

GOVERNMENT WHIPS' OFFICE
HOUSE OF LORDS

TODAY'S LISTS
TUESDAY 6 DECEMBER 2022

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Business in the Chamber at 2.30pm

Prayers by the Bishop of Carlisle (5 mins)

Oral Questions (40 mins)

- * Baroness Prashar to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the ethical considerations of the use of x-rays to determine the age of child refugees seeking asylum in the United Kingdom. **(Lord Murray of Blidworth, HO)**
- * Lord Woodley to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the compatibility of their employment policies with the International Labour Organisation's *Declaration on Fundamental Principles and Rights at Work*. **(Lord Callanan, BEIS)**
- * Lord Bird to ask His Majesty's Government what estimate they have made, if any, of the savings that might be realised by their cross-government cost-cutting exercise. **(Baroness Penn, HMT)**
- * Lord McNicol of West Kilbride to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the outcome of COP27; and what plans they have to address the issues raised at the conference. **(Lord Callanan, BEIS)**

Business expected to be brief

Draft Mental Health Bill - motion to amend the date of Report - The Lord Privy Seal

Genetic Technology (Precision Breeding) Bill - motion to discharge the order of commitment - Lord Harlech

Energy Bill [HL] - motion to discharge the order of commitment - Lord Callanan

Questions on an Oral Statement made in the House of Commons on Wednesday 30 November (40 mins)

'Prison Capacity Update' - Lord Bellamy (MoJ)

Main Business

National Security Bill - Second Reading - Lord Sharpe of Epsom

Speakers:

L Sharpe of Epsom

L Coaker
L Marks of Henley-on-Thames
L Evans of Weardale
5 B Ramsay of Cartvale
L Wallace of Saltaire
B Manningham-Buller
L West of Spithead
B Jones of Moulsecoomb
10 L Bethell
L Beith
L Carlile of Berriew
L Tyrie
L Stevenson of Balmacara
15 L Ricketts
B D'Souza
B Kramer
L Craig of Radley

B Ludford
20 L Ponsonby of Shulbrede
L Sharpe of Epsom

- **commitment and order of consideration motion – Lord Sharpe of Epsom**

The following two motions are expected to be debated together:

Regret motion on the Food (Promotion and Placement) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (SI 2022/1007) – Baroness Merron

Regret motion on the Food (Promotion and Placement) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (SI 2022/1007) – Baroness Walmsley

Royal Assent

Estimated rising time

The House is expected to rise at 8.30pm.

Business in Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 3.45pm

Merchant Shipping (Standards of Training, Certification and Watchkeeping) Regulations 2022 - Consideration in Grand Committee - Baroness Vere of Norbiton

Social Security (Class 2 National Insurance Contributions Increase of Threshold) Regulations 2022 - Consideration in Grand Committee - Baroness Penn

Money Laundering and Terrorist Financing (High-Risk Countries) (Amendment) (No. 3) Regulations 2022 - Consideration in Grand Committee - Baroness Penn

Restriction of Hazardous Substances in Electrical and Electronic Equipment (Exemptions) (Fees) Regulations 2022 - Consideration in Grand Committee - Lord Benyon

Agricultural Holdings (Fee) Regulations 2022 - Consideration in Grand Committee - Lord Benyon

Estimated Rising Time

The Grand Committee is expected to rise at around 6pm.

Notes:

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