

Wednesday 1 December 2021 at 3.00pm*Oral questions (40 minutes)*

***Baroness Jones of Moulsecoomb** to ask Her Majesty's Government when water companies will be required to deliver the first stage of reductions in the level of sewage discharged into rivers and the sea.

***The Lord Bishop of Gloucester** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the benefits of early years interventions on people's welfare and social mobility later in life.

***Baroness Randerson** to ask Her Majesty's Government what progress they have made towards amending the requirements of the driving test for HGV drivers.

***Baroness Brinton** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of current ambulance response times; and what steps they are taking to reduce them.

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 motions to approve the Health Protection (Coronavirus, Wearing of Face Coverings) (England) Regulations 2021 and the Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (Self-Isolation) (England) (Amendment) (No. 4) Regulations 2021 to be moved today, notwithstanding that no report from the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments on the instruments has been laid before the House.

Procedure and Privileges The Senior Deputy Speaker to move that the Report from the Select Committee *Speakers' lists for oral questions and 'Secretary of State' questions; Divisions: passreaders* (4th Report, HL Paper 104) be agreed to.

Baroness Quin to move, as an amendment to the above motion, at the end insert "but that the Lord Speaker be empowered to call Members to speak during oral questions, initially for a trial period of six months".

Lord Rooker to move, as an amendment to the motion in the name of the Senior Deputy Speaker, at the end insert "but that this House regrets that the report removes from the Lord Speaker the responsibility for calling those Members who participate in proceedings remotely".

Lord Grocott to move, as an amendment to the motion in the name of the Senior Deputy Speaker, at the end insert "but that this House regrets the diminution in the role of the Lord Speaker".

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Items marked † are new or have been altered

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



†*The following two motions are expected to be debated together:*

Liaison The Senior Deputy Speaker to move that the Report from the Select Committee *Designation of responsible committee of the House of Lords for the purposes of section 3 of the Trade Act 2021* (3rd Report, HL Paper 78) be agreed to.

Liaison The Senior Deputy Speaker to move that the Report from the Select Committee *New committee activity in 2022* (4th Report, HL Paper 97) be agreed to.

The following two motions are expected to be debated together:

†**Health Protection (Coronavirus, Wearing of Face Coverings) (England) Regulations 2021** Lord Kamall to move that the Regulations laid before the House on 29 November be approved. *22nd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Instrument not yet reported by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments*

†**Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (Self-Isolation) (England) (Amendment) (No. 4) Regulations 2021** Lord Kamall to move that the Regulations laid before the House on 29 November be approved. *22nd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Instrument not yet reported by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments*

Rating (Coronavirus) and Directors Disqualification (Dissolved Companies) Bill Report [Lord Greenhalgh]

Lord Watson of Invergowrie to move that this House regrets that the School Teachers’ Pay and Conditions (England) Order 2021 (SI 2021/1101) represents a real terms pay cut for the vast majority of teachers; further regrets that it has been made following a consultation process which took place over the summer holidays; notes that this created significant problems for consultation and planning for schools; and calls on Her Majesty’s Government to commit to holding future consultations on the pay and employment conditions of teachers who are employed in local authority-maintained schools in England during term-time. *15th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

National Insurance Contributions Bill Second Reading [Viscount Younger of Leckie]

If the bill is read a second time, Viscount Younger of Leckie to move that the bill be committed to a Grand Committee.

Future Business

Thursday 2 December 2021 at 11.00am

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Baroness Cumberlege** to ask Her Majesty’s Government when the process to appoint the Patient Safety Commissioner will commence; and when they expect the Commissioner to be in post.

***Baroness Sheehan** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what plans they have to align the remit of the Oil and Gas Authority from seeking the “maximum economic recovery” of North Sea oil and gas, to meeting the United Kingdom’s net-zero emissions commitments.

***Lord Dubs** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what steps they are taking to provide guidance to homeowners and landlords to ensure that homes are improved to the highest possible environmental standards.

†***The Lord Bishop of St Albans** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to support COVID-19 vaccination programmes in developing countries following the emergence of the Omicron variant.

†**Lord Bragg** to move that this House takes note of the BBC's value to the United Kingdom and a wider global audience and the case for Her Majesty's Government giving it greater support. (3 hours)

Lord Roberts of Llandudno to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of (1) poverty, and (2) hunger in Afghanistan; and what progress they have made with the Afghan citizens resettlement scheme. (*Topical Question for Short Debate, 1 hour*)

†**Lord Collins of Highbury** to move that this House takes note of the detention of Nazanin Zaghari-Ratcliffe and the case for further action by Her Majesty's Government to secure her release. (2 hours)

Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 1.00pm

Lord Mackay of Clashfern to ask Her Majesty's Government whether the liability costs to the National Health Service in England that relate to negligence can be reduced; and, if so, how. (*Balloted Question for Short Debate, 1 hour*)

Lord Sharkey to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to protect vulnerable people from financial fraud. (*Balloted Question for Short Debate, 1 hour*)

Lord Berkeley to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to address the concerns in the report by the National Infrastructure Commission, *The Second National Infrastructure Assessment: Baseline Report*, published in November. (*Balloted Question for Short Debate, 1 hour*)

Viscount Astor to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to amend the Copyright, Designs and Patents Act 1988 to include sporting events. (*Balloted Question for Short Debate, 1 hour*)

Friday 3 December 2021 at 10.00am

House of Lords (Hereditary Peers) (Abolition of By-Elections) Bill [HL] Second Reading [Lord Grocott]

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

Cigarette Stick Health Warnings Bill [HL] Second Reading [Lord Young of Cookham]

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

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

Monday 6 December 2021 at 2.30pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Baroness Donaghy** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to make misogyny a hate crime.

***Lord Foster of Bath** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the research by Dr Raffaello Rossi and Professor Agnes Nairn *What are the odds? The appeal of gambling adverts to children and young persons on Twitter*, published in October.

***Lord Alton of Liverpool** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the strategic importance to the United Kingdom of Newport Wafer Fab prior to its takeover by a Chinese-owned company.

***Lord Wallace of Saltaire** to ask Her Majesty's Government when they will publish an updated version of the Ministerial Code.

