

Thursday 12 January 2023 at 11.00am

Baroness O’Grady of Upper Holloway will be introduced.

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Brooke of Alverthorpe** to ask His Majesty’s Government whether they have any plans to increase the top rate of the new alcohol duty bands, forecasted to take effect from August 2023.

***Lord Carrington** to ask His Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of the demand and supply of housing in the private rented sector in the implementation of their housing policy.

***Lord Kennedy of Southwark** to ask His Majesty’s Government when they plan to introduce legislation to address issues faced by residential leaseholders.

***Lord Watson of Invergowrie** to ask His Majesty’s Government whether they intend to review the skills and experience required for the role of Chair of the Social Mobility Commission, following the resignation of the previous chair.

The following two motions are expected to be debated together:

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).

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).

Lord Arbutnot 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* (Session 2021–22, HL Paper 110).

Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 1.00pm

Lord Randall of Uxbridge to ask His Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of the outcome of the United Nations Biodiversity Conference: COP15, held in Montreal between 7 and 19 December 2022; and to what extent the United Kingdom is fulfilling all of its international obligations to protect biodiversity. [I] *Balloted Question for Short Debate (1 hour)*

Lord Sikka to ask His Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of the paper by the Journal of Epidemiology and Community Health *Bearing the burden of austerity: how do changing mortality rates in the UK compare between men and women?* published on 4 October 2022. *Balloted Question for Short Debate (1 hour)*

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



Lord Vaizey of Didcot to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of their funding for Oak National Academy on the publishing and education technology sectors in the United Kingdom. *Balloted Question for Short Debate (1 hour)*

Lord Oates to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to work with other Commonwealth nations to block Zimbabwe's readmission into the Commonwealth until it is compliant with the principles of the Commonwealth's 1991 Harare Declaration. *Balloted Question for Short Debate (1 hour)*

Future Business

Monday 16 January 2023 at 2.30pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Sikka** to ask His Majesty's Government, further to the reply by Lord Sharpe of Epsom on 30 June 2022 (HL Deb cols 755–6) relating to allegations of banks forging customer signatures, what steps they have taken (1) to investigate and to prosecute banks for forging customer signatures, and (2) to compensate the victims.

***Baroness Merron** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the United Kingdom's readiness for any future pandemics.

***Lord Young of Cookham** to ask His Majesty's Government whether it remains their policy to build 300,000 homes a year.

***Lord Sahota** to ask His Majesty's Government, further to the statement by the Prime Minister on Illegal Immigration on 13 December 2022 (HC Deb cols 885–8), what steps they plan to take, if any, against those local authorities that do not take their fair share of asylum seekers in the private rental sector.

†**Business of the House** The Lord Privy Seal (Lord True) to move that Standing Order 44 (*No two stages of a Bill to be taken on one day*) be dispensed with on Wednesday 18 January to allow the Stamp Duty Land Tax (Temporary Relief) Bill to be taken through all its remaining stages that day.

†**National Security Bill** Committee (day 4) [Lord Sharpe of Epsom] *10th Report from the Constitution Committee, 20th and 21st Reports from the Delegated Powers Committee, 5th Report from the Joint Committee on Human Rights*

Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 3.45pm

Energy Bill [HL] Committee (day 6) [Lord Callanan]

Tuesday 17 January 2023 at 2.30pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Baroness Anelay of St Johns** to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to achieve reform of the membership and powers of the United Nations Security Council. [1]

***Baroness Sherlock** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ensure that parents can access the childcare they need in order to work.

***Lord Dubs** to ask His Majesty's Government how many asylum seekers are awaiting a decision about their status; and in the last 12 months, (1) how many have been granted asylum, and (2) how many have been removed from the country.

Topical oral question. Ballot to be drawn at 1pm on Friday 13 January.

Levelling-up and Regeneration Bill Second Reading [Baroness Scott of Bybrook]

If the bill is read a second time, Baroness Scott of Bybrook 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:

Clauses 1 to 13	Schedule 10
Schedule 1	Clauses 105 to 124
Clauses 14 to 25	Schedule 11
Schedule 2	Clauses 125 to 154
Clauses 26 to 31	Schedule 12
Schedule 3	Clauses 155 to 158
Clauses 32 to 54	Schedule 13
Schedule 4	Clauses 159 to 162
Clauses 55 to 77	Schedule 14
Schedule 5	Clauses 163 to 169
Clauses 78 to 86	Schedule 15
Schedule 6	Clauses 170 to 186
Clauses 87 to 90	Schedule 16
Schedule 7	Clauses 187 to 191
Clauses 91 to 94	Schedule 17
Schedule 8	Clauses 192 to 211
Clauses 95 to 101	Schedule 18
Schedule 9	Clauses 212 to 223
Clauses 102 to 104	Title.

Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 3.45pm

†**Bereavement Benefits (Remedial) Order 2022** Consideration in Grand Committee [Viscount Younger of Leckie]

Transport (Scotland) Act 2019 (Consequential Provisions and Modifications) Order 2023 Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Offord of Garvel]

Pensions Appeal Tribunals (Late Appeal) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 Consideration in Grand Committee [Baroness Goldie]

Energy Bill Relief Scheme Pass-through Requirement (Heat Suppliers) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Callanan] *24th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Wednesday 18 January 2023 at 3.00pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Wigley** to ask His Majesty’s Government what additional financial resources they have made available to the government of Wales, over and above the Barnett formula consequential provisions, to meet unforeseen financial needs for which no provision was made in Wales 2022–23 expenditure plans.

***The Earl of Clancarty** to ask His Majesty’s Government what support they will provide for the continuing preservation and maintenance of national parks, and in consideration of their role in fighting climate change.

***Lord Colgrain** to ask His Majesty’s Government what progress they have made in determining a link between avian influenza and game birds; and in respect of any such link, what plans they have to ban the rearing and release of game birds, given the impact that this could have on the rural labour market.

Topical oral question. Ballot opens at 3pm on Thursday 12 January, to be drawn at 1pm on Monday 16 January.

†**Stamp Duty Land Tax (Temporary Relief) Bill** Second Reading [Baroness Penn]

†*If the motion in the name of the Lord Privy Seal on Monday 16 January is agreed to, it is expected that the remaining stages will also be taken.*

It is expected that the Committee stage of the National Security Bill will continue, and that it will conclude.

