

Thursday 24 February 2022 at 11.00am**Royal Assent***Oral questions (40 minutes)*

***Lord Balfé** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking, if any, (1) to encourage Ukraine to apply for membership of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO), and (2) to build support among other members of NATO for any such application.

***The Lord Bishop of Coventry** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the acceptance of T Levels by Higher Education institutions for candidates for admission to universities via the Universities and Colleges Admissions Service (UCAS) in the current application cycle.

***Baroness Boycott** to ask Her Majesty's Government when they will publish their response to the National Food Strategy.

***Lord Lexden** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the progress of the National Tutoring Programme.

Nationality and Borders Bill Baroness Williams of Trafford to move that the amendments for the Report stage be marshalled and considered in the following order:

Clauses 1 to 8	Clause 42
Schedule 1	Schedule 5
Clauses 9 to 22	Clauses 43 and 44
Schedule 2	Schedule 6
Clauses 23 to 28	Clauses 45 and 46
Schedule 3	Schedule 7
Clauses 29 to 41	Clauses 47 to 84
Schedule 4	Title.

Dissolution and Calling of Parliament Bill Third Reading [Lord True]

Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 Lord Ahmad of Wimbledon to move that the Regulations laid before the House on 10 February be approved. *30th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

†**Lord Foulkes of Cumnock** to move, as an amendment to the above motion, at the end insert "but that this House (1) regrets that the sanctions are inadequate, and (2) calls on Her Majesty's Government to lay more powerful and effective sanctions before both Houses."

Judicial Review and Courts Bill Committee (day 2) [Lord Wolfson of Tredegar] *20th Report from the Delegated Powers Committee, 12th Report from the Constitution Committee, 10th Report from the Joint Committee on Human Rights*

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



Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 1.00pm

Building Safety Bill Committee (day 2) [Lord Greenhalgh] *20th Report from the Delegated Powers Committee*

Future Business

Friday 25 February 2022 at 10.00am

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).

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).

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).

Monday 28 February 2022 at 2.30pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Baroness Chakrabarti** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what regular conversations they have with the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR); and how this relationship informs (1) their policy on the interpretation of the Refugee Convention, (2) day to day operational policy for the protection of refugees and asylum seekers, and (3) their legislation.

***Lord Young of Cookham** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of the use of crypto currencies in the United Kingdom.

***Lord Brooke of Alverthorpe** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what plans they have to assess (1) the impact on public health of advertising in the media, and (2) whether the tax system regarding such advertisements could be restructured to improve both physical and mental health outcomes.

***Baroness Sugg** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what plans they have to make investment in sexual and reproductive health and rights a priority in their International Development Strategy.

Nationality and Borders Bill Report [Baroness Williams of Trafford]

It is expected that the Grand Committee on the Building Safety Bill will continue at 3.45pm in the Moses Room.

Tuesday 1 March 2022 at 2.30pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what progress they have made adapting the United Kingdom to climate change risks since the Climate Change Committee’s *Independent Assessment of UK Climate Risk*, published in June 2021.

***Lord Bird** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what steps they will take to ensure there is transparency about the lobbying of ministers.

***Baroness Parminter** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the report of the Parliamentary and Health Service Ombudsman *Ignoring the alarms: How NHS eating disorder services are failing patients*, published on 6 December 2017, what steps they are taking to ensure that eating disorders are taught appropriately in medical schools.

Topical oral question. Ballot to be drawn at 1pm on Friday 25 February.

Health and Care Bill Report [Lord Kamall]

Lord Foster of Bath to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the link between gambling advertising and gambling-related harm. (*Dinner break business, 1 hour*)

Wednesday 2 March 2022 at 3.00pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Black of Brentwood** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to support music education in state schools. [1]

***Lord Haskel** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to regulate and supervise the use of cryptocurrencies.

***Baroness Bennett of Manor Castle** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the level of demand for investments that are advertised as meeting Environmental, Social, and Governance (ESG) criteria; and what steps they are taking, if any, to ensure that such investments are in line with (1) the United Nation's Sustainable Development Goals, and (2) the Paris Agreement on climate change.

Topical oral question. Ballot opens at 3pm on Thursday 24 February, to be drawn at 1pm on Monday 28 February.

Coroners (Determination of Suicide) Bill [HL] Committee [The Lord Bishop of St Albans]

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

†**Onshore Wind Bill [HL]** Committee [Baroness Hayman]

It is expected that the report stage of the Nationality and Borders Bill will continue.

It is expected that the Grand Committee on the Building Safety Bill will continue at 4.15pm in the Moses Room, and that it will conclude.

Thursday 3 March 2022 at 11.00am

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Baroness Sheehan** to ask Her Majesty's Government further to the finding by the Mauna Loa Observatory that carbon dioxide in the atmosphere reached 419 parts per million in May 2021, what advice they have received from their Chief Scientific Adviser about the implications of global warming for the United Kingdom.

***Lord Berkeley** to ask Her Majesty's Government what fire safety standards are applied to lithium ion batteries in e-bikes, e-scooters and mobility scooters; and whether such batteries are safe to use and be charged in buildings.

***Baroness Anelay of St Johns** to ask Her Majesty's Government how they plan to mark International Women's Day on 8 March.

Topical oral question. Ballot opens at 3pm on Friday 25 February, to be drawn at 1pm on Tuesday 1 March.

Highgate Cemetery Bill [HL] Consideration of Commons Amendments (*The Senior Deputy Speaker*)

It is expected that the report stage of the Health and Care Bill will continue.

Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 1.00pm

†**Baroness D’Souza** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what steps they are taking, if any, to support democracy in Taiwan. (*1 hour*)

†**Lord Balfé** to ask Her Majesty’s Government, further to the resolution of the House on 31 October 1917 which required that any recommendation for a new peerage sent to the Crown be accompanied by a statement of the reasons for the recommendation, what plans they have to ensure that (1) any person nominated for a peerage has been approved as a proper person by the House of Lords Appointments Commission, or any other appropriate vetting committee, and (2) the assessment of the Commission accompanies the recommendation to the Crown for the grant of the peerage. (*1 hour*)

†**Lord Jay of Ewelme** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of the impact of the Protocol on Ireland/Northern Ireland on recent political developments in Northern Ireland. (*1 hour*)

†**Baroness Altmann** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what steps they are taking to ensure that older workers can secure new opportunities in the jobs market. (*1 hour*)

Friday 4 March 2022 at 10.00am

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

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

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

Education (Careers Guidance in Schools) Bill Second Reading [Lord Lucas]

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

Local Government (Disqualification) Bill Second Reading [Lord Udny-Lister]

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

Taxis and Private Hire Vehicles (Safeguarding and Road Safety) Bill Second Reading [Lord Borwick]

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

Office for Demographic Change Bill [HL] Second Reading [Lord Hodgson of Astley Abbotts]

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

Monday 7 March 2022 at 2.30pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Sikka** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of the planned increase in the rate of national insurance contributions on the poorest sections of society.

***Lord Hylton** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they made of the outcomes of the first Global Refugee Forum, held in Geneva in December 2019.

***Lord Lexden** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the Independent Office for Police Conduct report of August 2021 into allegations of misconduct against Mr Mike Veale, former Chief Constable of Wiltshire and of Cleveland.

***Baroness Jones of Whitchurch** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ban (1) the sale of single use plastics, and (2) other single use materials.

Tuesday 8 March 2022 at 2.30pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Moylan** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they intend to publish an action plan in respect of prisoners serving indefinite sentences for public protection; and if so, when.

***Baroness Hoey** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the political situation in Zimbabwe; and in particular, the ability of political parties to campaign freely in forthcoming by-elections in that country.

***Baroness Randerson** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the adequacy of the funding available for Bus Improvement Plans.

Wednesday 9 March 2022 at 3.00pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Baroness Hayman** to ask Her Majesty's Government what consideration they have given to introducing a national green skills strategy to ensure that the workforce has the necessary skills to meet the United Kingdom's net zero emissions commitments.

***Baroness Hayter of Kentish Town** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the opening of trade talks with the governments of India, Greenland, and Israel, what steps they intend to take to support parliamentary scrutiny of the negotiating objectives.

***Viscount Stansgate** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they intend to join the Horizon Europe programme; and if not, why not.

Thursday 10 March 2022 at 11.00am

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Baroness Crawley** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to mitigate the impact on women of the rising cost of living; and in particular, the impact on single mothers in poorer households.

***Lord Foulkes of Cumnock** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of (1) the detention of political prisoners, (2) the attacks on journalists, and (3) the constitutional referendum, in Belarus; and what representations they have made to the government of that country on these issues.

***Lord Hunt of Kings Heath** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the annual numbers of care home residents (1) evicted, (2) threatened with eviction, or (3) facing a visiting ban, following complaints against the care home.

Monday 14 March 2022 at 2.30pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Baroness Bonham-Carter of Yarnbury** to ask Her Majesty's Government whether the forthcoming Broadcasting White Paper will make proposals about prominence in relation to (1) online radio services, and (2) smart speakers.

***Lord Kennedy of Southwark** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to ensure leaseholders and others who have building and fire safety issues for which they are not responsible are not excluded from any measures or funding intended to solve such issues. [1]

***Baroness McIntosh of Pickering** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they made of any available scientific advice when implementing or removing COVID-19 restrictions in England.

***Lord Dubs** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to increase the number of charging points for electric vehicles.

Tuesday 15 March 2022 at 2.30pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Baroness Greengross** to ask Her Majesty's Government what progress they have made towards establishing a cross-departmental taskforce on housing for older people.

***Lord Snape** to ask Her Majesty's Government what estimate they have made of the impact on train services of a 10 per cent reduction in payments from the Department for Transport to train operating companies.

***Baroness Deech** to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the letter from Lord Keen of Elie to Baroness Deech on 16 March 2020, what progress they have made on reforming the law governing financial provision on divorce to align with the introduction of no fault divorce.

Wednesday 16 March 2022 at 3.00pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Baroness Jones of Moulsecoomb** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the case for appointing a Minister for the Oceans.

***The Lord Bishop of Durham** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of inflation on the real terms value of the benefits received by families with children.

***Baroness Bryan of Partick** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact that the suspension of the triple lock on pensions will have on the lives of pensioners.

Thursday 17 March 2022 at 11.00am

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Howarth of Newport** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to bring forward measures aimed at reducing the number of barristers leaving criminal practice.

***Lord Addington** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to make COVID-19 vaccinations available to athletes and support staff from any nation which requires such provision and is sending competitors (1) to the Birmingham 2022 Commonwealth Games, or (2) to any other international sporting competition hosted by the United Kingdom.

***Baroness Benjamin** to ask Her Majesty's Government what progress they have made in implementing the recommendations of the Dasgupta review on the Economics of Biodiversity, published on 2 February 2021; and what international engagement they have undertaken to further the review's objectives.

Monday 21 March 2022 at 2.30pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Baroness Warwick of Undercliffe** to ask Her Majesty's Government what progress they have made in releasing women from prison into safe and secure housing; and what assessment they have made of what constitutes a satisfactory accommodation outcome for women released from prison.

***Baroness Morgan of Drefelin** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the effectiveness of the £30 million programme to provide specialist mental health services for people sleeping rough, as detailed in the NHS Long Term Plan; and what plans they have to publish an evaluation of the outcomes of that programme.

