

**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.

†*At a convenient point after 12.30pm*

**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.

†*At a convenient point after 1.30pm*

**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.

**Future Business****Monday 19 July 2021 at 1.00pm**†**Royal Assent**

*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 discussions they have had with the governments of countries with (1) low levels of COVID-19 infections, and (2) a traditionally high number of visitors from the United Kingdom, to seek to align the requirements for (a) vaccination, and (b) testing on entry and return.

\***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.

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



**Draft Online Safety Bill** The Lord Privy Seal (Baroness Evans of Bowes Park) to move that it is expedient that a Joint Committee of Lords and Commons be appointed to consider and report on the draft Online Safety Bill presented to both Houses on 12 May (CP 405), and that the Committee should report on the draft Bill by 10 December.

†**Skills and Post-16 Education Bill [HL]** Committee (day 3) [Baroness Berridge]

## **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.

*Topical oral question. Ballot to be drawn at 1pm on Friday 16 July.*

*Proceedings on the following motion will be taken in accordance with Standing Order 68 (Reports from the Conduct Committee) which requires that motions on reports resulting from investigations under the Code of Conduct be decided without debate.*

**Conduct** Lord Mance to move that the Report from the Select Committee *The conduct of Lord James of Blackheath, Lord Kalms, Lord Willoughby de Broke and Baroness Mone* (3rd Report, HL Paper 36) be agreed to.

†**Lord Cormack** to move, as an amendment to the above motion, leave out after "that" and insert "consideration of the Report from the Select Committee *The conduct of Lord James of Blackheath, Lord Kalms, Lord Willoughby de Broke and Baroness Mone* (3rd Report, HL Paper 36) be deferred until 12 October."

*If the 3rd Report from the Conduct Committee is agreed to, Lord Mance to move to resolve that, in accordance with paragraph 159 of the Guide to the Code of Conduct, and without prejudice to their ability to carry out their parliamentary duties, Lord James of Blackheath, Lord Kalms and Lord Willoughby de Broke be denied access to certain facilities of the House and be restricted in their access to certain services, as set out in paragraph 18 of the 3rd Report from the Conduct Committee; and that these arrangements shall continue until they have completed Valuing Everyone training.*

**Leasehold Reform (Ground Rent) Bill [HL]** Report [Lord Greenhalgh]

**Health and Social Care Act 2008 (Regulated Activities) (Amendment) (Coronavirus) Regulations 2021** Lord Bethell to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 22 June be approved. *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 8th Report. (1½ hours)*

**Baroness Wheeler** to move, as an amendment to the above motion, at the end to insert “but that this House regrets that the Regulations do not include any information about how the legislation will operate and that this will be left to guidance that will not be available until the end of July; further regrets that a full impact assessment has not been published including analysis of the number of current staff who may not comply and the potential impact on care homes if care home staff become ineligible for work because they are not fully vaccinated or medically exempt; notes that the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee recommended that the debate on the instrument should be deferred until the operational guidance and full impact assessment has been published; and calls on Her Majesty’s Government to provide stronger supporting evidence for permanently requiring staff to have received both doses of the vaccine or, if they have not, to be banned from entering their workplace.”

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

**Animal Welfare (Sentience) Bill [HL]** Committee (day 2) [Lord Benyon]

**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.

*Topical oral question. Ballot to be drawn at 1pm on Monday 19 July.*

*It is expected that the Committee stage of the Skills and Post-16 Education Bill [HL] will continue, and that it will conclude.*

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

**Fisheries Act 2020 (Scheme for Financial Assistance) (England) Regulations 2021** Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Benyon] *7th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (1 hour)*

**European Union (Future Relationship) Act 2020 (References to the Trade and Cooperation Agreement) Regulations 2021** Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord True] *7th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (1 hour)*

**Environmental Authorisations (Scotland) Regulations 2018 (Consequential Modifications) Order 2021** Consideration in Grand Committee [Viscount Younger of Leckie] *(1 hour)*

**Electricity Capacity (Amendment) Regulations 2021** Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Callanan] *(1 hour)*

**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.

*Topical oral question. Ballot opens at 3pm on Friday 16 July, to be drawn at 1pm on Tuesday 20 July.*

**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). (3 hours)

**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). (1½ hours)

**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 motion in the name of Lord Bethell, at the end to insert “but that this House regrets that they may 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.”

