

HOUSE OF LORDS BUSINESS

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Items marked † are new or have been altered.

Tuesday 21 March 2023 at 2.30pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Kirkhope of Harrogate** to ask His Majesty's Government whether they have matched the funding previously provided by the European Union to the United Kingdom for the European Structural and Investment Funds and the European Agricultural Guarantee Fund in 2014–20; and if not, what is the extent of the shortfall.

***Lord Watson of Invergowrie** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they have taken to arrest the decline in the United Kingdom's global market share in international higher education students, which fell from 11 per cent in 2008 to eight per cent in 2019.

***Lord Blunkett** to ask His Majesty's Government, further to the decision by the European Commission to delay the introduction of the Entry/Exit System (EES) and European Travel Information and Authorisation System (ETIAS) until the end of 2023, what steps they intend to take to facilitate a smooth transition for travellers from the United Kingdom wishing to enter the European Union under the revised passenger requirements.

†***The Lord Bishop of St Albans** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the health of the British banking sector, following the challenges faced by overseas banks.

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

†**Judicial Pensions (Fee-Paid Judges) (Amendment) Regulations 2023** Lord Bellamy to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 23 January be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 20 March*

†**Criminal Justice Act 2003 (Home Detention Curfew) Order 2023** Lord Bellamy to move that the draft Order laid before the House on 8 February be approved. *30th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Considered in Grand Committee on 20 March*

†***Special Immigration Appeals Commission (Procedure) (Amendment) Rules 2023** Lord Murray of Blidworth to move that the draft Rules laid before the House on 2 February be approved. *30th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Considered in Grand Committee on 20 March*

Seafarers' Wages Bill [HL] Consideration of Commons Amendments [Baroness Vere of Norbiton]

Higher Education (Freedom of Speech) Bill Consideration of Commons Reason [Baroness Barran]

Baroness Pinnock to move that this House regrets that in laying the Building Safety (Leaseholder Protections) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2023 (SI 2023/126) His Majesty's Government have not published data on the number of landlords who have benefited from an error which allowed landlords to transfer costs of remedying historical building defects on to their leaseholders; further regrets that His Majesty's Government have no intention to identify leaseholders affected by that error to advise them to appeal to the First-tier Tribunal to recover costs; and calls on His Majesty's Government to publish these figures in a spirit of transparency and write to those affected with clear guidance on how to recover costs. *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 31st Report*

Health Education England (Transfer of Functions, Abolition and Transitional Provisions) Regulations 2023 Lord Markham to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 20 February be approved. *32nd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Baroness Merron to move, as an amendment to the above motion, at end to insert "but that this House regrets that the explanatory memorandum to the Health Education England (Transfer of Functions, Abolition and Transitional Provisions) Regulations 2023 does not offer sufficient evidence to support the change; that the information provided on the potential costs and savings from this reorganisation are unspecified and vague; that the Regulations have not been published alongside His Majesty's Government's promised NHS Workforce Plan; and that they do not guarantee that NHS England will give long-term workforce issues sufficient priority".

Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 3.45pm

Financial Services and Markets Bill Committee (day 9) [Baroness Penn] *23rd Report from the Delegated Powers Committee*