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

†**Companies (Strategic Report) (Climate-related Financial Disclosure) Regulations 2021** Lord Callanan to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 28 October be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 30 November. 19th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee.*

†**Regulatory Enforcement and Sanctions Act 2008 (Amendment to Schedule 3) (England) Order 2021** Lord Callanan to move that the draft Order laid before the House on 1 November be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 30 November. 19th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

†**Network and Information Systems (EU Exit) (Amendment) Regulations 2021** Lord Parkinson of Whitley Bay to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 26 October be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 30 November.*

†**Terrorism Prevention and Investigation Measures Act 2011 (Continuation) Order 2021** Baroness Williams of Trafford to move that the draft Order laid before the House on 2 November be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 30 November. 19th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee.*

†**Coronavirus Act 2020 (Early Expiry) (No. 2) Regulations 2021** Lord Kamall to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 27 October be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 30 November. 18th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee.*

†**Renewable Transport Fuel Obligations (Amendment) Order 2021** Baroness Vere of Norbiton to move that the draft Order laid before the House on 8 November be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 30 November. 21st Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee.*

†**Financial Services Act 2021 (Prudential Regulation of Credit Institutions and Investment Firms) (Consequential Amendments and Miscellaneous Provisions) Regulations 2021** Lord Agnew of Oulton to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 28 October be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 30 November.*

†**Public Service Pensions and Judicial Offices Bill [HL]** Third Reading [Viscount Younger of Leckie]

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

†**Earl Attlee** to move that a Humble Address be presented to Her Majesty praying that the Drivers' Hours and Tachographs (Temporary Exceptions) (No. 4) Regulations 2021 (SI 2021/1207), laid before the House on 29 October, be annulled because they fail to address the underlying cause of the shortage of HGV drivers. *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 18th Report. (Dinner break business)*

Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 3.45pm

†*The following three motions are expected to be debated together:*

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

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

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

Tuesday 7 December 2021 at 2.30pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Viscount Colville of Culross** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what plans they have to extend the powers of the Small Business Commissioner to deal with late payments for small businesses and freelancers by (1) allowing the Commissioner to deal with complaints against companies with fewer than 50 employees, and (2) requiring the chief executive officers and chairs of offending companies to respond to the Commissioner.

***Lord Black of Brentwood** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what steps they are taking to prevent the smuggling of kittens and puppies into the United Kingdom.

***Lord Ravensdale** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of (1) the contribution of the policies in the Heat and Buildings Strategy towards the United Kingdom’s (a) net zero emissions target, and (b) carbon budgets, and (2) the co-benefits of the transition to net zero.

†*Topical oral question. Ballot opens at 3pm on Wednesday 1 December, to be drawn at 1pm on Friday 3 December.*

†**Health and Care Bill** Second Reading [Lord Kamall]

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

Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 3.45pm

†**Customs Safety and Security Procedures (EU Exit) (No. 2) Regulations 2021** Consideration in Grand Committee [Viscount Younger of Leckie] *22nd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

†**Solvency 2 (Group Supervision) (Amendment) Regulations 2021** Consideration in Grand Committee [Viscount Younger of Leckie] *22nd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

†**Heavy Commercial Vehicles in Kent (No. 2) (Amendment) (No. 2) Order 2021** Consideration in Grand Committee [Baroness Vere of Norbiton]

Wednesday 8 December 2021 at 3.00pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Baroness Garden of Frognal** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what were the criteria for allocating money from the UK Community Renewal Fund; and what assessment they have made of the analysis by the Centre for Inequality and Levelling Up at the University of West London, published on 4 November, which found that 21 per cent of the funding went to areas in the bottom 20 per cent of the Index of Multiple Deprivation, and that two-thirds of the funding went to areas in the top half of that Index.

***Lord Selkirk of Douglas** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what progress they have made towards the creation of a permanent national memorial to those who lost their lives as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic.

***Lord Blunkett** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to amend the Children and Families Act 2014; and in particular, the eligibility requirements for obtaining an Education, Health and Care plan.

†*Topical oral question. Ballot opens at 3pm on Thursday 2 December; to be drawn at 1pm on Monday 6 December.*

†**Police, Crime, Sentencing and Courts Bill** Report [Baroness Williams of Trafford] *1st, 4th and 6th Reports from the Joint Committee on Human Rights, 6th Report from the Delegated Powers Committee, 7th Report from the Constitution Committee*

Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 4.15pm

The Senior Deputy Speaker to move that the Grand Committee takes note of the governance of the House of Lords.

Thursday 9 December 2021 at 11.00am

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Holmes of Richmond** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to review the operation of the Disabled Students' Allowance scheme to ensure it is working in a timely manner and in the best interests of those it is set up to support.

***Lord Hannay of Chiswick** to ask Her Majesty's Government what the United Kingdom's contribution to the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees (UNWRA) is in the current year and next year; and what steps they are taking to ensure that UNWRA does not run out of funds.

***Baroness Jones of Whitchurch** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ensure small family farms remain economically viable during the transition to the Future Farming Programme for England.

†*Topical oral question. Ballot opens at 3pm on Friday 3 December; to be drawn at 1pm on Tuesday 7 December.*

†**Baroness Fraser of Craigmaddie** to move that this House takes note of Scotland's contribution to economic recovery and renewal, and how this may support wellbeing and quality of life across the United Kingdom.

†**Lord Davies of Brixton** to ask Her Majesty's Government when they will announce the details of any further Extraordinary Funding and Financing Agreement for Transport for London for the period after 11 December. (*Topical Question for Short Debate, 1 hour*)

†**Lord Howell of Guildford** to move that this House takes note of the role of civil nuclear power in meeting the United Kingdom's electricity needs and energy security.

Friday 10 December 2021 at 10.00am

†**The Lord Archbishop of Canterbury** to move that this House takes note of contemporary challenges to freedom of speech, and the role of public, private and civil society sectors in upholding freedom of speech.

Monday 13 December 2021 at 2.30pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Baroness Boycott** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of (1) the sustainability, and (2) the impact on biodiversity, of the wood pellets used by Drax for electricity generation in the United Kingdom.

***Lord Robathan** to ask Her Majesty's Government how many training places for new doctors there were in medical schools and other institutions in (1) 2000–01, and (2) 2021–22; and what plans they have, if any, to increase the number of places for 2022–23.

***Lord Scriven** to ask Her Majesty's Government when the NHS app will include information about an individual's third vaccination against COVID-19; and what is the cost of redesigning the app to display this data.

***Lord Harries of Pentregarth** to ask Her Majesty's Government what progress they have made towards their commitments to providing (1) health services, (2) water and sanitation, and (3) access to justice, for marginalised communities in Nepal, including Dalits and Adivasis.

Tuesday 14 December 2021 at 2.30pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Baroness Mobarik** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to lower the tariffs on tuna imported from the Maldives.

***Baroness Sugg** to ask Her Majesty's Government how many of the 100 million COVID-19 vaccines they have committed to donate to the rest of the world have been distributed and where they have been sent.

***Baroness Morgan of Drefelin** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to ensure screening of the estimated 1.2 million women in England who missed breast screening during the COVID-19 pandemic; and what assessment they have made of the extent to which health disparities may have been exacerbated due to the reduction in screening attendance. [I]

Wednesday 15 December 2021 at 3.00pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Aberdare** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to support the implementation of Build UK's *Roadmap to Zero Retentions*, published in August, to eliminate cash retentions in the construction sector by 2025.

***Lord Storey** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the number of young people in alternative education.

