the House of Lords remote voting system, in accordance with guidance set out in appendix 2 of the First Report of the Procedure and Privileges Committee (HL Paper 41).

†**Standing Orders (Public Business)** The Senior Deputy Speaker to move that the standing orders relating to public business be amended as follows:

Insert the following new Standing Order:

“24A Arrangements for virtual participation by disabled members [13 July 2021]

(1) Members who may be physically unable to attend the House on grounds of long-term disability and may be eligible under the procedure agreed by the Commission can apply for eligible member status and if granted they may choose to participate virtually in proceedings in the Chamber.

(2) Eligible members may choose to participate virtually in all business of which there is sufficient notice:

(i) in business with a speakers’ list, eligible members should indicate that they wish to take part remotely when signing-up to speak;

(ii) in business without a speakers’ list, eligible members should indicate their wish to take part remotely by a given time the previous working day. In such business there will be a fixed point at which eligible members participating remotely are called to speak by the Chair.

(3) Eligible members may vote electronically or by telephone whether on or off the Parliamentary Estate.”

†**Allowances** The Lord Privy Seal (Baroness Evans of Bowes Park) to move that:

(1) The Resolution of the House of 22 July 2020 (House of Lords Allowance), the Resolution of the House of 6 May 2020 (House of Lords Allowance) (as amended), and the Resolution of the House of 20 July 2010 (House of Lords Allowance) (as amended) cease to have effect in respect of attendances after 5 September 2021.

(2) Members of this House, except any Member who receives a salary under the Ministerial and other Salaries Act 1975 and the Chairman and Principal Deputy Chairman of Committees, should be entitled to an allowance in respect of each day of attendance on or after 6 September 2021 as provided for below.

(3) “Attendance” means attendance—

(a) at a sitting of this House,

(b) at a meeting or virtual meeting of a Committee of this House, or

(c) on such other Parliamentary business as may be determined by the House of Lords Commission.

(4) The amount of the allowance payable to a Member should be—

(a) £323, or

(b) £162, if paragraph 5 applies.

(5) This paragraph applies if—

(a) the attendance relates to parliamentary business conducted away from Westminster, or

(b) the attendance is at Westminster but the Member elects that this paragraph should apply.

(6) In respect of attendance under paragraph 3(a), Members who have been deemed eligible by the process established by the Commission to participate virtually in sittings of the House are entitled to claim an allowance when they do so.

(7) In respect of attendance under paragraph 3(b), only Members of that Committee, or Members authorised to attend a meeting of such a Committee by the Chair, are entitled to claim an allowance.

(8) The provisions of this Resolution apply in accordance with guidance issued under the authority of the House of Lords Commission.

(9) In relation to the year beginning with 1 April 2022, and each subsequent year beginning with 1 April—

(a) any formula or mechanism included in the IPSA determination for the year as a result of section 4A(4) of the Parliamentary Standards Act 2009 (adjustment of MPs’ salaries) should be treated as applying for the purposes of adjusting for that year the amount of the allowance payable to a Member of this House, and

(b) accordingly, the amount of the allowance payable to a Member in respect of a day of attendance in that year should be—

(i) the amount obtained by applying the formula or mechanism to the amount payable by way of allowance (under paragraph 4 or this paragraph) in the previous year, or

(ii) where no formula or mechanism is included in the determination, the same amount payable by way of allowance (under paragraph 4 or this paragraph) in the previous year.

(10) In paragraph 9(a) “IPSA determination” means a determination under section 4(4) of the Parliamentary Standards Act 2009.

(11) Any fraction of a pound in an amount obtained under paragraph 9(b)(i) should be rounded up to the nearest pound if the fraction is 50p or more, but otherwise should be disregarded.

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 (1½ hours)*

†**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 the 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 (1½ hours)*

Grand Committee in Committee Room 2A at 2.30pm

Telecommunications (Security) Bill Committee [Baroness Barran] *4th Report from the Delegated Powers Committee*

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.

Topical oral question. Ballot opens at 3pm on Thursday 8 July, to be drawn at 1pm on Monday 12 July.

†**Charities Bill [HL]** (*Law Commission Bill*) Second Reading [Baroness Barran] *Considered in Second Reading Committee on 7 July*

If the bill is read a second time, Baroness Barran to move that the bill be committed to a Special Public Bill Committee.

