

**Tuesday 19 March 2024 at 2.30pm**

**Lord Hannett of Everton** and

**Baroness Ramsey of Wall Heath** will be introduced.

*Oral questions (40 minutes)*

\***Viscount Hanworth** to ask His Majesty's Government what assistance they provide to the developers of advanced modular reactors to enable them to conduct criticality tests.

\***Lord Touhig** to ask His Majesty's Government how often they review the level of support given in schools to special needs pupils.

\***Lord Blunkett** to ask His Majesty's Government what discussions they have had with providers of electronic point-of-sale payment devices to make them accessible for those with a visual impairment, such as via tactile keypad.

†\***Baroness Blake of Leeds** to ask His Majesty's Government what recent assessment they have made of the impact of current levels of home insulation on health and mortality rates.

**Procedure and Privileges** The Senior Deputy Speaker to move that the Report from the Select Committee *Amending stages of public bills* (3rd Report, HL Paper 73) be agreed to.

†*Lord Gascoigne intends to move the following five motions en bloc: but if any Lord objects the motions must be moved separately to the extent desired.*

†**Terrorism Act 2000 (Code of Practice for Authorised Officers) Order 2024** Lord Gascoigne to move that the draft Order laid before the House on 22 January be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 18 March. 12th Report from Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

†**Proceeds of Crime Act 2002 (Search, Recovery of Cryptoassets and Investigations: Codes of Practice) Regulations 2024** Lord Gascoigne to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 22 January be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 18 March. 12th Report from Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

†**Proceeds of Crime Act 2002 (Investigative Powers of Prosecutors: Code of Practice) Order 2024** Lord Gascoigne to move that the draft Order laid before the House on 22 January be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 18 March. 12th Report from Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

†**Proceeds of Crime Act 2002 and Terrorism Act 2000 (Certain Information Orders: Code of Practice) Regulations 2024** Lord Gascoigne to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 22 January be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 18 March. 12th Report from Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

†**South Yorkshire Mayoral Combined Authority (Election of Mayor and Transfer of Police and Crime Commissioner Functions) Order 2024** Lord Gascoigne to move that the draft Order laid before the House on 7 February be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 18 March. Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 15th Report*

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



†**North East Mayoral Combined Authority (Establishment and Functions) Order 2024** Baroness Scott of Bybrook to move that the draft Order laid before the House on 7 February be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 18 March*

**Energy Bills Discount Scheme (Amendment) Regulations 2024** Lord Callanan to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 7 February be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 12 March. 15th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

†**Supply and Appropriation (Anticipation and Adjustments) Bill** Second Reading (*and remaining stages*) [Baroness Vere of Norbiton] (*Money and Supply Bill—18 March*)

†**National Insurance Contributions (Reduction in Rates) (No. 2) Bill** Committee (*and remaining stages*) [Baroness Vere of Norbiton]

**Baroness Hayter of Kentish Town** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the International Agreements Committee *Scrutiny of international agreements: UK accession to the Comprehensive Progressive Trans-Pacific Partnership* (6th Report, HL Paper 70).

**Representation of the People (Variation of Election Expenses and Exclusions) Regulations 2024** Baroness Scott of Bybrook to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 29 January be approved. *13th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

**Lord Rennard** to move, as an amendment to the above motion, at end to insert “but this House regrets the Government’s decision to lay the draft Regulations, given the large scale of the proposed increases, the proximity of elections on 2 May, the lack of evidence of parties and candidates being constrained in their ability to reach voters by current expense limits, and the effect of increasing reporting thresholds on reducing transparency of funding for elections.”

**Nationality, Immigration and Asylum Act 2002 (Amendment of List of Safe States) Regulations 2024** Lord Sharpe of Epsom to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 8 November 2023 be approved. *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 4th Report*

**Lord German** to move, as an amendment to the above motion, at end to insert “but this House regrets that His Majesty’s Government have not provided a clear explanation of why or how they have determined that India and Georgia are safe states for the purposes of the Nationality, Immigration and Asylum Act 2002; and that it is unclear how this policy change will work in practice.”

**Baroness Barker** to ask His Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of the current level of provision for sexual and reproductive healthcare in England and the case for a workforce plan in this sector. (*1½ hours*)

### ***Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 3.45pm***

**Strikes (Minimum Service Levels: Fire and Rescue Services) (England) Regulations 2024** Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Sharpe of Epsom] *15th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

**Single Source Contract (Amendment) Regulations 2024** Consideration in Grand Committee [The Earl of Minto]

**Tertiary Education and Research (Wales) Act 2022 (Consequential Amendments) Order 2024** Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Harlech]

**Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) (Amendment) Regulations 2024** Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Ahmad of Wimbledon]

## Future Business

### Wednesday 20 March 2024 at 3.00pm

*Oral questions (40 minutes)*

\***Baroness Twycross** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the availability of additional funded childcare provision, ahead of the expansion of the free childcare scheme in April.