**Lord Brooke of Alverthorpe** to move, as an amendment to the motion in the name of Lord Bethell, at the end to insert “but that this House regrets that the Regulations do not extend to alcohol, even though mounting evidence shows that it is a significant contributor of co-morbidity and obesity, one of the major underlying causes of the nation’s 128,481 COVID-19 deaths, the highest number in Europe; and calls on Her Majesty’s Government to require the publication of the calorie content of alcohol by the end of 2021 in order to improve the people’s well-being and good health.

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

**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. (*Balloted Question for Short Debate, 1 hour*)

**Lord Lingfield** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of the social impact of their funding of cadet forces. (*Balloted Question for Short Debate, 1 hour*)

**Lord Harries of Pentregarth** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the human rights situation in India; and in particular, of the impact it is having on (1) academics, (2) non-governmental organisations, (3) Muslims, (4) Christians, and (5) marginalised groups, such as the Dalits. *(Balloted Question for Short Debate, 1 hour)*

**Lord Balfie** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the possibility of joining forces with the governments of (1) France, (2) Germany, and (3) the United States of America to persuade the government of Russia that it is in its interest to push for new elections in Belarus. *(Balloted Question for Short Debate, 1 hour)*

## Motions for Balloted Debate

*The ballot to select two motions for debate will close on Wednesday 21 July and be drawn on Thursday 22 July, for debate on Thursday 16 September. Combined time limit of 5 hours.*

†**Lord Alton of Liverpool** to move that this House takes note of the case for strengthening legislation and policies designed to prohibit modern slavery and forced labour in United Kingdom supply chains.

†**Baroness Cox** to move that this House takes note of the mass displacement of civilians in Myanmar and the measures to address their plight.

## 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

**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

**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*

**Baroness Lane-Fox of Soho** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the COVID-19 Committee *Beyond Digital: Planning for a Hybrid World* (1st Report, Session 2019–21, HL Paper 263). *21 April*

## 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*

**Baroness Thornton** to move that this House welcomes that the draft Medical Devices (Coronavirus Test Device Approvals) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 introduce a quality approval process for all COVID-19 tests sold in the UK; but regrets that the regulations assume a change in policy by not making guaranteed provision for the continuation of free NHS COVID-19 tests and will therefore rely on private sector testing for which fees are charged; further regrets that private sector tests do not appear to be integrated with the NHS test and trace system, including legal requirements to report and self-isolate; notes with concern that Her Majesty's Government have previously stated that regular testing is an essential part of the easing of coronavirus restrictions; and calls on Her Majesty's Government to guarantee that reliable, high-quality, free NHS tests remain available to all beyond 19 July to support the effective management of COVID-19. *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 8th Report.*

## 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*

## Questions for Short Debate

*These Questions for Short Debate were drawn in the ballot on 14 July in line with the recommendations of the 1st Report of the Procedure and Privileges Committee (Session 2021–22, HL Paper 41). These questions may be used as dinner break business or last business if time is available. The next list will be drawn on 20 October. Entries for that ballot can be found under the heading Balloted Questions for Short Debate.*

**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.

**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.

**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.

**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.

**Baroness Coussins** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic in Latin America.

**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.



**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.

**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.

**Baroness Greengross** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to address the intergenerational impact of social care funding.

**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 and widowers trying to overcome bereavement grief.

**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.

**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.

### **Balloted Question for Short Debate**

*The ballot for four Questions will be drawn on Wednesday 20 October for debate on Thursday 28 October. Time limit 1 hour.*

**Baroness Cox** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the humanitarian situation in Myanmar; and what steps they have taken to provide cross-border aid via neighbouring countries. (*Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office*)

## Questions for Written Answer

*Tabled on 15 July and due for answer by 29 July.*

**Lord Alton of Liverpool** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the report by the APPG for International Freedom of Religion or Belief *Nigeria: Unfolding Genocide*, published on 15 June 2020, (1) whether they have made any representations to the government of Nigeria requesting a full investigation of cases of military complicity in violence and human rights abuses; and (2) whether they provide training in religious literacy and freedom of religion or belief to UK officials working in Nigeria. HL2051

**Baroness Bennett of Manor Castle** to ask Her Majesty's Government what discussions they have had with international partners about sanctions against the Myanmar Oil and Gas Enterprise. HL2052

**Baroness Bennett of Manor Castle** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of their activities in Mali on the rights of women and girls; and what discussions they have had with organisations supporting women and girls rights in Mali about this subject. HL2053

