

Tuesday 11 July 2023 at 2.30pm**Royal Assent***Oral questions (40 minutes)*

***Baroness Jones of Moulsecoomb** to ask His Majesty's Government whether they plan to make preparations to adapt to a global temperature rise of 4 degrees Celsius above pre-industrial levels by 2100.

***The Lord Bishop of St Albans** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to counter rural crime.

***Baroness Randerson** to ask His Majesty's Government whether they plan to regulate the use of e-bikes.

***Lord West of Spithead** to ask His Majesty's Government in which African countries they assess the Wagner group to be operating.

Levelling-up and Regeneration Bill Report [Baroness Scott of Bybrook] *24th and 39th Reports from the Delegated Powers Committee. Scottish, Welsh and Northern Ireland Legislative Consent sought*

Future Business**Wednesday 12 July 2023 at 3.00pm***Oral questions (40 minutes)*

***Baroness Gale** to ask His Majesty's Government, further to the answer by Lord Sharpe of Epsom on 1 December 2022 (HL Deb col 1869), what progress they have made in evaluating the pilot of the Support for Migrant Victims scheme; and when, if at all, they intend to rescind their reservations on Article 59 of the European Convention on Preventing and Combating Violence against Women and Domestic Violence (the Istanbul Convention).

***Baroness Merron** to ask His Majesty's Government what recent assessment they have made of current levels of waiting lists and times for community health services for (1) children and young people, and (2) adults.

***Lord Lucas** to ask His Majesty's Government what proposals they have to support lower volumes of carbon dioxide production, as well as increased carbon capture and storage, in the cement industry.

†***Baroness Thornhill** to ask His Majesty's Government, further to the letter to the Prime Minister from housebuilding firms on 6 July, what steps they are taking to strengthen the viability of small and medium-sized housebuilders.

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Items marked † are new or have been altered

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



The Senior Deputy Speaker intends to move the following three motions en bloc: but if any Lord objects the motions must be moved separately to the extent desired.

Built Environment The Senior Deputy Speaker to move that Earl Russell be appointed a member of the Select Committee, in place of Lord Goddard of Stockport.

International Agreements The Senior Deputy Speaker to move that Lord Goldsmith be appointed a member of the Select Committee; and that Lord Goldsmith be appointed Chair of the Committee, in place of Baroness Hayter of Kentish Town.

Statutory Instruments The Senior Deputy Speaker to move that Lord Watson of Wyre Forest be appointed a member of the Select Committee, in place of Lord Leong.

Electricity Capacity (Amendment) Regulations 2023 Lord Callanan to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 12 June be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 5 July*

Healthcare (International Arrangements) (EU Exit) Regulations 2023 Lord Markham to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 5 June be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 5 July*

†**Online Safety Bill** Report (day 3) [Lord Parkinson of Whitley Bay] *28th and 38th Reports from the Delegated Powers Committee, 15th Report from the Constitution Committee, Scottish and Welsh Legislative Consent granted*

†*If a message has been received from the Commons on the Illegal Migration Bill, it is expected that it will be considered.*

Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 4.15pm

Pensions Dashboards (Amendment) Regulations 2023 Consideration in Grand Committee [Viscount Younger of Leckie] *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 44th Report*

Consumer Rights Act 2015 (Enforcement) (Amendment) Order 2023 Consideration in Grand Committee [Baroness Penn]

Business and Planning Act 2020 (Pavement Licences) (Coronavirus) (Amendment) Regulations 2023 Consideration in Grand Committee [Baroness Scott of Bybrook] *44th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Thursday 13 July 2023 at 11.00am

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Baroness Twycross** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the level of teacher vacancies, and what action they are taking to ensure adequate numbers of teachers in schools in England for the next academic year.

***Lord Black of Brentwood** to ask His Majesty's Government what action they are taking to improve the welfare of domestic animals.

***Baroness Blackstone** to ask His Majesty's Government, further to their consultation on 'Addressing carbon leakage risk to support decarbonisation' published on 30 March, what assessment they have made of the case for extending green procurement targets beyond steel and cement to include other carbon-intensive sectors covered by the UK Emissions Trading Scheme, such as paper and power, and products made from materials covered by the UK ETS, such as vehicles.

Topical oral question. Ballot to be drawn at 1pm on Tuesday 11 July.

Industrial Training Levy (Engineering Construction Industry Training Board) Order 2023 Baroness Barran to move that the draft Order laid before the House on 7 June be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 5 July*

It is expected that the Report stage of the Levelling-up and Regeneration Bill will continue.