***Lord Campbell of Pittenweem** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have for constitutional reform.

***Baroness Quin** to ask Her Majesty's Government what are their priorities for future trade between the United Kingdom and the European Union.

Tuesday 22 March 2022 at 2.30pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Holmes of Richmond** to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to require the Financial Conduct Authority to have regard to financial inclusion.

***Lord Faulkner of Worcester** to ask Her Majesty's Government (1) how, and (2) when, they plan to respond to the recommendations of the *Fan-Led Review of Football Governance*, published on 24 November 2021.

***Baroness Lister of Burtersett** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the recommendations for reform of the social security system made in the report *Covid Realities: documenting life on a low income during the pandemic*, published on 24 January.

Wednesday 23 March 2022 at 3.00pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

†***Lord Wigley** to ask Her Majesty's Government what discussions they have had with representatives of the veterinary profession about the availability of qualified veterinary personnel following the United Kingdom's departure from the European Union.

†***Baroness Merron** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of their loneliness strategy.

†***Lord Blunkett** to ask Her Majesty's Government what discussions they have had with the suppliers of COVID-19 vaccines about updating their effectiveness against further variants of the virus, prior to any delivery of a fourth vaccination to the wider population of the United Kingdom later this year.

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 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 *Catapults: bridging the gap between research and industry* (2nd Report, Session 2019–21, HL Paper 218). 5 February 2021

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 2021

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 2021

Baroness Hayter of Kentish Town 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 2021

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 2021

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 2021

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 2021

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 2021

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 2021

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 2021

Baroness Taylor of Bolton to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Constitution Committee *Revision of the Cabinet Manual* (7th Report, HL Paper 34). 8 July 2021

Baroness Armstrong of Hill Top to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Public Services Committee *Children in crisis: the role of public services in overcoming child vulnerability* (1st Report, HL Paper 95). 19 November 2021

Lord Willis of Knaresborough to move that this House takes note of the Report from the National Plan for Sport and Recreation Committee *A national plan for sport, health and wellbeing* (HL Paper 113). 10 December 2021

Motions Relating to Delegated Legislation

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 2021, 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.*

Baroness Bennett of Manor Castle to move that this House declines to approve the draft Genetically Modified Organisms (Deliberate Release) (Amendment) (England) Regulations 2022.

†**Baroness McIntosh of Pickering** to move that this House regrets the Alterations to the Highway Code (Rule 149) because (1) of the piecemeal introduction to Parliament of proposed changes to the Code, and (2) it does not extend to handheld devices used by people on (a) bicycles, (b) e-bikes, and (c) e-scooters. *30th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Lord Bassam of Brighton to move that this House regrets that the draft Trade Union (Levy Payable to the Certification Officer) Regulations 2022 impose an effective tax on trade unions to cover the costs of the Certification Officer, to whom very few complaints have been recorded, and which is not the case for other civil society institutions.

†**Lord Davies of Brixton** to move that this House regrets that the draft Social Security Benefits Up-rating Order 2022, and the decision by Her Majesty's Government to suspend the triple lock on pensions, will result in benefit increases of 3.1 per cent in April 2022, compared to the Bank of England forecast of a 7.25 per cent increase in the Consumer Price Index for that month, and this will result in a basic state pension for a single pensioner that will be worth £296 less in real terms compared to 2021/22, and £475 less for a couple.

Motion Relating to a Treaty

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 23 February 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 Oates** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of reports of (1) state sanctioned political violence, (2) voter roll irregularities, and (3) the intimidation of voters, ahead of the 26 March parliamentary and local by-elections in Zimbabwe.

†**Lord Purvis of Tweed** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what steps they are taking to support political dialogue in Tunisia.

†**Baroness Fookes** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what plans they have to support (1) the provision of careers in the horticultural sector, and (2) the role of that sector in protecting the environment.

†**Lord Sharkey** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what mechanisms were in place to prevent funds from COVID-19 grant and loan schemes from being fraudulently claimed; and what assessment they have made of the success of these mechanisms in preventing such fraud.

†**Baroness Hooper** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what plans they have to celebrate the 40th anniversary of the liberation of the Falkland Islands in June 1982, and to commemorate the lives lost during the conflict.

†**Lord Hussain** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of the prospects for a sustainable peaceful solution to the dispute between India and Pakistan over Kashmir.

†**Lord De Mauley** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of the contribution of the reserve forces to the defence of the United Kingdom.

†**Lord Farmer** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what steps they are taking, if any, in response to projections of a declining population.

†**Lord Morris of Aberavon** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of freedom of speech in universities.

†**Baroness Bakewell** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of the implications of the Centene Corporation buying general practitioners’ surgeries which have contracts with the NHS.

†**Lord Lexden** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what steps they have taken to strengthen the Union between Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

†**Lord Addington** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on community sports groups and other voluntary groups; and what steps they are taking to rebuild their capacity.

†**Lord Lilley** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of the report by the Office for National Statistics *Climate-related mortality and hospital admissions, England and Wales: 2001 to 2020*, published on 17 January; and in particular the conclusion that the net effect of global warming this century has been to save and prolong 550,000 lives.

†**Lord Bethell** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what steps they are taking to address growing health inequalities.

†**Baroness Bonham-Carter of Yarnbury** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of the value that streaming services have brought to the British film and TV industry; and what steps they are taking to support domestic film and TV production.

Questions for Short Debate ballot entries

The ballot for four Questions will be drawn on Wednesday 30 March for debate on Thursday 7 April. Time limit 1 hour.

Questions for Written Answer

Tabled on 23 February and due for answer by 9 March.