**Baroness Bennett of Manor Castle** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the statement by the Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs to *The Independent* on 14 July that they hoped to use the Environment Bill "to seek powers to ensure information about environmental impacts, such as carbon emissions, is provided with certain products", whether they can (1) provide details of the means by which they plan to do this, and (2) list the products to which they expect to apply the powers. HL2054

**Baroness Bennett of Manor Castle** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have, if any, to provide funding to agencies and local authorities to support EU citizens facing problems accessing their rights and entitlements in the UK, including issues with the EU Settlement Scheme, given that the Independent Monitoring Authority for the Citizens' Rights Agreements does not deal with individual cases. HL2055

**Baroness Bennett of Manor Castle** to ask Her Majesty's Government when they plan to publish the Heat and Buildings Strategy 2021. HL2056

**Baroness Bennett of Manor Castle** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they plan to take to tackle (1) rising demand, (2) rising costs, and (3) rent-seeking behaviours, in the adult social care sector, as identified by the APPG on Limits to Growth report *Tacking growth dependency – the case of adult social care*, published on 13 July. HL2057

**Lord Bradshaw** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking, if any, to improve the single track section of railway line between Soham and Ely; and what assessment they have made of the effect on trade of that single track line. HL2058

**Lord Campbell-Savours** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Baroness Williams of Trafford on 14 July (HL1628), whether someone (1) born in the EU, (2) with an EU Member State passport, (3) who is married to a UK citizen, and (4) has (a) resided, and (b) been employed, in the UK for over 20 years, including paying taxes or drawing pension payments, would automatically have "UK immigration status" by dint of those characteristics; or whether they might still need to apply for it under the EU Settlement Scheme. HL2059

**Lord Campbell-Savours** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Baroness Williams of Trafford on 14 July (HL1629), whether someone (1) born in an (a) European Economic Area, or (b) European Free Trade Area, state other than the UK, (2) who carries a non-UK passport, (3) who is married to a UK citizen, and (4) has (a) resided, and (b) been employed, in the UK for over 20 years including paying taxes or drawing pension payments, would automatically have "UK immigration status" by dint of those characteristics; or whether they might still need to apply for it under the EU Settlement Scheme. HL2060

**Lord Campbell-Savours** to ask Her Majesty’s Government, further to the Written Answers by Baroness Williams of Trafford on 14 July (HL1628 and HL1629), how someone would check whether they had (1) “UK immigration status”, and (2) indefinite leave to enter or remain in the UK. HL2061

**Lord Campbell-Savours** to ask Her Majesty’s Government, further to the Written Answers by Baroness Williams of Trafford on 14 July (HL1628 and HL1629), how they are informing EU, EEA and EFTA nationals who acquired a right of permanent residence in the UK under EU law that (1) they need to apply for status under the EU Settlement Scheme, and (2) the benefits of applying. HL2062

**Lord Campbell-Savours** to ask Her Majesty’s Government, further to the Written Answers by Baroness Williams of Trafford on 14 July (HL1628 and HL1629), what are the additional rights available to EU, EEA and EFTA nationals under the Citizens’ Rights Agreements that they will not possess if they do not apply to the EU Settlement Scheme. HL2063

**Lord Campbell-Savours** to ask Her Majesty’s Government, further to the Written Answers by Baroness Williams of Trafford on 14 July (HL1628 and HL1629), what steps they are taking to inform EU, EEA and EFTA nationals living in the UK about the benefits of the additional rights available to them under the Citizens’ Rights Agreements. HL2064

**Lord Dodds of Duncairn** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what plans they have to publish all the EU law affecting Northern Ireland that is given effect under the provisions of the Protocol on Ireland/Northern Ireland. HL2065

**Lord Dodds of Duncairn** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what role the (1) Northern Ireland Assembly, and (2) UK Parliament, have in consenting to the EU law affecting Northern Ireland under the terms of the Protocol on Ireland/Northern Ireland. HL2066

**Lord Dodds of Duncairn** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what consultations they have had regarding who will represent the UK on the various bodies set up under (1) the Protocol on Ireland/Northern Ireland, and (2) the UK–EU Trade and Co-operation Agreement. HL2067

**Baroness Finlay of Llandaff** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of the *Dermatology GIRFT Programme National Specialty Report: Proposed Recommendations*, published on 15 September 2020; and what steps they intend to take in response to the proposed recommendations. HL2068

**Lord Hunt of Kings Heath** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what early intervention measures and improvements to ‘continuity of care’ for patients with chronic respiratory conditions were adopted between 2010 and 2019 in England. HL2069