Lord Snape to move that this House regrets that the Railways (Penalty Fares) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (SI 2022/1094) increase penalty fares at a time of (1) substantial disruptions on many services, in particular those of Avanti West Coast, and (2) continuing customer confusion over complex and differing ticket pricing arrangements from different train companies, in a system described as “too fragmented, too complicated, and too expensive to run” by the Department for Transport and the Williams Rail Review in its report, *Great British Railways: The Williams-Shapps Plan for Rail*; and calls on His Majesty’s Government urgently to bring forward legislation as part of its promise to simplify ticketing arrangements. *17th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (Dinner break business)*

It is expected that the Grand Committee on the Energy Bill [HL] will continue in the Moses Room at 4.15pm.

Thursday 19 January 2023 at 11.00am

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Hampton** to ask His Majesty’s Government what steps they are taking, if any, in response to the increasing sophistication of artificial intelligence software and its subsequent use by pupils in secondary schools, particularly in creative subjects.

***Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick** to ask His Majesty’s Government whether they have plans to introduce PCR testing and an annual vaccination programme for young infants, children and older adults in relation to seasonal Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV).

***Lord Black of Brentwood** to ask His Majesty’s Government what steps they are taking to improve rates of early detection of osteoporosis.

Topical oral question. Ballot opens at 3pm on Friday 13 January, to be drawn at 1pm on Tuesday 17 January.

Lord Pickles to move that this House takes note of International Holocaust Memorial Day.

Baroness Benjamin to ask His Majesty’s Government what plans they have to celebrate the 75th anniversary of the arrival of the Windrush and the contribution made by Caribbean people to Britain. *(Topical Question for Short Debate, 1 hour)*

†**Baroness Verma** to move that this House takes note of the importance of the relationship between the United Kingdom and India and the case for strengthening future collaboration.

Friday 20 January 2023 at 10.00am

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)*.

Baroness Taylor of Bolton to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Constitution Committee *Respect and Co-operation: Building a Stronger Union for the 21st century* (10th Report, Session 2021–22, HL Paper 142).

Lord Hollick to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Industry and Regulators Committee *The net zero transformation: delivery, regulation and the consumer* (1st Report, Session 2021–22, HL Paper 162).

Monday 23 January 2023 at 2.30pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Balfe** to ask His Majesty's Government what discussions they have had with trade unions concerning changes to workers' rights proposed in the Retained EU Law (Revocation and Reform) Bill.

***Baroness Gohir** to ask His Majesty's Government what representations they have made to the Taliban concerning its commitments to allow Afghan girls to go to school and Afghan women to work.

***Lord Liddle** to ask His Majesty's Government what progress they have made with the allocation of Levelling Up funding.

***Baroness Chakrabarti** to ask His Majesty's Government what are the most recent rape (1) reporting, (2) prosecution, and (3) conviction, rates in England and Wales; and how many forces have rolled out Operation Soteria.

Tuesday 24 January 2023 at 2.30pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***The Lord Bishop of Durham** to ask His Majesty's Government what forecast they have made of the number of people from Syria, Afghanistan, Eritrea, Iran, and Sudan who will travel to the United Kingdom via a safe route in order to seek asylum in 2023.

***Baroness Lister of Burtersett** to ask His Majesty's Government how many families in receipt of Universal Credit are subject simultaneously to the benefit cap and the two child limit.

***Baroness Twycross** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of the current economic situation on the hospitality industry.

Wednesday 25 January 2023 at 3.00pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Baroness Taylor of Stevenage** to ask His Majesty's Government, given the impact of current levels of inflation on budget planning for local councils for 2023–24, what support they are providing to councils in setting balanced budgets and ensuring that local services are delivered.

***Lord Bach** to ask His Majesty's Government whether they have any plans to change the accountability arrangements for Police and Crime Commissioners.

***Lord Harris of Haringey** to ask His Majesty's Government what is their latest estimate of expenditure incurred in purchasing faulty personal protective equipment (PPE) during the COVID-19 pandemic; how much had been recovered by 31 December 2022; and how much they forecast to recover by 31 December 2023.

Thursday 26 January 2023 at 11.00am

Lord Sewell of Sanderstead will be introduced.

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord McNicol of West Kilbride** to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to support manufacturing in the United Kingdom following the UK's departure from the European Union.

***Baroness Buscombe** to ask His Majesty's Government what reforms they are proposing to the Mental Health Act 1983.

***Lord Touhig** to ask His Majesty's Government what is their strategy to ensure the needs of autistic pupils are fully met in mainstream secondary schools.

†**Lord Robathan** to move that this House takes note of the level of resilience of the Armed Forces, given the reduction in personnel and equipment as set out in the *Defence in a Competitive Age* command paper (CP 411), published on 22 March 2021. (*Balloted debate*)

†*Topical Question for Short Debate. Ballot opens at 10am on Monday 16 January, to be drawn at 12 noon on Tuesday 17 January.*

†**Baroness Armstrong of Hill Top** to move that this House takes note of the report by the Commission on Young Lives, *Hidden in Plain Sight*, published on 4 November 2022, and the life chances and educational prospects of vulnerable teenagers. (*Balloted debate*)

Monday 30 January 2023 at 2.30pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Collins of Highbury** to ask His Majesty's Government what are their priorities for discussion at the World Economic Forum Annual Meeting 2023.

***Baroness Hayter of Kentish Town** to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have, if any, to introduce regulations for car headlight glare to reduce the reported problem of drivers being dazzled, especially from LEDs.

***Lord Watson of Wyre Forest** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to protect rivers and beaches from pollution.

***Lord Craig of Radley** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of the United Kingdom's sanctions on Russia's operational capabilities against Ukraine.

Tuesday 31 January 2023 at 2.30pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Viscount Stansgate** to ask His Majesty's Government what renewed assessment they have made of the possibility of the United Kingdom participating in the Horizon Europe research and innovation programme in 2023.

***Lord Coaker** to ask His Majesty's Government what progress they have made with the update to the 2021 Integrated Review of Security, Defence, Development and Foreign Policy.

***Baroness Kennedy of Cradley** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ensure that eligible households are aware of the social broadband tariffs available to them.