***Baroness Anelay of St Johns** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on armed conflict worldwide; and the forced displacement of people fleeing such conflict.

Thursday 16 December 2021 at 11.00am

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Baroness Rawlings** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to include (1) first aid training, and (2) home nursing, as core parts of the school curriculum.

***Baroness Scott of Needham Market** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the answer by Lord Benyon on 27 May (HL Deb, col. 1097), when they will publish details of how new Environmental Land Management schemes will deliver the "very clear access commitment, backed by funding", to which the Minister referred.

***Lord Laming** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ensure that children and young people in care are placed in safe and appropriate accommodation.

Three oral questions to the Minister of State at the Cabinet Office (Lord Frost) (30 minutes). Ballot opens at 10am on Monday 6 December; to be drawn at 1pm on Monday 13 December.

†**Lord McConnell of Glenscorrodale** to move that this House takes note of the plans by Her Majesty's Government to announce a new international development strategy for the United Kingdom in 2022. *(Balloted debate)*

†*Topical question for short debate. Ballot opens at 10am on Monday 6 December; to be drawn at 12 noon on Tuesday 7 December.*

†**Lord Bourne of Aberystwyth** to move that this House takes note of the importance of the constitutional integrity of Bosnia-Herzegovina, and of upholding the Dayton Agreement. *(Balloted debate)* [1]

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 Lipsey 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

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

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

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

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

Lord Goldsmith to move that this House takes note of the Report from the International Agreements Committee *Working practices: one year on* (7th Report, HL Paper 75). 17 September

Baroness Taylor of Bolton to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Constitution Committee *COVID-19 and the use and scrutiny of emergency powers* (3rd Report, HL Paper 15). 10 June

Lord Patel to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Science and Technology Committee *Battery strategy goes flat: Net-zero target at risk* (1st Report, HL Paper 53). 27 July

Lord Clement-Jones to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Liaison Committee *AI in the UK: No Room for Complacency* (7th Report, Session 2019–21, HL Paper 196). 18 December 2020

Lord Lipsey to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Liaison Committee *The Politics of Polling: an update* (8th Report, Session 2019–21, HL Paper 197). 21 December 2020

Baroness Tyler of Enfield to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Liaison Committee *Tackling Financial Exclusion: A country that works for everyone?: Follow-up report* (10th Report, Session 2019–21, HL Paper 267). 24 April

Lord Gilbert of Panteg to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Communications and Digital Committee *Free for all? Freedom of expression in the digital age* (1st Report, HL Paper 54). 22 July

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 China's security and trade relationship: A strategic void* (1st Report, HL Paper 62). 10 September

†**Baroness Deech** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Liaison Committee *The Equality Act 2010: the impact on disabled people: Follow-up report* (2nd Report, HL Paper 60). 9 September

Motions Relating to Delegated Legislation

Earl Attlee to move that this House regrets that the Drivers' Hours and Tachographs (Temporary Exceptions) (No. 2) Regulations 2021 (SI 2021/921) fail to address the underlying cause of the shortage of HGV drivers. *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 12th Report*

Baroness Randerson to move that a Humble Address be presented to Her Majesty praying that the Drivers' Hours and Tachographs (Temporary Exceptions) (No. 2) Regulations 2021 (SI 2021/921), laid before the House on 6 August, be annulled because (1) they will not address the shortage in HGV drivers, and (2) longer hours could deter new entrants and have serious implications for standards of road safety. *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 12th Report*

Lord Paddick to move that this House regrets that the Town and Country Planning (Napier Barracks) Special Development Order 2021 (SI 2021/962) extends the planning permission for the Napier Barracks to continue to be used as asylum accommodation despite (1) a High Court judgment on 3 June, which found standards and operational systems at the barracks to be unlawful, (2) concerns being raised over the unsanitary and crowded conditions, and (3) reports of intimidation and mistreatment of residents; and that, despite the current expiration date on planning permission being known for 12 months, the Order was laid when the House was not sitting. *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 13th Report.*

Earl Attlee to move that a Humble Address be presented to Her Majesty praying that the Drivers' Hours and Tachographs (Temporary Exceptions) (No. 3) Regulations 2021 (SI 2021/1106), laid before the House on 30 September, be annulled because they fail to address the underlying cause of the shortage of HGV drivers.

Lord Storey to move that a Humble Address be presented to Her Majesty praying that the Universal Credit (Exceptions to the Requirement not to be receiving Education) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 (SI 2021/1224), laid before the House on 4 November, be annulled because (1) they will remove vital support for disabled young people, and (2) Her Majesty's Government have not sufficiently assessed the impact the regulations will have. *21st Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee.*

Lord Berkeley to move that this House regrets that the draft Electric Vehicles (Smart Charging Points) Regulations 2021 fail to include a requirement for all charging points to be fully interoperable. *18th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Baroness Noakes to move that this House declines to approve the draft Health and Social Care Act 2008 (Regulated Activities) (Amendment) (Coronavirus) (No. 2) Regulations 2021 until Her Majesty's Government have published a full impact assessment. *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 21st Report*

Baroness Meacher to move that a Humble Address be presented to Her Majesty praying that the Taking Control of Goods (Fees) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 (SI 2021/1288), laid before the House on 18 November, be annulled because they fail to deal with the injustice to debtors prior to the date on which the Regulations take effect.

Baroness Thornton to move that this House regrets that the draft Health and Social Care Act 2008 (Regulated Activities) (Amendment) (Coronavirus) (No. 2) Regulations 2021 do not explain how the legislation will operate, and that this will be deferred to future guidance; further regrets that a full impact assessment has not been published; notes with concern that the impact statement states the legislation poses a "significant workforce capacity risk" and that the Department for Health and Social Care "cannot be confident that the system, even with additional funding will be able to absorb the loss of capacity without further intervention"; notes that the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee has recommended that the debate on the instrument should be deferred until Her Majesty's Government provides a fuller and clearer statement of how the related Care Home Regulations have affected the care home workforce; and calls upon Her Majesty's Government to provide supporting evidence for permanently requiring frontline NHS staff to have received two doses of an approved COVID-19 vaccine as a condition of continued or further deployment. *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 21st Report*

Motions 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*

Baroness Hayter of Kentish Town to move that this House takes note of the Report from the International Agreements Committee *UK accession to the Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for Trans-Pacific Partnership (CPTPP): Scrutiny of the Government's Negotiating Objectives* (10th Report, HL Paper 94). *17 November*

Questions for Short Debate

These Questions for Short Debate were drawn in the ballot on 24 November 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.

Lord Redesdale to ask Her Majesty’s Government what plans they have to provide support to the British farming industry to combat (1) increased production costs resulting from the ongoing labour shortages, and (2) increased competition from the Australian and New Zealand markets.

Lord Tope to ask Her Majesty’s Government what action they are taking to improve road (1) safety, and (2) quality, in the West Midlands.