**Lord Hunt of Kings Heath** to ask Her Majesty’s Government how many full time equivalent specialist respiratory community nurses were working in England to support patients with chronic respiratory conditions in each year between 2010 and 2019. HL2070

**Lord Hunt of Kings Heath** to ask Her Majesty’s Government how many full time equivalent NHS contracts for (1) registered nurses, and (2) health care assistants, there were in hospital trusts and community trusts in England in each year between 2010 and 2019. HL2071

**Lord Hunt of Kings Heath** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what economic changes and interdepartmental strategies they propose to address the health and financial inequalities which have resulted in certain groups being disproportionately affected by the impact of COVID-19. HL2072

**Lord Hunt of Kings Heath** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of any possible correlation between patients being discharged from hospital with COVID-19 (1) to their own homes, and (2) subsequent COVID-19 transmission to family members or paid carers, during the period March 2020 to March 2021. HL2073

**Lord Hunt of Kings Heath** to ask Her Majesty’s Government how many additional cases of COVID-19 have been reported in those care homes approved by Care Quality Commission as ‘designated settings’ for receiving patients discharged from hospital with COVID-19 in England since the scheme was fully implemented. HL2074

**Lord Hylton** to ask Her Majesty’s Government whether they consider that space travel should be limited to scientific research, rather than space tourism. HL2075

**Lord Hylton** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what plans they have, if any, to amend the Nationality and Borders Bill (1) to protect children who have been trafficked twice or more, (2) to support children who may have committed offences while suffering exploitation, and (3) to protect exploited foreign children by providing leave to remain of sufficient length to guard against further harm. HL2076

**Lord Hylton** to ask Her Majesty’s Government whether they will classify the crews of merchant ships coming to British ports as vital workers with priority for vaccination. HL2077

**Lord Hylton** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what discussions they have had with the government of Egypt about children being given preliminary death sentences in that country. HL2078

**Lord Jones of Cheltenham** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what plans they have, if any, to agree an emergency compensation package with the creative sector. HL2079

**Lord Kennedy of Southwark** to ask Her Majesty’s Government how many individuals in each local authority declared income from property, excluding furnished holiday lettings, on their Self-Assessment tax returns in the latest year for which data is available. HL2080 [I]

**Lord Kennedy of Southwark** to ask Her Majesty’s Government how many individuals in each local authority declared income from furnished holiday lettings on their Self-Assessment tax returns in the latest year for which data is available. HL2081 [I]

**Lord Mann** to ask Her Majesty’s Government when they intend to publish their Standing at Football review. HL2082

**Lord Mann** to ask Her Majesty’s Government whether it is their policy to permit safe standing in football stadiums through rail seating when requested by clubs; and what is the timetable for doing so. HL2083

**Lord Mann** to ask Her Majesty’s Government which Premier League clubs are being permitted to introduce rail seating for the new football season; what form this permitted rail seating will take; whether it will be described as “safe standing”; and how many of such seats each club will have. HL2084

**Lord Mann** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what discussions they have had with the Sports Ground Safety Authority regarding the form of rail seating required at some football clubs for the new season; and if these (1) will be a permanent solution, and (2) will be defined as safe standing areas. HL2085

**Lord Mann** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what discussions they have had with the Sports Ground Safety Authority about the form of rail seating; whether such seating is regarded as a temporary measure; and if so, when further changes by football clubs to adapt seating for the new season will be required. HL2086

**Lord Mann** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what discussions they have had with the Sports Ground Safety Authority regarding technical safety differences between requirements for a form of rail seating and the requirement for formal approval of safe standing areas. HL2087

**Lord Mendelsohn** to ask Her Majesty’s Government, further to the *Group Accounting Manual 2020-21* published by the Department of Health and Social Care on 19 April, whether they consider that guidance requires in all circumstances (1) a liability to pay interest accruing by virtue of any failure to pay invoices within the 30 day period, and (2) disclosure of such failure whether or not any claim for such liability has been made or settled. HL2088

**Lord Mendelsohn** to ask Her Majesty's Government what reporting obligations and responsibilities are placed on external auditors by section 113(7) of the Public Contract Regulations 2015 in the event of a reporting failure. HL2089

**Lord Mendelsohn** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the effectiveness of section 113(7) of the Public Contract Regulations 2015; and what plans they have, if any, to amend that legislation to tackle issues relating to reporting and non-compliance. HL2090