It is expected that the Committee stage of the Environment Bill will continue, and that it will conclude.

†**Calorie Labelling (Out of Home Sector) (England) Regulations 2021** Lord Bethell to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 13 May be approved. *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 4th Report (1½ hours)*

†**Baroness Bull** to move, as an amendment to the above motion, at the end to insert “but 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 do not reflect 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.*

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.

Topical oral question. Ballot opens at 3pm on Friday 9 July, to be drawn at 1pm on Tuesday 13 July.

Three oral questions to the Minister of State at the Cabinet Office (Lord Frost) (30 minutes). Ballot to be drawn at 1pm on Monday 12 July.

†**Supply and Appropriation (Main Estimates) Bill (Supply Bill)** Second Reading [Lord Agnew of Oulton]

Skills and Post-16 Education Bill [HL] Committee (day 2) [Baroness Berridge]

It is expected that the Grand Committee on the Telecommunications (Security) Bill will continue at 2.30pm in Committee Room 2A.

Friday 16 July 2021 at 11.00am

Elderly Social Care (Insurance) Bill [HL] Second Reading [Lord Lilley]

If the bill is read a second time, Lord Lilley to move that the bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

Organ Tourism and Cadavers on Display Bill [HL] Second Reading [Lord Hunt of Kings Heath]

If the bill is read a second time, Lord Hunt of Kings Heath to move that the bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

Education (Environment and Sustainable Citizenship) Bill [HL] Second Reading [Lord Knight of Weymouth]

If the bill is read a second time, Lord Knight of Weymouth to move that the bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

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.

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

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*

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*

Lord Faulkner of Worcester to move that this House regrets that the draft Business and Planning Act 2020 (Pavement Licences) (Coronavirus) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 were not revised to take account of the evidence of the benefits of 100 per cent smoke-free pavement licences, which have been implemented over the last year in a diverse range of local authorities and which have received strong public support. *6th 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*)

Lord Norton of Louth to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to place the House of Lords Appointments Commission on a statutory basis. (*Cabinet Office*)

The Earl of Clancarty to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the value of cultural and education exchanges for (1) students, and (2) others who may benefit from such exchanges. (*Department for Education*)

Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they will take to ensure the Overseas Development Aid budget is retained at 0.7 per cent of Gross National Income in (1) this financial year, and (2) future financial years. (*Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office*)

Lord Loomba to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to establish a support group to provide (1) financial support, and (2) practical help, to COVID-19 widows trying to overcome bereavement grief. (*Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office*)

Lord Burnett to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of the policy paper *Global Britain in a Competitive Age: the Integrated Review of Security, Defence, Development and Foreign Policy*, published on 16 March, on the (1) future, and (2) funding, of the Royal Marines, including of the Future Commando Force. (*Ministry of Defence*)

Questions for Written Answer

Tabled on 7 July and due for answer by 21 July.

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of (1) the famine in North Korea, (2) the effects of COVID-19 on its population, and (3) whether these issues or other factors explain the scale of the evacuation of Russians from that country. HL1782

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the takeover of Newport Wafer Fab by Nexperia; and whether they used the powers granted by the National Security and Investment Act 2021 in relation to this takeover. HL1783

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the dependence of UK manufacturers on China for imports of (1) semiconductors, and (2) semiconductor devices; and what assessment they have made of links between Chinese-owned technology firms operating in the UK and China's Military-Civil Fusion Strategy. HL1784

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to impose (1) import, and (2) export, controls on firms linked to (a) China's Military-Civil Fusion Strategy, and (b) the surveillance and abuse of Uyghurs in the Xinjiang Uyghur Autonomous Region. HL1785

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of the government of China's plans to become a world leader in future technologies on the resilience of the UK's supply chains. HL1786

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to diversify the UK's technology supply chains away from China. HL1787

Lord Birt to ask Her Majesty's Government what percentage of vehicles owned or hired by the government to transport (1) ministers, and (2) senior civil servants, on official business are fully electric. HL1788

Lord Blencathra to ask Her Majesty's Government how many biologically female transgender prisoners are housed in the male prison estate; what assessment they have made of the safety of those prisoners; what steps they are taking to protect those prisoners from sexual assault; and whether those prisoners are subject to full body searches by biologically male prison officers. HL1789