Lord Hunt of Kings Heath to move that this House regrets the lack of an impact assessment and a full consultation exercise being undertaken in relation to the changes made through the National Health Service (Performers Lists) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2023 to the National Health Service (Performers Lists) (England) Regulations 2013, given the wide-ranging effect of those regulations on NHS primary care dentistry in England. *(Lunch break business)*

Friday 14 July 2023 at 10.00am

Employment Relations (Flexible Working) Bill Third Reading [Baroness Taylor of Bolton]

Equipment Theft (Prevention) Bill Third Reading [Lord Blencathra]

Child Support (Enforcement) Bill Third Reading [Baroness Redfern]

Women, Peace and Security Bill [HL] Third Reading [Baroness Hodgson of Abinger]

Firearms Bill Second Reading [Lord Colgrain]

If the bill is read a second time, Lord Colgrain to move that the bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

Animals (Low-Welfare Activities Abroad) Bill Second Reading [Lord Black of Brentwood]

If the bill is read a second time, Lord Black of Brentwood to move that the bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

Veterans Advisory and Pensions Committees Bill Second Reading [Lord Lancaster of Kimbolton]

If the bill is read a second time, Lord Lancaster of Kimbolton to move that the bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

Pensions (Extension of Automatic Enrolment) (No. 2) Bill Second Reading [Baroness Altmann]

If the bill is read a second time, Baroness Altmann to move that the bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

Worker Protection (Amendment of Equality Act 2010) Bill Committee [Baroness Burt of Solihull]

Monday 17 July 2023 at 2.30pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Baroness Finlay of Llandaff** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to improve outcomes in cases of sudden cardiac arrest.

***Baroness Doocey** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the merits of their proposed Electronic Travel Authorisation as compared with the proposed European Travel Information and Authorisation Service.

***Baroness Burt of Solihull** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the United Nations Committee on the Rights of the Child's recommendation that the United Kingdom should prevent the use of religion as a selection criterion for school admissions in England.

***Lord Kennedy of Southwark** to ask His Majesty’s Government what plans they have to regulate managing agents who manage leasehold properties on behalf of freeholders while being paid by leaseholders. [I]

†**Procedure and Privileges** The Senior Deputy Speaker to move that the Report from the Select Committee *Leave of Absence, Sifting of proposed negative instruments under the Retained EU Law (Revocation and Reform) Act 2023 and amendments to the SLSC Terms of Reference* (6th Report, HL Paper 228) be agreed to.

†*If the motion in the name of the Senior Deputy Speaker is agreed to, the following motion will be moved:*

†**Standing Orders (Public Business)** The Senior Deputy Speaker (Lord Gardiner of Kimble) to move that the Standing Orders relating to Public Business be amended as follows:

Standing Order 21 (*Leave of Absence*)

Leave out paragraph (3) and insert the following new paragraph:

“(3) When applying for leave of absence, a member of the House should state in their written application: (a) either the date by which they expect to return, or, if they are unable to specify a date, the circumstances which will allow their return; (b) the reason for their leave of absence; and (c) that they have a reasonable expectation that they will be in a position again to take part in the proceedings of the House.”

Standing Order 71 (*Laying of documents under Schedule 7 to the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018 and Schedule 5 to the European Union (Future Relationship) Act 2020*)

Title, delete from “and” to the end and insert “Schedule 5 to the Retained EU Law (Revocation and Reform) Act 2023

Line 1, delete “paragraphs 3(3) and” and insert “paragraph”

Line 2, delete “paragraph 8(3) of Schedule 5 to the European Union (Future Relationship) Act 2020” and insert “paragraph 6(3) of Schedule 5 to the Retained EU Law (Revocation and Reform) Act 2023”.

Tuesday 18 July 2023 at 2.30pm

†**Lord Gascoigne** and

†**Lord Bailey of Paddington** will be introduced.

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Baroness Hussein-Ece** to ask His Majesty’s Government what consideration and support they give to dependent children when their mothers are given a custodial prison sentence.

***Baroness Boycott** to ask His Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of the latest research into the effects of ultra-processed food on the mental and physical health of children and adults; and whether they plan to introduce any further restrictions on these foodstuffs.

***Lord Strasburger** to ask His Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of the work of the Counter Disinformation Unit and its impact on freedom of speech.

Wednesday 19 July 2023 at 3.00pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Baroness Walmsley** to ask His Majesty’s Government on the basis of what health evidence, if any, they have postponed the planned ban on two-for-one offers for foods high in fat, salt and sugar.

***Lord Lexden** to ask His Majesty’s Government when they expect to publish the report of the independent review, chaired by Lord Etherton, into the impact on military veterans of the pre-2000 ban on homosexuality in the armed forces, along with their response to the report.

***Lord Bruce of Bennachie** to ask His Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of the impact of the oil and gas windfall tax on investment and jobs, and the capacity of the energy sector and supply chain to deliver key components of the transition for achieving the United Kingdom’s net zero objectives.

Thursday 20 July 2023 at 11.00am

Ross Kempell and

Kulveer Ranger will be introduced as Barons.

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Young of Cookham** to ask His Majesty’s Government what steps they are taking to reduce absenteeism in schools.

***Lord Campbell-Savours** to ask His Majesty’s Government what consideration they have given to a multilateral approach involving a coalition of both Eastern and Western powers in resolving the crisis in the Ukraine.

***Baroness Stedman-Scott** to ask His Majesty’s Government what progress they have made with the Reducing Parental Conflict programme, and what plans they have for the future of that programme.

