

Wednesday 13 July 2022 at 3.00pm*Oral questions (40 minutes)*

***Lord Campbell-Savours** to ask Her Majesty's Government what discussions they are having with NATO member states on developments in the conflict in Ukraine.

***Baroness Lister of Burtersett** to ask Her Majesty's Government what financial support they have provided specifically for low income families with children to help with the increased cost of living.

***Lord Berkeley** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to avoid significant settlements, and consequent speed restrictions, on the route of the HS2 rail line in the area above the Cheshire salt mines north of Crewe.

***Lord Hain** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the fiscal impact of tax cuts.

†Legislative Reform (Provision of Information etc. Relating to Disabilities) Order 2022 Baroness Vere of Norbiton to move that the draft Order laid before the House on 12 May be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 12 July. 3rd Report from the Regulatory Reform Committee*

†Occupational Pension Schemes (Governance and Registration) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 Baroness Stedman-Scott to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 6 June be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 12 July. 6th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Identity and Language (Northern Ireland) Bill [HL] Third Reading [Lord Caine]

Restoration and Renewal The Lord Privy Seal (Baroness Evans of Bowes Park) to move that this House

(1) reaffirms its commitment to preserving the Palace of Westminster for future generations and ensuring the safety of all those who work in and visit the Palace, now and in the future;

(2) notwithstanding the Resolution of 31 January 2018, welcomes the report from the House of Commons and House of Lords Commissions proposing a new mandate for the Restoration and Renewal works and a new governance structure to support them;

(3) accordingly endorses the recommendations set out in the Commissions' report; and

(4) in consequence, approves the establishment of a joint department of the two Houses, under the terms of the Parliament (Joint Departments) Act 2007. *Joint Report from the House of Lords Commission and House of Commons Commission*

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



Lord Blunkett to move, as an amendment to the above motion, at the end insert:

“(5) reaffirms its commitment that the client function for the Restoration and Renewal programme, in the form of the new joint department, must have regard to

(a) the need to ensure that—

(i) any place in which either House of Parliament is located while the Parliamentary building works are carried out; and

(ii) (after completion of those works) all parts of the Palace of Westminster used by people working in it or open to people visiting it,

are accessible to people with disabilities;

(b) the need to ensure that the Parliamentary building works are carried out with a view to facilitating improved public engagement with Parliament and participation in the democratic process (especially by means of remote access to Parliament’s educational and outreach facilities and programmes); and

(c) the need to ensure that opportunities to secure economic or other benefits of the Parliamentary building works are available in all areas of the United Kingdom.”

Supply and Appropriation (Main Estimates) Bill (*Money and Supply Bill*) Second Reading (*and remaining stages*) [Baroness Penn]

†**Energy (Oil and Gas) Profits Levy Bill** (*Money and Supply Bill*) Second Reading (*and remaining stages*) [Baroness Penn]

Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 4.15pm

Procurement Bill [HL] Committee (day 4) [Lord True] *3rd Report from the Delegated Powers Committee*

Future Business

Thursday 14 July 2022 at 11.00am

†**Royal Assent**

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Strathcarron** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what consideration they have given (1) to granting an amnesty to the 43 per cent of people who were issued with Fixed Penalty Notices (FPNs) during the COVID-19 lockdowns and who have not paid them, and (2) to refunding the remaining 57 per cent of people issued with FPNs who did pay them.

***Lord Hain** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what assessment Ministers have made of the Operation Kenova investigation into past paramilitary criminal offences in Northern Ireland.

***Lord Faulkner of Worcester** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what discussions they have had with the government of the United States of America about the participation of the United Kingdom in the semiquincentennial commemorations of the American War of Independence being planned in that country to start in 2025.

†***Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what steps they are taking (1) to address rising energy prices, and (2) to ensure the security of the United Kingdom’s energy supply for the coming winter.

Baroness Gale to move that this House takes note of the status of women and girls in the United Kingdom since 2010 with regards to their economic wellbeing, welfare, safety and opportunities.

Lord West of Spithead to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they will take to respond to the long-term security challenges posed by China. (*Topical Question for Short Debate, 1 hour*)

Baroness Whitaker to move that this House takes note of the practical impact of the Human Rights Act 1998.

Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 1.00pm

Airports Slot Allocation (Alleviation of Usage Requirements) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 Consideration in Grand Committee [Baroness Vere of Norbiton]

Money Laundering and Terrorist Financing (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 Consideration in Grand Committee [Baroness Penn] *6th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Cat and Dog Fur (Control of Movement etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2022 Consideration in Grand Committee [Viscount Younger of Leckie]

Business and Planning Act 2020 (Pavement Licences) (Coronavirus) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 Consideration in Grand Committee [Baroness Bloomfield of Hinton Waldrist] *6th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Friday 15 July 2022 at 10.00am

Domestic Premises (Electrical Safety Certificate) Bill [HL] Second Reading [Lord Foster of Bath]

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

Healthy Homes Bill [HL] Second Reading [Lord Crisp]

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

Ballot Secrecy Bill [HL] Second Reading [Lord Hayward]

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

Heritage Railways and Tramways (Voluntary Work) Bill [HL] Second Reading [Lord Faulkner of Worcester]

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

Climate and Ecology Bill [HL] Second Reading [Lord Redesdale]

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

Monday 18 July 2022 at 2.30pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Haskel** to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of forecasts of an economic downturn later this year, and what steps they are taking in response.

***Lord Roberts of Llandudno** to ask Her Majesty’s Government whether they intend to withdraw the United Kingdom from the European Convention on Human Rights.

***Lord Farmer** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what consideration they have given to advising Her Majesty The Queen to add “The Faithful” to her title; and what legislation, if any, would be required before such a title was adopted.

***Lord Lexden** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what recent inquiries they have made about a date for the start of the misconduct hearing relating to Mr Mike Veale announced by the Police and Crime Commissioner for Cleveland in August 2021.