Lord Purvis of Tweed to ask Her Majesty’s Government what humanitarian assistance they are providing to the people of Afghanistan; and what steps they are taking to coordinate the resettlement scheme for displaced Afghans across departments.

Lord Hay of Ballyore to ask Her Majesty’s Government what plans they have, if any, to grant an automatic right to a British Passport to people born in the Republic of Ireland who have lived in Northern Ireland for 50 years or more.

Baroness Barker to ask Her Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of the current ambulance response times; and what action they are taking to reduce ambulance response times.

Lord German to ask Her Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of the impact that the United Kingdom–New Zealand free trade agreement will have on (1) UK economic growth, and (2) British business.

Lord Sikka to ask Her Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of the report by Her Majesty’s Revenue and Customs *Measuring tax gaps 2021 edition - tax gap estimates for 2019 to 2020*, published on 16 September.

Question for Short Debate ballot entries

The ballot for four Questions will be drawn on Wednesday 12 January for debate on Thursday 20 January. Time limit 1 hour.

†**Baroness Jones of Moulsecoomb** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what steps they have taken to ensure that (1) subsidies, and (2) licensing decisions, related to the oil and gas industry are not subject to undue influence from outside interests.

Questions for Written Answer

Tabled on 30 November and due for answer by 14 December.

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made, if any, of the partnership between the University of the West of England Bristol and the Chinese company NeuSoft, given the latter's work on a facial recognition surveillance system. HL4524

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of warnings by bandits to Nigerians to close their churches or risk attacks; whether they have raised this with the government of Nigeria; and if so, what response they received. HL4525

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they intend to recognise crimes committed against the Yazidis as genocide. HL4526

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the briefing by Mr Karim Asad Ahmad Khan QC, published on 10 May, setting out the United Nations Investigative Team to Promote Accountability Against Da'esh/ISIL Crimes' (UNITAD) (1) findings of "clear and convincing evidence that genocide was committed by ISIL against the Yazidi as a religious group", and (2) statement that "The intent of ISIL to destroy the Yazidi, physically and biologically, is manifest in its ultimatum – applied remorselessly to all members of their community – to convert or die"; and what assessment they have made of the letter sent by Mr Khan QC to the President of the Security Council on 3 May stating that UNITAD had identified 1,444 potential perpetrators of attacks against the Yazidi community. HL4527

Lord Berkeley to ask Her Majesty's Government what is the forecast of passenger demand growth used in the preparation of the Integrated Rail Plan for (1) local, and (2) long, distance services; and what account have they taken of the changes in demand caused by COVID-19. HL4528

Lord Berkeley to ask Her Majesty's Government what is the latest (1) capital cost, (2) revenue forecasts, and (3) Benefit-Cost Ratio, assumed in the continuing use of HS2 Phase 1 and 2A, (a) with, and (b) without, the inclusion of HS2 Phase 2B West. HL4529

Lord Berkeley to ask Her Majesty's Government what is the estimated cost of (1) electrification, and (2) other improvements, for projects included in the Integrated Rail Plan relating to the (a) Midland Main Line, and (b) TransPennine, line upgrades. HL4530

Lord Berkeley to ask Her Majesty's Government what is the (1) ownership, and (2) sponsoring, structure for the improvements outlined in the Integrated Rail Plan; and what is the involvement of (a) Network Rail, (b) HS2 Ltd, (c) The Northern Powerhouse, and (d) Transport for the North; and what consultation they intend to undertake on the Plan. HL4531

Lord Berkeley to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they will place in the Library of the House a comparison of journey times for travel between Liverpool, Manchester, Leeds, York and Hull, using the options included in the Integrated Rail Plan. HL4532

Lord Berkeley to ask Her Majesty's Government which parts of HS2 Phase 2B have been cancelled. HL4533

Lord Bourne of Aberystwyth to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the (1) direct, and (2) indirect, costs of imprisonment; what alternatives, if any, they are considering; and what steps are they taking, if any, to promote these alternatives. HL4534

Lord Bourne of Aberystwyth to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to promote good practice in combating climate change to (1) listed, and (2) unlisted, companies. HL4535

Lord Bourne of Aberystwyth to ask Her Majesty's Government how many households are yet to receive smart meters; and when they anticipate the smart meter roll out will be completed. HL4536

Lord Coaker to ask Her Majesty's Government how many UK armed forces personnel are currently deployed in the UK to deal with the supply chain issues. HL4537

Lord Coaker to ask Her Majesty's Government how many UK armed forces personnel are currently deployed in the UK; and of these, to which local authorities they are deployed. HL4538

Lord Coaker to ask Her Majesty's Government how many NHS trusts have requested support from the UK armed forces in every month of 2021 so far; which NHS trusts made such requests; and of those that made such requests, which ones were (1) successful, and (2) rejected. HL4539

Lord Coaker to ask Her Majesty's Government which (1) NHS trusts, and (2) ambulance trusts, currently have UK armed forces deployed to them; and how many personnel are deployed to each trust. HL4540

Baroness Cox to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the meeting between Prime Minister Pashinyan, President Aliyev, and President Putin on 26 November, what further representations they plan to make to the government of Azerbaijan on the issue of releasing Armenian (1) hostages, and (2) prisoners of war. HL4541

Baroness Cox to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the *Joint Statement on increasing violence in Myanmar*, published on 26 November, what assessment they have made of whether the government of Australia is upholding its commitment "to suspend all operational support to the military"; and what representations they intend to make on that matter. HL4542

Baroness Cox to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the *Joint Statement on increasing violence in Myanmar*, published on 26 November, what steps they have taken to hold the statement's signatories accountable for investments in companies that continue to arm the Myanmar military. HL4543

Baroness Cox to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of whether British Muslim women have the rights set out in paragraph nine of Resolution 2253 of the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe, published on 22 January 2019, specifically in relation (1) to obtaining the protection of legal marriage, and (2) to discriminatory practices in relation to religious divorce. HL4544

The Lord Bishop of Durham to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the droughts in Lesotho; and what steps will they take to ensure that those living there have enough water to maintain hydroelectric power. HL4545

The Lord Bishop of Durham to ask Her Majesty's Government, following the announcement made by the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees on 27 October that 60,000 refugees are voluntarily returning home to Burundi this year, what steps they will take to support (1) the UN, and (2) the refugees' return, and (3) integration in that country. HL4546

The Lord Bishop of Durham to ask Her Majesty's Government how many students with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities have been informally excluded in the last academic year. HL4547

The Lord Bishop of Durham to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the report by the National Autistic Society *School Report 2021*, published on 9 November; in particular, the findings about informal exclusions; and what steps they intend to take in response to ensure that schools do not practice such exclusions. HL4548

Lord Hodgson of Astley Abbotts to ask Her Majesty's Government when they plan to update the Life in the UK test; and when the test was last updated. HL4549