†**Non-Domestic Rating Bill** Baroness Scott of Bybrook to move that the amendments for the Report stage be marshalled and considered in the following order:

Clauses 1 to 17
Schedule

Clauses 18 to 20
Title.

Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 1.00pm

Baroness Armstrong of Hill Top to move that the Grand Committee takes note of the Report from the Public Services Committee *Emergency healthcare: a national emergency* (2nd Report, HL Paper 130).

Baroness Drake to move that the Grand Committee takes note of the Report from the Constitution Committee *The roles of the Lord Chancellor and the Law Officers* (9th Report, HL Paper 118).

Monday 24 July 2023 at 2.30pm

Charlotte Owen will be introduced as a Baroness, and

Ben Houchen will be introduced as a Baron.

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Wallace of Saltaire** to ask His Majesty’s Government when they plan to submit a draft revised *Cabinet Manual* to the appropriate committees of both Houses for their comments.

***Lord West of Spithead** to ask His Majesty’s Government what orders they have made so far, by weapon type, to replace ammunition and missile stocks given to Ukraine.

***Lord Holmes of Richmond** to ask His Majesty’s Government how many digital economy agreements the United Kingdom has made and with which countries; and how many are expected by 31 December.

***Baroness Wheeler** to ask His Majesty's Government how they are ensuring that integrated care systems across England implement recommended best practice in stroke care in line with the updated National Clinical Guideline for Stroke, published in April.

Lord Ravensdale to move that this House takes note of the ongoing development of advanced artificial intelligence, associated risks and potential approaches to regulation within the UK and internationally.

Lord Krebs to move that this House takes note of the level of preparation by His Majesty's Government in adapting to the impacts that climate change will have on health, the economy, food security, and the environment.

Tuesday 25 July 2023 at 11.00am

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Baroness Bonham-Carter of Yarnbury** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact that the United Kingdom's visa and immigration policies have on the UK creative and cultural industries.

***Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick** to ask His Majesty's Government, following advice issued by the Joint Committee on Vaccination and Immunisation on 7 June, whether they are planning to undertake an immunisation programme against respiratory syncytial virus before winter; and if not, what are the barriers to doing so.

***Lord Rooker** to ask His Majesty's Government whether it remains their policy to reduce the number of pregnancies affected by neural tube defects through mandatory folic fortification of bread flour.

Baroness Tyler of Enfield to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Children and Families Act 2014 Committee *A Failure of implementation* (HL Paper 100).

Lord Cameron of Dillington to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Land Use in England Committee *Making the most out of England's land* (HL Paper 105).

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). 22 April 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

Lord Bridges of Headley to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Economic Affairs Committee *Where have all the workers gone?* (2nd Report, HL Paper 115). 20 December 2022

Baroness Andrews to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Adult Social Care Committee *A “gloriously ordinary life”: spotlight on adult social care* (HL Paper 99). 8 December 2022

Lord Hollick to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Industry and Regulators Committee *The affluent and the effluent: cleaning up failures in water and sewage regulation* (1st Report, HL Paper 166). 22 March

Baroness Hamwee to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Justice and Home Affairs Committee *All families matter: An inquiry into family migration* (1st Report, HL Paper 144). 23 February

Questions for Short Debate

These Questions for Short Debate were drawn in the ballot on Wednesday 21 June 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 Exeter to ask His Majesty's Government what their plans are to address the housing crisis in rural and coastal communities.

Baroness Garden of Frognal to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to ensure that life skills and citizenship are taught in primary and secondary schools.

Lord Howell of Guildford to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to promote the use of small modular reactors in future nuclear power supply.

Lord Lebedev to ask His Majesty's Government what consideration they have given to providing further financial support to charitable food distributors, where demand for food is exceeding supply.

Baroness Kennedy of The Shaws to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have, if any, to declare that the situation of women in Afghanistan and Iran constitutes gender apartheid.

Lord Swire to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of current relations with North Korea.

Lord Godson to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to build on the important relationship between the United Kingdom and Japan.

Lord Farmer to ask His Majesty's Government whether they intend to ensure that 22q deletion or duplication, and other genetic syndromes are addressed in guidance accompanying the Down Syndrome Act 2022.

Lord Marland to ask His Majesty's Government what are the objectives of their international trade policy.

Baroness Jenkin of Kennington to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of ultra-processed foods on children's health.

Lord Curry of Kirkharle to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of reducing of Official Development Assistance from 0.7 per cent to 0.5 per cent of Gross National Income on small charities, particularly those working in Africa.

Lord Wolfson of Aspley Guise to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking (1) to increase the supply, and (2) to 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.

Lord Boateng to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have, if any, to bring forward legislation to enable the trustees of the British Museum to return artefacts from its collection to the countries from which they were looted in the course of military action by the British Armed Forces.

Baroness Hodgson of Abinger to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to take a lead internationally on conflict resolution.

Baroness Grey-Thompson to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to improve survival rates of sudden cardiac arrest.