**Lord Mendelsohn** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Lord Bethell on 6 July (HL964), what plans they have to develop specific clinical guidance for the treatment of people who are immunocompromised or immunosuppressed and become infected with COVID-19. HL2091

**Lord Mendelsohn** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to produce guidance for employers, to accompany the lifting of COVID-19 related restrictions on 19 July, about the health and safety of employees who are immunocompromised or immunosuppressed and therefore not protected by the COVID-19 vaccine. HL2092

**Lord Mendelsohn** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to issue guidance to transport operators whose services cross the border between England and Scotland in relation to the different policies on COVID-related mask-wearing in the two countries. HL2093

**Baroness Rawlings** to ask Her Majesty's Government in what circumstances people may be (1) prosecuted, and (2) fined, for breaking COVID-19 regulations. HL2094

**Baroness Rawlings** to ask Her Majesty's Government what constitutes a COVID-19 (1) pilot scheme, (2) event research programme, (3) trial; and how many there have been of each of these in the last two years. HL2095

**Baroness Rawlings** to ask Her Majesty's Government which civil servants are exempt from COVID-19 rules related to (1) travelling, and (2) mixing with groups of other people; and for what reasons they are exempt. HL2096

**Baroness Rawlings** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of (1) the quality of NHS COVID-19 PCR tests, (2) the reasons why airlines do not accept the results of NHS tests in order to travel, (3) the additional cost for travellers of paying for privately-provided tests, and (4) which private sector companies are benefitting from these business practices. HL2097

**Baroness Rawlings** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the vehicle emissions produced by ministers travelling short distances in Range Rovers; and what plans they have to reduce such emissions by reducing the number of (1) short car journeys taken by ministers, and (2) Range Rovers used by ministers. HL2098

**Baroness Rawlings** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether clergy are no longer permitted to register marriages conducted in their churches; if so, why not; and what consultations they undertook with the Church of England prior to the introduction of the electronic register for marriages. HL2099

**Lord Rogan** to ask Her Majesty's Government what discussions they have had, if any, with (1) Amazon, and (2) other suppliers, about the fall in volume of goods being delivered from Great Britain to Northern Ireland since the agreement of the Protocol on Ireland/Northern Ireland in December 2020. HL2100

**Lord Rogan** to ask Her Majesty's Government what discussions they have had, if any, with (1) road hauliers, and (2) the devolved administrations, about the recruitment of additional HGV drivers across the UK. HL2101

**The Lord Bishop of St Albans** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to preserve the right of familial reunification for asylum seekers regardless of the route of entry into the UK as part of the *New Plan for Immigration*, published on 24 March. HL2102

**The Lord Bishop of St Albans** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to increase the number of safe routes into the country for those seeking asylum. HL2103

**The Lord Bishop of St Albans** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the *New Plan for Immigration*, published on 24 March, what assessment they have made of the risk of unaccompanied minors travelling to the UK via unauthorised routes for the purposes of reunification with relatives who previously entered through unauthorised routes. HL2104

**The Lord Bishop of St Albans** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the effectiveness and cost-effectiveness of OpenRAN (1) as part of their gigabit capable broad rollout, (2) in increasing connectivity to rural communities, and (3) in extending connectivity to rural 'notspots'. HL2105

**The Lord Bishop of Southwark** to ask Her Majesty's Government when they will publish their response to their consultation on the *New Plan for Immigration*, published on 24 March; and what assessment they have made of their compliance with paragraph J of their *Consultation Principles*, published on 17 July 2012, in respect of their response to this consultation. HL2106

**Baroness Thomas of Winchester** to ask Her Majesty's Government why they are relying on telephone assessments to determine a claimant's level of disability rather than using a video service. HL2107

**Lord Wharton of Yarm** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the arrest of activists and staff from the human rights organisation Viasna on 14 July in Minsk, Belarus; and what representations they plan to make to the government of Belarus about the release of those detained. HL2108

**Baroness Whitaker** to ask Her Majesty's Government what they estimate to be the total number of unreleased Imprisonment for Public Protection prisoners broken down by (1) gender, and (2) ethnicity; and how many years are left on their tariff in each case. HL2109

**Baroness Whitaker** to ask Her Majesty's Government what they estimate to be the total number of recalled Imprisonment for Public Protection prisoners broken down by (1) gender, and (2) ethnicity; and how many years are left on their tariff in each case. HL2110

