

HOUSE OF LORDS BUSINESS

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Thursday 27 October 2022 at 11.00am

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Clement-Jones** to ask His Majesty's Government, further to reports that (1) at least 48 councils employ private companies to issue penalties for public spaces protection orders, and (2) many councils pay those companies per fine issued which incentivises companies to issue more penalties than may be necessary, what plans they have to introduce statutory guidance prohibiting this practice.

***Lord Moylan** to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have for resentencing prisoners serving indeterminate sentences for public protection.

***Lord Oates** to ask His Majesty's Government what discussions they have had with the government of Zimbabwe about the continued detention of opposition members of the Zimbabwean parliament Job Sikhala and Godfrey Sithole, and other opposition activists.

***Lord Dubs** to ask His Majesty's Government who will represent the United Kingdom at the COP27 conference in Egypt.

Lord Popat to move that this House takes note of the 50th anniversary of the expulsion of Asians from Uganda. (*2½ hours*)

The Lord Bishop of St Albans to ask His Majesty's Government what representations they have made to the government of Iran concerning the recent demonstrations in that country. (*Topical Question for Short Debate, 1 hour*)

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). (*2½ hours*)