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HOUSE OF LORDS

TODAY'S LISTS  
THURSDAY 16 SEPTEMBER 2021

*[Notes about this document are set out at the end]*

**Business in the Chamber at 11.00Am**

*Prayers by the Bishop of Blackburn (5 mins)*

*Oral Questions (40 mins)*

\* Lord Lexden to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to ensure the preservation of England's historic counties. **(Lord Greenhalgh, MHCLG)**

*Speakers following Lord Lexden's supplementary question:*

L Blunkett

B Rawlings

L Wallace of Saltaire

L Hannan of Kingsclere

5 B Blake of Leeds

L Randall of Uxbridge

L Caine

L Holmes of Richmond

L Flight

\* Lord Kennedy of Southwark to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to ensure leaseholders do not bear the costs of repairing building and fire safety defects for which they are not responsible. **(Lord Greenhalgh, MHCLG)**

*Speakers following Lord Kennedy of Southwark's supplementary question:*

Bp St Albans

L Young of Cookham

L Paddick

B Blake of Leeds

5 B Jones of Moulsecoomb

B Neville-Rolfe

B Pinnock

B Fox of Buckley

B Uddin

\* Baroness Wilcox of Newport to ask Her Majesty's Government what protocol they follow for working constructively with the devolved administrations. **(Lord True, CO)**

*Speakers following Baroness Wilcox of Newport's supplementary question:*

L Forsyth of Drumlean

L Bruce of Bennachie

B McIntosh of Pickering

B Bryan of Partick

5 L Roberts of Llandudno

L McConnell of Glenscorrodale

L Dodds of Duncairn

L Moynihan

L Foulkes of Cumnock

\* Lord Robathan to ask Her Majesty's Government what military equipment provided by the United Kingdom to Afghanistan is now in the hands of the Taliban; and what estimate they have made of the number of soldiers fighting for the Taliban who were trained by British instructors. **(Baroness Goldie, MoD)**

*Speakers following Lord Robathan's supplementary question:*

L Browne of Ladyton

L Singh of Wimbledon

L Marlesford

L Tunnicliffe

5 B Smith of Newnham

L Adonis

L Cormack

L Dubs

B Bennett of Manor Castle

10 L Grantchester

*Oral Questions to the Minister of State at the Cabinet Office (30 mins)*

\* The Earl of Kinnoull to ask the Minister of State at the Cabinet Office (Lord Frost) what steps Her Majesty's Government are taking to prepare businesses for the introduction of new checks and controls on imports into Great Britain from the European Union on 1 October 2021 and 1 January 2022.

*Speakers following The Earl of Kinnoull's supplementary question:*

L Grantchester

- L Purvis of Tweed
- L Moylan
- B Hayter of Kentish Town
- 5 B McIntosh of Pickering
- B Smith of Newnham

\* Lord Foulkes of Cumnock to ask the Minister of State at the Cabinet Office (Lord Frost) what plans Her Majesty's Government have to extend further the grace period on imports from the European Union to the United Kingdom.

*Speakers following Lord Foulkes of Cumnock's supplementary question:*

- L Purvis of Tweed
- L Liddle
- L Lilley
- B Chapman of Darlington
- 5 B Neville-Rolfe
- L Dubs
- B Randerson
- L Adonis
- L Hannan of Kingsclere
- 10 B Bennett of Manor Castle

\* Baroness Hoey to ask the Minister of State at the Cabinet Office (Lord Frost) what assessment Her Majesty's Government have made of the operation of the Protocol on Ireland/Northern Ireland on power sharing in Northern Ireland and the Belfast/Good Friday Agreement.

*Speakers following Baroness Hoey's supplementary question:*

- L Caine
- L Kerr of Kinlochard
- B Suttie
- B Donaghy
- 5 L Robathan
- L Kilclooney
- L Thomas of Gresford
- B Chapman of Darlington
- L Empey
- 10 L Hannay of Chiswick

*Business expected to be brief*

**Business of the House Motion – Lord Ashton of Hyde**

*Oral Statement*

**Brexit Opportunities – Lord Frost (Cabinet Office)**

*Main Business*

**Baroness Blackstone to move that this House takes note of the role of behaviour change in helping the United Kingdom to reach net zero carbon emissions by 2050, as set out in the report by the Climate Change Committee *Reducing emissions: 2021 Progress Report to Parliament*, published on 26 June; and of the case for a public engagement strategy to facilitate this. (Time limited to 2 ½ hours)**

*Speakers:*

- B Blackstone
- B Randerson
- L Howell of Guildford
- B Bull
- 5 Bp Blackburn
- L Browne of Ladyton
- L Lilley
- B Jones of Moulsecoomb
- B Sheehan
- 10 L Kirkhope of Harrogate
- B Boycott
- L Brooke of Alverthorpe
- L Harries of Pentregarth
- B Fox of Buckley
- 15 B McIntosh of Pickering
  
- L Oates
- L Grantchester
- L Callanan
- B Blackstone

*Except for Baroness Blackstone (15 mins), Lord Oates (10 mins), Lord Grantchester (10 mins) and Lord Callanan (20 mins), all speeches are limited to 6 mins*

*Repeat of an Oral Statement taken in the Commons today*

**AUKUS - Baroness Goldie (MoD)**

*Topical Question for Short Debate*

**Baroness Greengross to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to address the intergenerational impact of proposed changes to social care funding. (time limited to 60 minutes)**

*Speakers:*

- B Greengross
- L Howarth of Newport (v)
- B Tyler of Enfield
- B Warwick of Undercliffe
- 5 L Lilley
- L Lipsey
- B Bennett of Manor Castle
- B Watkins of Tavistock
- L Davies of Brixton
- 10 L Griffiths of Burry Port
- L Sikka
  
- B Brinton (v)
- B Wheeler
- L Bethell

*Except for Baroness Greengross (10 mins) and Lord Bethell (12 mins), all speeches are limited to 3 mins*

*Take note debate*

**Lord Norton of Louth to move that this House takes note of the case for enhancing the quality of government through the introduction of training in core leadership skills for (1) ministers, and (2) senior civil servants. (Time limited to 2 ½ hours)**

*Speakers:*

- L Norton of Louth
- B Taylor of Bolton
- L Mackay of Clashfern
- L Judge
- 5 L Maude of Horsham

- L Lipsey  
L Young of Cookham  
B Neville-Rolfe  
L Bilimoria  
10 L Herbert of South Downs  
B Fox of Buckley  
L Farmer  
  
L Wallace of Saltaire  
B Hayter of Kentish Town  
15 L True  
L Norton of Louth

*Except for Lord Norton of Louth (15 mins), Lord Wallace of Saltaire (10 mins), Baroness Hayter of Kentish Town (10 mins) and Lord True (20 mins), all speeches are limited to 6 mins*

#### *Last business*

The Lord Bishop of Blackburn to move that this House do direct that, in accordance with the Church of England Assembly (Powers) Act 1919, the Safeguarding (Code of Practice) Measure be presented to Her Majesty for the Royal Assent.

#### *Business expected to be brief*

### **Three statutory approval motions**

#### *Estimated rising time*

The House is expected to rise at approximately 8pm.

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#### *Notes:*

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