Lord Hodgson of Astley Abbotts to ask Her Majesty's Government which ministers sit on the Safe and Integrated Communities Inter-Ministerial Group; and how many times has the Group met in the last 12 months. HL4550

Lord Hodgson of Astley Abbotts to ask Her Majesty's Government which minister has cross-government responsibility for co-ordinating all matters relating to (1) citizenship, and (2) civic engagement. HL4551

Baroness Hoey to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Baroness Randerson on 10 July 2014 (HL394), what was the outcome of the Northern Ireland Office's investigation on the use of the Royal Prerogative of Mercy between 1987 and 1997. HL4552

Baroness Hoey to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Lord Caine on 23 November (HL3800), how many internment-related civil claims for compensation for unlawful detention have been received by the Northern Ireland Office arising from the Supreme Court judgement of 13 May 2020 in the case of *R vs Adams (Appellant) (Northern Ireland)*; and who signed the 1973 interim custody order. HL4553

Baroness Janke to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the Haaretz article *What the Israeli Army Does to Soldiers Who Shoot Palestinians*, published on 18 November, which states that 18 unarmed Palestinians have been killed or seriously injured by fire from Israeli forces without proper investigation or accountability. HL4554

Baroness Janke to ask Her Majesty's Government what representations they plan to make to the government of Israel regarding Israeli forces firing on fishermen in Gaza while they fish in their designated area. HL4555

Baroness Janke to ask Her Majesty's Government what representations they plan to make to the government of Israel regarding house demolitions and confiscations by Israeli forces in the West Bank on 23 November. HL4556

Baroness Janke to ask Her Majesty's Government what representations they plan to make to the government of Israel regarding the (1) arrest, and (2) beating, of two Palestinians who had complained of settler violence against them, as reported by the Israeli Information Center for Human Rights in the Occupied Territories on 25 November. HL4557

Lord Jones of Cheltenham to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact on (1) the operational costs of HS2, and (2) ticket prices, as a result of the recent increase in energy prices. HL4558

Lord Jones of Cheltenham to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to liaise with (1) charities, and (2) local organisations, in order to speed up the delivery of COVID-19 vaccines to frontline countries in Africa. HL4559 [I]

Lord Jones of Cheltenham to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the reported remarks of the co-chair of the African Union Vaccine Delivery Alliance regarding distribution of COVID-19 vaccines to Africa; and what steps will they take to reduce the likelihood of further mutations of the virus due to a lack of vaccine availability. HL4560 [I]

Lord Kennedy of Southwark to ask Her Majesty's Government who is responsible for monitoring the provision of community pharmacy contractual services in England. HL4561

Lord Kennedy of Southwark to ask Her Majesty's Government which pharmacies in England reported that they were closed for (1) all, or (2) part, of their contracted opening hours on dates between 1 January to 31 October; and what steps they have taken to safeguard patient access to pharmacy services during any closure periods. HL4562

Lord Mendelsohn to ask Her Majesty's Government how many patients in the last year have (1) been taken off therapy, (2) had to change immunoglobulin product, (3) been advised of treatment holidays, or (4) received reduced doses, because of a shortage of immunoglobulin. HL4563

Lord Mendelsohn to ask Her Majesty's Government how the NHS is monitoring (1) the health of patients who (a) have been denied access to immunoglobulin therapy or (b) are on sub-optimal care in relation to immunoglobulin therapy, and (2) the additional cost of patients (a) not having immunoglobulin treatment or (b) being on sub-optimal treatment. HL4564

Lord Mendelsohn to ask Her Majesty's Government how many newly-diagnosed patients with (1) primary or (2) secondary immunodeficiency in the UK, who fit the eligibility criteria for immunoglobulin use, have been refused access to immunoglobulin this year. HL4565

Lord Mendelsohn to ask Her Majesty's Government how many multi-parametric magnetic resonance imaging scans are in use in each Cancer Alliance. HL4566

Lord Mendelsohn to ask Her Majesty's Government how much the NHS has invested in multi-parametric magnetic resonance imaging scanners in the last three years. HL4567

Lord Mendelsohn to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of how the number of multi-parametric magnetic resonance imaging scanners per capita in England compares to (1) France, (2) Germany, and (3) Spain. HL4568

Lord Naseby to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to set a maximum retail price for PCR COVID-19 tests, in addition to the standards for such tests. HL4569

Lord Naseby to ask Her Majesty's Government why all new starters to the NHS do not have to meet the same vaccination conditions as in the social care sector. HL4570

Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick to ask Her Majesty's Government what recent steps they have taken to help reduce economic inequality. HL4571

Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they will take, if any, in response to the publication of the Pandora Papers to tackle (1) tax avoidance, (2) money laundering, and (3) other financial crimes. HL4572

Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick to ask Her Majesty's Government what recent assessment they have made of the effects of inflation on living standards. HL4573

Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ensure value for money in public spending. HL4574

Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick to ask Her Majesty's Government what recent steps they have taken, together with Her Majesty's Revenue and Customs, to help prevent disruption at UK ports during the Christmas 2021 period. HL4575

Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick to ask Her Majesty's Government what discussions they have held at Cabinet level about the adequacy of emergency funding available to support communities affected by flooding. HL4576

Lord Rogan to ask Her Majesty's Government what consultations they have (1) held, or (2) planned, with (a) Northern Ireland business representatives, (b) Northern Ireland consumer groups, and (c) Northern Ireland political parties, about extending alcohol duties reforms due to apply in Great Britain from 2023 to the whole of the United Kingdom. HL4577

The Lord Bishop of St Albans to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they (1) audit, and (2) monitor, the commercial UK real estate holdings of companies directly associated with regimes with poor human rights records. HL4578

The Lord Bishop of St Albans to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to monitor fiat currency to cryptocurrency (1) deposits, and (2) withdrawals, to prevent cryptocurrencies from being used to (a) launder money, and (b) hide transactions in illicit markets. HL4579

The Lord Bishop of St Albans to ask Her Majesty's Government what discussions they have had, if any, with the Crown Estate regarding its purchase of a property from a company linked to President Aliyev of Azerbaijan. HL4580

Baroness Sheehan to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the data published by the United Nations Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs showing that in the first nine months of 2021 compared to the equivalent period in 2020 (1) 21 per cent more structures were demolished or seized by the Israeli authorities, and (2) 28 per cent more people were displaced, in the West Bank; and what assessment they have made of the EU's call for Israel to halt the demolition of Palestinian homes in occupied territory. HL4581

Baroness Sheehan to ask Her Majesty's Government what representations they intend to make to the government of Israel concerning the use of (1) rubber bullets, and (2) tear gas, against Palestinian protestors. HL4582

Baroness Sherlock to ask Her Majesty's Government what support is available to British residents returning to the UK who face a requirement which had not been in place when they left the UK to quarantine in a hotel on public health grounds but who lack the financial resources to pay for the hotel. HL4583