\***Baroness Bloomfield of Hinton Waldrist** to ask His Majesty's Government whether a fully funded delivery plan has been agreed in relation to NHS England's proposal to relocate children's cancer services away from The Royal Marsden NHS Foundation Trust to other providers across London. [1]

\***Baroness Taylor of Stevenage** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the audit arrangements for the Teesworks project, and of whether they are effective for the scale of the work being carried out.

†\***Lord Brooke of Alverthorpe** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of recent remarks by a head teacher in Southampton criticising the quality of school meals for children.

†*If a message has been received from the Commons on the Safety of Rwanda (Asylum and Immigration) Bill, it is expected that it will be considered.*

**Economic Activity of Public Bodies (Overseas Matters) Bill** Committee [Baroness Neville-Rolfe] *Welsh Legislative Consent withheld; Scottish and Northern Ireland Legislative Consent sought; King's consent sought*

### *Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 4.15pm*

**Data Protection and Digital Information Bill** Committee [Viscount Camrose] *Scottish, Welsh and Northern Ireland Legislative Consent sought*

### Thursday 21 March 2024 at 11.00am

**Baroness Monckton of Dallington Forest** and

**Baroness Smith of Llanfaes** will be introduced.

*Oral questions (40 minutes)*

\***The Lord Bishop of Manchester** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of the Household Support Fund on children's bed poverty.

\***Lord Sahota** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to improve the enforcement of national minimum wage legislation.

\***Lord Cashman** to ask His Majesty's Government when they expect to have implemented Lord Etherton's recommendations on financial redress in the LGBT veterans independent review.

*Topical oral question. Ballot to be drawn at 1pm on Tuesday 19 March.*

**Lord Shipley** to move that this House takes note of current local government finances and the impact on local communities. (*Balloted debate*)

**Lord Scriven** to move that this House takes note of countries that use sporting events to "sportswash" their human rights record, and the role of sporting bodies in aiding this practice. (*Balloted debate*)

## Friday 22 March 2024 at 10.00am

### **Artificial Intelligence (Regulation) Bill [HL]** Second Reading [Lord Holmes of Richmond]

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

### **Foetal Sentience Committee Bill [HL]** Second Reading [Lord Moylan]

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

### **Genocide (Prevention and Response) Bill [HL]** Second Reading [Baroness Kennedy of The Shaws]

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

## Monday 25 March 2024 at 2.30pm

*Oral questions (40 minutes)*

\***Lord Dubs** to ask His Majesty's Government how many asylum claims are currently waiting to be determined.

\***Viscount Stansgate** to ask His Majesty's Government when the revised version of the Cabinet Manual will be published.

\***Baroness Cumberlege** to ask His Majesty's Government what are the timescales for, and what progress has been made on, a response to the Patient Safety Commissioner's report on options for redress for those harmed by sodium valproate and pelvic mesh, published on 7 February.

\***Baroness Randerson** to ask His Majesty's Government whether they are taking steps to change train operating company contracts to achieve planned improvements to rail services.

## Tuesday 26 March 2024 at 2.30pm

*Oral questions (40 minutes)*

\***Lord Hodgson of Astley Abbotts** to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have, if any, to require credit card issuers to provide a full description of goods or services provided on their customer invoices.

\***Baroness McIntosh of Pickering** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they will take to improve food security.

\***Lord Trefgarne** to ask His Majesty's Government what has been the cost to public funds of the arms and ammunition supplied to Ukraine so far.

## Wednesday 27 March 2024 at 11.00am

*Oral questions (40 minutes)*

\***Baroness Wheeler** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to improve treatment and care for those of working age who are affected by stroke.

\***Lord Krebs** to ask His Majesty's Government whether they intend to carry forward surplus emissions from the Third Carbon Budget, in the light of the advice of the Committee on Climate Change published on 28 February.

\***The Earl of Clancarty** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to protect regional arts organisations and facilities funded by local authorities, particularly where those local authorities are facing financial difficulties. [1]

### **Monday 15 April 2024 at 2.30pm**

*Oral questions (40 minutes)*

†\***Lord Roberts of Llandudno** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the social impact of the Port Talbot steel works blast furnace's closure on the surrounding communities.

†\***Lord Addington** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ensure that, when meeting the needs of those with special educational needs in the school and college system, a legacy of training and knowledge is retained within those institutions.

†\***Lord Heseltine** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the conduct of the police in their treatment of Joe Anderson who resigned as the Mayor of Liverpool in 2021.

†\***Baroness Deech** to ask His Majesty's Government what is their state of preparedness for the next pandemic.

### **Thursday 18 April 2024 at 11.00am**

**Lord Patel** to move that this House takes note of the long-term sustainability of the NHS to be able to deliver comprehensive, timely and affordable health and social care for all, including options for systems of care and funding.