Wednesday 1 February 2023 at 3.00pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Bassam of Brighton** to ask His Majesty's Government what consideration they have given to introducing new criminal sanctions in England and Wales for those tailgating to gain illegal entry at football matches; and what other measures they are planning to take further to *The Baroness Casey Review: An independent Review of events surrounding the UEFA Euro 2020 Final 'Euro Sunday' at Wembley*, published in December 2021.

***Baroness Hodgson of Abinger** to ask His Majesty's Government how many people were evacuated from Afghanistan to the United Kingdom under the Afghan Citizens Resettlement Scheme in 2022; and how many of these were women.

***Lord Woodley** to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to retain employment rights legislation contained in retained European Union law beyond the end of 2023.

Thursday 2 February 2023 at 11.00am

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Baroness Wilcox of Newport** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to implement the eighth recommendation of the *Union Connectivity Review*, published on 26 November 2021, to invest in the South Wales main line and ease congestion on the M4.

***Baroness Benjamin** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to address the decline in production of commercial Public Service Broadcasting children's television content.

***Lord Strathcarron** to ask His Majesty's Government, further to the Written Statement by the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster on 24 November 2022 (HCWS386), what plans they have to commission an independent review of the (1) scale, (2) capabilities, (3) ethics, and (4) impact on rights, of CCTV in the United Kingdom.

Monday 6 February 2023 at 2.30pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord West of Spithead** to ask His Majesty's Government how they intend to achieve Full Operating Capability for the Carrier Strike Group operating within a Maritime Task Group configuration by December 2023, given the requirement for 36 F-35B Lightning aircraft.

***Baroness Warwick of Undercliffe** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the adequacy of support for bereaved children in schools.

***Lord Lexden** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the work of legally-qualified chairs in police misconduct cases.

***Lord Aberdare** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to increase the access to minimally invasive cancer therapies.

Tuesday 7 February 2023 at 2.30pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Hain** to ask His Majesty's Government how many NHS trusts are (1) providing, or (2) planning to provide, food banks for nurses and other NHS staff.

***Lord Rooker** to ask His Majesty's Government when they expect to announce a decision following the consultation on the Bread and Flour Regulations 1988 which closed on 23 November 2022.

***Lord Watson of Invergowrie** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they intend to take in response to the risk status of school buildings collapsing being raised to "critical – very likely" in the Department for Education's *Consolidated annual report and accounts*, published on 19 December 2022 (HC 918).

Wednesday 8 February 2023 at 3.00pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

†***Lord Young of Norwood Green** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to encourage NHS Trusts to use British-made washable PPE garments with RFID (radio frequency identification) tags that can be laundered multiple times, instead of single use garments which go to landfill.

†***Lord Snape** to ask His Majesty's Government what representations they have received from organisations representing disabled people about the widespread introduction of Driver Only Operated trains on the rail network.

†***Baroness Jones of Moulsecoomb** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the report by the Energy and Climate Intelligence Unit *Cost of Not Net Zero in 2022*, published on 30 December 2022; and in particular, the finding that the delay in switching to renewables and improving energy efficiency resulted in some households paying around £1,750 extra on their bills last year.

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 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 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 2022*

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 2022*

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*

The Earl of Kinnoull to move that this House takes note of the Report from the European Affairs Committee *Citizens' Rights* (1st Report, Session 2021–22, HL Paper 46). *23 July 2021*

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: Follow-up report* (2nd Report, HL Paper 57). *27 July 2022*

Lord Bridges of Headley to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Economic Affairs Committee *Investing in energy: price, security, and the transition to net zero* (1st Report, HL Paper 49). *21 July 2022*

The Earl of Kinnoull to move that this House takes note of the Report from the European Affairs Committee *The UK–EU relationship in financial services* (1st Report, HL Paper 21). *23 June 2022*

Baroness Andrews to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Common Frameworks Scrutiny Committee *Common frameworks: an unfulfilled opportunity?* (1st Report, HL Paper 41). *15 July 2022*

Lord Hodgson of Astley Abbotts to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Liaison Committee *The Ties that Bind: Citizenship and Civic Engagement in the 21st Century Follow-up report* (5th Report, Session 2021–22, HL Paper 179). *29 March 2022*

Baroness McIntosh of Pickering to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Liaison Committee *The Licensing Act 2003: post-legislative scrutiny Follow-up report* (2nd Report, HL Paper 39). *11 July 2022*

Baroness Parminter to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Environment and Climate Change Committee *In our hands: Behaviour change for climate and environmental goals* (1st Report, HL Paper 64). *12 October 2022*

Motions Relating to Delegated Legislation

Lord Hunt of Kings Heath to move that this House regrets that the changes to dental contracts in the National Health Service (Primary Dental Services) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (SI 2022/1132) will not have a significant impact on improving access to dental treatment whilst current workforce shortages persist. *18th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Baroness Randerson to move that this House regrets that the Subsidy Control (Information-Gathering Powers) (Modification) Regulations 2022 (SI 2022/1152) remove important requirements to consult the devolved governments in relation to subsidy control policy and undermine a United Kingdom wide approach to the regulation of subsidies. *19th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Lord Allan of Hallam to move that this House regrets that the Communications Act 2003 (Restrictions on the Advertising of Less Healthy Food) (Effective Date) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (SI 2022/1311) will delay for 33 months, until 1 October 2025, the implementation of the ban on advertising less healthy foods and drinks before the 9pm watershed on television, on radio and on online media. *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 24th Report*

†**Baroness Chapman of Darlington** to move that this House regrets that the data supporting the Education (School Teachers' Qualifications and Induction Arrangements) (Amendment) (England) Regulations 2022 (SI 2022/1256) suggests that they will not prevent the continued fall in the number of overseas teachers qualifying to work in England over recent years (other than in 2021–22); and that the Regulations therefore demonstrate that His Majesty's Government lack a coherent, holistic plan for the teaching workforce in England. *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 24th Report*

Questions for Short Debate

These Questions for Short Debate were drawn in the ballot on Wednesday 21 December 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.

The Lord Bishop of St Albans to ask His Majesty's Government The Lord Bishop of St Albans to ask His Majesty's Government what they are doing to alleviate the consequences of the famine in the Horn of Africa.

Lord Berkeley to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to improve detection rates for stranded vehicles which have broken down on motorways without hard shoulders.