**Baroness Whitaker** to ask Her Majesty's Government what is the total number of unreleased Imprisonment for Public Protection prisoners in (1) Category A, (2) Category B, (3) Category C, and (4) Category D; and how many years are left on their tariff in each case. HL2111

**Lord Young of Cookham** to ask Her Majesty's Government how many applications have been received by the Court of Protection where the only asset is a Child Trust Fund. HL2112

**Lord Young of Cookham** to ask Her Majesty's Government how many applications that have been received by the Court of Protection in respect of Child Trust Funds have resulted in a Deputy being appointed. HL2113

**Lord Young of Cookham** to ask Her Majesty's Government how many associated Fee Waivers the Court of Protection has received in respect of Child Trust Fund applications; and how many have been granted. HL2114

## 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)

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)

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]

**21 June** (5 July)

HL1261 Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick [Department for International Development]

**24 June** (8 July)

HL1388 Baroness Jones of Whitchurch [Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs]

HL1389 Baroness Jones of Whitchurch [Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs]

HL1400 Lord Moylan [Cabinet Office]

**29 June** (13 July)

HL1511 Lord Browne of Belmont [Home Office]

HL1567 Lord Scriven [Cabinet Office]

**30 June** (14 July)

HL1599 Lord Gilbert of Panteg [Department for Education]

HL1616 Lord Scriven [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL1621 Lord West of Spithead [Department for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport]

**1 July** (15 July)

HL1655 Lord Scriven [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL1656 Lord Scriven [Department of Health and Social Care]

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

Cabinet Office (2)

Department for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport (2)

Department for Education (1)

Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs (2)

Department for International Development (1)

Department of Health and Social Care (12)

Home Office (1)

**Bills in Progress**

	<b>Type of Bill</b>	<b>To be considered</b>
<b>Waiting for Second Reading</b>		
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	
House of Lords (Peerage Nominations) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Armed Forces Bill	Government	
Monken Hadley Common Bill	Private	
<b>Committed to a Special Public Bill Committee</b>		
Charities Bill [HL] ( <i>Law Commission Bill</i> )	Government	
<b>Committed to a Grand Committee</b>		
Animal Welfare (Sentience) Bill [HL]	Government	20 July
<b>Committed to a Committee of the Whole House</b>		
Skills and Post-16 Education Bill [HL]	Government	19 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	
<b>Waiting for Report</b>		
Leasehold Reform (Ground Rent) Bill [HL]	Government	20 July
Professional Qualifications Bill [HL]	Government	
Dormant Assets Bill [HL]	Government	
Environment Bill	Government	
Telecommunications (Security) Bill	Government	
<b>Sent to the Commons</b>		
Highgate Cemetery Bill	Private	
<b>Waiting for Royal Assent</b>		
Supply and Appropriation (Main Estimates) Bill ( <i>Supply Bill</i> )	Government	19 July

## 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 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

Money Laundering and Terrorist Financing (Amendment) (No. 2) (High-Risk Countries) Regulations 2021

Draft Capital Requirements Regulation (Amendment) Regulations 2021

Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (Steps etc.) (England) (Revocation and Amendment) Regulations 2021

Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (Self-Isolation) (England) (Amendment) 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*

Draft Calorie Labelling (Out of Home Sector) (England) Regulations 2021 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 4th Report (22 July)*

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

Draft Environmental Authorisations (Scotland) Regulations 2018 (Consequential Modifications) Order 2021 *(21 July)*

Draft Fisheries Act 2020 (Scheme for Financial Assistance) (England) Regulations 2021 *7th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (21 July)*

Draft European Union (Future Relationship) Act 2020 (References to the Trade and Cooperation Agreement) Regulations 2021 *7th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (21 July)*

Draft Medical Devices (Northern Ireland Protocol) Regulations 2021

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

Draft Electricity Capacity (Amendment) Regulations 2021 *(21 July)*

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

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. (20 July)*

Draft Pensions Regulator (Employer Resources Test) Regulations 2021

Draft Ecodesign for Energy-Related Products and Energy Information (Lighting Products) Regulations 2021 *9th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

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

### **Negative Instruments**

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.*

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

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.*

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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.*

Marriages and Civil Partnerships (Approved Premises) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 *9th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 22 September 2021.*

Markets in Financial Instruments (Capital Markets) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 *9th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 22 September 2021*

Competition Act 1998 (Coronavirus) (Public Policy Exclusions) (Revocations) Order 2021 *9th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time expires 23 September 2021.*