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to expand the British National (Overseas) (BNO) visa scheme to people from Hong Kong who (1) are aged between 18 and 25, and (2) have a parent with BNO status. HL4584

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to require employers to spend two-thirds of the funding for apprenticeships on under-25 year olds starting their careers. HL4585

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to ensure that there is single sex housing for uncoupled women at all points during the asylum process. HL4586

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to provide additional specialised support to (1) contractors, and (2) self-employed taxpayers, who are facing large tax liabilities. HL4587

Lord Tunncliffe to ask Her Majesty's Government how much the Ministry of Defence has paid in mental health compensation to (1) armed forces personnel, and (2) veterans, in each year from 2015 to 2021. HL4588

Lord Tunncliffe to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to remarks made by Baroness Goldie on 23 November (HL Deb, col 798), how many complaints of (1) bullying, (2) sexism, (3) sexual assault, (4) physical abuse, and (5) emotional abuse, have been made to the Diversity and Inclusion Directorate since it was formed in April; and how many of these complaints have resulted in (a) an inquiry being launched, and (b) a conviction. HL4589

Lord Tunncliffe to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to remarks made by Baroness Goldie on 23 November (HL Deb, col 798), how many calls have been made to the Diversity and Inclusion Directorate's bullying, harassment and discrimination helpline since its establishment in April. HL4590

Lord West of Spithead to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to appoint someone to report directly to the National Security Advisor (1) on military co-operation with Australia and America, and (2) to help Australia develop SSN submarines. HL4591

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.

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HL3216 Lord Storey [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL3273 Lord Bourne of Aberystwyth [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL3381 Lord Hunt of Kings Heath [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL3383 Lord Hunt of Kings Heath [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL3496 Baroness Masham of Ilton [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL3500 Lord Mendelsohn [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL3668 Lord Bourne of Aberystwyth [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL3721 Lord Bourne of Aberystwyth [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL3773 The Earl of Clancarty [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL3857 Lord Bourne of Aberystwyth [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL3855 Lord Birt [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL3896 Baroness Merron [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL3911 Baroness Stuart of Edgbaston [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL3955 Lord Pendry [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL4003 Lord Hunt of Kings Heath [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL3990 Baroness Eaton [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL3991 Baroness Eaton [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL4044 Lord Scriven [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL4050 Viscount Stansgate [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL3993 Lord Farmer [Department for Education]

HL4008 Lord Hylton [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL4035 Lord Rooker [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL4036 Lord Rooker [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL4025 Lord Mendelsohn [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL4027 Lord Mendelsohn [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL4107 Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick [Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy]

HL4065 Lord Blunkett [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL4081 Lord Framlingham [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL4092 Lord Mendelsohn [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL4093 Lord Mendelsohn [Department of Health and Social Care]

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HL4097 Lord Mendelsohn [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL4062 Baroness Blackstone [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL4063 Baroness Blackstone [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL4064 Baroness Blackstone [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL4059 Lord Alton of Liverpool [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL4098 Lord Naseby [Department of Health and Social Care]

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Bills in Progress

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House of Lords (Hereditary Peers) (Abolition of By-Elections) Bill [HL] (<i>Queen's consent to be signified</i>)	Private Member's	3 December
Sewage (Inland Waters) 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	3 December
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	
House of Lords (Peerage Nominations) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Divorce (Financial Provision) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Minimum Energy Performance of Buildings Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
National Insurance Contributions Bill	Government	1 December
Construction (Retentions Abolition) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Health and Care Bill (<i>Northern Irish Legislative Consent Motion passed</i>)	Government	7 December
Public Authority Algorithm Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Modern Slavery (Victim Support) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Committed to an Unopposed Bill Committee		
Monken Hadley Common Bill	Private	
Committed to a Grand Committee		
Northern Ireland (Ministers, Elections and Petitions of Concern) Bill	Government	
Committed to a Committee of the Whole House		
Office of the Whistleblower Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Higher Education Cheating Services Prohibition Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Elderly Social Care (Insurance) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Organ Tourism and Cadavers on Display Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Education (Environment and Sustainable Citizenship) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	3 December
Refugees (Family Reunion) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Assisted Dying Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
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Dissolution and Calling of Parliament Bill (<i>Queen's consent to be signified</i>)	Government	
Waiting for Report		
Animal Welfare (Sentience) Bill [HL]	Government	6 December
Rating (Coronavirus) and Directors Disqualification (Dissolved Companies) Bill (<i>Northern Irish and Welsh Legislative Consent Motions passed</i>)	Government	1 December
Charities Bill [HL] (<i>Law Commission Bill</i>)	Government	
Advanced Research and Invention Agency Bill	Government	
Police, Crime, Sentencing and Courts Bill (<i>Northern Irish and Scottish Legislative Consent Motions passed</i>)	Government	8 December
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Wellbeing of Future Generations Bill [HL] (<i>Queen's consent to be signified</i>)	Private Member's	
Status of Workers Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Education (Assemblies) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Public Service Pensions and Judicial Offices Bill [HL] (<i>Northern Irish Legislative Consent Motion passed</i>)	Government	6 December
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Leasehold Reform (Ground Rent) Bill [HL]	Government	
Skills and Post-16 Education Bill [HL]	Government	
Professional Qualifications Bill [HL] (<i>Welsh Legislative Consent Motion refused</i>)	Government	
Dormant Assets Bill [HL]	Government	
Returned to the Commons amended		
Armed Forces Bill (<i>Welsh Legislative Consent Motion passed</i>)	Government	
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Highgate Cemetery Bill [HL]	Private	
Waiting for Royal Assent		
Critical Benchmarks (References and Administrators' Liability) Bill [HL]	Government	

Statutory Instruments in Progress

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

Draft Civil Jurisdiction and Judgments (2005 Hague Convention and 2007 Hague Convention) (Amendment) Regulations 2022

Draft Civil Partnership (Scotland) Act 2020 and Marriage and Civil Partnership (Scotland) Act 2014 (Consequential Modifications) Order 2022

Draft Flags (Northern Ireland) (Amendment) Regulations 2021

Draft Motor Vehicles (Driving Licences) (Amendment) (No. 5) Regulations 2021

Draft Wine (Amendment) Regulations 2021

Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (Self-Isolation) (England) (Amendment) (No. 4) Regulations 2021 *22nd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Approval period ends 13 January 2022. (1 December)*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, Wearing of Face Coverings) (England) Regulations 2021 *22nd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Approval period ends 13 January 2022. (1 December)*

Draft Motor Vehicles (Driving Licences) (Amendment) Regulations 2022

Draft Small Business, Enterprise and Employment Act 2015 and Pubs Code etc. (Amendment) Regulations 2021

Affirmative Instruments waiting for Affirmative Resolution

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

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 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 Internal Market Information System Regulation (Amendment etc.) Regulations 2021