Baroness Hayter of Kentish Town to ask His Majesty's Government why they used a Memorandum of Understanding rather than a treaty as the vehicle for the agreement with Rwanda on the transfer of asylum seekers. *7th Report from the International Agreements Committee*

Lord Leigh of Hurley to ask His Majesty's Government what further fiscal steps they will take to facilitate the growth of small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs).

Lord Crisp to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the report by the All-Party Parliamentary Group on Global Health *Probable Futures and Radical Possibilities*, published on 13 July 2022; and what plans they have to develop the roles of NHS staff to fit the changing health needs which that report describes.

Lord Clement-Jones to ask His Majesty's Government what principles and safeguards they have designed for public authorities to implement regarding the procurement of services via public private partnerships which involve (1) surveillance technology, and (2) the mass processing of personal data including biometrics.

Viscount Waverley to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ensure there is a cross-government vision for trade and for driving global growth.

Baroness Jenkin of Kennington to ask His Majesty's Government what consideration they have given to changes to the vehicle licensing rules for young people including (1) restrictions on transporting children, (2) a minimum learning period, and (3) introducing a window of time during the night when they are prohibited from driving.

Lord Popat to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to (1) raise awareness among United Kingdom businesses of commercial opportunities in African markets, and (2) support United Kingdom exports to Africa.

Lord Hunt of Kings Heath to ask His Majesty's Government what progress they have made in reorganising acute stroke services to a 24/7 networked approach, to enable local systems to deliver the National Stroke Service Model.

Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of radiotherapy services and sessions for cancer patients in hospitals in England; and what plans they have for further financial investment in such services.

Lord Warner to ask His Majesty's Government what progress they have made in establishing NHS (1) diagnostic, and (2) surgical, hubs; and what steps they have taken to recruit the required health and social care staff for the next decade.

Lord Patel to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to improve cancer outcomes, including by (1) dealing with the backlog of patients waiting for care, (2) promoting research, and (3) implementing preventative measures to reduce incidence of cancers.

Baroness Andrews to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the state of adult social care; and what plans they have, if any, to increase support for (1) unpaid carers, and (2) people who draw on care.

The Earl of Caithness to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to approve the use of herbicides for the control of bracken.

Questions for Short Debate ballot entries

The ballot for four Questions will be drawn on Tuesday 7 February for debate on Thursday 23 February. Time limit 1 hour.

Baroness Bakewell to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to support lifelong learning in the working population. (*Department for Education*)

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

Lord Shipley to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the relevance of the Barnett Formula in the distribution of public spending across the United Kingdom. (*Treasury*)

Lord Wolfson of Aspley Guise to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to increase the supply and improve the quality of the homes people want, in the places they want to live, while ensuring that development does not adversely affect existing communities. (*Department for Levelling Up, Housing, and Local Communities*)

Baroness Andrews to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the equality and availability of adult social care; and what plans they have, if any, to increase support for (1) unpaid carers, and (2) people who draw on care. (*Department of Health and Social Care*)

Lord Bach to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to change the (1) structure, (2) purpose, and (3) powers of Police and Crime Panels. (*Home Office*)

†**Baroness Bennett of Manor Castle** to ask His Majesty's Government how the National Resilience Framework will operate in each department and arm of government. (*Cabinet Office*)

†**Baroness Tyler of Enfield** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of (1) the working conditions of civil servants, and (2) the relationships between Ministers and civil servants. (*Cabinet Office*)

Questions for Written Answer

Tabled on 11 January and due for answer by 25 January.

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the Hong Kong Autonomy Act in the USA; and what plans they have, if any, to introduce similar measures in the UK. HL4644

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the Hong Kong Human Rights and Democracy Act in the USA; and what plans they have, if any, to introduce similar measures in the UK. HL4645

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of Executive Order 13936 in the USA which implements provisions of that country's Hong Kong Autonomy Act and the Hong Kong Human Rights and Democracy Act; and what plans they have, if any, to introduce similar measures in the UK. HL4646

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the remarks by Samantha Power, Administrator of USAID, who said that a "humanitarian catastrophe" is unfolding in Nagorno-Karabakh; and what steps they are taking urgently to enable NGOs and charities to fly humanitarian aid into the region. HL4647

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask His Majesty's Government what estimate they have made of (1) the amount of PPE purchased for the UK that is being stored in China, and (2) the cost of such storage. HL4648

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have for the disposal or continued storage of PPE purchased for the UK and stored in China. HL4649

Baroness Bennett of Manor Castle to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking (1) to monitor concentrations of non-antibiotic pharmaceuticals and personal care product residues in terms of driving the evolution of antimicrobial resistance in the environment, and (2) to fund more research into the risks they may pose to human health. HL4650

Baroness Bennett of Manor Castle to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to monitor, measure, or mitigate the impacts of microbial pollution as a result of sewage pollution, in respect of the emergence and spread of antimicrobial resistance. HL4651

Baroness Bennett of Manor Castle to ask His Majesty's Government whether they have plans to reassess the guidance to GP practices on the erasure of medical records of adopted children, given (1) the increasing understanding of the usefulness of current and future genetic screening technologies, and (2) the use of family information to inform screening and treatment. HL4652

Lord Bourne of Aberystwyth to ask His Majesty's Government what recent assessment they have made of the number of people sleeping rough. HL4653

Lord Bourne of Aberystwyth to ask His Majesty's Government what lessons they have learned from the COVID-19 pandemic period in their approach to rough sleeping. HL4654

Lord Bourne of Aberystwyth to ask His Majesty's Government what help they are providing to the UK space industry; in particular, in regards to space launches. HL4655

Lord Bradley to ask His Majesty's Government how many people serving a life sentence had their first parole hearing on or after tariff expiry; and, for each year since 2009, how many of these were (1) directed for release, or (2) not directed for release, following the hearing. HL4656 [I]

The Lord Bishop of Chelmsford to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the execution of anti-government protestors in Iran, and what discussions they have had with the government of Iran about this matter. HL4657

Lord Farmer to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the guidance 'How to be a white ally', published by Imperial College London; and whether they intend to take steps in response to review that institution's funding. HL4658

Baroness Gale to ask His Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Lord Goldsmith of Richmond Park on 27 April 2022 (HL7869), when they expect to receive the Animal Welfare Committee's updated opinion on the welfare of farmed fish at the time of killing. HL4659