Questions for Short Debate ballot entries

The ballot for four Questions closes at 5pm on Tuesday 25 July and will be drawn on Wednesday 26 July for debate on Thursday 14 September. Time limit 1 hour.

Lord Jackson of Peterborough to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to reduce the incidence of out-of-hospital cardiac arrest. (*Department of Health and Social Care*)

Lord Boateng to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to address inequalities in access to musical education in school. (*Department for Education*)

Lord Black of Brentwood to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to improve access to, and quality of, services in England for people with osteoporosis and those at risk of fractures, including Fracture Liaison Services. (*Department for Health and Social Care*)

Lord Sahota to ask His Majesty's Government what action they intend to take against car parking companies that impose unfair charges on motorists. (*Department for Transport*)

The Earl of Dundee to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the international dimension in higher education and research. (*Department for Education*)

Lord Bowness to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the current state of the Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe; and what steps they are taking to secure its future. (*Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office*)

The Lord Bishop of Durham to ask His Majesty's Government, following the publication of the report of the Archbishops' Commission on Families and Households, 'Love Matters', on 26 April, what steps they are taking to support all loving relationships to enable the flourishing of individuals, families, and communities. (*Department for Levelling-up, Housing and Communities*)

The Earl of Sandwich to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking in response to the urgent humanitarian situation in Sudan and South Sudan. (*Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office*)

Questions for Written Answer

Tabled on 10 July and due for answer by 24 July.

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the BBC Panorama programme *'Is China watching you?'*, broadcast on 26 June; and what plans they have, if any, to bring forward further amendments to the Procurement Bill to address the dangers to national security and privacy identified in the Panorama documentary. HL9188

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask His Majesty's Government whether they will respond to the letter from Professor Fraser Sampson, Biometrics and Surveillance Camera Commissioner, to the Paymaster General and Minister for the Cabinet Office, concerning the ethical and security issues raised by surveillance camera technology. HL9189

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask His Majesty's Government what is their response to the call from Professor Fraser Sampson, Biometrics and Surveillance Camera Commissioner, for a review of public space surveillance. HL9190

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask His Majesty's Government, further to the Written Statement by the then Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster on 24 November 2022 (HCWS386), how they plan to implement the cessation of the deployment of visual surveillance equipment produced by companies subject to the National Intelligence Law of the People's Republic of China onto sensitive sites. HL9191

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask His Majesty's Government (1) what assessment they have made of the conclusion of Professor Fraser Sampson that "the need for a review [of surveillance cameras] is supported by the evidenced risks", and (2) whether the Paymaster General will respond positively to the Biometrics and Surveillance Camera Commissioner's request for a meeting; and whether such a meeting can be held before the Procurement Bill is given further consideration in the House of Lords. HL9192

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask His Majesty's Government which locations they believe to be 'sensitive sites' where surveillance cameras with links to the People's Republic of China should not be located; how many such sites exist; and how many cameras are involved. HL9193

Lord Balfe to ask His Majesty's Government what discussions they have had with Greater Anglia Railways about planned ticket office closures at Cambridge railway station; and what opportunities there are for (1) the public, and (2) parliamentarians, to express their views on the proposals. HL9194

Baroness Bennett of Manor Castle to ask His Majesty's Government whether, and if so to what extent, they provide direct financial support for the development of veterinary clinical skill laboratories in low- and middle-income countries to strengthen animal health systems. HL9195

Baroness Bennett of Manor Castle to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to ban the use of fluoroquinolone antibiotics for prophylactic and metaphylactic use in British poultry farming, with a view to limiting antimicrobial resistance. HL9196

Baroness Bennett of Manor Castle to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the performance of Royal Mail against its universal service obligation; and what discussions they have had with Royal Mail about the effect of the current number of vacant posts in that organisation on its ability to fulfil that obligation. HL9197

Baroness Bennett of Manor Castle to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the number of schools with codes on hairstyles that adversely affect school participation among students from ethnic-minority backgrounds; and what plans they have to ensure that all such codes are abolished. HL9198

Baroness Bennett of Manor Castle to ask His Majesty's Government (1) what assessment they have made of (a) the use of retrospective planning applications following deliberate breaches of planning rules, and (b) the level of resources available to local authorities to resist such breaches, and (2) what plans they have to prohibit inappropriate developments using retrospective planning applications and to prevent resubmissions of failed applications with only marginal changes to the proposal. HL9199

Baroness Bennett of Manor Castle to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the level of support available under the Pharmacy Access Scheme; and whether the criteria includes the (1) quality, (2) opening hours, and (3) range of provision, of existing pharmacies. HL9200

Lord Blencathra to ask His Majesty's Government which minister is in charge of the prescription, supply and distribution of medicines supplied and delivered by homecare medicines services. HL9201

Lord Blencathra to ask His Majesty's Government how many medical staff, including nurses, doctors, physios and pharmacists, spend part of their week resolving problems or delays with homecare medicines services. HL9202

Lord Blencathra to ask His Majesty's Government whether they will publish the standard terms and conditions of homecare medicines service contracts, including the sanctions available for a failure to perform to the contract terms. HL9203

