

HOUSE OF LORDS BUSINESS

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Items marked † are new or have been altered. Bills marked § have been set down before the expiry of the recommended minimum interval between stages.

Monday 19 December 2022 at 2.30pm

Lord Verdirame, and

Lord Watson of Wyre Forest will be introduced.

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Dubs** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the number of hospital beds currently occupied by patients who could be discharged to their own homes or to residential care if social care support were available.

***Lord Balfe** to ask His Majesty's Government what plans the Prime Minister has to meet representatives of the Trades Union Congress, as well as individual trade unions, in the light of the current economic situation.

***Lord Robathan** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the deployment of military personnel over Christmas to replace Border Force staff, ambulance drivers, and other public sector workers taking industrial action; and what plans they have to give those military personnel additional pay.

***Baroness Meacher** to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to fund research into the health impact of plastic through a new National Plastic Health Impact Research Fund.

Public Contracts (Amendment) Regulations 2022 Baroness Bloomfield of Hinton Waldrist to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 8 November be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 13 December*

South Yorkshire Passenger Transport Executive (Transfer of Functions) Order 2023 Baroness Vere of Norbiton to move that the draft Order laid before the House on 8 November be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 13 December*

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

Product Safety and Metrology (Amendment and Transitional Provisions) Regulations 2022 Lord Callanan to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 14 November be approved. *20th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Considered in Grand Committee on 13 December*

Conformity Assessment (Mutual Recognition Agreements) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 Lord Callanan to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 21 November be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 13 December*

†§**National Security Bill** Committee [Lord Sharpe of Epsom] *10th Report from the Constitution Committee, 20th Report from the Delegated Powers Committee, 5th Report from the Joint Committee on Human Rights*

Baroness Hooper to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to improve trade and investment relations with countries in Central America. *(Dinner break business, 1 hour)*

Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 3.45pm

Energy Bill [HL] Committee (day 5) [Lord Callanan]