Lord German to ask His Majesty's Government, further to the remarks by Lord Sharpe of Epsom on 9 January (HL Deb col 1218), how many police forces (1) do, and (2) do not, routinely require applicants to attend a post assessment face-to-face interview before proceeding to appointment as a police officer. HL4660

Lord Grocott to ask His Majesty's Government how many police officers have (1) joined, and (2) left, the police force since 2019. HL4661

Lord Hunt of Kings Heath to ask His Majesty's Government what medicines and medical products they have given to Ukraine since the start of the Russian invasion. HL4662

Lord Hunt of Kings Heath to ask His Majesty's Government what medicines are currently not available due to stock shortages. HL4663

Baroness Jones of Moulsecoomb to ask His Majesty's Government what recent steps they have taken to address famine and food insecurity in Afghanistan; and what plans they have to provide resources to help mitigate the electricity shortage in that country. HL4664

Lord Jopling to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to send Challenger II tanks to assist the Government of Ukraine; how many shells will be provided that are suitable for a rifled barrel; and whether any other government has those shells available, given that Challenger II is the only battle tank within the NATO alliance that is capable of using this type of ammunition. HL4665

Lord Kamall to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have (1) to modernise, and (2) to automate, the gift aid system. HL4666

Lord Kamall to ask His Majesty's Government why the innovation principle was not included as one of the principles in the draft environmental principles policy statement published in May 2022; and whether they will include it in the final statement. HL4667

Lord Kamall to ask His Majesty's Government, given the absence of the innovation principle from the draft environmental principles policy statement published in May 2022, what plans they have to encourage innovation in creating a cleaner and sustainable environment. HL4668

Lord Kamall to ask His Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Lord Parkinson of Whitley Bay on 8 December 2022 (HL4451), what steps they are taking to encourage place-based giving schemes following the end of the Growing Place-based Giving Programme. HL4669

Lord Lipsey to ask His Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Lord Parkinson of Whitley Bay on 21 June 2022 (HL586) in which he stated that a review of the Money Laundering Regulations 2017 would be published in the summer, why the review has not yet been published; whether they still intend to publish the review; and if so, when. HL4670

Baroness McIntosh of Pickering to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to bring into force Schedule 3 of the Flood and Water Management Act 2010. HL4671

Lord Pearson of Rannoch to ask His Majesty's Government, further to the reply by Lord Bellamy on 10 January (HL Deb, col 1296), what research they have conducted on the impact of Muslim chaplains on Islam in prisons. HL4672

Baroness Pitkeathley to ask His Majesty's Government what is the percentage of (1) family judges, and (2) magistrates, who have completed the (a) continuation training, (b) digital training, and (c) face-to-face training, on domestic abuse that is available through the Judicial College. HL4673

Baroness Pitkeathley to ask His Majesty's Government what are the names of (1) the individuals, and (2) the organisations, who (a) write, and (b) deliver, the Judicial College training on domestic abuse to family judges and magistrates. HL4674

Baroness Randerson to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have, if any, to place the National Parking Platform on a three year funding cycle. HL4675

Baroness Randerson to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have, if any, to undertake a communications campaign to inform local government audiences about the government-backed National Parking Platform; and what assessment they have made of the benefits to local authorities of adopting the National Parking Platform. HL4676

Baroness Randerson to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to integrate payments for electric vehicle charging into parking payments as part of their policy to simplify the structure of electric vehicle parking in the UK. HL4677

Baroness Randerson to ask His Majesty's Government whether the second assessment of the Department for Transport's National Parking Platform was undertaken as required in October 2021; and if so, when the report will be published. HL4678

Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick to ask His Majesty's Government what was the total budget for education in England in each year from (1) 1 April 2015 to 31 March 2022, and (2) 1 April 2022 to 31 December 2022. HL4679

Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the monoclonal antibody Nirsevimab, which was approved by the Medicines and Healthcare products Regulatory Agency in November 2022; and when it will be made available to patients on the NHS. HL4680

Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick to ask His Majesty's Government what steps the Joint Committee on Vaccination and Immunisation (JCVI) will take to examine all Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV) technologies before deciding to offer Nirsevimab to newborn babies. HL4681

Lord Roberts of Llandudno to ask His Majesty's Government what discussions they have had with the government of Iran concerning their use of capital punishment; and in particular, the recent cases of Mohammad Mahdi Karami and Seyed Mohammad Hosseini. HL4682

Lord Roberts of Llandudno to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ensure that the correct nutritional information is provided for hospital meals so that type 1 diabetics are able to calculate their correct dose of insulin. HL4683

The Lord Bishop of St Albans to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to mitigate any damage caused to the UK farming sector by the free trade agreements with Australia and New Zealand. HL4684

The Lord Bishop of St Albans to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to conduct an economic impact assessment on the free trade agreements with Australia and New Zealand. HL4685

The Lord Bishop of St Albans to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the implications of China's Belt and Road Initiative on countries in the Horn of Africa. HL4686

The Lord Bishop of St Albans to ask His Majesty's Government what discussions they have had with the government of China regarding the independence of Hong Kong's judicial system. HL4687

The Lord Bishop of St Albans to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of reports of an increase in the number of pupils who are ineligible for free school meals being unable to afford lunch. HL4688

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to increase the use of online court sittings. HL4689

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have, if any, to review (1) the conveyancing system, and (2) associated legislation. HL4690

Lord Truscott to ask His Majesty's Government when they will respond to the improving the energy performance of privately rented homes consultation, which ran from 30 September 2020 to 8 January 2021. HL4691

Lord Watson of Wyre Forest to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the analysis by Liang Chen et. al. 'Another Year of Record Heat for the Oceans', published in *Advances in Atmospheric Sciences* on 11 January; and in particular, the claim that it is likely that the oceans are now at their hottest for 1,000 years and heating faster than any time in the last 2,000 years. HL4692

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.