†**United Kingdom Internal Market Act 2020 (Exclusions from Market Access Principles: Single-Use Plastics) Regulations 2022** Lord Goldsmith of Richmond Park to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 9 June be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 12 July. 5th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

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

†**Electricity and Gas (Energy Company Obligation) Order 2022** Lord Callanan to move that the draft Order laid before the House on 22 June be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 12 July. 7th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

†**Register of Overseas Entities (Delivery, Protection and Trust Services) Regulations 2022** Lord Callanan to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 22 June be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 12 July. 7th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

†**Schools Bill [HL]** Report (day 2) [Baroness Barran] *2nd and 8th Reports from the Delegated Powers Committee*

†**Conduct of Employment Agencies and Employment Businesses (Amendment) Regulations 2022** Lord Callanan to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 27 July be approved. *Instrument not yet reported by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments. Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 7th and 9th Reports (Dinner break business)*

†*It is expected that the Grand Committee on the Procurement Bill will continue in the Moses Room at 3.45pm.*

Tuesday 19 July 2022 at 2.30pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Baroness Pitkeathley** to ask Her Majesty’s Government how many government departments offer (1) paid, or (2) unpaid, leave to their staff who have caring responsibilities.

***Lord Woodley** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what steps they are taking to improve employment rights for workers in Great Britain.

***Lord Dubs** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what steps they are taking to ensure that (1) airports, and (2) airlines, in the United Kingdom have enough staff to ensure that British holiday makers do not have their holidays cancelled or delayed this summer.

†*Topical oral question. Ballot opens at 3pm on Wednesday 13 July, to be drawn at 1pm on Friday 15 July.*

†**Energy Bill [HL]** Second Reading [Lord Callanan]

If the bill is read a second time, Lord Callanan to move that the bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House, and that it be an instruction to the Committee of the Whole House that they consider the bill in the following order:

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| Clauses 1 to 16 | Schedule 11 |
| Schedule 1 | Clause 153 |
| Clauses 17 to 21 | Schedule 12 |
| Schedule 2 | Clause 154 |
| Clauses 22 to 52 | Schedule 13 |
| Schedule 3 | Clauses 155 to 160 |
| Clauses 53 and 54 | Schedule 14 |
| Schedule 4 | Clauses 161 to 168 |
| Clauses 55 to 92 | Schedule 15 |
| Schedule 5 | Clauses 169 to 197 |
| Clauses 93 to 125 | Schedule 16 |
| Schedule 6 | Clauses 198 to 219 |
| Clause 126 | Schedule 17 |
| Schedule 7 | Clauses 220 to 228 |
| Clauses 127 to 130 | Schedule 18 |
| Schedule 8 | Clauses 229 to 233 |
| Clauses 131 to 151 | Schedule 19 |
| Schedules 9 and 10 | Clauses 234 to 243 |
| Clause 152 | Title. |

†**Building Safety (Leaseholder Protections) (Information etc.) (England) Regulations 2022** Baroness Bloomfield of Hinton Waldrist to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 7 June be approved. *Instrument not yet reported by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments.*

Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 3.45pm

†**Remote Observation and Recording (Courts and Tribunals) Regulations 2022** Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Bellamy] *Instrument not yet reported by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments. 9th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee.*

†**Merchant Shipping (Additional Safety Measures for Bulk Carriers) Regulations 2022** Consideration in Grand Committee [Baroness Vere of Norbiton]

†**Chemicals (Health and Safety) Trade and Miscellaneous Amendments Regulations 2022** Consideration in Grand Committee [Baroness Stedman-Scott]

Wednesday 20 July 2022 at 3.00pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Kennedy of Southwark** to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they propose to take to ensure service charges paid by leaseholders are fair and reasonable. [I]

***Lord Harris of Haringey** to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their current estimate of the total cost of the Emergency Services Mobile Communications Programme; how this compares with the original estimate; and when they expect the Emergency Services Network will be rolled out fully.

***Lord Foulkes of Cumnock** to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their current policy in respect of any request from the Scottish Parliament for a further referendum on independence.

†*Topical oral question. Ballot opens at 3pm on Thursday 14 July, to be drawn at 1pm on Monday 18 July.*

†**Seafarers’ Wages Bill [HL]** Second Reading [Baroness Vere of Norbiton]

If the bill is read a second time, Baroness Vere of Norbiton to move that the bill be committed to a Grand Committee.

†**Slavery and Human Trafficking (Definition of Victim) Regulations 2022** Baroness Williams of Trafford to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 23 May be approved. *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 5th Report*

†**Lord Coaker** to move, as an amendment to the above motion, at the end insert “but this House regrets that the draft Regulations have not been subject to consultation, and give rise to concerns that the changes will narrow the ability of victims to be identified and to access support”.

†**Republic of Belarus (Sanctions) (EU Exit) (Amendment) Regulations 2022** Lord Ahmad of Wimbledon to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 30 June be approved. *Instrument not yet reported by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments.*

Thursday 21 July 2022 at 11.00am

Baroness Willis of Summertown will be introduced.

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Davidson of Glen Clova** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what progress they have made towards their ambition to make the United Kingdom a global cryptoasset technology hub.

***Baroness Merron** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of the variations in the quality of primary care across England, including access to GP services; and what plans they have to improve quality and access.

†*Topical oral question. Ballot opens at 3pm on Friday 15 July, to be drawn at 1pm on Tuesday 19 July.*

Lord Alton of Liverpool to move that this House takes note of (1) the impact of the Russian blockade of Ukrainian ports on food insecurity in developing countries, and (2) its contribution to the danger of famine in (a) the Horn of Africa, and (b) East Africa. (*Balloted debate*)

†**Baroness Lister of Burtersett** to ask Her Majesty’s Government what steps they are taking to ensure no unaccompanied children are removed to Rwanda because they have been mistakenly assessed to be adults. (*Topical Question for Short Debate, 1 hour*)

Lord Sikka to move that this House takes note of the economic and social risks created by the regulation and practices of private equity. (*Balloted debate*)

Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 1.00pm

†**Baroness Stowell of Beeston** to move that the Grand Committee takes note of the Report from the Communications and Digital Committee *Digital regulation: joined-up and accountable* (3rd Report, Session 2021–22, HL Paper 126).

Motions for Balloted Debate

The ballot to select two motions for debate closes on Tuesday 19 July, to be drawn on Wednesday 20 July, for debate on Thursday 8 September. Combined time limit of 5 hours.

Lord Patel to move that this House takes note of (1) the role of primary and community care in improving patient outcomes, and (2) the need for reform.

Viscount Waverley to move that this House takes note of the situation in the Middle East, with particular regard to Lebanon.

Lord Harries of Pentregarth to move that this House takes note of the role of Russia in undermining democracy in its neighbouring countries and more widely.

Select Committee Reports

The date on which the report was published is in italics.

