

GOVERNMENT WHIPS' OFFICE
HOUSE OF LORDS

TODAY'S LISTS
THURSDAY 31 MARCH 2022

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

Business in the Chamber at 11.00am

Prayers by the Bishop of Worcester (5 mins)

Royal Assent

Oral Questions (40 mins)

- * Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick to ask Her Majesty's Government what recent assessment they have made of the effectiveness of their support for businesses to increase exports. **(Lord Callanan, DIT)**
- * Baroness Boycott to ask Her Majesty's Government why they disbanded the Behaviour Change for Net Zero working group; and what they have replaced it with. **(Lord Callanan, BEIS)**
- * Lord Scriven to ask Her Majesty's Government what security assessment they have made, if any, of the use by Government ministers of messaging services on personal communications devices for official Government business. **(Baroness Scott of Bybrook, CO)**
- * Lord Hain to ask Her Majesty's Government what criteria they have set for granting a new licence that would permit the sale of Chelsea Football Club. **(Baroness Penn, HMT)**

Business expected to be brief

Order of Consideration motion - Baroness Scott of Bybrook

Senior Deputy Speaker's Business

Select Committee appointment motion - Lord Gardiner of Kimble

Main Business

Police, Crime, Sentencing and Courts Bill - Lords Consideration of Commons Amendments - Baroness Williams of Trafford / Lord Wolfson of Tredegar

Grouping of amendments:

A, B, B1, C, C1, D, D1

Judicial Review and Courts Bill – Report – Lord Wolfson of Tredegar

Target for the day: to complete the report stage

Grouping of amendments:

1, 2, 3, 4

5, 6

7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, g16, 17, 18, g32, g33, g34, g35, 37, g38, g39

g19, g20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 28

25, 26, 27

g29, g30, g31, g36

Last business

Urgent Question Repeat made in the House of Commons Today (10 mins)

‘To ask Her Majesty’s Government if they will make a statement on the issuing of visas to refugees from Ukraine’ – Lord Harrington of Watford (HO)

Urgent Question Repeat made in the House of Commons Today (10 mins)

‘To ask Her Majesty’s Government if they will make a statement on the ‘Homes for Ukraine’ Scheme’ – Lord Harrington of Watford (HO)

Estimated rising time

The House is expected to rise at approximately 7pm

Business in Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 1.00pm

Baroness Penn to move that the Grand Committee takes note of the economy in the light of the Chancellor of the Exchequer’s Spring Statement.

Advisory backbench speaking time:

Speakers:

B Penn

L Whitty

- B Boycott
L Bourne of Aberystwyth
- 5 L Hain
L Oates
Bp Worcester
L Horam
V Chandos
- 10 L Bird
L Balfe
L Davies of Brixton
L Macpherson of Earl's Court
L Northbrook
- 15 L Sikka
L Turnbull
L Desai
B Wheatcroft
B Bennett of Manor Castle
- 20 B Kramer
L Tunnicliffe
B Penn

Estimated Rising Time

The Grand Committee is expected to rise at 5pm

Notes:

- *This document sets out the matters for the day's business which the Government Whips' Office coordinates: Speakers' Lists (Companion 4.26), ministerial statements (Companion 6.02) and the grouping of amendments (Companion 8.70). It is not the formal order paper, which is produced by the Clerk of the Parliaments and is available from the Printed Paper Office and www.parliament.uk/lords*
- *Time estimates are best endeavours: there is no certainty other than for formally time-limited business. It is the duty of individual members to observe the rules on attendance at debate (Companion 4.32) and, in particular, to ensure that they are present for the start of business in which they wish to take part.*
- *The number of sessions shown for a stage of a bill represents the Government's assessment of reasonable time given the balance of bills and remaining days to the likely end of the session. Progress remains in the hands of the House. Report stage is usually half the length of Committee.*
- *The grouping of amendments is informal. Although every effort is made to secure agreement to groupings, any peer may speak to an amendment in its place on the Marshalled List. "g" before an amendment indicates a Government amendment.*
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before and after their own, and for the winding-up speeches. Ministers may decide not to answer, orally or in writing, points made by a speaker who does not stay to hear the Minister's closing speech. Members who believe that they are unlikely to be able to stay until the end of a debate should not seek to participate in it (and if the debate has a speakers' list, should remove their names from the list).