28 October 2022 (11 November 2022)

HL3012 Baroness Kennedy of Cradley [Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs]

8 November 2022 (22 November 2022)

HL3282 Baroness Kennedy of Cradley [Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs]

23 November 2022 (7 December 2022)

HL3705 Baroness Jones of Whitchurch [Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs]

24 November 2022 (8 December 2022)

HL3742 Baroness Bennett of Manor Castle [Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs]

28 November 2022 (12 December 2022)

HL3791 Lord Alton of Liverpool [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL3792 Lord Alton of Liverpool [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL3793 Lord Alton of Liverpool [Department of Health and Social Care]

29 November 2022 (13 December 2022)

HL3858 The Lord Bishop of St Albans [Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs]

1 December 2022 (15 December 2022)

HL3945 Baroness Parminter [Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs]

2 December 2022 (16 December 2022)

HL3968 Baroness Kennedy of Cradley [Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs]

6 December 2022 (20 December 2022)

HL4058 Baroness Jones of Whitchurch [Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs]

HL4059 Baroness Jones of Whitchurch [Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs]

7 December 2022 (21 December 2022)

HL4112 Baroness Redfern [Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs]

8 December 2022 (22 December 2022)

HL4184 Lord Taylor of Warwick [Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs]

9 December 2022 (23 December 2022)

HL4205 Lord Shipley [Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs]

HL4199 Baroness Finlay of Llandaff [Department of Health and Social Care]

12 December 2022 (28 December 2022)

HL4219 The Lord Bishop of Exeter [Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs]

HL4220 The Lord Bishop of Exeter [Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs]

HL4221 The Lord Bishop of Exeter [Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs]

13 December 2022 (29 December 2022)

HL4273 Baroness Young of Old Scone [Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs]

14 December 2022 (30 December 2022)

HL4285 Baroness Foster of Aghadrumsee [Home Office]

HL4286 Lord Foster of Bath [Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs]

HL4301 Lord Randall of Uxbridge [Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs]

15 December 2022 (3 January)

HL4349 Lord Taylor of Warwick [Department of Health and Social Care]

16 December 2022 (4 January)

HL4360 Baroness Kennedy of Cradley [Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs]

19 December 2022 (5 January)

HL4421 Baroness Kennedy of Cradley [Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs]

HL4399 Lord Addington [Department for Education]

21 December 2022 (9 January)

HL4490 Baroness McIntosh of Pickering [Department for International Trade]

HL4476 Baroness Bennett of Manor Castle [Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs]

HL4477 Baroness Bennett of Manor Castle [Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs]

HL4469 Lord Alton of Liverpool [Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office]

HL4484 The Earl of Dundee [Department for International Trade]

HL4485 The Earl of Dundee [Department for International Trade]

HL4487 The Earl of Dundee [Department for International Trade]

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

Education (1)

Environment, Food and Rural Affairs (22)

Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office (1)

Health and Social Care (5)

Home Office (1)

International Trade (4)

Bills in Progress

	Type of Bill	To be considered
Waiting for Second Reading		
OFCOM (Duty regarding Prevention of Serious Self-harm and Suicide) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Public Advocate 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] (<i>King's consent to be signified</i>)	Private Member's	
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	
Leasehold Reform (Reasonableness of Service Charges) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Leasehold Reform (Disclosure and Insurance Commissions) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
House of Lords (Hereditary Peers) (Abolition of By-Elections) (No. 2) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Marriage Act 1949 (Amendment) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Regulated and Other Activities (Mandatory Reporting of Child Sexual Abuse) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Public Service (Integrity and Ethics) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Strategic Litigation Against Public Participation (Freedom of Expression) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Leasehold Reform (Tribunal Judgments and Legal Costs) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Higher Education (Widening Access and Participation) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Mobile Homes (Pitch Fees) Bill	Private Member's	
Bank Holidays (Wales) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Leasehold Reform (Forfeiture) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Protection of Care Recipients and Carers Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Levelling-up and Regeneration Bill	Government	17 January
Stamp Duty Land Tax (Temporary Relief) Bill (<i>Money Bill—11 January</i>)	Government	18 January
Committed to a Special Public Bill Committee		
Electronic Trade Documents Bill [HL] (<i>Law Commission Bill</i>)	Government	
Committed to a Grand Committee		
Energy Bill [HL] (<i>King's and Prince of Wales' consents to be signified</i>)	Government	16 January
Financial Services and Markets Bill	Government	

Committed to a Committee of the Whole House

Local Authority (Housing Allocation) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Government of Wales (Devolved Powers) 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	
House of Lords (Peerage Nominations) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Northern Ireland Troubles (Legacy and Reconciliation) Bill	Government	
Health Promotion Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
School (Reform of Pupil Selection) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Protection for Whistleblowing Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
National Security Bill	Government	16 January
Trade (Australia and New Zealand) Bill	Government	

Waiting for Report

Northern Ireland Protocol Bill (<i>King's consent to be signified</i>) (<i>Welsh legislative consent withheld</i>)	Government	
Ecology Bill [HL] (<i>formerly Climate and Ecology Bill [HL]</i>)	Private Member's	
Front-loaded Child Benefit Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Public Order Bill	Government	
Genetic Technology (Precision Breeding) Bill (<i>King's consent to be signified</i>)	Government	

Waiting for Third Reading

Schools Bill [HL]	Government	
Universal Credit (Removal of Two Child Limit) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Refugees (Family Reunion) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Domestic Premises (Electrical Safety Certificate) Bill [HL] (<i>King's consent to be signified</i>)	Private Member's	
Heritage Railways and Tramways (Voluntary Work) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Healthy Homes Bill [HL]	Private Member's	

Sent to the Commons

UK Infrastructure Bank Bill [HL]	Government	
Social Housing (Regulation) Bill [HL]	Government	
Seafarers' Wages Bill [HL]	Government	
Ballot Secrecy Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Clean Air (Human Rights) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Procurement Bill [HL]	Government	

Returned to the Commons amended

Higher Education (Freedom of Speech) Bill	Government	
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Statutory Instruments in Progress**Affirmative Instruments waiting for consideration by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments**

Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) (Amendment) (No. 17) Regulations 2022
Draft Trade (Mobile Roaming) Regulations 2023

LEGISLATION

Draft Health and Social Care Information Centre (Transfer of Functions, Abolition and Transitional Provisions) Regulations 2023

Draft Nuclear Regulated Asset Base Model (Revenue Collection) Regulations 2023

Plant Health and Trade in Animals and Related Products (Amendment) Regulations 2022