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*

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, Session 2021–22, HL Paper 53). *27 July 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, Session 2021–22, 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, Session 2021–22, HL Paper 62). *10 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* (6th Report, Session 2021–22, HL Paper 34). *8 July 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), Session 2021–22. *10 December 2021*

Lord Blencathra to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Delegated Powers and Regulatory Reform Committee *Democracy Denied? The urgent need to rebalance power between Parliament and the Executive* (12th Report, Session 2021–22, HL Paper 106). *24 November 2021*

Lord Hodgson of Astley Abbotts to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee *Government by Diktat: A call to return power to Parliament* (20th Report, Session 2021–22, HL Paper 105). *24 November 2021*

Lord Arbuthnot of Edrom to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Risk Assessment and Risk Planning Committee *Preparing for Extreme Risks: Building a Resilient Society* (HL Paper 110), Session 2021–22. *3 December 2021*

Baroness Neville-Rolfe to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Built Environment Committee *Meeting housing demand* (1st Report, Session 2021–22, HL Paper 132). *10 January*

Lord Shipley to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Youth Unemployment Committee *Skills for every young person* (HL Paper 98), Session 2021–22. *26 November 2021*

Lord Bridges of Headley to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Economic Affairs Committee *Central bank digital currencies: a solution in search of a problem?* (3rd Report, Session 2021–22, HL Paper 131). 13 January

Lord Patel to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Science and Technology Committee *Nature-based solutions for climate change: rhetoric or reality?* (2nd Report, Session 2021–22, HL Paper 147). 27 January

Baroness Anelay of St Johns to move that this House takes note of the Report from the International Relations and Defence Committee *UNCLOS: the law of the sea in the 21st century* (2nd Report, Session 2021–22, HL Paper 159). 1 March

Lord Jay of Ewelme to move that this House takes note of the Report from the European Affairs Committee *Report from the Sub-Committee on the Protocol on Ireland/Northern Ireland: Scrutiny of EU legislative proposals within the scope of the Protocol on Ireland/Northern Ireland* (5th Report, Session 2021–22, HL Paper 177). 22 March

Baroness Hamwee to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Justice and Home Affairs Committee *Technology rules? The advent of new technologies in the justice system* (1st Report, Session 2021–22, HL Paper 180). 30 March

The Earl of Kinnoull to move that this House takes note of the Report from the European Affairs Committee *One year on—Trade in goods between Great Britain and the European Union* (4th Report, Session 2021–22, HL Paper 124). 16 December 2021

Motion Relating to Delegated Legislation

Lord Hylton to move that this House regrets that the Statement of Changes in Immigration Rules (HC17), published on 11 May, implements plans to differentiate between refugees depending on how they entered the United Kingdom, does not provide for safe routes, and was not accompanied by an impact assessment on the effect of the changes. *2nd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Questions for Short Debate

These Questions for Short Debate were drawn in the ballot on 29 June 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.

Baroness Boycott to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans, if any, they have to introduce a Food Bill to legislate for the recommendations of the *National Food Strategy*, published in July 2021.

The Lord Bishop of St Albans to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the report by the National Farmers' Union *Growing the nation's agri-food and drink exports to 2030 and beyond*, published on 27 April; and what plans they have to increase UK exports of agricultural products by 2030.

Baroness Randerson to ask Her Majesty's Government what considerations they have given to long-term funding for Transport for London.

Lord German to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to provide a permanent solution to the problems facing (1) orchestras, and (2) other creative sectors, seeking to tour and perform within the European Union.

Lord Sikka to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made, if any, of the report by Unite, *Corporate profiteering and the cost of living crisis*, published on 17 June.

Baroness Jones of Moulsecoomb to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the effects of corruption in the United Kingdom.

Lord Bilimoria to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to promote ethnic minority participation in (1) business, (2) charities, (3) universities, and (4) Government.

Lord Sheikh to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to commemorate the 50th anniversary of the arrival of Ugandan Asians to the United Kingdom following their expulsion from Uganda by Idi Amin.

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to promote Article 18 of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights.

Baroness Cox to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the humanitarian and security situation in Burma.

Lord Hunt of Kings Heath to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ensure that, and measure whether, their public health communications – particularly relating to the importance of vaccination against COVID-19, polio, and influenza – are effective in increasing awareness and improving health outcomes.

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 Campbell of Pittenweem to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the political situation in Tunisia, including the new draft Tunisian constitution, and what impact they believe suspension of the Tunisian Parliament has had on Tunisian civil society.

Lord Lexden to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to review the powers and functions of Police and Crime Commissioners.

Lord De Mauley to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the contribution of the reserved forces to the defence of the United Kingdom. [I]

Lord Norton of Louth to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to appoint a Cabinet Minister with responsibility for the Constitution.

Questions for Short Debate ballot entries

The ballot for four Questions will close on Tuesday 13 September and will be drawn on Wednesday 14 September for debate on Thursday 13 October. Time limit 1 hour.

Baroness McIntosh of Pickering to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have for the future delivery of health care in rural areas in England. (*Department of Health and Social Care*) [I]

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. (*Home Office*)

Questions for Written Answer

Tabled on 12 July and due for answer by 26 July.

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty’s Government whether they intend to hold the 11th UK–China Economic and Financial Dialogue before the appointment of the next Prime Minister; and if so, what are the reasons for making such arrangements. HL1661

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of the current foreign and domestic policy of the People’s Republic of China. HL1662

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty’s Government, in arrangements for the 11th UK–China Economic and Financial Dialogue, what consideration they have given to (1) reports that the Foreign Secretary described events in Xinjiang as a “genocide”, (2) threats to the territorial integrity of Taiwan, and (3) the statement by the Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office in the *Six-monthly report on Hong Kong*, published on 31 March, that “fundamental parts of the ‘One Country, Two Systems’ framework have been undermined”. HL1663

Baroness Barker to ask Her Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of the level of international funding for LGBT+ organisations; and what plans they have to increase the Official Development Assistance funding allocation to such groups. HL1664

Baroness Barker to ask Her Majesty’s Government what steps they are taking to place the UK as a leading funder of LGBT+ rights. HL1665

Baroness Barker to ask Her Majesty’s Government what investment they will make in the Sexual Health, Reproductive Health and HIV Innovation Fund this financial year. HL1666

Baroness Barker to ask Her Majesty’s Government how much was allocated to the Sexual Health, Reproductive Health and HIV Innovation Fund in the financial years (1) 2021–22, and (2) 2022–23. HL1667