### **Human Rights Remedial Order**

#### **Proposal for order under paragraph 3 referred to the Joint Committee on Human Rights**

Proposal for the Draft Bereavement Benefits (Remedial) Order 2021 *(17 November)*

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

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

**Treaties before the House**

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

### 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*

#### **Monday 19 July**

International Agreements Committee	Virtual meeting (webcast)	11.30am
National Security Strategy (Joint Committee)	Virtual meeting	3.00pm
House of Lords Commission	Virtual meeting	3.00pm

#### **Tuesday 20 July**

Built Environment Committee	Virtual meeting	9.30am
COVID-19 Committee	Virtual meeting (webcast)	9.45am
Ecclesiastical Committee (Statutory Committee)	Virtual meeting	10.00am
Environment and Climate Change Committee	Virtual meeting	10.00am
Science and Technology Committee	Virtual meeting	10.00am
Industry and Regulators Committee	Virtual meeting	10.00am
Youth Unemployment Committee	Virtual meeting	10.15am
Justice and Home Affairs Committee	Virtual meeting	10.30am
Constitution Committee	Virtual meeting	1.45pm
Communications and Digital Committee	Virtual meeting	2.00pm
Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee	Virtual meeting	3.45pm

#### **Wednesday 21 July**

Delegated Powers and Regulatory Reform Committee	Virtual meeting	10.00am
National Plan for Sport and Recreation Committee	Virtual meeting	1.15pm
Human Rights (Joint Committee)	Virtual meeting	2.40pm
Public Services Committee	Virtual meeting (webcast)	3.00pm

#### **Thursday 22 July**

Protocol on Ireland/Northern Ireland Sub-Committee	Virtual meeting	10.30am
Conduct Committee	Virtual meeting	1.00pm

## Minutes of Proceedings of Thursday 15 July 2021

*The House met at 12 noon.*

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

### Public Business

**1 Railways: East Coast Main Line** A question was asked by Lord Beith and answered by Baroness Vere of Norbiton.

**2 Bahrain: human rights abuses** A question was asked by Baroness Northover, on behalf of Lord Scriven, and answered by Lord Parkinson of Whitley Bay.

**3 Police and Crime Commissioner by-election** A question was asked by Lord Thomas of Gresford and answered by Baroness Williams of Trafford.

**4 Policing: European Championship final** A question was asked by Lord Addington and answered by Baroness Williams of Trafford.

**5 Post-Brexit financial settlement** A question to the Minister of State at the Cabinet Office was asked by Lord Moylan and answered by Lord Frost.

**6 Ireland/ Northern Ireland Protocol** A question to the Minister of State at the Cabinet Office was asked by Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick and answered by Lord Frost.

**7 Trade agreements** A question to the Minister of State at the Cabinet Office was asked by Lord Liddle and answered by Lord Frost.

**8 Hereditary Peers' By-election** The Clerk of the Parliaments informed the House that Lord Harlech had been elected under Standing Order 9 (*Hereditary peers: by-elections*) to fill the vacancy created by the retirement of Lord Elton among the peers excepted from section 1 of the House of Lords Act 1999.

**9 Supply and Appropriation (Main Estimates) Bill** Baroness Penn, on behalf of Lord Agnew of Oulton, moved that the bill be now read a second time. After debate, the motion was agreed to and the Committee was negatived. Then, Standing Order 44 having been dispensed with, the bill was read a third time and passed.

**10 COVID-19** Lord Bethell answered Questions on a Ministerial statement on COVID-19, made in the House of Commons on Monday 12 July.

**11 Terrorism Act 2000 (Proscribed Organisations) (Amendment) (No.2) Order 2021** Baroness Williams of Trafford moved that the draft Order laid before the House on 12 July be approved. After debate, the motion was agreed to.

**12 Skills and Post-16 Education Bill [HL]** The bill was further considered in Committee, beginning with amendment 8. Amendments were considered. The House resumed after clause 21 was agreed to.

**13 Telecommunications (Security) Bill** The bill was reported from the Grand Committee without amendment.

*The House adjourned at 8.42pm until Friday 16 July at 11.00am.*

**Simon Burton**  
*Clerk of the Parliaments*

**Grand Committee Business**

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

**Telecommunications (Security) Bill** The Grand Committee further considered the bill, beginning with the question that clause 14 be agreed to. Amendments were considered. It was ordered that the bill be reported without amendment.