Draft Environmental Targets (Biodiversity) (England) Regulations 2022

Draft Environmental Targets (Fine Particulate Matter) (England) Regulations 2022

Draft Environmental Targets (Marine Protected Areas) Regulations 2022

Draft Environmental Targets (Residual Waste) (England) Regulations 2022

Draft Environmental Targets (Water) (England) Regulations 2022

Draft Higher-Risk Buildings (Descriptions and Supplementary Provisions) Regulations 2023

Draft Environmental Targets (Woodland and Trees Outside Woodland) (England) Regulations 2022

Health and Safety and Nuclear (Fees) Regulations 2022

Draft Packaging Waste (Data Reporting) (England) Regulations 2023

Draft Authority to Carry Scheme and Civil Penalties Regulations 2023

Energy Bill Relief Scheme (Non-Standard Cases) Regulations 2023

Energy Bills Support Scheme and Alternative Fuel Payment Pass-through Requirement (Northern Ireland) Regulations 2023

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 Pensions Appeal Tribunals (Late Appeal) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 *(17 January)*

Draft Transport (Scotland) Act 2019 (Consequential Provisions and Modifications) Order 2023 *(17 January)*

Draft Civil Legal Aid (Housing and Asylum Accommodation) Order 2023

Energy Bill Relief Scheme Pass-through Requirement (Heat Suppliers) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 *24th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (17 January)*

Draft Civil Contingencies Act 2004 (Amendment of List of Responders) Order 2023 *24th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft Immigration (Leave to Enter and Remain) (Amendment) Order 2023

Draft Legal Aid, Sentencing and Punishment of Offenders Act 2012 (Legal Aid: Family and Domestic Abuse) (Miscellaneous Amendments) Order 2023

Draft Local Government (Structural Changes) (Supplementary Provision and Amendment) Order 2023

Draft Police and Criminal Evidence Act 1984 (Codes of Practice) (Revision of Code H) Order 2023

Negative Instruments

National Health Service (Primary Dental Services) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 *18th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ended 13 December*

Subsidy Control (Information-Gathering Powers) (Modification) Regulations 2022 *19th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ended 17 December*

Greenhouse Gas Emissions Trading Scheme (Amendment) (No. 2) Order 2022 *20th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 12 January*

Data Protection (Adequacy) (Republic of Korea) Regulations 2022 *21st Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 19 January*

Tax Credits Act 2002 (Additional Payments Modification and Disapplication) Regulations 2022 *21st Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 17 January*

Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 *22nd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 28 January*

Central Counterparties (Transitional Provision) (Extension and Amendment) Regulations 2022 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 24th Report. Praying time ends 26 January*

Education (School Teachers' Qualifications and Induction Arrangements) (Amendment) (England) Regulations 2022 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 24th Report. Praying time ends 27 January*

Competition Act 1998 (Research and Development Agreements Block Exemption) Order 2022 *24th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 31 January*

Competition Act 1998 (Specialisation Agreements Block Exemption) Order 2022 *24th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 31 January*

Organic Production (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 *24th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 1 February*

Water Abstraction (Transitional Provisions) (Amendment) (England) Regulations 2022 *24th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 3 February*

Communications Act 2003 (Restrictions on the Advertising of Less Healthy Food) (Effective Date) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 24th Report. Praying time ends 4 February*

Railways (Penalty Fares) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 *17th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ended 4 December 2022 (18 January)*

Human Rights Remedial Order

Draft order under paragraph 2(a) referred to the Joint Committee on Human Rights

Draft Bereavement Benefits (Remedial) Order 2022 *Scrutiny period expired: 11 December (17 January)*

Treaties before the House

Agreement between the Swiss Confederation and the United Kingdom on Mutual Recognition in relation to Conformity Assessment *Scrutiny period expires: 16 January*

Protocol, done at Strasbourg on 22 November 2017, amending the Additional Protocol to the Convention on the Transfer of Sentenced Persons 2022 *Scrutiny period expires: 20 January*

Agreement between the United Kingdom and the Italian Republic concerning Mutual Recognition of Driving Licences for the Purposes of Exchange *Scrutiny period expires: 21 February*

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.

Thursday 12 January

Electronic Trade Documents Bill [HL] Special Public Bill Committee	Room 2	9.00am
Joint Committee on the Draft Mental Health Bill	Room 15	11.00am
International Agreements Committee	Room 3-20, Millbank House	11.00am

Tuesday 17 January

Human Rights (Joint Committee)	Room 6	9.30am
Justice and Home Affairs Committee		10.00am
Science and Technology Committee		10.00am
Built Environment Committee		10.15am
Industry and Regulators Committee		10.30am
Communications and Digital Committee		2.15pm
European Affairs Committee	Room 1-15, Millbank House	3.30pm
Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee	Room G-32, Millbank House	3.45pm

Wednesday 18 January

Constitution Committee	Archbishops' Room, Millbank House	10.00am
Environment and Climate Change Committee, Environmental Audit Committee	Room 4A	10.00am
House of Lords Commission	The Lord Speaker's Room	10.00am
Delegated Powers and Regulatory Reform Committee		10.30am
International Relations and Defence Committee		10.30am
Protocol on Ireland/Northern Ireland Sub-Committee		3.00pm
Finance Committee	Room 3A	3.15pm
Statutory Instruments (Joint Committee)	Virtual meeting	3.40pm
Conduct Committee	2-03 Millbank House	4.00pm

Monday 23 January

Standing Orders (Private Bills) Committee		2.00pm
Committee of Selection	Room 2A	4.00pm

Thursday 26 January

Services Committee	Committee Room G	12.15pm
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Monday 30 January

National Security Strategy (Joint Committee)	Room 4A	4.00pm
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Monday 6 February

Parliamentary Works Estimates Commission	Room 13	3.00pm
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Tuesday 7 February

Procedure and Privileges Committee	Room 4A	11.30am
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Monday 20 February

Liaison Committee	Room G-32, Millbank House	4.00pm
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Minutes of Proceedings of Wednesday 11 January 2023

The House met at 3.00pm.

Prayers were read by the Lord Bishop of Chelmsford.

1 **Oath** Lynda Baroness Chalker of Wallasey took and subscribed the oath.