Lord Blunkett to ask His Majesty's Government how many senior civil servants working at the Department for Education have a teaching qualification. HL9204

Baroness Crawley to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to raise with the government of Iran the evidence gathered by the United Nations Independent International Fact-Finding Mission on the Islamic Republic of Iran. HL9205

Baroness Crawley to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to raise with the government of Iran (1) the detention of lawyers defending Iranian protesters, and (2) the detention of 17 journalists, including Niloufar Hamed and Elaheh Mohammadi, who first reported on Jina Mahsa Amini's death in custody. HL9206

Baroness Crawley to ask His Majesty's Government what discussions they intend to have with the government of Iran regarding the executions, and threat of executions, of many of those connected to the protests that began in that country in September 2022. HL9207

Baroness Crawley to ask His Majesty's Government what discussions they have had with the Iranian authorities about punishments for women and girls found in breach of provisions requiring the wearing of a headscarf. HL9208

Lord Dodds of Duncairn to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the European Commission proposal to ban the use of recycled rubber infill in artificial pitches, and in particular of its differential impact on (1) Great Britain, and (2) Northern Ireland. HL9209

The Lord Bishop of Gloucester to ask His Majesty's Government what estimate they have made of how much it would cost to expand the sample size for the Food Standards Agency's Food and You 2 survey to a minimum of 10,000 households. HL9210

Baroness Grey-Thompson to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they will take to ensure that public consultations on railway ticket office closures will be accessible for disabled people. HL9211

Baroness Hoey to ask His Majesty's Government what discussions they had with the Crown Prosecution Service prior to the domestic abuse guidance, published on 5 December 2022, which states that a spouse who withholds money from their partner for gender transitioning may be committing domestic abuse. HL9212

Baroness Hoey to ask His Majesty's Government what level of responsibility hauliers have in ensuring that commodity codes are correct on consignments going from Great Britain to Northern Ireland. HL9213

Baroness Hoey to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they will take when goods being transported to Northern Ireland which have been declared for the Green Lane are checked and are found not to qualify. HL9214

Baroness Hoey to ask His Majesty's Government whether freight companies are liable for carrying wrongly declared goods into and out of Northern Ireland; in particular, when a trader has declared goods as originating from Great Britain when they are actually of a third country origin. HL9215

Baroness Hoey to ask His Majesty's Government, further to the Windsor Framework which stipulates that food products moving from Great Britain to Northern Ireland will operate in the same way as food products from Scotland to England, what arrangements they have in place for a load moving to a regional distribution centre rather than directly to the point of sale. HL9216

Lord Hylton to ask His Majesty's Government what is their assessment of the recent restoration of diplomatic relations between several Middle Eastern states. HL9217

Lord Hylton to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of (1) recent moves by the EU to seek to resolve tensions in northern Kosovo, and (2) the response by the Prime Minister of Kosovo to those efforts. HL9218

Lord Hylton to ask His Majesty's Government whether they will consult the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees on ways to prevent compulsory deportations of Syrians from Turkey and Lebanon. HL9219

Lord Hylton to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to help prevent the potential suspension from September of all United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East (UNRWA) services to registered Palestinian refugees, because of financial pressures on its budget; and what is their assessment of the capacity of other United Nations agencies to sustain essential services. HL9220

Lord Randall of Uxbridge to ask His Majesty's Government what consideration they have given to re-establishing the roles of Lord Lieutenant of Middlesex and Deputy Lord Lieutenant of Middlesex. HL9221

The Lord Bishop of Southwark to ask His Majesty's Government what recent discussions they have had with (1) international partners, and (2) the government of Azerbaijan, to encourage that country to lift its blockade of Nagorno-Karabakh. HL9222

The Lord Bishop of Southwell and Nottingham to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to recruit more supported lodgings hosts to accommodate 16 and 17 year olds in care. HL9223

The Lord Bishop of Southwell and Nottingham to ask His Majesty's Government what support they are providing to local authorities (1) to establish new supported lodgings schemes, or (2) to expand existing schemes. HL9224

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to support first-time house buyers. HL9225

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to provide (1) stable, and (2) affordable, energy supply for manufacturers. HL9226

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.

13 June (27 June)

HL8454 Lord Taylor of Warwick [Department for Business and Trade]

15 June (29 June)

HL8557 Lord Taylor of Warwick [Department for Business and Trade]

19 June (3 July)

HL8598 Lord Jackson of Peterborough [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL8620 Lord Roberts of Llandudno [Home Office]

22 June (6 July)

HL8732 Lord Moylan [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL8734 The Earl of Sandwich [Department for Business and Trade]

26 June (10 July)

HL8754 Lord Hunt of Kings Heath [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL8755 Lord Hunt of Kings Heath [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL8756 Lord Hunt of Kings Heath [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL8765 The Marquess of Lothian [Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office]

HL8768 Lord Moylan [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL8776 Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL8786 Lord Warner [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL8787 Lord Warner [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL8788 Lord Weir of Ballyholme [Department of Health and Social Care]