**Lord Laming** to move that this House takes note of the continuing increase in the number of children and young people being committed into the care of the local authorities.

## Select Committee Reports

*The date on which the report was published is in italics.*

**Lord Hollick** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Industry and Regulators Committee *Must do better: the Office for Students and the looming crisis facing higher education* (2nd Report, Session 2022–23, HL Paper 246). *23 September 2023*

**Baroness Brown of Cambridge** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Science and Technology Committee *The neglected pollutants: the effects of artificial light and noise on human health* (2nd Report, Session 2022–23, HL Paper 232). *19 December 2023*

**Lord Moylan** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Built Environment Committee *The impact of environmental regulations on development* (2nd Report, Session 2022–23, HL Paper 254). *21 September 2023*

**Baroness Morris of Yardley** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Public Services Committee *Homecare medicines services: an opportunity lost* (4th Report, Session 2022–23, HL Paper 269). *16 November 2023*

**Lord Redesdale** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Horticultural Sector Committee *Sowing the seeds: A blooming English horticultural sector* (Session 2022–23, HL Paper 268). *6 November 2023*

**Lord Bridges of Headley** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Economic Affairs Committee *Making an independent Bank of England work better* (1st Report, HL Paper 10). *27 November 2023*

**Lord Johnson of Marylebone** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Education for 11 to 16-year olds Committee *Requires improvement: urgent change for 11–16 education* (HL Paper 17). *12 December 2023*

**Lord Lisvane** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Artificial Intelligence in Weapon Systems Committee *Proceed with Caution: Artificial Intelligence in Weapon Systems* (HL Paper 16). *1 December 2023*

**Baroness Pitkeathley** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Integration of Primary and Community Care Committee *Patients at the centre: integrating primary and community care* (HL Paper 18). *15 December 2023*

**Baroness Hamwee** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Justice and Home Affairs Committee *Cutting crime: better community sentences* (1st Report, HL Paper 27). *28 December 2023*

**Baroness Drake** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Constitution Committee *Permanent secretaries: their appointment and removal* (17th Report, Session 2022–23, HL Paper 258). *20 October 2023*

## Questions for Short Debate

*These Questions for Short Debate were drawn in the ballot on Wednesday 7 February 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.*

**Baroness Foster of Aghadrumsee** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to support persecuted Christians around the world.

**Lord Farmer** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to support parents considering separation, and to promote early resolution of private family law arrangements.

**Lord Hay of Ballyore** to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have, if any, to grant a right to a British passport to people born in the Republic of Ireland who have lived, paid taxes, and voted in Northern Ireland.

**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 homes, while ensuring that development does not adversely affect existing communities.

**Lord Kamall** to ask His Majesty's Government what discussions they have had with other governments on the future of the Commonwealth of Nations.

**Baroness Tyler of Enfield** to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to publish a social care workforce plan to complement the NHS Long Term Workforce Plan.

**Lord Jackson of Peterborough** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact on public safety of the work of the Immigration Tribunals.

**Lord Naseby** to ask His Majesty's Government, following COP 28, what progress they have made to support islands which are potentially seriously affected by climate change, and safeguard the legal status of those islands.

**Lord Alton of Liverpool** to ask His Majesty's Government what estimate they have made of the numbers of people killed or displaced by conflict in Sudan and Tigray.

**Baroness D'Souza** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to counter China's stated intentions, and actions, to reclaim Taiwan.

**Baroness Hoey** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the preparations and costs of hosting the Euro 2028 Football Championship.

**Baroness Walmsley** to ask His Majesty's Government what is their current assessment of the United Kingdom's compliance with the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child.

## Questions for Short Debate ballot entries

*The ballot for four Questions closes at 5pm on Tuesday 26 March and will be drawn on Wednesday 27 March for debate on Thursday 25 April. Time limit 1 hour.*

**Viscount Waverley** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to promote the furtherance of environmental, social and governance (ESG) principles among businesses in the United Kingdom. (*Department for Business and Trade*)

**Lord Bird** to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to address the root causes of child poverty across the United Kingdom. (*Department for Work and Pensions*)

**Lord Sikka** to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to address any external auditing deficiencies highlighted by the collapse of BHS, Carillion, Patisserie Valerie, and London Capital and Finance. (*Department for Business and Trade*)

**Lord Harrington of Watford** to ask His Majesty's Government what progress they have made on the implementation of recommendations from the Harrington Review of Foreign Direct Investment, published in November 2023. (*Treasury*)

**Lord Hodgson of Astley Abbotts** to ask His Majesty's Government what specific steps they are taking to ensure that Levelling Up provides support for the most deprived neighbourhoods with the greatest community need. (*Department for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities*)

**Lord Jackson of Peterborough** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to reduce the proportion of foreign national offenders incarcerated across the prison estate. (*Ministry of Justice*)