Republic of Belarus (Sanctions) (EU Exit) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 *12th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments, 12th Report.*

Draft Network and Information Systems (EU Exit) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 *(6 December)*

Draft Coronavirus Act 2020 (Early Expiry) (No. 2) Regulations 2021 *18th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (6 December)*

Draft Electric Vehicles (Smart Charge Points) Regulations 2021 *18th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft Financial Services Act 2021 (Prudential Regulation of Credit Institutions and Investment Firms) (Consequential Amendments and Miscellaneous Provisions) Regulations 2021 *(6 December)*

Draft Companies (Strategic Report) (Climate-related Financial Disclosure) Regulations 2021 *19th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (6 December)*

Draft Regulatory Enforcement and Sanctions Act 2008 (Amendment to Schedule 3) (England) Order 2021 *19th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (6 December)*

Draft International Organization for Marine Aids to Navigation (Legal Capacities) Order 2022

Draft Terrorism Prevention and Investigation Measures Act 2011 (Continuation) Order 2021 *19th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (6 December)*

Draft Merchant Shipping (Control and Management of Ships' Ballast Water and Sediments) Order 2022

Draft Renewable Transport Fuel Obligations (Amendment) Order 2021 *21st Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (6 December)*

Draft Consumer Scotland Act 2020 (Consequential Provisions and Modifications) Order 2022

Draft Health and Social Care Act 2008 (Regulated Activities) (Amendment) (Coronavirus) (No. 2) Regulations 2021 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 21st Report.*

Heavy Commercial Vehicles in Kent (No. 2) (Amendment) (No. 2) Order 2021

Draft Customs Safety and Security Procedures (EU Exit) (No. 2) Regulations 2021 *22nd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft Solvency 2 (Group Supervision) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 *22nd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft Air Traffic Management and Unmanned Aircraft Act 2021 (Airspace Change Directions) (Determination of Turnover for Penalties) Regulations 2022

Draft Transport Act 2000 (Air Traffic Services Licence Modification Appeals) (Prescribed Aerodromes) Regulations 2022

Negative Instruments

Drivers' Hours and Tachographs (Temporary Exceptions) (No. 2) Regulations 2021 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 12th Report. Praying time expired 31 October*

Town and Country Planning (Napier Barracks) Special Development Order 2021 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 13th Report. Praying time expired 1 November.*

Drivers' Hours and Tachographs (Temporary Exceptions) (No. 3) Regulations 2021 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 15th Report. Praying time expired 19 November.*

School Teachers' Pay and Conditions (England) Order 2021 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 15th Report. Praying time expired 19 November. (1 December)*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, International Travel and Operator Liability) (England) (Amendment) (No. 17) Regulations 2021 *17th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 7 December.*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, International Travel and Operator Liability) (England) (Amendment) (No. 17) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 *17th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 8 December.*

Goods Vehicles (Licensing of Operators) (Temporary Use in Great Britain) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 18th Report. Praying time ends 5 December.*

Drivers' Hours and Tachographs (Temporary Exceptions) (No. 4) Regulations 2021 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 18th Report. Praying time ends 7 December.*

Universal Credit (Exceptions to the Requirement not to be receiving Education) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 *21st Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 13 December.*

Occupational and Personal Pension Schemes (Conditions for Transfers) Regulations 2021 *21st Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 4 January.*

Football Spectators (Seating) Order 2021 *21st Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 4 January.*

Taking Control of Goods (Fees) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 *Praying time ends 9 December.*

Private Storage Aid for Pigeon (England) Regulations 2021 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 22nd Report. Praying time ends 11 January.*

National Security and Investment Act 2021 (Procedure for Service) Regulations 2021 *22nd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 11 January.*

National Security and Investment Act 2021 (Prescribed Form and Content of Notices and Validation Applications) Regulations 2021 *22nd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 12 January.*

Products Containing Meat etc. (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 *22nd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 12 January.*

Product Safety and Metrology etc. (Amendment) Regulations 2021 *22nd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 13 January.*

Universal Credit (Work Allowance and Taper) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 *22nd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 14 January.*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, International Travel and Operator Liability) (England) (Amendment) (No. 18) Regulations 2021 *22nd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 15 January.*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, International Travel and Operator Liability) (England) (Amendment) (No. 19) Regulations 2021 *22nd Report from the Secondary Legislation Committee. Praying time ends 25 January.*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, International Travel and Operator Liability) (England) (Amendment) (No. 20) Regulations 2021 *22nd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 25 January.*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, International Travel and Operator Liability) (England) (Amendment) (No. 21) Regulations 2021 *22nd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 26 January.*

Treaties before the House

International Convention for the Control and Management of Ships' Ballast Water and Sediments, 2004 (as amended) *Scrutiny period expires: 13 December*

International Labour Organisation: Violence and Harassment Convention, 2019 (No.190), done at Geneva on 21 June 2019 *Scrutiny period expires: 6 December*

Framework Agreement between the United Kingdom and Ukraine on Official Credit Support for the Development of the Capabilities of the Ukrainian Navy *Scrutiny period expires: 10 January*

Agreement between the United Kingdom and the Republic of Kenya on Defence Cooperation *Scrutiny period expires: 17 January*

Agreement between the United Kingdom, Australia and the United States of America for the Exchange of Naval Nuclear Propulsion Information *Scrutiny period expires: 18 January*

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

Wednesday 1 December

Delegated Powers and Regulatory Reform Committee	Virtual meeting	10.00am
Constitution Committee	Room 4	10.40am
Human Rights (Joint Committee)	Room 16	2.40pm
Protocol on Ireland/Northern Ireland Sub-Committee	Virtual meeting (webcast)	3.00pm
Public Services Committee		3.00pm
Statutory Instruments (Joint Committee)	Virtual meeting	3.40pm
International Agreements Committee	Room 3-20, Millbank House	4.00pm

Thursday 2 December

Draft Online Safety Bill (Joint Committee)	Room 6	9.30am
International Relations and Defence Committee	International Maritime Organization	2.20pm
Communications and Digital Committee	Room G-32, Millbank House	3.00pm

Monday 6 December

Finance Bill Sub-Committee		3.30pm
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Tuesday 7 December

Built Environment Committee		9.45am
Science and Technology Committee	Virtual meeting	10.00am
Finance Committee	Committee Room G	3.15pm
Common Frameworks Scrutiny Committee	Virtual meeting (webcast)	3.30pm
Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee	Room 3A	3.45pm

Wednesday 8 December

Conduct Committee	Committee Room G	2.30pm
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Monday 13 December

National Security Strategy (Joint Committee)	Room 4A	4.00pm
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Tuesday 14 December

House of Lords Commission	The Moses Room	11.30am
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Wednesday 19 January

Lord Speaker's Advisory Panel on Works of Art		10.00am
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Wednesday 26 January

Parliamentary Works Estimates Commission	Physical meeting	2.00pm
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Minutes of Proceedings of Tuesday 30 November 2021

The House met at 2.30pm.