Baroness Barker to ask Her Majesty’s Government what steps they will take to ensure that the next round of the Sexual Health, Reproductive Health and HIV Innovation Fund focuses on (1) tackling inequalities, and (2) communities who have not seen the same improvement in HIV outcomes. HL1668

Baroness Barker to ask Her Majesty’s Government what steps they will take to ensure that the next round of the Sexual Health, Reproductive Health and HIV Innovation Fund includes a focus on (1) shared learning, and (2) ensuring successful pilot projects feed in to national services. HL1669

Lord Bowness to ask Her Majesty’s Government with which EU countries they have negotiated mutual recognition of the disabled persons blue parking badges. HL1670

Lord Bowness to ask Her Majesty’s Government, further to the Written Answer by Baroness Vere of Norbiton on 17 May (HL32), when they last discussed mutual recognition of the disabled persons blue parking badges with the government of Spain; and what outstanding issues are preventing mutual recognition. HL1671

Lord Bradley to ask Her Majesty’s Government what was the (1) lower quartile, (2) median, (3) upper quartile, and (4) interquartile range, of tariff lengths for people who received a life sentence in each year since 2002. HL1672 [I]

Lord Bradley to ask Her Majesty’s Government what was the (1) lower quartile, (2) median, (3) upper quartile, and (4) interquartile range, of the number of months spent in custody by life sentence prisoners who were released in each year since 2002. HL1673 [I]

Lord Bradley to ask Her Majesty’s Government what was the (1) lower quartile, (2) median, (3) upper quartile, and (4) interquartile range, of the age of people serving a life sentence at the point of release in each year since 2002. HL1674 [I]

Lord Bradley to ask Her Majesty's Government what was the (1) mean, and (2) median, number of months spent in custody beyond tariff for life sentence prisoners at the point of release in each year since 2002. HL1675 [I]

Lord Bradley to ask Her Majesty's Government what proportion of people serving a life sentence were released at their first Parole Board hearing in each year since 2002. HL1676 [I]

Lord Bradley to ask Her Majesty's Government how many people were serving an Imprisonment for Public Protection sentence with a tariff of 10 years or more in each year, by ethnicity. HL1677 [I]

Lord Browne of Belmont to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the adequacy of support available to veterans subject to ongoing historic investigations. HL1678

Lord Browne of Belmont to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have, if any, to increase the mileage allowance for frontline care workers given the rising cost of fuel. HL1679

Lord Browne of Belmont to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the action required to safeguard universities as places of (1) free speech, and (2) challenging ideas. HL1680

Baroness Cox to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Lord Goldsmith of Richmond Park on 13 June (HL49), what assessment they have made of the violence in Abyei; and what further steps they intend to take in response. HL1681

Lord Garnier to ask Her Majesty's Government how many applications have been made for licences to permit legal advice to be given to sanctioned (1) individuals, or (2) entities, since Russia invaded Ukraine on 24 February; and how many of those applications have been (a) granted, (b) refused, and (c) not yet dealt with. HL1682

Lord Garnier to ask Her Majesty's Government how many applications have been made for licences to permit payment for legal (1) advice, or (2) representation, since Russia invaded Ukraine on 24 February; and how many of those applications have been (a) granted, (b) refused, and (c) not yet dealt with. HL1683

Lord Garnier to ask Her Majesty's Government what is the median time taken to determine licence applications to permit payment for legal (1) advice, or (2) representation. HL1684

Lord Garnier to ask Her Majesty's Government how many applications for licences to permit payment for legal (1) advice, or (2) representation, have been made by (a) barristers, or (b) solicitors. HL1685

Lord Garnier to ask Her Majesty's Government how many people are employed to deal with applications for licences to permit payment for legal (1) advice, or (2) representation. HL1686

The Lord Bishop of Gloucester to ask Her Majesty's Government how many people received a life sentence and were (1) under 18, (2) 18 to 20, (3) 21 to 24, (4) 25 to 29, (5) 30 to 34, (6) 35 to 39, (7) 40 to 49, (8) 50 to 59, (9) 60 to 69, and (10) 70 and older, at the time of sentencing in each year since 2002. HL1687

The Lord Bishop of Gloucester to ask Her Majesty's Government how many people received a life sentence with a tariff of between 10 years to less than 15 years, and were (1) under 18, (2) 18 to 20, (3) 21 to 24, (4) 25 to 29, (5) 30 to 34, (6) 35 to 39, (7) 40–49, (8) 50 to 59, (9) 60 to 69, and (10) 70 and older, at the time of sentencing in each year since 2002. HL1688

The Lord Bishop of Gloucester to ask Her Majesty's Government how many people received a life sentence with a tariff of between 15 years to less than 20 years, and were (1) under 18, (2) 18 to 20, (3) 21 to 24, (4) 25 to 29, (5) 30 to 34, (6) 35 to 39, (7) 40 to 49, (8) 50 to 59, (9) 60 to 69, and (10) 70 and older, at the time of sentencing in each year since 2002. HL1689

The Lord Bishop of Gloucester to ask Her Majesty's Government how many people received a life sentence with a tariff of between 20 years to less than 25 years, and were (1) under 18, (2) 18 to 20, (3) 21 to 24, (4) 25 to 29, (5) 30 to 34, (6) 35 to 39, (7) 40 to 49, (8) 50 to 59, (9) 60 to 69, and (10) 70 and older, at the time of sentencing in each year since 2002. HL1690

Baroness Harris of Richmond to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to introduce an annual respiratory services delivery report. HL1691

Baroness Harris of Richmond to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to increase the levels of (1) training, and (2) accreditation, for staff administering simple breathing tests, such as (a) spirometry, and (b) FeNO. HL1692

Lord Jones of Cheltenham to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the decision by the Australian software company Atlassian to leave the UK and move to the USA; and what assessment they have made of the impact that this will have on their ambition to cement the UK "as a global tech superpower", as outlined in their Digital Strategy, published on 13 June. HL1693

Lord Jones of Cheltenham to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the article 'News & campaigns' in the Incorporated Society of Musicians July/August 2022 music journal; and what assessment they have made of the concerns expressed in that article that the Schools White Paper "suggests a possible narrowing of focus away from creative subjects such as music". HL1694

Lord Jones of Cheltenham to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the article 'News & campaigns' in the Incorporated Society of Musicians July/August 2022 music journal; and what assessment they have made of the concerns expressed in that article that proposals to reform Higher Education courses "will cause particular harm to arts courses, as well as damaging the government's own levelling-up agenda". HL1695