**Lord Brooke of Alverthorpe** to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to incentivise the food and drinks industry to reformulate their products to use less processed sugar and healthier natural alternatives. (*Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs*)

**Lord Alton of Liverpool** to ask His Majesty's Government how UK aid is used to support minorities in Pakistan. (*Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office*)

**Lord Foster of Bath** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of gambling advertising, marketing and sponsorship on problem gambling. (*Department for Culture, Media & Sport*)

**Baroness Coussins** to ask His Majesty's Government what is their assessment of the importance of educational trips and exchanges from England to other countries, and the measures needed to facilitate them. (*Department for Education*)

**Baroness Anelay of St Johns** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of international conflict on children and the recommendations proposed by Save the Children in their report *Stop the War on Children: Let Children Live in Peace*, published in December 2023. (*Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office*)

**Baroness Jones of Moulsecoomb** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the *Practical toolkit for law enforcement officials to promote and protect human rights in the context of peaceful protests*, published on 7 March by the UN Special Rapporteur on the rights to freedom of peaceful assembly and association, and how they intend to ensure that the United Kingdom aligns with United Nations standards on the use of surveillance technology at protests. (*Home Office*)



## Questions for Written Answer

*Tabled on 18 March and due for answer by 3 April.*

**Lord Allan of Hallam** to ask His Majesty's Government how many (1) fathers, and (2) mothers, were required to provide additional consent from the other parent when applying for passports for their children in 2023, and was the total number of applicants in each group. HL3306

**Lord Alton of Liverpool** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the issue of female genital mutilation (FGM) in the Gambia and what discussions they have had with the government of the Gambia in relation to proposed legislation repealing the law banning FGM. HL3307

**Lord Alton of Liverpool** to ask His Majesty's Government how many Taliban leaders they have sanctioned using Magnitsky-style sanctions since 2021; and how many sanctions they have imposed in response to the suppression of the rights of women and girls in Afghanistan. HL3308

**Lord Alton of Liverpool** to ask His Majesty's Government how many Iranian leaders they have sanctioned using Magnitsky-style sanctions since the death of Masha Amini in 2022; and how many sanctions they have imposed on those responsible for the suppression of the rights of women and girls in Iran. HL3309

**Lord Alton of Liverpool** to ask His Majesty's Government what capacity assistance they are providing to Burundi in support of efforts to ensure justice and accountability for past atrocities, including support for the National Truth and Reconciliation Commission and efforts to strengthen the rule of law. HL3310

**Lord Alton of Liverpool** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of redefining criminality rules for British National (Overseas) visa applications. HL3311

**Baroness Benjamin** to ask His Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Viscount Camrose on 11 March (HL2719), whether, as a result of engagement between Aylo and XHamster, the Information Commissioner's Office was satisfied that these two websites are operating in full accordance with data protection law, including the Age Appropriate Design Code, and if not, what further regulatory action they are taking to achieve compliance. HL3312

**Baroness Bennett of Manor Castle** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the systemic impact from the Financial Conduct Authority's crackdown on wealth management services under the Consumer Duty; what estimate they have made of the likely total compensation that will need to be paid by wealth management firms; and what other areas of the financial sector they expect to be impacted by the Consumer Duty. HL3313

**Baroness Bennett of Manor Castle** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the findings of the SHOT-SWITCH research project, published in Conservation Evidence, about the voluntary transition from hunting with lead to non-lead ammunition in Great Britain; and what plans they have to ban the use of lead shot in hunting in England. HL3314

**Lord Birt** to ask His Majesty's Government what percentage of trains on Network Rail did not arrive at their destination on time in the last four-weekly period for which data are available. HL3315

**The Lord Bishop of Chelmsford** to ask His Majesty's Government, in view of the expected growth in the supply of physician associates (PAs) to 10,000 by 2036–37 under the NHS Long Term Workforce Plan, how many PAs are expected to work in each setting. HL3316

**The Lord Bishop of Chelmsford** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ensure that NHS staff have sufficient capacity to supervise and support new associate staff. HL3317

**The Lord Bishop of Chelmsford** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ensure that there is clarity for patients about different roles within clinical teams in healthcare settings, including regarding anaesthesia and physician associates. HL3318

**Lord Dodds of Duncairn** to ask His Majesty's Government which existing provisions of EU law listed in Annex 2 of the Protocol on Ireland/Northern Ireland can be subjected to the Stormont Brake procedure.  
HL3319

**Baroness Gohir** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the governance of the community interest company Faith Matters, which has been awarded more than £6 million in public funds for the Tell Mama project to monitor Islamophobia.  
HL3320

**Baroness Gohir** to ask His Majesty's Government how much in public funds has been awarded to the community interest company Faith Matters for the Tell Mama project (1) up to March 2023, and (2) from April 2023 to March 2024; and what will be the award from April 2024 to March 2025.  
HL3321