Select Committee Reports

2 **Delegated Powers and Regulatory Reform**

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

Stamp Duty Land Tax (Reduction Bill)
Trade (Australia and New Zealand) Bill. (22nd Report, HL Paper 126)

3 **Statutory Instruments**

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

Draft Civil Contingencies Act 2004 (Amendment of List of Responders) Order 2023
Draft Immigration (Leave to Enter and Remain) (Amendment) Order 2023
Draft Legal Aid, Sentencing and Punishment of Offenders Act 2012 (Legal Aid: Family and Domestic Abuse) (Miscellaneous Amendments) Order 2023
Draft Local Government (Structural Changes) (Supplementary Provision and Amendment) Order 2023
Draft Police and Criminal Evidence Act 1984 (Codes of Practice) (Revision of Code H) Order 2023
Energy Bill Relief Scheme Pass-through Requirement (Heat Suppliers) (Amendment) Regulations 2022. (22nd Report, HL Paper 127)

4 **Draft Mental Health Bill**

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

Draft Mental Health Bill 2022. (HL Paper 128)

Public Business

5 **Financial services** A question was asked by Lord Holmes of Richmond and answered by Baroness Penn.

6 **UK aid to Afghanistan** A question was asked by Lord Browne of Ladyton and answered by Lord Goldsmith of Richmond Park.

7 **Social care: Integrated Care Systems** A question was asked by Baroness Wheeler and answered by Lord Markham.

8 **Care homes: staffing** A question was asked by Baroness Pitkeathley and answered by Lord Markham.

9 **Stamp Duty Land Tax (Temporary Relief) Bill** A bill to reduce, for a temporary period, the amount of stamp duty land tax chargeable on the acquisition of residential property, certified by the Speaker as a money bill, was brought from the Commons. It was read a first time and ordered to be printed. (HL Bill 85)

10 **Stamp Duty Land Tax (Temporary Relief) Bill** The Explanatory Notes on the bill were ordered to be printed. (HL Bill 85–EN)

11 **Conduct** Baroness Manningham-Buller moved that the Report from the Select Committee *The conduct of the Earl of Shrewsbury* (2nd Report, HL Paper 120) be agreed to. The motion was agreed to. Then Baroness Manningham-Buller moved to resolve that, in accordance with Standing Order 11, the Earl of Shrewsbury be suspended from the service of the House for a period of nine months; and that, in accordance with section 1 of the House of Lords (Expulsion and Suspension) Act 2015, in the opinion of this House, the conduct giving rise to this resolution occurred after the coming into force of that Act. The motion was agreed to.

12 **Conduct** Baroness Manningham-Buller moved that the Report from the Select Committee *The conduct of Baroness Goudie* (3rd Report, HL Paper 121) be agreed to. The motion was agreed to. Then Baroness Manningham-Buller moved to resolve that, in accordance with Standing Order 11, Baroness Goudie be suspended from the service of the House for a period of six months; and that, in accordance with section 1 of the House of Lords (Expulsion and Suspension) Act 2015, in the opinion of this House, the conduct giving rise to this resolution occurred after the coming into force of that Act. The motion was agreed to.

13 **Dentists, Dental Care Professionals, Nurses, Nursing Associates and Midwives (International Registrations) Order 2022** Lord Markham moved that the draft Order laid before the House on 11 October 2022 be approved. The motion was agreed to *en bloc*.

14 **National Health Service (NHS Payment Scheme—Consultation) (No. 2) Regulations 2022** Lord Markham moved that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 16 November 2022 be approved. The motion was agreed to *en bloc*.

15 **State Immunity Act 1978 (Remedial) Order 2022** Lord Goldsmith of Richmond Park moved that the draft Order laid before the House on 7 September 2022 be approved. The motion was agreed to.

16 **Architects Act 1997 (Amendment) Regulations 2022** Baroness Bloomfield of Hinton Waldrist moved that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 14 November 2022 be approved. The motion was agreed to.

17 **Public Order Bill** Lord Sharpe of Epsom moved that the amendments for the Report stage be marshalled and considered in the following order:

Clauses 1 to 18
the Schedule

Clauses 19 to 35
Title.

The motion was agreed to.

18 **Channel 4** Lord Parkinson of Whitley Bay answered questions on an Urgent Question asked in the House of Commons on Monday 9 January.

19 **Industrial action** Lord Callanan answered questions on a statement made in the House of Commons on Tuesday 10 January.

20 **National Security Bill** The bill was further considered in Committee, beginning with amendment 63A. Amendments were considered. The House resumed after clause 29 was agreed to.

21 **National Health Service Pension Schemes (Member Contributions etc.) (Amendment) (No. 3) Regulations 2022** Lord Davies of Brixton moved that this House regrets that the measures proposed by His Majesty's Government in the National Health Service Pension Schemes (Member Contributions etc.) (Amendment) (No. 3) Regulations 2022 (SI 2022/1028) are insufficient to address fully the problems with staff retention in the NHS arising from the NHS pension arrangements. After debate, the motion was withdrawn.

22 **National Security Bill** The bill was further considered in Committee, beginning with amendment 67. Amendment 73 was agreed to. The House resumed after clause 37 was agreed to.

The House adjourned at 10.03pm until Thursday 12 January at 11.00am.

Simon Burton
Clerk of the Parliaments

Papers

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

Command Paper

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

- 1 Explanatory Memorandum (Revised)—Replacement Explanatory Memorandum to the Universal Credit (Administrative Earnings Threshold) (Amendment) Regulations 2023, originally laid on 9 January. (—)

Affirmative Instruments

The following instruments were laid before the House for approval by resolution:

- 1 Energy Bill Relief Scheme (Non-Standard Cases) Regulations 2023 (9)
- 2 Energy Bills Support Scheme and Alternative Fuel Payment Pass-through Requirement (Northern Ireland) Regulations 2023 (10)

Negative Instruments

The following instruments were laid before the House:

- 1 M42 Motorway (Junction 3) (50 Miles Per Hour Speed Limit) Regulations 2023 (11)
- 2 Immigration (Restrictions on Employment etc.) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2023 (12)
- 3 Council Tax and Non-Domestic Rating (Demand Notices) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2023 (13)
- 4 Immigration and Nationality (Fees) and Passport (Fees) (Amendment) Regulations 2023 (15)

Treaty subject to scrutiny under the Constitutional Reform and Governance Act 2010

The following paper was laid before the House by command of His Majesty on the date shown:

- 1 Transport—Agreement between the United Kingdom and the Italian Republic concerning Mutual Recognition of Driving Licences for the Purposes of Exchange (776)