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

Business and Trade (3)

Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office (1)

Health and Social Care (10)

Home Office (1)

Bills in Progress

	Type of Bill	To be considered
Waiting for Second Reading		
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	
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	
Animals (Low-Welfare Activities Abroad) Bill	Private Member's	14 July
Veterans Advisory and Pensions Committees Bill	Private Member's	14 July
Pensions (Extension of Automatic Enrolment) (No. 2) Bill	Private Member's	14 July
Firearms Bill	Private Member's	14 July
Royal Albert Hall Bill [HL]	Private	
Committed to a Committee of the Whole House		
Genocide Determination Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
House of Lords (Peerage Nominations) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
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	
Education (Non-religious Philosophical Convictions) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Worker Protection (Amendment of Equality Act 2010) Bill	Private Member's	14 July

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Water Safety (Curriculum) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Hunting Trophies (Import Prohibition) Bill	Private Member's	
Public Advocate Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Waiting for Report		
Northern Ireland Protocol Bill (<i>King's consent to be signified. Welsh Legislative Consent withheld, Scottish and Northern Ireland Legislative Consent sought</i>)	Government	
Front-loaded Child Benefit Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Levelling-up and Regeneration Bill (<i>Scottish, Welsh and Northern Ireland Legislative Consent sought, King's and Prince of Wales's consents to be signified</i>)	Government	11 July
Online Safety Bill (<i>Scottish and Welsh Legislative Consent granted</i>)	Government	12 July
Non-Domestic Rating Bill (<i>Welsh Legislative Consent sought</i>)	Government	
Lifelong Learning (Higher Education Fee Limits) Bill	Government	
Waiting for Third Reading		
Schools Bill [HL]	Government	
Women, Peace and Security Bill [HL]	Private Member's	14 July
Local Authority (Housing Allocation) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Employment Relations (Flexible Working) Bill	Private Member's	14 July
Equipment Theft (Prevention) Bill	Private Member's	14 July
Child Support (Enforcement) Bill	Private Member's	14 July
Powers of Attorney Bill (<i>Scottish Legislative Consent granted</i>)	Private Member's	
Workers (Predictable Terms and Conditions) Bill	Private Member's	
Protection from Sex-based Harassment in Public Bill (<i>Welsh Legislative Consent granted</i>)	Private Member's	
Bishop's Stortford Cemetery Bill [HL]	Private	
Sent to the Commons		
Clean Air (Human Rights) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Domestic Premises (Electrical Safety Certificate) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Refugees (Family Reunion) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Electronic Trade Documents Bill [HL] (<i>Law Commission Bill, Scottish Legislative Consent granted</i>)	Government	
Universal Credit (Removal of Two Child Limit) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Heritage Railways and Tramways (Voluntary Work) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Ecology Bill [HL] (<i>formerly Climate and Ecology Bill [HL]</i>)	Private Member's	
Energy Bill [HL] (<i>Scottish, Welsh, and Northern Ireland Legislative Consent sought</i>)	Government	
Healthy Homes Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Government of Wales (Devolved Powers) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
OFCOM (Duty regarding Prevention of Serious Self-harm and Suicide) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Coroners (Determination of Suicide) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	

Returned to the Commons amended

Social Housing (Regulation) Bill [HL] (<i>Welsh Legislative Consent granted</i>)	Government
Strikes (Minimum Service Levels) Bill (<i>Correspondence from the Senedd published</i>)	Government
Northern Ireland Troubles (Legacy and Reconciliation) Bill (<i>Scottish Legislative Consent withheld, Northern Ireland Legislative Consent sought</i>)	Government
Economic Crime and Corporate Transparency Bill (<i>Scottish and Welsh Legislative Consent granted, Northern Ireland Legislative Consent sought</i>)	Government
Illegal Migration Bill (<i>Correspondence from the Senedd published</i>)	Government

Waiting for Consideration of Commons Amendments

Procurement Bill [HL] (<i>Scottish Legislative Consent granted, Welsh Legislative Consent granted in part</i>)	Government
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Waiting for Royal Assent

Finance (No. 2) Bill (<i>Supply Bill—21 June</i>)	Government	11 July
Supply and Appropriation (Main Estimates) (No. 2) Bill (<i>Supply and Money Bill—6 July</i>)	Government	11 July
National Security Bill	Government	11 July

Statutory Instruments in Progress**Affirmative Instruments waiting for consideration by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments**

Draft Building Safety (Leaseholder Protections etc.) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2023 *45th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft Environmental Permitting (England and Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2023

Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) (Amendment) (No. 3) Regulations 2023

Draft Human Medicines (Amendment Relating to Original Pack Dispensing) (England and Wales and Scotland) Regulations 2023

Draft Postal Packets (Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2023

Draft Mayoral and Police and Crime Commissioner Elections, Recall Petitions and Referendums (Ballot Secrecy, Candidates and Undue Influence) Regulations 2023

Draft Representation of the People (Franchise Amendment and Eligibility Review) Regulations 2023

Draft Representation of the People (Postal and Proxy Voting etc.) (Amendment) Regulations 2023