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their most recent assessment of the integrity of elections in Nigeria; and what discussions they have held, if any, with the President of Nigeria about the Electoral Act (Amendment) Bill 2022. HL6364

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty's Government whether, during her visit to the country on 21 February, the Minister for Africa (1) visited the Middle Belt region of Nigeria, and (2) met victims of violence there. HL6365

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the security situation in Nigeria following the attack on the Galkogo community in Shiroro Local Government Area of Niger State on 21 February. HL6366

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the statement by the Irigwe Development Association that 24,000 voters from 16 communities in Plateau state, Nigeria, may not be able to vote in upcoming elections in the Bassa Local Government Area after being displaced by violence. HL6367

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the security situation in southern Kaduna, Nigeria, following the reported abductions of at least 26 people in three separate attacks between 14 and 15 February. HL6368

Baroness Armstrong of Hill Top to ask Her Majesty's Government which Cabinet committees are responsible for (1) the recovery of public services following the COVID-19 pandemic, and (2) co-ordinating the delivery of public services across Government; and which Ministers chair these committees. HL6369

Baroness Bennett of Manor Castle to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of rising energy prices on (1) nurseries, (2) primary schools, (3) secondary schools, and (4) colleges; and what plans they have to assist in covering these costs. HL6370

Lord Berkeley to ask Her Majesty's Government when they will publish the findings of their consultation on Key Route Networks, which ran from 30 July 2021 to 24 September 2021. HL6371

Lord Berkeley to ask Her Majesty's Government, what assessment they make of the (1) risks, (2) benefits, and (3) timing, when a private sector contribution to a funding bid is offered under the Levelling Up Fund for large transport projects; whether they require the project for which Fund finance is being sought to be delivered through competitive tendering; and where tendering is required, what weighting they give to balancing the outcomes of the tendering processes. HL6372

Lord Bourne of Aberystwyth to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the levels of the availability of lateral flow tests from 1 April either (1) through the NHS, or (2) commercially. HL6373

Lord Bourne of Aberystwyth to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have along with the private sector to ensure that lateral flow tests will be available throughout the country at a reasonable price from 1 April. HL6374

Lord Bourne of Aberystwyth to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the (1) security, and (2) cost, of energy, in light of the hostilities in Ukraine. HL6375

Lord Jones of Cheltenham to ask Her Majesty's Government what support they are providing to increase the number of ammonia-powered ships in the UK. HL6376

Lord Jones of Cheltenham to ask Her Majesty's Government how many Tier 1 (Investor) visas have been issued to Russian citizens. HL6377

Lord Jones of Cheltenham to ask Her Majesty's Government how many Russian citizens who have been granted Tier 1 (Investor) visas are subject to sanctions following Russia's invasion of parts of Ukraine.
HL6378

Baroness McIntosh of Pickering to ask Her Majesty's Government when they last undertook a review of critical infrastructure, including electricity substations and their resilience to the threat of flooding; and how frequently such reviews are undertaken.
HL6379

Baroness McIntosh of Pickering to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to improve the resilience of overhead line transmission of electricity to storm outages; and what steps they intend to take to achieve greater resilience.
HL6380

Lord Marlesford to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to ban the (1) installation, (2) sale, and (3) use, of wood-burning stoves in private dwellings, in either (a) rural, or (b) urban, areas.
HL6381

Lord Marlesford to ask Her Majesty's Government what estimate they have made of the area of land that has been used in England for the installation of solar panels in each of the last five years.
HL6382

Lord Mendelsohn to ask Her Majesty's Government when data on how many (1) immunocompromised, or (2) immunosuppressed, people have received a fourth dose of COVID-19 vaccine will be available.
HL6383

Lord Mendelsohn to ask Her Majesty's Government who is producing the data on how many (1) immunocompromised, or (2) immunosuppressed, people have received their fourth dose of the COVID-19 vaccine; and where it will be published.
HL6384

Lord Mendelsohn to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they have benchmarked the way that the list of those selected for enhanced security checks by US Homeland Security at UK sites is compiled; and whether they have compared this with any other countries in which US Homeland Security has the right to require such checks in their sovereign territory.
HL6385

Lord Mendelsohn to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to publish the (1) arrangements granted, and (2) facilities given, to the United States Department of Homeland Security to conduct security checks at airports on UK sovereign territory.
HL6386

Lord Mendelsohn to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they have received complaints about how the United States Department of Homeland Security conducts the selection of travellers for additional security checks by and on behalf of United States authorities; and if so, how many complaints they have received.
HL6387

Lord Oates to ask Her Majesty's Government what consideration they will give to the (1) political, and (2) human rights, situation in Zimbabwe when determining whether to go ahead with the planned deportation of Zimbabwe nationals on 2 March.
HL6388

Lord Oates to ask Her Majesty's Government whether all of the Zimbabwean nationals they intend to remove from the UK on 2 March have been convicted of a criminal offence; and whether any of them have been convicted only of an immigration offence.
HL6389

Lord Oates to ask Her Majesty's Government whether any of those facing deportation to Zimbabwe on 2 March were British citizens whose citizenship has subsequently been revoked; and if so, what were the reasons in each case.
HL6390

Baroness Randerson to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the reported national shortage of bus drivers; and what plans they have to address any such shortage.
HL6391

Baroness Randerson to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to increase capacity at testing facilities for bus drivers.
HL6392

Baroness Rawlings to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Lord Kamall on 9 February (HL6141), whether pharmacists are able to (1) stock, and (2) sell, the antiviral medications (a) molnupiravir, and (b) Paxlovid. HL6393

Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the benefits of using breast density measurement software to identify women with dense breast tissue, in order to prioritise those women for breast cancer screening. HL6394

Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the benefits of introducing Tomosynthesis to digital mammography in order to improve the accuracy of breast screening. HL6395

Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the benefits of introducing Artificial Intelligence led mammography (1) to increase capacity in breast screening programmes, and (2) to support the work of radiologists. HL6396

Lord Storey to ask Her Majesty's Government how many Non-Disclosure Agreements the Cabinet Office has agreed for each of the last three years. HL6397

Lord Storey to ask Her Majesty's Government how many adults and children have arrived in the UK seeking asylum from Afghanistan since August 2021; and of these, (1) how many are still waiting to be housed, and (2) how many children are still waiting to be enrolled at a school. HL6398

Lord Storey to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the importance of summer camps for young people; and what support they currently give to summer camps, particularly those helping children and young people from deprived communities. HL6399

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to sanction Russia by excluding them from the SWIFT international payments system. HL6400

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to further strengthen the role of the Regulator of Social Housing to help regulate the exempt accommodation sector. HL6401

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of results of a recent YouGov survey which found that only 12 per cent of teachers feel empowered to teach diversity issues; and what steps they are taking to increase this number. HL6402

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to include Gypsy, Roma and Traveller history in the school curriculum to combat bullying in schools. HL6403

Lord Tyrie to ask Her Majesty's Government what estimate they have made of the cost to the Exchequer of the Bank of England raising interest rates by one per cent, in order to meet the Government's commitment under the Asset Purchase Facility's deed of indemnity. HL6404

Lord Tyrie to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they will publish the Asset Purchase Facility's deed of indemnity. HL6405

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.

9 November 2021 (23 November 2021)

HL3904 Lord Scriven [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL3905 Lord Scriven [Department of Health and Social Care]

19 November 2021 (3 December 2021)

HL4229 The Marquess of Lothian [Department of Health and Social Care]

2 December 2021 (16 December 2021)

HL4642 Lord Jones of Cheltenham [Department of Health and Social Care]

14 December 2021 (30 December 2021)

HL4948 Lord Cooper of Windrush [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL4940 Lord Bradley [Department of Health and Social Care]

5 January (19 January)

HL5078 Lord Anderson of Ipswich [Home Office]

HL5154 Lord Stone of Blackheath [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL5111 Baroness Finlay of Llandaff [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL5112 Baroness Finlay of Llandaff [Department of Health and Social Care]

6 January (20 January)

HL5191 Lord Scriven [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL5192 Lord Scriven [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL5209 Lord Truscott [Department of Health and Social Care]

10 January (24 January)

HL5249 Lord Jones [Department of Health and Social Care]

13 January (27 January)

HL5383 Baroness Cumberlege [Department of Health and Social Care]

18 January (1 February)

HL5488 Lord Hunt of Kings Heath [Department of Health and Social Care]

20 January (3 February)

HL5597 Lord Storey [Department of Health and Social Care]

27 January (10 February)

HL5742 Lord Hunt of Kings Heath [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL5743 Lord Hunt of Kings Heath [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL5744 Lord Hunt of Kings Heath [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL5731 Lord Browne of Belmont [Department for International Trade]

31 January (14 February)

HL5820 Lord Watson of Invergowrie [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL5821 Lord Watson of Invergowrie [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL5822 Lord Watson of Invergowrie [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL5798 Lord Jones of Cheltenham [Department of Health and Social Care]

1 February (15 February)

HL5850 Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL5851 Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick [Department of Health and Social Care]

2 February (16 February)

HL5897 Lord Roberts of Llandudno [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL5893 Baroness Redfern [Department of Health and Social Care]

3 February (17 February)

HL5922 Baroness Cumberlege [Department of Health and Social Care]
HL5938 Lord Mawson [Department of Health and Social Care]
HL5939 Lord Mawson [Department of Health and Social Care]
HL5924 Lord Goodlad [Department of Health and Social Care]
HL5911 Lord Alton of Liverpool [Department of Health and Social Care]
HL5912 Lord Alton of Liverpool [Department of Health and Social Care]
HL5913 Lord Alton of Liverpool [Department of Health and Social Care]

4 February (18 February)

HL5983 Lord Jones [Department of Health and Social Care]
HL5984 Lord Jones [Department of Health and Social Care]
HL5985 Lord Jones [Department of Health and Social Care]

7 February (21 February)

HL6014 Lord Alton of Liverpool [Department of Health and Social Care]
HL6060 Lord Taylor of Warwick [Department of Health and Social Care]
HL6032 Lord Jones of Cheltenham [Department of Health and Social Care]
HL6033 Lord Jones of Cheltenham [Department of Health and Social Care]
HL6028 Lord Hylton [Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office]

8 February (22 February)

HL6062 Lord Alton of Liverpool [Department of Health and Social Care]
HL6065 Lord Alton of Liverpool [Department of Health and Social Care]
HL6106 Baroness Whitaker [Department of Health and Social Care]

9 February (23 February)

HL6143 Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick [Department of Health and Social Care]
HL6120 Baroness Buscombe [Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy]

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

Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy (1)

Department for International Trade (1)

Department of Health and Social Care (45)

Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office (1)

Home Office (1)