**Baroness Gohir** to ask His Majesty's Government, what proportion, if any, of the more than £6 million grants awarded to the community interest company Faith Matters for the Tell Mama project is from Prevent funds.  
HL3322

**Baroness Gohir** to ask His Majesty's Government how much of the most recent more than £1 million grant awarded to the community interest company Faith Matters for the Tell Mama project has been paid; and when, if any, are the remaining payments due to be made.  
HL3323

**Baroness Gohir** to ask His Majesty's Government what is the intended purpose of the most recent more than £1 million grant made to the community interest company Faith Matters for the Tell Mama project; and what is the breakdown of the expected expenditure according to the grant conditions that have been stipulated.  
HL3324

**Baroness Gohir** to ask His Majesty's Government what proportion of the recently awarded more than £1 million grant to the community interest company Faith Matters is for the Tell Mama project which monitors Islamophobia; what proportion is for other initiatives; and what is the purpose of those other initiatives.  
HL3325

**Baroness Jenkin of Kennington** to ask His Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Lord True on 23 May 2022 (HL67), on what date the Office of Parliamentary Counsel completed updating its drafting guidance on the use of gendered language, and whether they will place a copy in the Library of the House.  
HL3326

**Lord Rogan** to ask His Majesty's Government whether the Secretary of State for Defence or the Minister for Armed Forces attended the meeting between the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs and Micheál Martin, the Republic of Ireland's Minister for Defence, in London on 13 December 2023; and what defence-related matters were discussed.  
HL3327

**Lord Scriven** to ask His Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Lord Sharpe of Epsom on 15 March (HL2855), how long each of the 118 unaccompanied children seeking asylum have been missing; and what are the individual ages of the 18 children now under the age of 18 who are still missing.  
HL3328

**The Lord Bishop of Southwark** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ensure that weapons manufactured in the UK and sold under export licences are not being used to commit or facilitate violations of international human law in Gaza and in contravention of the Arms Trade Treaty ratified by the UK on 2 April 2014.  
HL3329

**The Lord Bishop of Southwark** to ask His Majesty's Government whether they will undertake a review of existing and pending licences of arm sales to Israel.  
HL3330

**The Lord Bishop of Southwark** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they have taken, together with allies, to persuade those holding Israeli citizens hostage in Gaza to release them without delay.  
HL3331

**The Lord Bishop of Southwark** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they have taken to impede Hamas acquiring or retaining the resources to make war. HL3332

**The Lord Bishop of Southwark** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of reported allegations by the UN Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East of widespread abuse of Gazans detained by Israel during the war with Hamas. HL3333

**The Lord Bishop of Southwark** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the extent to which the government of Israel is depriving the civilian population in Gaza of objects indispensable to their survival, including by inhibiting of relief supplies. HL3334

**Lord Swire** to ask His Majesty's Government what additional resources they have provided to police forces to combat the increase in organised crime in rural areas. HL3335

**Lord Swire** to ask His Majesty's Government what discussions they have had with the College of Policing about updating their THRIVE guidance with regard to reporting and combating rural crime. HL3336

**Lord Taylor of Goss Moor** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of the proposed removal of marriage value under proposed leasehold reforms on (1) property investors and (2) foreign investors. HL3337

**Lord Taylor of Goss Moor** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made, if any, of which region will see the largest transfer of marriage value from freeholder to leaseholder under proposed leasehold reforms. HL3338

**Lord Taylor of Warwick** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of reports that the number of company insolvencies last month were 17 per cent higher than one year earlier; and what steps they are taking to support struggling businesses. HL3339

**Lord Taylor of Warwick** to ask His Majesty's Government, following reports that public expectations for inflation have fallen to the lowest level in over two years, what assessment they have made of the impact of falling expectations on (1) wage growth trends, and (2) employment dynamics; and what steps they are taking to address any potential challenges in sustaining wage growth while maintaining price stability. HL3340

**Lord Taylor of Warwick** to ask His Majesty's Government, following reports of stabilisation and growth in the housing market, what steps they are taking to ensure that this translates into an increased housing supply, particularly in areas facing housing shortages. HL3341

**Lord Warner** to ask His Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Baroness Barran on 11 March (HL2772, HL2773, HL2811), who are the owners of each of the 55 independent residential special schools mentioned in that answer; and which of those schools are identified as needing improvement by Ofsted. HL3342

**Lord Warner** to ask His Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Baroness Barran on 11 March (HL2772, HL2773, HL2811), how many of the 26 maintained residential special schools, the 32 non-maintained residential special schools, and the 35 academy and free residential special schools mentioned in the answer require improvement according to Ofsted; and what are the names of those schools. HL3343

**Lord Warner** to ask His Majesty's Government further to the Written Answer by Baroness Barran on 11 March (HL2772, HL2773, HL2811), how many of the 148 residential schools mentioned in the answer are approved for (1) under 20 residential placements, (2) 20 to 40 such placements, and (3) over 40 such placements; and whether there are any places approved for a single child only. HL3344