The Earl of Leicester to ask Her Majesty's Government what estimate they have made of how many (1) vacancies, and (2) roles, there were in the farming sector, in each month of 2022. HL1696

The Earl of Leicester to ask Her Majesty's Government how many short-term visas were granted for people working in the farming sector in (1) January, (2) February, and (3) March. HL1697

Baroness Lister of Burtersett to ask Her Majesty's Government how many refugees who had entered the UK through safe and legal routes were granted leave to remain (1) every year since 2015, and (2) broken down by route. HL1698

Baroness Lister of Burtersett to ask Her Majesty's Government why the repeal of the Fixed-Term Parliaments Act 2011 required a provision to amend the Welfare Reform Act 2012 to review the benefit cap every five years, rather than in each Parliament; and why this five year period began in March 2022. HL1699

Baroness Miller of Chilthorne Domer to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they have completed preparations for the Review Conference on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons that will take place in August this year; and who will represent the UK at that conference. HL1700

Baroness Miller of Chilthorne Domer to ask Her Majesty's Government what are their priorities for the Review Conference on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons; and what emphasis will they put on the following elements of strategic risk reduction (1) building confidence, (2) increasing mutual understanding and comprehension about nuclear posture and capabilities amongst the P5, and (3) effective crisis management and crisis prevention tools. HL1701

Baroness Miller of Chilthorne Domer to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of the use of nuclear weapons; and what steps they are taking to ensure that they will not be used. HL1702

Baroness Miller of Chilthorne Domer to ask Her Majesty's Government whether, in discussions at the Review Conference on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons, and given the international political situation, they will prioritise discussion on a moratorium for (1) intermediate-range nuclear weapons, and (2) the deployment of new short-range nuclear weapons. HL1703

Baroness Miller of Chilthorne Domer to ask Her Majesty's Government whether, as outlined in the *National Report ahead of the 10th Review Conference of the Parties to the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons*, they will hold regular engagement with Parliamentarians to increase understanding and awareness of the UK's nuclear deterrence and disarmament policy, and provide opportunity for dialogue. HL1704

Lord Randall of Uxbridge to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to review the close season for woodcock. HL1705

Lord Randall of Uxbridge to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they plan to use Official Development Assistance funds to support countries to deliver an ambitious post-2020 global biodiversity framework under the Convention on Biological Diversity; and if so, how. HL1706

Lord Randall of Uxbridge to ask Her Majesty's Government how they plan to support the international implementation of the Global Ocean Alliance 30by30 initiative. HL1707

Baroness Randerson to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Baroness Vere of Norbiton on 8 July (HL1360), who are the industry partners who have provided cost estimates for funding the East Coast Digital Programme; what is the 3 Lines of Defence approach to scrutinising cost estimates; and who is responsible for the independent analysis within the 3 Lines of Defence approach. HL1708

Baroness Randerson to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Baroness Vere of Norbiton on 8 July (HL1360), what assessment they have made of additional capacity that will be produced by the East Coast Digital Programme. HL1709

Lord Rosser to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by the Parliamentary Under-Secretary for the Home Office on 8 February 2021 (HC 144733), how it was possible for an individual to take the Life in the UK test 118 times in 2015 and 2016 when government guidance says that applicants must wait 7 days before taking the test again. HL1710

Lord Rosser to ask Her Majesty's Government how many people who are (1) survivors of sexual and gender-based violence, and (2) otherwise recognised as vulnerable under the Adults at Risk policy, were brought to an immigration detention centre in (a) 2019, (b) 2020, and (c) 2021. HL1711

Lord Rosser to ask Her Majesty's Government how many British citizens have paid to send email enquiries via SITEL UK; and what is the cost to the applicant of sending such an email from within the UK. HL1712

Lord Selkirk of Douglas to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking (1) to coordinate a response to the outbreak of avian influenza in seabird colonies across Britain, (2) to put in place a surveillance programme that will improve the early detection of avian flu in wild bird populations in the future, and (3) to (a) plan for, and (b) mitigate the risk of, the spread of avian flu to other species, including marine mammals such as grey seals. HL1713

Baroness Sugg to ask Her Majesty's Government what estimate they have made of the cost of hosting refugees from Ukraine for the calendar year 2022; and whether this cost will be borne by the Official Development Assistance budget. HL1714

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to address falling retail sales. HL1715

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to tackle rising energy prices. HL1716

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to introduce VAT relief for small businesses until the end of the tax year. HL1717

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to reintroduce mandatory mask-wearing in hospitals. HL1718

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.

6 June (20 June)

HL684 Lord Stevens of Birmingham [Department of Health and Social Care]

8 June (22 June)

HL791 Lord Jones of Cheltenham [Department of Health and Social Care]

13 June (27 June)

HL927 Lord Taylor of Warwick [Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs]

14 June (28 June)

HL952 Lord Norton of Louth [Department for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities]

HL946 Baroness Kennedy of Cradley [Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs]

15 June (29 June)

HL1021 Lord Tyrie [Department of Health and Social Care]

20 June (4 July)

HL1083 The Marquess of Lothian [Home Office]

HL1086 The Marquess of Lothian [Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office]

HL1090 Lord Newby [Home Office]

21 June (5 July)

HL1132 Baroness Armstrong of Hill Top [Home Office]

HL1158 Lord Lilley [Department of Health and Social Care]

22 June (6 July)

HL1194 Lord Mendelsohn [Department of Health and Social Care]

23 June (7 July)

HL1232 Lord Craig of Radley [Home Office]

HL1234 Baroness Finlay of Llandaff [Department of Health and Social Care]

27 June (11 July)

HL1269 Baroness Deech [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL1277 Lord Knight of Weymouth [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL1272 Baroness Finlay of Llandaff [Home Office]

HL1284 Lord Rosser [Home Office]

HL1286 Lord Rosser [Home Office]

QUESTIONS FOR WRITTEN ANSWER

28 June (12 July)

HL1316 Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick [Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs]

HL1321 The Lord Bishop of St Albans [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL1301 Baroness Altmann [Department of Health and Social Care]

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

Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs (3)

Department for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities (1)

Department of Health and Social Care (10)

Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office (1)

Home Office (7)