Lord Blencathra to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the decision by Leicester NHS Trust to reinstate the employment of a doctor who was convicted of manslaughter in 2015; and what safeguards are in place to assess professional competence in this and equivalent situations. HL1790

Lord Blunkett to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they intend to use the Police, Crime, Sentencing and Courts Bill to amend the law to raise the mandatory retirement age for judicial office holders; and whether, further to consultation on the matter, they will propose an amendment to that Bill to fulfil the commitment made by the Lord Chancellor on 9 March to "legislate to increase the mandatory retirement age as soon as parliamentary time allows". HL1791

Lord Blunkett to ask Her Majesty's Government how many people sentenced to Imprisonment for Public Protection sentences have never been released. HL1792

Lord Blunkett to ask Her Majesty's Government how many people serving an Imprisonment for Public Protection sentence have been recalled more than once. HL1793

Lord Blunkett to ask Her Majesty's Government how many people serving an Imprisonment for Public Protection sentence have been released but not recalled. HL1794

Lord Blunkett to ask Her Majesty's Government how many people serving an Imprisonment for Public Protection sentence who have been released applied for the life licence to be lifted as they have been released more than 10 years. HL1795

Lord Bourne of Aberystwyth to ask Her Majesty's Government when the working party considering mandatory electrical safety checks in social housing will report. HL1796

Lord Bourne of Aberystwyth to ask Her Majesty's Government what support they are providing to English language tuition businesses in light of the COVID-19 pandemic. HL1797

Lord Collins of Highbury to ask Her Majesty's Government what was the annual budget for the Conflict, Stability and Security Fund: Cyber and Technology Programme in each of the past five years. HL1798

Baroness Deech to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Lord Wolfson of Tredegar on 6 July (HL1300), whether they have departed from the commitment made by Lord Keen of Elie in his letter dated 16 March 2020 (DEP2020-0150) to gather evidence, consult and develop recommendations relating to the law governing financial provision on divorce. HL1799

The Lord Bishop of Durham to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the number of people likely to be resettled this year under the Vulnerable Persons Resettlement Scheme; and how that figure compares to (1) 2018, and (2) 2019. HL1800

The Lord Bishop of Durham to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to their *New Plan for Immigration*, published on 24 March, whether they intend for the proposal that judges be told to give "minimal weight" to evidence raised by an asylum seeker late in the legal process to apply to unaccompanied children seeking asylum. HL1801

The Lord Bishop of Durham to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to their *New Plan for Immigration*, published on 24 March, when they plan to consult on the proposal to remove support from families who have become Appeals Rights Exhausted (ARE), but have a child that was born prior to becoming ARE. HL1802

Lord German to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the answer by Baroness Scott of Bybrook on 9 November 2020 (HL Deb, col 798) and the answer by Lord Wolfson of Tredegar on 6 July (HL Deb, col 1149), what work has been undertaken by the team of officials appointed to work on the royal commission on criminal justice since November 2020; and what work are they currently undertaking. HL1803

The Lord Bishop of Gloucester to ask Her Majesty's Government (1) what are the terms of reference, and (2) what is the planned process, for the Lord Chancellor's review of sentencing in domestic homicide cases; and what plans they have, if any, to hold a public consultation on this matter. HL1804

The Lord Bishop of Gloucester to ask Her Majesty's Government when they expect the Lord Chancellor's review of sentencing in domestic homicide cases to (1) commence, and (2) report. HL1805

The Lord Bishop of Gloucester to ask Her Majesty's Government what organisations will be consulted for the Lord Chancellor's review of sentencing in domestic homicide cases. HL1806

The Lord Bishop of Gloucester to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the remarks by Lord Wolfson of Tredegar on 3 February (HL Deb, col 2286), what assessment they have made of (1) the need to review the existing defences for individuals whose offending or alleged offending results from their experience of domestic abuse, and (2) the need for statutory reform in relation to (a) sentencing, (b) conviction, or (c) acquittal. HL1807

The Lord Bishop of Gloucester to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the need for improvements in the implementation of the public interest test in decisions about whether to prosecute in cases involving a suspect who may also be a survivor of domestic abuse. HL1808