**Lord Warner** to ask His Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Baroness Barran on 11 March (HL2772, HL2773, HL2811), whether the number of residential special schools in England has increased or decreased since (1) 2010, and (2) 2015; and what arrangements the Department for Education has in place to assess whether there is a shortage of such schools. HL3345

**Lord Warner** to ask His Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Baroness Barran on 11 March (HL2772, HL2773, HL2811), what arrangements they have in place to ensure that the 148 residential special schools mentioned in that answer have ready access to psychiatric and clinical psychology services to meet the clinical needs of their residents, especially those with complex autism. HL3346

**Lord Warner** to ask His Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Baroness Barran on 11 March (HL2772, HL2773, HL2811), what assessment they have made of the capacity of local education authorities to provide education to a child with an education, health and care plan who has been off-rolled from a residential special school and unable to find an alternative placement in another such school. HL3347

**Baroness Warsi** to ask His Majesty's Government whether they will publish all aspects of the legal advice submitted to them on the formulation of a new definition of extremism, which was published on 14 March. HL3348

**Lord West of Spithead** to ask His Majesty's Government, further to the remarks by The Earl of Minto on 11 March (HL Deb col 1805), how will the 138 F35B Lightning aircraft be allocated to squadrons. HL3349

**Lord West of Spithead** to ask His Majesty's Government whether there has been any change to the 2028 Out of Service Date (OSD) of RFA Fort Victoria. HL3350

**Lord Wigley** to ask His Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Lord Harlech on 6 March (HL3092), on how many occasions in the past 12 months has the Government failed to provide an official to attend a meeting arranged between (1) Welsh Ministers and (2) ministers of foreign governments; and whether the meetings were permitted to go ahead in those circumstances. HL3351

**Lord Wigley** to ask His Majesty's Government what discussions they have had in the past 12 months with Welsh Ministers on issues relating to the trawling of the sea bed for rare minerals within territorial waters of the Welsh coast. HL3352

**Lord Wigley** to ask His Majesty's Government how many operational personnel of the British Army are currently based in (1) England, (2) Wales, (3) Scotland, (4) Northern Ireland, and (5) overseas. HL3353

**Lord Young of Cookham** to ask His Majesty's Government what proportion of the Housing Infrastructure Fund has been spent to date on (1) road infrastructure, (2) active travel infrastructure, including pavements and cycle paths, and (3) other types of infrastructure. HL3354

## 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.*

### **25 January** (8 February)

HL1940 Baroness Randerson [Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs]

### **12 February** (26 February)

HL2406 Baroness Randerson [Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs]

### **14 February** (28 February)

HL2470 Baroness Hayman of Ullock [Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs]

HL2472 Baroness Hayman of Ullock [Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs]

### **21 February** (6 March)

HL2647 Lord Dodds of Duncairn [Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs]

HL2685 Lord Shipley [Department for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities]

### **26 February** (11 March)

HL2725 Baroness Boycott [Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs]

HL2729 Baroness Fox of Buckley [Department of Health and Social Care]

### **27 February** (12 March)

HL2813 Lord Weir of Ballyholme [Department for Business and Trade]

### **1 March** (15 March)

HL2934 Baroness Bennett of Manor Castle [Department for Business and Trade]

HL2948 Baroness Hoey [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL2949 Lord Hunt of Kings Heath [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL2950 Lord Hunt of Kings Heath [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL2951 Baroness Kennedy of Cradley [Department for Business and Trade]

HL2969 Baroness Wolf of Dulwich [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL2970 Baroness Wolf of Dulwich [Department of Health and Social Care]

### **4 March** (18 March)

HL2971 Lord Alton of Liverpool [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL2972 Lord Alton of Liverpool [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL2974 Lord Alton of Liverpool [Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office]

HL2978 Baroness Bennett of Manor Castle [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL2987 Lord Hunt of Kings Heath [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL2998 Lord Polak [Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office]

HL3002 Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick [Department of Health and Social Care]

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

Business and Trade (3)

Environment, Food and Rural Affairs (6)

Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office (2)

Health and Social Care (11)

Levelling Up, Housing and Communities (1)

