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TODAY'S LISTS
THURSDAY 17 NOVEMBER 2022

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Business in the Chamber at 11.00am

Prayers by the Bishop of St Albans (5 mins)

Introduction

**Lord Leong, and
Baroness O'Neill of Bexley will be introduced**

Oral Questions (40 mins)

- * Baroness Pitkeathley to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the report by Carers UK *Heading for Crisis*, published on 18 October, which showed that 40 per cent of carers receiving Carers Allowance are in debt and unable to make ends meet; and what steps they intend to take in response. **(Baroness Stedman-Scott, DWP)**
- * Lord Dubs to ask His Majesty's Government what is their policy to tackle childhood obesity. **(Lord Markham, DHSC)**
- * Lord Blunkett to ask His Majesty's Government what precedent exists for peerages to be recommended by the Prime Minister but with a request for the Monarch not to issue Letters Patent until an unspecified date in the future. **(Baroness Neville-Rolfe, CO)**
- * The Lord Bishop of St Albans to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of Paris overtaking London as Europe's most valuable stock market. **(Baroness Penn, HMT)**

Business expected to be brief

Business of the House Motion - Lord True

Questions on an Oral Statement made in the House of Commons on 16 November (40 mins)

'Missile Incident in Poland' - Lord Ahmad of Wimbledon (FCDO)

Main Business

Baroness Thornton to move that this House takes note of the short and long term challenges presented by Long Covid. (Time-limited to 2½ hours)

Speakers:

B Thornton

- L Bethell
B Scott of Needham Market
B Donaghy
5 L Kakkar
Bp Exeter
L Liddle
B Watkins of Tavistock
V Stansgate
10 E Clancarty
L Brooke of Alverthorpe
B Masham of Ilton (v)
L Griffiths of Burry Port
B Meacher
15 B Taylor of Bolton
B Neuberger
B Pitkeathley

- B Brinton
L Markham
20 B Thornton

Except for Baroness Thornton (15 mins), Baroness Brinton (10 mins), and Lord Markham (20 mins), all speeches are limited to 6 mins

Topical Question for Short Debate

Lord Addington to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to celebrate the success of national women's sports, particularly in team sports.

(Time-limited to 60 minutes)

Speakers:

- L Addington
L Hayward
B Taylor of Bolton
L McNally
5 B Jenkin of Kennington
B Grey-Thompson
L Sandhurst
B Sater

- B Burt of Solihull
- 10 L Bassam of Brighton
L Parkinson of Whitley Bay

Except for Lord Addington (10 minutes) and Lord Parkinson of Whitley Bay (12 minutes), all speeches are limited to 4 minutes.

Baroness Warwick of Undercliffe to move that this House takes note of the multiple problems affecting all tenures in the housing market in England; and the case for a coherent strategy to encompass the social, economic, and environmental aspects of housing and construction. (Time-limited to 2½ hours)

Speakers:

- B Warwick of Undercliffe
L Lilley
B Thornhill
B Taylor of Stevenage (Maiden)
- 5 L Best
L Davies of Brixton
L Cormack
L Campbell-Savours (V)
L Crisp
- 10 L Dubs
V Hanworth
- L Khan of Burnley
B Scott of Bybrook
B Warwick of Undercliffe

Except for Baroness Warwick of Undercliffe (15 mins), Lord Khan of Burnley (10 mins), and Baroness Scott of Bybrook (20 mins), all speeches are limited to 10 mins

Last Business

A Repeat of an Oral Statement taking place in the House of Commons today (40 mins)

'G20' – Leader of the House of Lords

Estimated rising time

The House is expected to rise at around 6.30pm.

Business in Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 1pm

Question for Short Debate

Lord James of Blackheath to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they will take to ensure that the Libor system remains available to be exercised by the Bank of England in the event that inter-bank lending is at risk of collapse.

(Time-limited to 60 minutes)

Speakers:

L James of Blackheath

B Kramer

L Tunncliffe

B Penn

Except for Lord James of Blackheath (10 minutes) and Baroness Penn (12 minutes), all speeches are limited to 10 minutes.

At 2pm

Question for Short Debate

Lord Hussain to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of human rights in India, particularly in Kashmir. (Time-limited to 60 minutes)

Speakers:

L Hussain

B Verma

E Sandwich

L Ranger

5 L Harries of Pentregarth

L Purvis of Tweed

L Collins of Highbury

L Ahmad of Wimbledon

Except for Lord Hussain (10 minutes) and Lord Ahmad of Wimbledon (12 minutes), all speeches are limited to 6 minutes.

At 3pm

Question for Short Debate

The Lord Bishop of St Albans to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of allegations of human rights abuses in China. (Time-limited to 60 minutes)

Speakers:

Bp St Albans

L Alton of Liverpool

L Rogan

L Purvis of Tweed

5 L Collins of Highbury

L Ahmad of Wimbledon

Except for The Lord Bishop of St Albans (10 minutes) and Lord Ahmad of Wimbledon (12 minutes), all speeches are limited to 9 minutes.

At 4pm

Question for Short Debate

Lord Risby to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to support the horse racing industry in the United Kingdom. (Time-limited to 60 minutes)

Speakers:

L Risby

L Lipsey

L Foster of Bath

B McIntosh of Pickering

5 L Trees

B Hayman of Ullock

L Parkinson of Whitley Bay

Except for Lord Risby (10 minutes) and Lord Benyon (12 minutes), all speeches are limited to 7 minutes.

Estimated Rising Time

The Grand Committee is expected to rise at around 5pm.

Notes:

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