Bills in Progress

	Type of Bill	To be considered
Referred to the Examiners		
High Speed Rail (Crewe–Manchester) Bill	Government	24 February at 11.00am in Room 4A
Waiting for Second Reading		
Sewage (Inland Waters) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Game Birds (Cage Breeding) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Office for Demographic Change Bill [HL]	Private Member's	4 March
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	
Construction (Retentions Abolition) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Public Authority Algorithm Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Modern Slavery (Victim Support) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Road Traffic Offences (Cycling) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Mandatory Training on Learning Disabilities and Autism Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Duchy of Cornwall Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Emissions Reduction (Local Authorities in London) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Road Traffic Act 1988 (Alcohol Limits) (Amendment) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Commonwealth Parliamentary Association (Status) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Lead Ammunition (Restriction) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Education (Careers Guidance in Schools) Bill	Private Member's	4 March
Local Government (Disqualification) Bill	Private Member's	4 March
Taxis and Private Hire Vehicles (Safeguarding and Road Safety) Bill	Private Member's	4 March
Approved Premises (Substance Testing) Bill	Private Member's	
Cultural Objects (Protection from Seizure) Bill	Private Member's	
Motor Vehicles (Compulsory Insurance) Bill	Private Member's	
Animals (Penalty Notices) Bill	Private Member's	
Glue Traps (Offences) Bill	Private Member's	
Down Syndrome Bill	Private Member's	
Learning Disabilities (Access to Services) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Committed to an Unopposed Bill Committee		
Monken Hadley Common Bill	Private	

Committed to a Grand Committee

Building Safety Bill (<i>Queen's and Prince of Wales's consents to be signified</i>)	Government	24 February
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Nuclear Energy (Financing) Bill	Government	
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Committed to a Committee of the Whole House

Office of the Whistleblower Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
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Higher Education Cheating Services Prohibition Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
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Assisted Dying Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
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Age Assurance (Minimum Standards) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
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Onshore Wind Bill [HL]	Private Member's	2 March
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Coroners (Determination of Suicide) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	2 March
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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	
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Cigarette Stick Health Warnings Bill [HL]	Private Member's	2 March
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Digital Economy Act 2017 (Commencement of Part 3) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
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Representation of the People (Young People's Enfranchisement) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
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Judicial Review and Courts Bill (<i>Scottish Legislative Consent granted</i>)	Government	24 February
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Elections Bill (<i>Scottish Legislative Consent withheld</i>)	Government	
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Waiting for Report

Subsidy Control Bill	Government	
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Health and Care Bill (<i>Northern Irish, Welsh and Scottish Legislative Consent granted</i>)	Government	1 March
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Commercial Rent (Coronavirus) Bill	Government	
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Nationality and Borders Bill (<i>Scottish and Welsh Legislative Consent correspondence published</i>)	Government	28 February
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Waiting for Third Reading

Education (Environment and Sustainable Citizenship) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	4 March
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Elderly Social Care (Insurance) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	4 March
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Dissolution and Calling of Parliament Bill (<i>Queen's consent to be signified</i>)	Government	24 February
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Organ Tourism and Cadavers on Display Bill [HL]	Private Member's	4 March
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Refugees (Family Reunion) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
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Professional Qualifications Bill [HL] (<i>Welsh and Scottish Legislative Consent withheld</i>)	Government	
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Education (Assemblies) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
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Animal Welfare (Sentience) Bill [HL]	Government	
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Status of Workers Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
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Wellbeing of Future Generations Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
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Returned to the Commons amended

Police, Crime, Sentencing and Courts Bill (<i>Scottish Legislative Consent granted, Welsh Legislative Consent correspondence published</i>)	Government	
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National Insurance Contributions Bill	Government	
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Waiting for Consideration of Commons Amendments

Highgate Cemetery Bill [HL]	Private	3 March
Skills and Post-16 Education Bill [HL] (<i>Welsh Legislative Consent granted</i>)	Government	
Public Service Pensions and Judicial Offices Bill [HL] (<i>Northern Irish and Welsh Legislative Consent granted</i>)	Government	

Waiting for Royal Assent

Finance (No. 2) Bill (<i>Supply and Money Bill—3 February</i>)	Government	24 February
Advanced Research and Invention Agency Bill (<i>Scottish, Welsh and Northern Irish Legislative Consent granted</i>)	Government	24 February
Dormant Assets Bill [HL]	Government	24 February
Charities Bill [HL] (<i>Law Commission Bill</i>)	Government	24 February

Statutory Instruments in Progress**Affirmative Instruments waiting for consideration by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments**

Draft Civil Enforcement of Road Traffic Contraventions (Representations and Appeals) (England) Regulations 2022 *29th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft Agriculture (Lump Sum Payment) (England) Regulations 2022 *30th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft Food and Feed Safety (Miscellaneous Amendments and Transitional Provisions) Regulations 2022

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

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

Draft Trade Union (Levy Payable to the Certification Officer) Regulations 2022 *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft Trade Union (Power of the Certification Officer to Impose Financial Penalties) Regulations 2022 *25th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft Greenhouse Gas Emissions Trading Scheme (Amendment) Order 2022

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Draft Immigration and Nationality (Fees) (Amendment) Order 2022

Draft Mesothelioma Lump Sum Payments (Conditions and Amounts) (Amendment) Regulations 2022

Draft Pneumoconiosis etc. (Workers' Compensation) (Payment of Claims) (Amendment) Regulations 2022

Draft Guaranteed Minimum Pensions Increase Order 2022

Draft Occupational Pension Schemes (Collective Money Purchase Schemes) Regulations 2022 *28th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft Social Security (Contributions) (Rates, Limits and Thresholds Amendments and National Insurance Funds Payments) Regulations 2022

Draft Social Security Benefits Up-rating Order 2022

Draft Tax Credits, Child Benefit and Guardian's Allowance Up-rating Regulations 2022

Draft Early Legal Advice Pilot Scheme Order 2022 *29th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft Genetically Modified Organisms (Deliberate Release) (Amendment) (England) Regulations 2022 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 29th Report*

Draft Airports Slot Allocation (Alleviation of Usage Requirements) Regulations 2022 *29th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft Cumbria (Structural Changes) Order 2022 *29th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft Goods Vehicles (Licensing of Operators) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 *29th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft North Yorkshire (Structural Changes) Order 2022 *29th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (Self-Isolation) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 *Approval period expires 4 March. 29th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft Scotland Act 2016 (Social Security) (Adult Disability Payment and Child Disability Payment) (Amendment) Regulations 2022