**Bills in Progress**

	<b>Type of Bill</b>	<b>To be considered</b>
<b>Waiting for Second Reading</b>		
Supply and Appropriation (Anticipation and Adjustments) Bill <i>(Money and Supply Bill—18 March)</i>	Government	19 March
Housing Act 1988 (Amendment) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Artificial Intelligence (Regulation) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	22 March
Genocide (Prevention and Response) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	22 March
Workforce Information (Ethnicity) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Foetal Sentience Committee Bill [HL]	Private Member's	22 March
Commercial Organisations and Public Authorities Duty (Human Rights and Environment) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Coroners (Determination of Suicide) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
At-Home Early Medical Abortion (Review) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Asylum Application (Entry to the United Kingdom) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Ecocide Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Protection of Care Recipients and Carers Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Wheelchair Access Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Genocide Determination Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Heritage Trees Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
House of Lords (Hereditary Peers) (Abolition of By-Elections) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Status of Workers Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Disestablishment of the Church of England Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Public Service (Integrity and Ethics) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Abortion (Gestational Time Limit Reduction) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Still-Birth (Definition) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Road Traffic Offences (Cycling) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Offshore Petroleum Licensing Bill	Government	
Leasehold and Freehold Reform Bill <i>(Welsh legislative consent sought) (King's and Prince of Wales's consent to be signified)</i>	Government	
Ministry for Poverty Prevention Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
<b>Committed to a Special Public Bill Committee</b>		
Arbitration Bill [HL] <i>(Law Commission Bill) (Northern Ireland Legislative Consent sought)</i>	Government	
<b>Committed to a Select Committee</b>		
Royal Albert Hall Bill [HL]	Private	
<b>Committed to a Grand Committee</b>		
Data Protection and Digital Information Bill <i>(Scottish, Welsh and Northern Ireland Legislative Consent sought)</i>	Government	20 March
<b>Committed to a Committee of the Whole House</b>		
Victims and Prisoners Bill <i>(Welsh Legislative Consent sought)</i>	Government	

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Conversion Therapy Prohibition (Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Succession to Peerages and Baronetcies Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Economic Activity of Public Bodies (Overseas Matters) Bill <i>(Welsh Legislative Consent withheld; Scottish and Northern Ireland Legislative Consent sought; King's consent sought)</i>	Government	20 March
Media Bill	Government	
Alternative Investment Fund Designation Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Employment and Trade Union Rights (Dismissal and Re-engagement) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Schools (Mental Health Professionals) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
National Insurance Contributions (Reduction in Rates) (No. 2) Bill	Government	19 March
<b>Waiting for Report</b>		
Animal Welfare (Livestock Exports) Bill <i>(Scottish and Welsh Legislative Consent granted)</i>	Government	
<b>Waiting for Third Reading</b>		
Digital Markets, Competition and Consumers Bill <i>(Northern Ireland Legislative Consent sought)</i>	Government	
<b>Sent to the Commons</b>		
Trade (Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for Trans-Pacific Partnership) Bill [HL]	Government	
Investigatory Powers (Amendment) Bill [HL]	Government	
Pedicabs (London) Bill [HL]	Government	
Automated Vehicles Bill [HL]	Government	
<b>Returned to the Commons amended</b>		
Safety of Rwanda (Asylum and Immigration) Bill	Government	
<b>Waiting for Royal Assent</b>		
Bishop's Stortford Cemetery Bill [HL]	Private	

## Statutory Instruments in Progress

### Affirmative Instruments waiting for consideration by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments

Draft Economic Growth (Regulatory Functions) (Amendment) Order 2024

Draft Growth Duty: Statutory Guidance Refresh

Draft Immigration (Leave to Enter and Remain) (Amendment) Order 2024

Draft Sea Fisheries (International Commission for the Conservation of Atlantic Tunas) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2024

### Affirmative Instruments waiting for Affirmative Resolution

Draft Nationality, Immigration and Asylum Act 2002 (Amendment of List of Safe States) Regulations 2024 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 4th Report (19 March)*

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Draft Proceeds of Crime Act 2002 and Terrorism Act 2000 (Certain Information Orders: Code of Practice) Regulations 2024 *12th Report from Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (19 March)*

Draft Proceeds of Crime Act 2002 (Investigative Powers of Prosecutors: Code of Practice) Order 2024 *12th Report from Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (19 March)*

Draft Proceeds of Crime Act 2002 (Search, Recovery of Cryptoassets and Investigations: Codes of Practice) Regulations 2024 *12th Report from Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (19 March)*

Draft Single Source Contract (Amendment) Regulations 2024 *(19 March)*

Draft Terrorism Act 2000 (Code of Practice for Authorised Officers) Order 2024 *12th Report from Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (19 March)*

Draft Tertiary Education and Research (Wales) Act 2022 (Consequential Amendments) Order 2024 *(19 March)*

Draft Criminal Justice Act 1988 (Offensive Weapons) (Amendment, Surrender and Compensation) Order 2024 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 12th Report*

Draft Representation of the People (Variation of Election Expenses and Exclusions) Regulations 2024 *13th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (19 March)*

Draft Energy Bills Discount Scheme (Amendment) Regulations 2024 *15th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (19 March)*

Draft North East Mayoral Combined Authority (Establishment and Functions) Order 2024 *(19 March)*

Draft South Yorkshire Mayoral Combined Authority (Election of Mayor and Transfer of Police and Crime Commissioner Functions) Order 2024 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 15th Report (19 March)*