Bills in Progress

| | Type of Bill | To be considered |
|---|---------------------|-------------------------|
| Waiting for Second Reading | | |
| Supply and Appropriation (Main Estimates) Bill (<i>Supply Bill—11 July</i>) | Government | 13 July |
| Energy (Oil and Gas) Profits Levy Bill (<i>Supply Bill—12 July</i>) | Government | 13 July |
| Domestic Premises (Electrical Safety Certificate) Bill [HL] | Private Member's | 15 July |
| Heritage Railways and Tramways (Voluntary Work) Bill [HL] | Private Member's | 15 July |
| Climate and Ecology Bill [HL] | Private Member's | 15 July |
| Healthy Homes Bill [HL] | Private Member's | 15 July |
| Ballot Secrecy Bill [HL] | Private Member's | 15 July |
| Government of Wales (Devolved Powers) Bill [HL] | Private Member's | |
| OFCOM (Duty regarding Prevention of Serious Self-harm and Suicide) Bill [HL] | Private Member's | |
| House of Lords (Peerage Nominations) Bill [HL] | Private Member's | |
| Coroners (Determination of Suicide) Bill [HL] | Private Member's | |
| Women, Peace and Security Bill [HL] | Private Member's | |
| Genocide Determination Bill [HL] | Private Member's | |
| Health Promotion Bill [HL] | Private Member's | |
| Public Advocate Bill [HL] | Private Member's | |
| School (Reform of Pupil Selection) Bill [HL] | Private Member's | |
| Protection for Whistleblowing Bill [HL] | Private Member's | |
| Water Safety (Curriculum) Bill [HL] | Private Member's | |
| Education (Non-religious Philosophical Convictions) Bill [HL] | Private Member's | |
| Private Burial Grounds and Cemeteries Bill [HL] | Private Member's | |
| Employment and Trade Union Rights (Dismissal and Re-engagement) Bill [HL] | Private Member's | |
| Marine Protected Areas (Bottom Trawling) Bill [HL] | Private Member's | |
| Northern Ireland Troubles (Legacy and Reconciliation) Bill | Government | |
| Seafarers' Wages Bill [HL] | Government | 20 July |
| Energy Bill [HL] | Government | 19 July |
| Marriage (Same Sex Couples) (Overseas Territories) Bill [HL] | Private Member's | |
| Road Traffic Offences (Cycling) Bill [HL] | Private Member's | |
| Inheritance Tax Act 1984 (Amendment) (Siblings) Bill [HL] | Private Member's | |
| Wellbeing of Future Generations Bill [HL] | Private Member's | |
| Certificate of Loss Bill [HL] | Private Member's | |
| Committed to a Grand Committee | | |
| Procurement Bill [HL] | Government | 13 July |
| Social Housing (Regulation) Bill [HL] | Government | |
| Higher Education (Freedom of Speech) Bill | Government | |
| Committed to a Committee of the Whole House | | |
| Clean Air (Human Rights) Bill [HL] | Private Member's | |
| Front-loaded Child Benefit Bill [HL] | Private Member's | |
| Universal Credit (Removal of Two Child Limit) Bill [HL] | Private Member's | |

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| Refugees (Family Reunion) Bill [HL] | Private Member's | |
| Local Authority (Housing Allocation) Bill [HL] | Private Member's | |
| Waiting for Report | | |
| Schools Bill [HL] | Government | 18 July |
| Product Security and Telecommunications Infrastructure Bill | Government | |
| Waiting for Third Reading | | |
| Identity and Language (Northern Ireland) Bill [HL] | Government | 13 July |
| Sent to the Commons | | |
| Social Security (Special Rules for End of Life) Bill [HL] (<i>Scottish Legislative Consent granted</i>) | Government | |
| UK Infrastructure Bank Bill [HL] | Government | |

Statutory Instruments in Progress

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

Draft Building Safety (Leaseholder Protections) (Information etc.) (England) Regulations 2022 *5th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (19 July)*

Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) (Amendment) (No. 10) Regulations 2022 *6th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Remote Observation and Recording (Courts and Tribunals) Regulations 2022 *9th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (19 July)*

Draft Conduct of Employment Agencies and Employment Businesses (Amendment) Regulations 2022 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 7th and 9th Reports (18 July)*

Draft Warm Home Discount (Scotland) Regulations 2022 *9th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Republic of Belarus (Sanctions) (EU Exit) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (*20 July*)

Draft Merchant Shipping (High Speed Craft) Regulations 2022

Draft Drivers' Hours, Tachographs, International Road Haulage and Licensing of Operators (Amendment) Regulations 2022

Draft Exclusivity Terms for Zero Hours Workers (Unenforceability and Redress) Regulations 2022

Draft Motor Fuel (Composition and Content) (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) Regulations 2022

Draft Merchant Shipping (Safety Standards for Passenger Ships on Domestic Voyages) (Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2022

Money Laundering and Terrorist Financing (High-Risk Countries) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022

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

Draft Slavery and Human Trafficking (Definition of Victim) Regulations 2022 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 5th Report (20 July)*

Draft Occupational Pension Schemes (Governance and Registration) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 *6th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (13 July)*

Draft United Kingdom Internal Market Act 2020 (Exclusions from Market Access Principles: Single-Use Plastics) Regulations 2022 *5th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (18 July)*

Draft Flags (Northern Ireland) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 *6th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft Money Laundering and Terrorist Financing (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 *6th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (14 July)*

Draft Business and Planning Act 2020 (Pavement Licences) (Coronavirus) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 *6th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (14 July)*

Draft Cat and Dog Fur (Control of Movement etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2022 *(14 July)*

Draft Airports Slot Allocation (Alleviation of Usage Requirements) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 *6th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (14 July)*

Draft Merchant Shipping (Additional Safety Measures for Bulk Carriers) Regulations 2022 *(19 July)*

Draft Electricity and Gas (Energy Company Obligation) Order 2022 *7th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (18 July)*

Draft Register of Overseas Entities (Delivery, Protection and Trust Services) Regulations 2022 *7th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (18 July)*

Draft Chemicals (Health and Safety) Trade and Miscellaneous Amendments Regulations 2022 *(19 July)*

Draft Health and Social Care Act (Northern Ireland) 2022 (Consequential Amendments) Order 2022

Negative Instruments

Statement of Changes in Immigration Rules *2nd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ended 29 June*

Immigration and Nationality (Fees) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 *Praying time ends 14 July*

Education (Information About Individual Pupils) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 *4th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 15 July*