*The Committee adjourned at 5.38pm*

## Papers

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

### Paper Withdrawn

The following paper, laid before the House on the date shown, was withdrawn:

1. Government Response to The Economics of Biodiversity: The Dasgupta Review (CP 466) (14 June)

### Command Papers

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

1. European Union—European Union Finances 2020: statement of the 2020 EU Budget and measures to counter fraud and financial mismanagement. (472)
2. Trade—The United Kingdom’s Revised Coverage Schedule to the Agreement on Government Procurement as a result of the modification to the United Kingdom’s Appendix I. (487)
3. Health—Government Response to the Consultation on Reforming the Mental Health Act. (501)
4. Finance—Government Response to The Economics of Biodiversity: The Dasgupta Review. (504)

### Affirmative Instruments

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

1. Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (Steps etc.) (England) (Revocation and Amendment) Regulations 2021 (848)
2. Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (Self-Isolation) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 (851)

### Negative Instrument

The following instrument was laid before the House:

1. Criminal Procedure (Amendment No. 2) Rules 2021 (849)

### Paper subject to disapproval

The following paper was laid before the House:

1. Draft Modifications to the Standard Conditions of Electricity and Gas Supply Licences, the Smart Energy Code, and the Distribution Connection and Use of System Agreement (Smart Meters No. 1 of 2021)

### Papers not subject to Parliamentary Proceedings

The following papers were laid before the House:

1. Account of the Social Fund 2020–21
2. Accounts of the Official Custodian for Charities 2020–21
3. Accounts of the Research Councils’ Pension Schemes 2020–21



4. Bank of England and the Prudential Regulation Authority's response to the Annual Report 2020–21 of the Office of the Complaints Commissioner: Reviewing how the financial services regulators consider complaints
5. Code of Practice on the management of records issued under section 46 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000
6. Highways England's Performance Report to Parliament 2020–21
7. Report and Accounts of Derbyshire Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust 2020–21
8. Report and Accounts of FCDO Services 2020–21
9. Report and Accounts of Health Education England 2020–21
10. Report and Accounts of HM Courts and Tribunals Service 2020–21
11. Report and Accounts of Liverpool University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust 2020–21
12. Report and Accounts of Manchester University NHS Foundation Trust 2020–21
13. Report and Accounts of NHS Resolution 2020–21
14. Report and Accounts of Social Work England 2020–21
15. Report and Accounts of the Advisory, Conciliation and Arbitration Service 2020–21
16. Report and Accounts of the British Hallmarking Council 2020
17. Report and Accounts of the Charity Commission 2020–21
18. Report and Accounts of the Children's Commissioner for England 2020–21
19. Report and Accounts of the Coal Authority 2020–21
20. Report and Accounts of the Competition and Markets Authority 2020–21
21. Report and Accounts of the Crown Commercial Service 2020–21
22. Report and Accounts of the Duchy of Lancaster 2020-21
23. Report and Accounts of the Equality and Human Rights Commission 2020–21
24. Report and Accounts of the Equality Commission for Northern Ireland 2020–21
25. Report and Accounts of the Exchange Equalisation Account 2020–21
26. Report and Accounts of the Financial Conduct Authority 2020–21
27. Report and Accounts of the Gambling Commission 2020–21
28. Report and Accounts of the Health Research Authority 2020–21
29. Report and Accounts of the Human Tissue Authority 2020–21
30. Report and Accounts of The National Archives 2020–21
31. Report and Accounts of the Office for Legal Complaints 2020–21
32. Report and Accounts of The Patent Office 2020–21
33. Report and Accounts of the Payment Systems Regulator Limited 2020–21
34. Report and Accounts of the Serious Fraud Office 2020–21

35. Report and Accounts of the Single Source Regulations Office 2020–21
36. Report and Accounts of UK Statistics Authority 2020–21
37. Report of the Office of the Complaints Commissioner 2020–21
38. Report of the Sentence Review Commissioners 2020–21
39. Report on Special Advisers 2021
40. Report on the British Wool Marketing Board Agricultural Marketing Scheme 2018-19
41. Report on the British Wool Marketing Board Agricultural Marketing Scheme 2019-20
42. Statistics of Scientific Procedures on Living Animals in Great Britain 2020
43. The Financial Conduct Authority’s response to the Complaints Commissioner’s Annual Report 2020–21

### **Other Instrument**

#### **1. Human Rights Remedial Order**

The following document was laid before the House under paragraph 3(1) of Schedule 2 to the Human Rights Act 1998 and referred to the Joint Committee on Human Rights:

Proposal for the Draft Bereavement Benefits (Remedial) Order 2021