The Lord Bishop of Gloucester to ask Her Majesty's Government what conversations, if any, they have had with the Law Commission in the last six months about reviewing the effectiveness of existing defences for individuals whose offending or alleged offending results from their experience of domestic abuse; and what assessment they have made of the need for legislative reform on this matter. HL1809

Lord Hannan of Kingsclere to ask Her Majesty's Government what discussions they have had, if any, with the UK insurance sector regarding the impact of timing differences arising from Pillar 2 of the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development BEPS Framework. HL1810

Baroness Hodgson of Abinger to ask Her Majesty's Government what the overall official development assistance reduction to (1) Sexual and Reproductive Health and Rights, and (2) Family Planning, will be this financial year; and whether there has been an impact assessment of the effects of these reductions. HL1811

Lord Hunt of Kings Heath to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they will take to ensure that public interest in the NHS is protected when private companies receiving NHS contracts already hold seats on Integrated Care System Boards, giving them influence on NHS decision-making. HL1812

Baroness Jones of Moulsecoomb to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the need to update the College of Policing's body worn camera guidance (1) to reduce officers' discretion about its use, and (2) to discourage the practice of turning away from an incident to avoid recording wrongdoing by a fellow officer. HL1813

The Lord Bishop of London to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to reports that long-COVID disproportionately affects women, what consideration they have given to the production of gender-sensitive guidelines for primary care professionals. HL1814

The Lord Bishop of London to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have (1) to collect, and (2) to report, data on the number of people affected by long-COVID alongside the data on hospitalisations and death. HL1815

The Lord Bishop of London to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to promote a multi-disciplinary approach to long-COVID in the NHS to ensure patients have access to joined-up care across multiple services. HL1816

Lord Oates to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the report by The Sentry *Shadows and Shell Games: Uncovering an Offshore Business Empire in Zimbabwe*, published on 1 July; and what steps they intend to take as a result. HL1817

Lord Oates to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have, if any, to apply sanctions against the Zimbabwean Presidential adviser, Kudakwashe Tagwirei. HL1818

Lord Patten to ask Her Majesty's Government what discussions they have had with the government of India about the death of Father Stan Swamy in custody whilst awaiting trial in that country. HL1819

Lord Pearson of Rannoch to ask the Senior Deputy Speaker, further to the Written Answers by Lord McFall of Alcluith on 1 and 24 February 2017 (HL4961 and HL5612), why the Religion of Peace website is no longer accessible from computers attached to the parliamentary network, having previously been available. HL1820

Lord Pearson of Rannoch to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Baroness Vere of Norbiton on 24 June (HL1198), whether they will now answer the question put, namely, what assessment they have made of the economic benefits that might be realised if responsibility for roads in London was transferred from the Mayor of London and Transport for London to the Department for Transport. HL1821

Lord Pearson of Rannoch to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the number of (1) sheep, and (2) cattle, which were slaughtered without prior stunning in the last year for which figures are available, split by (a) Kosher, and (b) Halal slaughter; and what percentage of UK slaughterhouses are licensed to carry out such slaughter. HL1822

Lord Pearson of Rannoch to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the average time it takes for an unstunned (1) sheep, and (2) cow, to die after having their throat cut in a UK slaughterhouse. HL1823

Lord Pearson of Rannoch to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to legislate to ensure that meat from animals which have been slaughtered without prior stunning is clearly labelled as such. HL1824

Lord Pearson of Rannoch to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Baroness Williams of Trafford on 29 April (HL15173), what is their estimate of the number of mosques in the UK; and how many have they assessed for evidence of radicalisation through their (1) support, or (2) justification, of violence towards non-Muslims. HL1825

Lord Pendra to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ensure that (1) scientists, (2) care workers, and (3) volunteers, working with vaccines are kept safe while undertaking their duties. HL1826

Lord Pendra to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to address the number of job vacancies in the (1) care, and (2) hospitality, sectors. HL1827

Lord Pendra to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact on the tourism industry of abolishing the VAT Retail Export Scheme. HL1828

Lord Rogan to ask Her Majesty's Government whether any department provided advice in the period up to and including 31 January 2020 noting a possible shortage of HGV drivers after the UK's departure from the EU; and if so, whether they will deposit all internal Government correspondence that relates to this matter in the House of Lords library. HL1829