Northern Ireland (Ministerial Appointment Functions) Regulations 2023

Draft Product Security and Telecommunications Infrastructure (Security Requirements for Relevant Connectable Products) Regulations 2023

Affirmative Instruments waiting for Affirmative Resolution

Draft Healthcare (International Arrangements) (EU Exit) Regulations 2023 *(12 July)*

Draft Business and Planning Act 2020 (Pavement Licences) (Coronavirus) (Amendment) Regulations 2023 *44th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (12 July)*

Draft Agriculture and Horticulture Development Board (Amendment) Order 2023

Draft Immigration and Nationality (Fees) (Amendment) Order 2023 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 44th Report*

Draft Industrial Training Levy (Engineering Construction Industry Training Board) Order 2023 *(13 July)*

Draft Pensions Dashboards (Amendment) Regulations 2023 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 44th Report (12 July)*

Draft Consumer Rights Act 2015 (Enforcement) (Amendment) Order 2023 *(12 July)*

Draft Electricity Capacity (Amendment) Regulations 2023 *(12 July)*

Draft Tobacco and Related Products (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) Regulations 2023 *45th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft Official Statistics Order 2023

Draft Police Act 1997 (Criminal Record Certificates: Relevant Matter) (Amendment) (England and Wales) Order 2023

Money Laundering and Terrorist Financing (High-Risk Countries) (Amendment) Regulations 2023

Negative Instruments

Higher Education (Registration Fees) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2023 *43rd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 11 July*

Civil Procedure (Amendment No. 2) Rules 2023 *43rd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 12 July*

National Health Service Pension Scheme (Member Contributions) (Amendment) Regulations 2023 *43rd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 13 July*

Aviation Safety (Amendment) Regulations 2023 *43rd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 13 July*

Universal Credit (Childcare) (Amendment) Regulations 2023 *43rd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 14 July*

National Health Service (Performers Lists) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2023 *Praying time ended 28 June (13 July)*

Central Counterparties (Equivalence) (India) (Reserve Bank of India) Regulations 2023 *44th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 15 July*

Policing Protocol Order 2023 *45th Report from Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 22 July*

Seed Marketing (Heterogeneous Material) (Temporary Experiment) (England) Regulations 2023 *45th Report from Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 6 September*

Treaties before the House

Amending Agreement between the United Kingdom and the Republic of Moldova to amend the Strategic Partnership, Trade and Cooperation Agreement between the two countries *Scrutiny period expires: 11 July*

Agreement between the United Kingdom and the Swiss Confederation on Recognition of Professional Qualifications *Scrutiny period expires: 6 September*

Council of Europe Convention on an Integrated Safety, Security and Service Approach at Football Matches and Other Sports Events *Scrutiny period expires: 7 September*

Agreement between the United Kingdom and Canada concerning Air Services *Scrutiny period expires: 18 September*

Convention on Social Security Coordination between Iceland, the Principality of Liechtenstein, the Kingdom of Norway and the United Kingdom *Scrutiny period expires: 18 October*

Retirement

The following member of the House has given notice of his intention to retire.

Lord Selkirk of Douglas (27 July)

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.

Tuesday 11 July

Protocol on Ireland/Northern Ireland Sub-Committee	Room 4A	10.00am
Science and Technology Committee	Room 1	10.00am
Industry and Regulators Committee	Room 3A	10.00am
Justice and Home Affairs Committee	Room 4	10.30am
Built Environment Committee	Room 3	10.30am
International Relations and Defence Committee	Room 2	11.00am
Communications and Digital Committee	Room 4	2.00pm
Economic Affairs Committee	Room 3	3.00pm
Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee	Room 1	3.45pm
European Affairs Committee	Room 4A	4.00pm

Wednesday 12 July

House of Lords Commission	The Lord Speaker's Room	10.00am
Environment and Climate Change Committee	Room 2-03, Millbank House	10.00am
Statutory Instruments (Joint Committee)	Virtual meeting	3.40pm
Conduct Committee	2-03 Millbank House	4.00pm

Thursday 13 July

Horticultural Sector Committee	Room 3	10.00am
Education for 11–16 Year Olds Committee	Room 4	11.00am
International Agreements Committee	Room 2A	11.00am
Services Committee	Committee Room G	12.15pm

Monday 17 July

Integration of Primary and Community Care Committee		3.00pm
Restoration and Renewal Client Board	The Boothroyd Room, Portcullis House	5.00pm

Tuesday 18 July

Constitution Committee		1.00pm
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Wednesday 19 July

Public Services Committee		3.00pm
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Thursday 20 July

AI in Weapon Systems Committee		10.00am
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Tuesday 25 July

Common Frameworks Scrutiny Committee		10.30am
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Thursday 21 September

Liaison Committee	Room 1	9.15am
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Minutes of Proceedings of Monday 10 July 2023

The House met at 2.30pm.

Prayers were read by the Lord Bishop of Chichester.