Allocation of Housing and Homelessness (Eligibility) (England) and Persons Subject to Immigration Control (Housing Authority Accommodation and Homelessness) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 *4th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 15 July*

National Health Service (Charges to Overseas Visitors) (Amendment) (No. 3) Regulations 2022 *4th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 16 July*

Health Protection (Notification) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 *4th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 16 July*

Allocation of Housing and Homelessness (Eligibility) (England) and Persons Subject to Immigration Control (Housing Authority Accommodation and Homelessness) (Amendment) (No. 3) Regulations 2022 *4th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 18 July*

M56 Motorway (Junctions 6 to 7) (Variable Speed Limits) Regulations 2022 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 5th Report. Praying time ends 15 July*

Common Organisation of the Markets in Agricultural Products (Third Country Listing for Fruit and Vegetables) (Amendment, etc.) Regulations 2022 *5th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 16 July*

Common Organisation of the Markets in Agricultural Products (Marketing Standards and Organic Products) (Transitional Provisions) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 *5th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 16 July*

Official Controls (Extension of Transitional Periods) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 *5th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 17 July*

National Health Service (Areas of Integrated Care Boards: Appointed Day) Regulations 2022 *5th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 18 July*

Customs (Safety and Security Procedures) Regulations 2022 *5th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 19 July*

Draft School Admission Appeals Code 2022 *6th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 8 September*

School Admissions (England) (Coronavirus) (Appeals Arrangements) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 *6th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 8 September*

National Health Service (General Medical Services Contracts and Personal Medical Services Agreements) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 *7th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 12 September*

Liability of Trade Unions in Proceedings in Tort (Increase of Limits on Damages) Order 2022 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 9th Report. Praying time ends 16 September*

Direct Payments to Farmers (Advance Payments and Activation of Payment Entitlements) (Amendment) (England) Regulations 2022 *9th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 20 September*

Coasting Schools (England) Regulations 2022 *9th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 22 September*

Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (Regulated Activities) (Amendment) (No. 2) Order 2022 *9th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 22 September*

Official Controls (Plant Health) (Frequency of Checks) Regulations 2022 *9th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 22 September*

Legislative Reform Order in Progress

Draft order laid before the House and reported by the Regulatory Reform Committee

Draft Legislative Reform (Provision of Information etc. Relating to Disabilities) Order 2022 *(Affirmative) 3rd Report from the Regulatory Reform Committee (13 July)*

Human Rights Remedial Order

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

Proposal for the Draft State Immunity Act 1978 (Remedial) Order 2022 *Scrutiny period expires: 19 July*

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

European Parliamentary Elections (Amendment and Revocation) (United Kingdom and Gibraltar) (EU Exit) Regulations 2022 *Sifting period expires: 20 July*

Financial Services (Miscellaneous Amendments) (EU Exit) Regulations 2022 *Sifting period expires: 20 July*

Treaties before the House

Free Trade Agreement, done at London on 16 December 2021 and Adelaide on 17 December 2021, between the United Kingdom and Australia *Scrutiny period expires: 20 July*

Decision No 2/2021 of the UK–Switzerland Trade Joint Committee of 16 July 2021 amending the Appendix to Annex 1 of the Trade Agreement between the Swiss Confederation and the United Kingdom *Scrutiny period expires: 20 July*

Protocol, done at Montreal on 6 October 2016, relating to an Amendment to Article 50(a) of the Convention on International Civil Aviation *Scrutiny period expires: 20 July*

Protocol, done at Montreal on 6 October 2016, relating to an Amendment to Article 56 of the Convention on International Civil Aviation *Scrutiny period expires: 20 July*

Protocol, done at Brussels on 5 July 2022, to the North Atlantic Treaty on the Accession of the Republic of Finland *Scrutiny period expires: 18 October*

Protocol, done at Brussels on 5 July 2022, to the North Atlantic Treaty on the Accession of the Kingdom of Sweden *Scrutiny period expires: 18 October*

Retirements

The following members of the House have given notice of their intention to retire.

Viscount Ullswater (20 July)

Lord Colwyn (21 July)

Lord Astor of Hever (22 July)

Lord Mackay of Clashfern (22 July)

Lord Lawson of Blaby (31 December)

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.

Wednesday 13 July

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| International Agreements Committee | Room 4A | 9.30am |
| Environment and Climate Change Committee | Room G-32, Millbank House | 10.00am |
| International Relations and Defence Committee | Room 4 | 10.30am |
| Constitution Committee | Room 2 | 2.15pm |
| Human Rights (Joint Committee) | Room 6 | 2.45pm |
| Statutory Instruments (Joint Committee) | Virtual meeting | 3.40pm |

Thursday 14 July

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| Fraud Act 2006 and Digital Fraud Committee | Committee Room G | 9.30am |
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Monday 18 July

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| Delegated Powers and Regulatory Reform Committee | Room G-32, Millbank House | 2.30pm |
| Children and Families Act 2014 Committee | | 3.00pm |
| Adult Social Care Committee | Virtual meeting (webcast) | 3.00pm |
| Land Use in England Committee | | 3.30pm |
| National Security Strategy (Joint Committee) | Room 4A | 4.00pm |

Tuesday 19 July

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|---|---------------------------|---------|
| Justice and Home Affairs Committee | | 10.00am |
| Industry and Regulators Committee | | 10.30am |
| Communications and Digital Committee | | 2.15pm |
| Economic Affairs Committee | | 3.00pm |
| European Affairs Committee | | 3.00pm |
| Delegated Powers and Regulatory Reform Committee, Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee | Room G-32, Millbank House | 3.15pm |

Wednesday 20 July

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| Public Services Committee | | 3.00pm |
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Tuesday 6 September

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| Built Environment Committee | | 9.45am |
| Science and Technology Committee | | 10.00am |

Thursday 8 September

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| House of Lords Commission | | 12.30pm |
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Wednesday 14 September

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| Finance Committee | Committee Room G | 3.15pm |
| Conduct Committee | 2-03 Millbank House | 4.00pm |

Minutes of Proceedings of Tuesday 12 July 2022

The House met at 2.30pm.

Prayers were read by the Lord Bishop of Carlisle.