Draft Somerset (Structural Changes) Order 2022 *29th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018 (Repeal of EU Restrictions in Devolution Legislation, etc.) Regulations 2022 *30th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft Flood Reinsurance (Amendment) Regulations 2022 *29th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft Combined Authorities (Borrowing) Regulations 2022 *30th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft Energy Performance of Buildings (England and Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2022

Draft National Minimum Wage (Amendment) Regulations 2022

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Draft Social Security (Scotland) Act 2018 (Disability Assistance and Information-Sharing) (Consequential Provision and Modifications) Order 2022

Draft Agriculture (Financial Assistance) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 *30th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft Direct Payments to Farmers (Reductions) (England) Regulations 2022 *30th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft Commissioner for Patient Safety (Appointment and Operation) (England) Regulations 2022

Draft Electricity Supplier Payments (Amendment) Regulations 2022

Draft Human Medicines (Amendments Relating to the Early Access to Medicines Scheme) Regulations 2022

Draft Human Medicines (Coronavirus and Influenza) (Amendment) Regulations 2022

Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 *30th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (Self-Isolation etc.) (Revocation) (England) Regulations 2022

Negative Instruments

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 2021.*

Health Protection (Coronavirus, International Travel and Operator Liability) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 *26th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 24 February.*

Wills Act 1837 (Electronic Communications) (Amendment) Order 2022 *27th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 1 March.*

Private Storage Aid for Pigeon (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 *27th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 2 March.*

Protection of Animals at the Time of Killing (Amendment) (England) Regulations 2022 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 27th Report. Praying time ends 3 March.*

School and Early Years Finance (England) Regulations 2022 *27th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 3 March.*

Ammonium Nitrate Materials (High Nitrogen Content) Safety (Amendment) Regulations 2022 *28th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 3 March.*

Limited Liability Partnerships (Climate-related Financial Disclosure) Regulations 2022 *28th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 8 March.*

Road Vehicles (Construction and Use) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 *29th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 14 March.*

Statement of Changes in Immigration Rules *29th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 14 March.*

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Civil Enforcement of Road Traffic Contraventions (Approved Devices, Charging Guidelines and General Provisions) (England) Regulations 2022 *29th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 17 March.*

Road Vehicles (Construction and Use) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 *30th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, praying time ends 22 March.*

Apprenticeships (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Amendment) (England) Regulations 2022 *30th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, praying time ends 21 March.*

Council Tax (Demand Notices and Reduction Schemes) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 *30th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, praying time ends 1 April.*

Legislative Reform Order in Progress

	<i>Date of Laying</i>	<i>Procedure</i>
Draft Legislative Reform (Renewal of National Radio Multiplex Licences) Order 2022	31 January	Affirmative

Instrument subject to disapproval

Revision of the Highway Code Rule 149 about Using Mobile Phones while driving *30th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Treaties before the House

Agreement between the United Kingdom and the French Republic concerning Railway Undertaking Licences in respect of Rail Transport Services through the Channel Fixed Link *Scrutiny period expires: 8 March*

Agreement between the United Kingdom and the French Republic concerning Train Driving Licences and Complementary Certificates in respect of Rail Transport through the Channel Fixed Link *Scrutiny period expires: 14 March*

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

Thursday 24 February

Fraud Act 2006 and Digital Fraud Committee	Virtual meeting	9.30am
Adult Social Care Committee	Virtual meeting	10.30am
International Agreements Committee		11.00am
Services Committee	Committee Room G	1.00pm

Monday 28 February

Liaison Committee	Room G-32, Millbank House	1.00pm
Children and Families Act 2014 Committee	Virtual meeting	3.00pm
Land Use in England Committee		3.00pm
National Security Strategy (Joint Committee)	Room 4A	4.00pm

Tuesday 1 March

Justice and Home Affairs Committee		9.00am
Built Environment Committee		9.45am
Science and Technology Committee		10.00am
Common Frameworks Scrutiny Committee	Virtual meeting	10.30am
Industry and Regulators Committee	Hybrid	10.30am
Communications and Digital Committee		2.15pm
Economic Affairs Committee		3.00pm
European Affairs Committee		3.00pm
Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee	Room G-32, Millbank House	3.45pm

Wednesday 2 March

Constitution Committee	Archbishops' Room, Millbank House	10.00am
Environment and Climate Change Committee	Room G-32, Millbank House	10.00am
Delegated Powers and Regulatory Reform Committee		10.30am
International Relations and Defence Committee	Room 2A	10.30am
Human Rights (Joint Committee)	Room 5	2.40pm
Public Services Committee		3.00pm
Statutory Instruments (Joint Committee)	Virtual meeting	3.40pm
Protocol on Ireland/Northern Ireland Sub-Committee	Room 1	4.00pm

Tuesday 8 March

Conduct Committee	Room G-32, Millbank House	2.00pm
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Wednesday 9 March

Finance Committee	Committee Room G	3.15am
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Monday 21 March

House of Lords Commission		4.00pm
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Wednesday 23 March

Parliamentary Works Estimates Commission	Room 13	1.30pm
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Minutes of Proceedings of Wednesday 23 February 2022

The House met at 3.00pm.

Prayers were read by the Lord Bishop of Coventry.