Lord Rose of Monewden to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of (1) the benefits, and (2) the disadvantages, of the Education and Skills Funding Agency's lagged funding mechanism in assisting businesses to have a pipeline of employees with the skills they need to help the economy to build back better after the COVID-19 pandemic. HL1830

Lord Rose of Monewden to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have (1) to change policy so that funding for further education follows the learner, and (2) to scrap the lagged funding mechanism used by the Education and Skills Funding Agency. HL1831

Lord Rose of Monewden to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to review the effectiveness of the Education and Skills Funding Agency in supporting the UK's recovery from the COVID-19 pandemic; and what plans they have to bring the work of the Education and Skills Funding Agency back under direct ministerial control. HL1832

The Earl of Shrewsbury to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the article in the *Mail Online*, published on 26 June which stated that "guidance on the use of non-alcohol sanitisers was 'confusing'", whether they now intend to review that guidance; and which Task Force it was that was reported to have made that comment. HL1833

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the report by London First *Central Government's Role in Helping London Drive Recovery*, published in May; and what plans they have to create a London Apprenticeship Fund targeted at small firms affected by COVID-19 to restart apprenticeship growth in the capital. HL1834

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to create a national framework of minimum standards of support for children with special educational needs and disabilities in mainstream schools. HL1835

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to introduce a Smart Fund tax on technological devices to support the creative arts sector. HL1836

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have, if any, to extend the Kickstart Scheme; and what steps are they taking to communicate this decision to businesses. HL1837

Lord Watson of Invergowrie to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the report by Adoption UK *The Adoption Barometer: A stocktake of adoption in the UK*, published in June, and, in particular, (1) the recommendation for a 10-year commitment to the Adoption Support Fund in England, (2) their finding that only 54 per cent of respondents felt the process for accessing the Adoption Support Fund was clear and only 51 per cent felt it was completed in a timely fashion, (3) the recommendation that all education and health professionals are trained in early childhood trauma, and (4) the recommendation that adoption support should be extended to at least the age of 26. HL1838

Lord Watson of Invergowrie to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of extending the pupil premium for Looked After and Previously Looked After children (Pupil Premium Plus) beyond Year 11, to include students in post-16 education. HL1839

Lord West of Spithead to ask Her Majesty's Government whether the exclusion of nuclear power from the Green Financing Framework means that they no longer see nuclear power as a crucial part of delivering the net zero carbon emissions policy by 2050. HL1840

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]

26 May (10 June)

HL606 Baroness Bull [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL607 Baroness Bull [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)

HL965 Lord Robathan [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL969 Lord Scriven [Department of Health and Social Care]

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

10 June (24 June)

HL1025 Lord Scriven [Department of Health and Social Care]

14 June (28 June)

HL1088 Lord Strasburger [Department of Health and Social Care]

15 June (29 June)

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

QUESTIONS FOR WRITTEN ANSWER

21 June (5 July)

HL1261 Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick [Department for International Development]

HL1267 Lord Scriven [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL1268 Lord Scriven [Department of Health and Social Care]

22 June (6 July)

HL1331 Lord Taylor of Warwick [Department of Health and Social Care]

23 June (7 July)

HL1345 Baroness Hoey [Cabinet Office]

HL1346 Baroness Hoey [Cabinet Office]

HL1347 Baroness Hoey [Cabinet Office]

HL1348 Baroness Hoey [Cabinet Office]

HL1349 Baroness Hoey [Cabinet Office]

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

Cabinet Office (5)

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

Department for International Development (1)

Department of Health and Social Care (15)

Bills in Progress

	Type of Bill	To be considered
Waiting for Second Reading		
Supply and Appropriation (Main Estimates) Bill (<i>Supply Bill</i>)	Government	15 July
Elderly Social Care (Insurance) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	16 July
Organ Tourism and Cadavers on Display Bill [HL]	Private Member's	16 July
Education (Environment and Sustainable Citizenship) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	16 July
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	
Marriage Act 1949 (Amendment) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Certificate of Loss Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Police, Crime, Sentencing and Courts Bill	Government	
Charities Bill [HL] (<i>Law Commission Bill</i>)	Government	14 July
Monken Hadley Common Bill	Private	
Committed to a Grand Committee		
Animal Welfare (Sentience) Bill [HL]	Government	
Telecommunications (Security) Bill	Government	13 July
Committed to a Committee of the Whole House		
Environment Bill	Government	12 July
Skills and Post-16 Education Bill [HL]	Government	15 July
Wellbeing of Future Generations Bill [HL] (<i>Queen's consent to be signified</i>)	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