1 **Lord Brown of Eaton under Heywood** The Lord Speaker (Lord McFall of Alcluith) informed the House that Lord Brown of Eaton under Heywood, a retired member of the House, had died on 7 July.

Public Business

2 **Recall petitions: voter ID** A question was asked by Baroness Hayter of Kentish Town and answered by Baroness Scott of Bybrook.

3 **Live animals: export ban** A question was asked by Baroness Hodgson of Abinger and answered by Lord Benyon.

4 **Homelessness: Vagrancy Act 1824** A question was asked by Baroness Taylor of Stevenage and answered by Baroness Scott of Bybrook.

5 **Missing asylum seeking unaccompanied children** A question was asked by Baroness Chakrabarti and answered by Lord Murray of Blidworth.

6 **Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2023** Lord Ahmad of Wimbledon moved that the Regulations laid before the House on 19 June be approved. The motion was agreed to.

7 **Supply and Appropriation (Main Estimates) (No. 2) Bill** Baroness Penn moved that the bill be now read a second time. The motion was agreed to and the Committee was negatived. Then, Standing Order 44 having been dispensed with, the bill was read a third time and passed.

8 **Illegal Migration Bill** Lord Murray of Blidworth made a statement on Legislative Consent. The bill was read a third time. Then, after debate, the bill was passed and returned to the Commons with amendments.

9 **Online Safety Bill** The report stage was continued, beginning with the resumed debate on amendment 34. Amendment 35 was agreed to (see division). Amendments 36 to 38, 41 and 42, 44 and 45, 47 to 53, 57, 60 to 62, 65 to 76, 82 and 83 were agreed to. The report stage was adjourned after amendment 83.

10 **Lifelong Learning (Higher Education Fee Limits) Bill** The bill was reported from the Grand Committee without amendment.

11 **Environment (Local Nature Recovery Strategies) (Procedure) Regulations 2023** Baroness Willis of Summertown moved that this House regrets that the Environment (Local Nature Recovery Strategies) (Procedure) Regulations 2023 and accompanying guidance give insufficient clarity of purpose and, combined with the approach taken by the Government, will impact on the practical implementation of the guidance and the achievement of the Government's environmental targets. After debate, the motion was withdrawn.

12 **Online Safety Bill** The report stage was continued, beginning with amendment 84. Amendments 84 to 86, 88 and 89, 91 to 99, 102 to 122, 124, 126 and 127 were agreed to. The report stage was adjourned after amendment 128.

The House adjourned at 9.51pm until Tuesday 11 July at 2.30pm.

Simon Burton
Clerk of the Parliaments

Grand Committee Business

The Grand Committee met in the Moses Room at 3.45pm.

Lifelong Learning (Higher Education Fee Limits) Bill The bill was considered in Committee. The bill was reported from the Grand Committee without amendment.

The Committee adjourned at 5.45pm.

Papers

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

Affirmative Instruments

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

- 1 Northern Ireland (Ministerial Appointment Functions) Regulations 2023 (776)
- 2 Draft Product Security and Telecommunications Infrastructure (Security Requirements for Relevant Connectable Products) Regulations 2023

Negative Instrument

The following instrument was laid before the House:

- 1 First-tier Tribunal and Upper Tribunal (Chambers) (Amendment) Order 2023 (769)
- 2 Environmental Offences (Fixed Penalties) (Amendment) (England) Regulations 2023 (770)
- 3 Social Security (Contributions) (Amendment No. 5) Regulations 2023 (773)

Papers not subject to Parliamentary Proceedings

The following papers were laid before the House:

- 1 Accounts of the Official Custodian for Charities 2022–23
- 2 Report and Accounts of Bridgewater Community Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust 2022–23
- 3 Report and Accounts of Lincolnshire Partnership NHS Foundation Trust 2022–23
- 4 Report and Accounts of Southern Health NHS Foundation Trust 2022–23
- 5 Report and Accounts of Sussex Community NHS Foundation Trust 2023
- 6 Report and Accounts of Tameside and Glossop Integrated Care NHS Foundation Trust 2022–23
- 7 Report and Accounts of the Charity Commission 2022–23
- 8 Report and Accounts of the Equality Commission for Northern Ireland 2022–23
- 9 Report and Accounts of The Queen Elizabeth Hospital King’s Lynn NHS Foundation Trust 2022–23
- 10 Report and Accounts of the United Kingdom Debt Management Office and the Debt Management Account 2022–23
- 11 Report and Accounts of The Walton Centre NHS Foundation Trust 2022–23
- 12 Report and Accounts of University Hospitals Dorset NHS Foundation Trust 2022–23
- 13 Report and Accounts of Wirral Community Health and Care NHS Foundation Trust 2022–23
- 14 Report and Accounts of Wrightington, Wigan and Leigh Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust 2022–23
- 15 Report of the Patient Safety Commissioner 2022–23

Division

Online Safety Bill

Baroness Kidron moved amendment 35, in clause 10, page 9, line 37, at end to insert—

“(iv) features, functionalities or behaviours (including those enabled or created by the design or operation of the service) that are harmful to children”

The House divided:

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