Select Committee Reports

1 Industry and Regulators

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

The net zero transformation: delivery, regulation and the consumer. (1st Report, HL Paper 162)

2 Statutory Instruments

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

Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) (Amendment) Regulations 2022

Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (Self- Isolation etc.) (Revocation) (England) Regulations 2022

Draft Human Medicines (Coronavirus and Influenza) (Amendment) Regulations 2022

Draft Agriculture (Financial Assistance) (Amendment) Regulations 2022

Draft Direct Payments to Farmers (Reductions) (England) Regulations 2022

Draft Commissioner for Patient Safety (Appointment and Operation) (England) Regulations 2022

Draft Electricity Supplier Payments (Amendment) Regulations 2022

Draft Human Medicines (Amendments Relating to the Early Access to Medicines Scheme) Regulations 2022. (25th Report, HL Paper 163)

3 Constitution

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

Elections Bill. (13th Report, HL Paper 164)

Public Business

4 Defence: Type 45 destroyers A question was asked by Lord West of Spithead and answered by Baroness Goldie.

5 Ireland: Russian naval military exercises A question was asked by Lord Godson and answered by Lord Goldsmith of Richmond Park.

6 COVID-19: effect on education in deprived communities A question was asked by Lord Storey and answered by Baroness Barran.

7 Ukraine: OSCE Special Monitoring Mission A question was asked by Lord Browne of Ladyton and answered by Lord Goldsmith of Richmond Park.

8 Charities Bill [HL] The bill was returned from the Commons with a privilege amendment. The amendment was considered and agreed to.

9 Public Service Pensions and Judicial Offices Bill [HL] The bill was returned from the Commons agreed to with amendments. It was ordered that the Commons amendments be printed. (HL Bill 118)

10 Refugees (Family Reunion) Bill [HL] The order of commitment was discharged.

11 Elections 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.

12 **Elections Bill** Lord True moved that it be an instruction to the Committee of the Whole House to which the Elections Bill has been committed that they consider the bill in the following order:

Clauses 14 to 27	Schedule 7
Clause 1	Clause 13
Schedule 1	Schedule 8
Clause 2	Clause 28
Schedule 2	Schedule 9
Clause 3	Clauses 29 to 36
Schedule 3	Schedule 10
Clauses 4 to 6	Clauses 37 to 46
Schedule 4	Schedule 11
Clauses 7 and 8	Clauses 47 to 51
Schedule 5	Schedule 12
Clauses 9 and 10	Clauses 52 to 65
Schedule 6	Title.
Clauses 11 and 12	

The motion was agreed to.

13 **Passenger, Crew and Service Information (Civil Penalties) (Amendment) Regulations 2022** Baroness Williams of Trafford moved that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 6 January be approved. Then Lord Berkeley moved, as an amendment to the motion, at the end insert “but that this House regrets that they remove the sunset clause from the 2015 Regulations, and therefore make permanent the civil penalties of £10,000 per offence for rail, air and ferry companies that fail to send accurate and timely information on passengers, crew and services to the Home Office before their arrival or departure from the United Kingdom; and believes that compliance can be achieved without the need for this penalty”. After debate, the amendment was withdrawn. Then the original motion was agreed to.

The House adjourned at 10.50pm until Thursday 24 February at 11.00am.

Simon Burton
Clerk of the Parliaments

Grand Committee Business

The Grand Committee met in the Moses Room at 4.15pm.

Tax Credits, Child Benefit and Guardian’s Allowance Up-rating Regulations 2022 Baroness Penn moved that the Grand Committee do consider the draft Tax Credits, Child Benefit and Guardian’s Allowance Up-rating Regulations 2022. After debate, the motion was agreed to.

Social Security (Contributions) (Rates, Limits and Thresholds Amendments and National Insurance Funds Payments) Regulations 2022 Baroness Penn moved that the Grand Committee do consider the draft Social Security (Contributions) (Rates, Limits and Thresholds Amendments and National Insurance Funds Payments) Regulations 2022. The motion was agreed to.

Immigration and Nationality (Fees) (Amendment) Order 2022 Baroness Williams of Trafford moved that the Grand Committee do consider the draft Immigration and Nationality (Fees) (Amendment) Order 2022. After debate, the motion was agreed to.

Occupational Pension Schemes (Collective Money Purchase Schemes) Regulations 2022 Baroness Stedman-Scott moved that the Grand Committee do consider the draft Occupational Pension Schemes (Collective Money Purchase Schemes) Regulations 2022. After debate, the motion was agreed to.

Mesothelioma Lump Sum Payments (Conditions and Amounts) (Amendment) Regulations 2022

Baroness Stedman-Scott moved that the Grand Committee do consider the draft Mesothelioma Lump Sum Payments (Conditions and Amounts) (Amendment) Regulations 2022. After debate, the motion was agreed to.

Pneumoconiosis etc. (Workers' Compensation) (Payment of Claims) (Amendment) Regulations 2022

Baroness Stedman-Scott moved that the Grand Committee do consider the draft Pneumoconiosis etc. (Workers' Compensation) (Payment of Claims) (Amendment) Regulations 2022. After debate, the motion was agreed to.

The Committee adjourned at 6.52pm.

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. Contingent Liability—Department of Health and Social Care Minute concerning notification of a contingent liability in relation to an indemnity granted to vaccine producers of the Covid-19 Vaccine for Booster Vaccination. (—)
2. Contingent Liability—Department of Health and Social Care Minute concerning the notification of a contingent liability in relation to an indemnity granted to vaccine producers for the Covid-19 Vaccine for Children and Young People. (—)

Negative Instruments

The following instruments were laid before the House:

1. Faculty Jurisdiction (Amendment) Rules 2022 (155)
2. Personal Injuries (NHS Charges) (Amounts) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (166)
3. Health Protection (Coronavirus, International Travel and Operator Liability) (England) (Amendment) (No. 3) Regulations 2022 (168)

Instrument not subject to Parliamentary Proceedings

The following instrument was laid before the House:

1. Naval, Military and Air Forces Etc. (Disablement and Death) Service Pensions (Amendment) Order 2022 (147)