Corporate Insolvency and Governance Act 2020 (Coronavirus) (Extension of the Relevant Period) (No. 2) Regulations 2021 *8th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Approval period ends 9 September*

Draft Ecodesign for Energy-Related Products and Energy Information (Lighting Products) Regulations 2021

Draft Ecodesign for Energy-Related Products and Energy Information (Amendment) Regulations 2021

Draft Merchant Shipping (Prevention of Air Pollution from Ships) (Amendment) Regulations 2021

Draft Organics (Equivalence and Control Bodies Listing) (Amendment) Regulations 2021

Draft Conference of the Parties to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (Immunities and Privileges) Order 2021

Draft Licensing Act 2003 (2020 UEFA European Championship Licensing Hours) Order 2021 (*8 July*)

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*

Draft Coronavirus Act 2020 (Early Expiry) Regulations 2021 *1st Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (12 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 (14 July)*

Draft Health Security (EU Exit) Regulations 2021 *6th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (12 July)*

LEGISLATION

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 *(12 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)*

Draft European Union and European Atomic Energy Community (Immunities and Privileges) Order 2021 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments, 7th Report (8 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 *(12 July)*

Draft Medical Devices (Coronavirus Test Device Approvals) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 8th Report. (12 July)*

Draft Electricity Capacity (Amendment) Regulations 2021

Draft Motor Fuel (Composition and Content) and the Biofuel (Labelling) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2021 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 8th Report. (12 July)*

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

Draft Railway (Licensing of Railway Undertakings) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 *8th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (12 July)*

Draft Health and Social Care Act 2008 (Regulated Activities) (Amendment) (Coronavirus) Regulations 2021 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 8th Report.*

Draft Pensions Regulator (Employer Resources Test) Regulations 2021

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. (13 July)*

LEGISLATION

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 expired 1 July.*

Merchant Shipping (Cargo Ship) (Bilge Alarm) Regulations 2021 *4th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 12 July. (13 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.*

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.*

Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure and Section 62A Applications) (England) 2021 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 8th Report. Praying time expires 16 September.*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, International Travel and Operator Liability) (England) (Amendment) (No. 3) Regulations 2021 *8th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 13 September.*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, International Travel and Operator Liability) (England) (Amendment) (No. 4) Regulations 2021 *8th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 20 September.*

Business Tenancies (Protection from Forfeiture: Relevant Period) (Coronavirus) (England) (No. 2) Regulations 2021 *8th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 16 September.*

Prosecution of Offences Act 1985 (Specified Proceedings) (Coronavirus) (Amendment) (No. 2) Order 2021 *8th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 13 September.*

Draft Revision of the Highway Code Rules to improve safety for drivers using Motorway and high-speed roads *8th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee.*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, International Travel and Operator Liability) (England) (Amendment) (No. 5) Regulations 2021 *8th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 14 October.*

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

REACH etc. (Amendment) Regulations 2021 *Sifting period expires: 20 July*

Medical Devices (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2021 *Sifting period expires: 20 July*

Human Medicines (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2021 *Sifting period expires: 22 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: 10 September*

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

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

Thursday 8 July

Public Services Committee	Virtual Meeting (transcript only)	9.25am
Communications and Digital Committee	Virtual meeting	10.45am

Monday 12 July

Liaison Committee	Virtual meeting	3.30pm
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Tuesday 13 July

Built Environment Committee	Virtual meeting	9.30am
COVID-19 Committee	Virtual meeting (webcast)	9.45am
Science and Technology Committee	Virtual meeting	10.00am
Environment and Climate Change Committee	Virtual meeting	10.00am
Youth Unemployment Committee	Virtual meeting	10.15am
Industry and Regulators Committee	Virtual meeting	10.15am
Justice and Home Affairs Committee	Virtual meeting	10.30am
Common Frameworks Scrutiny Committee	Virtual meeting	11.00am
Constitution Committee	Virtual meeting	2.00pm
Economic Affairs Committee	Virtual meeting	3.00pm
Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee	Virtual meeting	4.00pm