Prayers were read by the Lord Bishop of Lincoln.

Select Committee Reports

1 Secondary Legislation Scrutiny

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

Drawn to the special attention of the House:

Private Storage Aid for Pigmeat (England) Regulations 2021

Includes information paragraphs on:

8 instruments relating to COVID-19

Solvency 2 (Group Supervision) (Amendment) Regulations 2021

National Security and Investment Act 2021 (Procedure for Service) Regulations 2021 and one related instrument

Products Containing Meat etc. (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2021

Universal Credit (Work Allowance and Taper) (Amendment) Regulations 2021. (22nd Report, HL Paper 116)

2 COVID-19

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

Living in a COVID World: A Long-term Approach to Resilience and Wellbeing. (3rd Report, HL Paper 117)

Public Business

3 Outsourcing: DWP telephoning services A question was asked by Baroness Blower and answered by Baroness Scott of Bybrook.

4 Domestic abuse: older people A question was asked by Baroness Gale and answered by Baroness Williams of Trafford.

5 Shipbuilding: use of British steel for Royal Navy A question was asked by Lord West of Spithead and answered by Viscount Younger of Leckie.

6 Qatar: football World Cup 2022 A question was asked by Lord Collins of Highbury and answered by Lord Sharpe of Epsom.

7 Police, Crime, Sentencing and Courts Bill Baroness Williams of Trafford moved that the amendments for the Report stage be marshalled and considered in the following order:

Clauses 1 to 10

Schedule 1

Clause 11

Schedule 2

Clauses 12 to 43

Schedule 3

Clauses 63 to 68

Schedule 7

Clauses 69 to 75

Schedule 8

Clause 76

Schedule 9

Clauses 77 to 99

Schedule 10

Clauses 100 to 102

Schedule 11

Clauses 103 to 129

Schedule 12

Clause 130

Schedule 13

Clause 131

Schedule 14

Clauses 132 to 136

Schedule 15

Clause 137	Schedule 4
Schedule 16	Clauses 45 to 48
Clauses 138 to 158	Schedule 5
Schedule 17	Clauses 49 to 52
Clauses 159 to 163	Schedule 6
Schedule 18	Clauses 53 to 62
Clauses 164 to 170	Clauses 173 and 174
Schedule 19	Schedule 20
Clauses 171 and 172	Clauses 175 to 179
Clause 44	Title.

The motion was agreed to.

8 Antique Firearms (Amendment) Regulations 2021 Baroness Williams of Trafford moved that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 14 September be approved. The motion was agreed to.

9 Age of Criminal Responsibility (Scotland) Act 2019 (Consequential Provisions and Modifications) Order 2021 Viscount Younger of Leckie moved that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 18 October be approved. The motion was agreed to.

10 Eggs (England) Regulations 2021 Lord Benyon moved that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 19 October be approved. The motion was agreed to.

11 Dissolution and Calling of Parliament Bill Lord True moved that the bill be now read a second time. After debate, the motion was agreed to and the bill was committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

The House adjourned at 7.30pm until Wednesday 1 December at 3.00pm.

Simon Burton
Clerk of the Parliaments

Grand Committee Business

The Grand Committee met in Moses Room at 3.45pm.

Financial Services Act 2021 (Prudential Regulation of Credit Institutions and Investment Firms) (Consequential Amendments and Miscellaneous Provisions) Regulations 2021 Lord Agnew of Oulton moved that the Grand Committee do consider the draft Financial Services Act 2021 (Prudential Regulation of Credit Institutions and Investment Firms) (Consequential Amendments and Miscellaneous Provisions) Regulations 2021. After debate, the motion was agreed to.

Terrorism Prevention and Investigation Measures Act 2011 (Continuation) Order 2021 Baroness Williams of Trafford moved that the Grand Committee do consider the draft Terrorism Prevention and Investigation Measures Act 2011 (Continuation) Order 2021. After debate, the motion was agreed to.

Coronavirus Act 2020 (Early Expiry) (No. 2) Regulations 2021 Lord Kamall moved that the Grand Committee do consider the draft Coronavirus Act 2020 (Early Expiry) (No. 2) Regulations 2021. After debate, the motion was agreed to.

Companies (Strategic Report) (Climate-related Financial Disclosure) Regulations 2021 Lord Callanan moved that the Grand Committee do consider the draft Companies (Strategic Report) (Climate-related Financial Disclosure) Regulations 2021. After debate, the motion was agreed to.

Regulatory Enforcement and Sanctions Act 2008 (Amendment to Schedule 3) (England) Order 2021 Lord Callanan moved that the Grand Committee do consider the draft Regulatory Enforcement and Sanctions Act 2008 (Amendment to Schedule 3) (England) Order 2021. The motion was agreed to.

Electric Vehicles (Smart Charge Points) Regulations 2021 Baroness Vere of Norbiton moved that the Grand Committee do consider the draft Electric Vehicles (Smart Charge Points) Regulations 2021. After debate, the motion was agreed to.

Renewable Transport Fuel Obligations (Amendment) Order 2021 Baroness Vere of Norbiton moved that the Grand Committee do consider the draft Renewable Transport Fuel Obligations (Amendment) Order 2021. After debate, the motion was agreed to.

Network and Information Systems (EU Exit) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 Lord Parkinson of Whitley Bay moved that the Grand Committee do consider the draft Network and Information Systems (EU Exit) (Amendment) Regulations 2021. The motion was agreed to.

The Committee adjourned at 7.37pm.

Papers

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

Command Papers

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

1. Finance—Tax administration and maintenance: Autumn 2021. (577)
2. Contingent Liability—Minute from the Department of Health and Social Care concerning a contingent liability relating to the COVID-19 Booster Vaccination Programme. (—)

Affirmative Instrument

The following instrument was laid before the House for approval by resolution:

1. Draft Small Business, Enterprise and Employment Act 2015 and Pubs Code etc. (Amendment) Regulations 2021

Negative Instruments

The following instruments were laid before the House:

1. State Pension Debits and Credits (Revaluation) Order 2021 (1319)
2. State Pension Revaluation for Transitional Pensions Order 2021 (1320)
3. National Health Service (Charges, Primary Medical Services and Pharmaceutical and Local Pharmaceutical Services) (Coronavirus) (Further Amendments) Regulations 2021 (1346)

Papers not subject to Parliamentary Proceedings

The following papers were laid before the House:

1. Commissioners of HM Revenue and Customs in Account with the Government of the Isle of Man 2020–21
2. Report and Accounts of Historic England 2020–21
3. Report and Accounts of Salford Royal NHS Foundation Trust 2020–21
4. Report and Accounts of the Agriculture and Horticulture Development Board 2020–21