Select Committee Reports

1 Delegated Powers and Regulatory Reform

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

Energy Bill [HL]: Parts 1-2

Energy (Oil and Gas) Profits Levy Bill

Schools Bill [HL]: Government Response

Product Security and Telecommunications Infrastructure Bill: Government Response. (8th Report, HL Paper 45)

2 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:

Draft Conduct of Employment Agencies and Employment Businesses (Amendment) Regulations 2022 and one related instrument

Includes information paragraphs on:

Draft Warm Home Discount (Scotland) Regulations 2022

Remote Observation and Recording (Courts and Tribunals) Regulations 2022

Direct Payments to Farmers (Advance Payments and Activation of Payment Entitlements) (Amendment) (England) Regulations 2022

Coasting Schools (England) Regulations 2022

Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (Regulated Activities) (Amendment) (No. 2) Order 2022

Official Controls (Plant Health) (Frequency of Checks) Regulations 2022. (9th Report, HL Paper 46)

3 Science and Technology

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

“Science and technology superpower”: more than a slogan? (1st Report, HL Paper 47)

Public Business

4 Schools: financial education A question was asked by Baroness Sater and answered by Baroness Barran.

5 Cannabis: medicinal use A question was asked by Baroness Meacher and answered by Lord Kamall.

6 International development strategy: volunteering A question was asked by Baroness Armstrong of Hill Top and answered by Lord Goldsmith of Richmond Park.

7 General Practitioners: shortage A question was asked by Baroness McIntosh of Pickering and answered by Lord Kamall.

8 Draft Mental Health Bill A message was brought from the Commons that they concur with the Lords message of 5 July that it is expedient that a Joint Committee of Lords and Commons be appointed to consider and report on the draft Mental Health Bill (CP 699) presented to both Houses on 27 June, and that they have ordered:

That a Select Committee of six Members be appointed to join with a Committee appointed by the Lords to consider the draft Mental Health Bill.

That the Committee should report by 16 December 2022.

That the Committee shall have power:

- (i) to send for persons, papers and records;
- (ii) to sit notwithstanding any adjournment of the House;
- (iii) to report from time to time;
- (iv) to appoint specialist advisers; and
- (v) to adjourn from place to place within the United Kingdom.

That the quorum of the committee shall be two; and

That Rosena Allin-Khan, Marsha De Cordova, Jonathan Gullis, Dan Poulter, Ben Spencer and Sir Charles Walker be members of the Committee.

9 Energy (Oil and Gas) Profits Levy Bill A bill to make provision for, and in connection with, imposing a charge on ring fence profits of companies, certified by the Speaker as a money bill, was brought from the Commons and read a first time.

10 Schools Bill [HL] After debate, the report was received. Amendments 4, 6 to 9, 11 to 29, 35, 36, 39, 40, 48 to 56 and 61 were agreed to. Amendments 30 and 58 were disagreed to (see divisions 1 and 2). The report stage was adjourned after amendment 61.

11 Building etc. (Amendment) (England) Regulations 2022 Baroness Hayman of Ullock moved that this House regrets that the Building etc. (Amendment) (England) Regulations 2022 will not apply to a significant number of buildings and that it has taken five years since the Grenfell Tower tragedy for the regulations to be laid (SI 2022/603). After debate, the motion was withdrawn.

The House adjourned. The House resumed.

12 Schools Bill [HL] The report stage was continued, beginning with amendment 62. Amendments were considered. The report stage was adjourned after amendment 64.

The House adjourned at 10.03pm until Wednesday 13 July at 3.00pm.

Simon Burton
Clerk of the Parliaments

Grand Committee Business

The Grand Committee met in the Moses Room at 3.45pm.

United Kingdom Internal Market Act 2020 (Exclusions from Market Access Principles: Single-Use Plastics) Regulations 2022 Lord Goldsmith of Richmond Park moved that the Grand Committee do consider the draft United Kingdom Internal Market Act 2020 (Exclusions from Market Access Principles: Single-Use Plastics) Regulations 2022. After debate, the motion was agreed to.

Legislative Reform (Provision of Information etc. Relating to Disabilities) Order 2022 Baroness Vere of Norbiton moved that the Grand Committee do consider the draft Legislative Reform (Provision of Information etc. Relating to Disabilities) Order 2022. After debate, the motion was agreed to.

Electricity and Gas (Energy Company Obligation) Order 2022 Lord Callanan moved that the Grand Committee do consider the draft Electricity and Gas (Energy Company Obligation) Order 2022. After debate, the motion was agreed to.

Register of Overseas Entities (Delivery, Protection and Trust Services) Regulations 2022 Lord Callanan moved that the Grand Committee do consider the draft Register of Overseas Entities (Delivery, Protection and Trust Services) Regulations 2022. After debate, the motion was agreed to.

Occupational Pension Schemes (Governance and Registration) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 Baroness Stedman-Scott moved that the Grand Committee do consider the draft Occupational Pension Schemes (Governance and Registration) (Amendment) Regulations 2022. After debate, the motion was agreed to.

The Committee adjourned at 7.31pm.

Papers

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

Command Paper

The following paper was presented to the House by command of Her Majesty:

- 1 Broadcasting —Report and Accounts of the BBC Group 2021–22. (—)

Papers not subject to Parliamentary Proceedings

The following papers were laid before the House:

- 1 Report and Accounts of the British Board of Film Classification 2021
- 2 Report and Accounts of the Video Standards Council 2021
- 3 Report and Accounts of the Crown Prosecution Service 2021–22
- 4 Report and Accounts of the Parliamentary Works Sponsor Body 2021–22
- 5 Report and Accounts of Restoration and Renewal Delivery Authority Limited 2021–22
- 6 Report and Accounts of the Supreme Court and Judicial Committee of the Privy Council 2021–22
- 7 Report and Accounts of Transport Focus 2021–22
- 8 Report and Accounts of Black Country Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust 2021–22
- 9 Report and Accounts of Kingston Hospital NHS Foundation Trust 2021–22
- 10 Report and Accounts of Moorfields Eye Hospital NHS Foundation Trust 2021–22
- 11 Report and Accounts of Great Ormond Street Hospital for Children NHS Foundation Trust 2021–22
- 12 Report and Accounts of Sheffield Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust 2021–22
- 13 Report and Accounts of South East Coast Ambulance Service NHS Foundation Trust 2021–22

Divisions**Schools Bill [HL]****Division No. 1**

Baroness Meacher moved amendment 30, after clause 27, to insert the new clause *Religion and worldviews education*. The House divided:

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Division No. 2

Lord Storey moved amendment 58, after clause 39, to insert the new clause *Provision of free school lunches to all pupils in households in receipt of universal credit*. The House divided:

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