Wednesday 14 July

Delegated Powers and Regulatory Reform Committee	Virtual meeting	10.00am
Protocol on Ireland/Northern Ireland Sub-Committee	Virtual meeting	3.00pm
Human Rights (Joint Committee)	Virtual meeting	3.00pm
Finance Committee	Virtual meeting	3.15pm
National Plan for Sport and Recreation Committee	Virtual meeting	3.30pm
Statutory Instruments (Joint Committee)	Virtual meeting	3.40pm

Monday 19 July

National Security Strategy (Joint Committee)	Virtual meeting	3.00pm
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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 Wednesday 7 July 2021

The House met at 12 noon.

Prayers were read by the Lord Bishop of Ely.

1 **Oath** Guy Rhys John Mansfield, Lord Sandhurst, having received a Writ of Summons in accordance with Standing Order 9 (*Hereditary peers: by-elections*), following the retirement of the Earl of Selborne on 26 March 2020 and the retirement of Lord Denham on 26 April 2021 and the non-attendance of Lord Selsdon, sat first in Parliament having first taken and subscribed the oath and signed an undertaking to abide by the Code of Conduct.

Select Committee Report

2 Statutory Instruments

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

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

Draft Pensions Regulator (Employer Resources Test) Regulations 2021. (8th Report, HL Paper 43)

Public Business

3 **Police: body-worn videos** A question was asked by Lord Harris of Haringey and answered by Baroness Williams of Trafford.

4 **Palestine** A question was asked by Lord Campbell of Pittenweem and answered by Lord Ahmad of Wimbledon.

5 **Private sector: environment and COP26** A question was asked by Lord Bird and answered by Lord Callanan.

6 **Lorry drivers** A question was asked by Baroness McIntosh of Pickering and answered by Baroness Vere of Norbiton.

The House adjourned. The House resumed.

7 **Environment Bill** The bill was further considered in Committee, beginning with the resumed debate on amendment 162. Amendments 165, 194B, and 210A to 210C were agreed to. The House resumed after clause 96 was agreed to.

The House adjourned at 10.05pm until Thursday 8 July at 12 noon.

Simon Burton
Clerk of the Parliaments

Grand Committee Business

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

Charities Bill [HL] The Second Reading Committee reported that it had considered the bill.

The Committee adjourned at 4.48pm.

Papers

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

Papers Withdrawn

The following papers, laid before the House on the dates shown, were withdrawn:

1. Report and Accounts of Northern Lincolnshire and Goole NHS Foundation Trust 2020–21 (21 June)
2. Report and Accounts of Midlands Partnership NHS Foundation Trust 2020–21 (22 June)
3. Report and Accounts of South Warwickshire NHS Foundation Trust 2020–21 (23 June)

Command Paper

The following paper was presented to the House by command of Her Majesty:

1. Climate Change—Draft Agreement between the Secretariat of the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change, the Kyoto Protocol and the Paris Agreement and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland regarding the twenty-sixth session of the Conference of the Parties to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change, the sixteenth session of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Kyoto Protocol, the third session of the Conference of the Parties serving as the meeting of the Parties to the Paris Agreement and the sessions of the subsidiary bodies 2021. (454)

Affirmative Instruments

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

1. Draft Conference of the Parties to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (Immunities and Privileges) Order 2021
2. Draft Licensing Act 2003 (2020 UEFA European Championship Licensing Hours) Order 2021

Papers not subject to Parliamentary Proceedings

The following papers were laid before the House:

1. Report and Accounts of Central and North West London NHS Foundation Trust 2020–21
2. Report and Accounts of Royal Brompton & Harefield NHS Foundation Trust 2020–21
3. Report and Accounts of the Engineering Construction Industry Training Board 2020
4. Report and Accounts of the Office of Communications 2020–21
5. Report and Accounts of the United Kingdom Debt Management Office and the Debt Management Account 2020–21
6. Report and Financial Statements of the Information Commissioner 2020–21
7. Report by the Parliamentary and Health Service Ombudsman on Unlocking Solutions in Imaging: working together to learn from failings in the NHS
8. Local Government Financial Statistics England (No. 31)