Draft Strikes (Minimum Service Levels: Fire and Rescue Services) (England) Regulations 2024 *15th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (19 March)*

Draft Combined Authorities (Overview and Scrutiny Committees, Access to Information and Audit Committees) (Amendment) Regulations 2024

Draft Economic Crime and Corporate Transparency Act 2023 (Financial Penalty) Regulations 2024

Draft Code of Practice on Dismissal and Re-Engagement *16th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft Accounting Standards (Prescribed Bodies) (United States of America and Japan) (Amendment) Regulations 2024

Draft Renewable Transport Fuel Obligations (Amendment) Order 2024 *16th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft Strategy and Policy Statement for Energy Policy in Great Britain *16th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (Disapplication or Modification of Financial Regulator Rules in Individual Cases) Regulations 2024

Draft Occupational Pension Schemes (Funding and Investment Strategy and Amendment) Regulations 2024 *17th Report from Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft Official Controls (Fees and Charges) (Amendment) Regulations 2024



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Draft Fair Dealing Obligations (Milk) Regulations 2024 *16th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) (Amendment) Regulations 2024 *(19 March)*

Draft Goods Vehicles (International Road Transport Permits and Haulage Within the EU) Regulations 2024

Draft Plant Health (Fees) (England) and Official Controls (Frequency of Checks) (Amendment) Regulations 2024

Draft Veterinary Medicines (Amendment etc.) Regulations 2024

### **Negative Instruments**

Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) (England) (Amendment) Order 2024 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 15th Report. 16th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 23 March*

Supreme Court Fees Order 2024 *15th Report from Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 25 March*

Statement of changes in Immigration Rules (HC 556) *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 16th Report. Praying time ends 16 April*

School Attendance (Pupil Registration) (England) Regulations 2024 *17th Report from Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 26 April*

Education (Information About Individual Pupils) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2024 *17th Report from Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 26 April*

Education (Penalty Notices) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2024 *17th Report from Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 26 April*

### **Proposed Negative Statutory Instruments laid under the Retained EU Law (Revocation and Reform) Act 2023**

Pressure Equipment (Safety) (Amendment) Regulations 2024 *Sifting period expires: 15 April*

Retained EU Law (Revocation and Reform) Act 2023 (Environment, Food and Rural Affairs) (Revocation) Regulations 2024 *Sifting period expires 15 April*

### **Treaties before the House**

#### **Treaties not yet considered by a Select Committee**

Convention on the Establishment of the ‘Global Combat Air Programme – GCAP International Government Organisation’ *Scrutiny period expires: 16 April*

Agreement between the United Kingdom and Hungary concerning the Protection of Classified Information *Scrutiny period expires: 2 May*

Agreement between the United Kingdom and the Swiss Confederation on Mutual Recognition in Financial Services *Scrutiny period expires: 2 May*

#### **Treaties considered by a Select Committee**

Protocol on the Accession of the United Kingdom to the Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for Trans-Pacific Partnership *Reported by the International Agreements Committee on 20 February. Scrutiny period expires: 22 March (19 March)*

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Agreement No. 3 in the form of an Exchange of Letters between the United Kingdom and Ukraine amending the Political, Free Trade and Strategic Partnership Agreement between the two countries *Noted by the International Agreements Committee on 5 March. Scrutiny period expires: 22 March*

Agreement between the United Kingdom and the Kingdom of Denmark on the Participation in Certain Elections of Nationals of Each Country Resident in the Territory of the Other *Noted by the International Agreements Committee on 5 March. Scrutiny period expires: 25 March*

International Coffee Agreement 2022 *Noted by the International Agreements Committee on 12 March. Scrutiny period expires: 26 March*

## COMMITTEES

### Committees

*Only the next meeting of each Committee is listed below.*

#### **Tuesday 19 March**

Science and Technology Committee	Room 3	10.00am
Industry and Regulators Committee	Room 1	10.30am
Justice and Home Affairs Committee	Room 4	10.30am
Built Environment Committee	Room 2	10.30am
Communications and Digital Committee	Room 3	2.00pm
Economic Affairs Committee	Room 4	3.00pm
Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee	Room 1	3.45pm

#### **Wednesday 20 March**

Financial Services Regulation Committee	Room 2	10.00am
Environment and Climate Change Committee	Room 3	10.00am
Constitution Committee	Room 4	10.00am
International Relations and Defence Committee		10.30am
Windsor Framework Sub-Committee	Room 2	2.00pm
Human Rights (Joint Committee)	Room 16	2.00pm
Public Services Committee	Room 3	3.00pm
Statutory Instruments (Joint Committee)	Virtual meeting	3.40pm
Conduct Committee	2-03 Millbank House	4.00pm

#### **Thursday 21 March**

Food, Diet and Obesity Committee	Room 4	9.45am
Services Committee	Room 3A	12.30pm

#### **Monday 25 March**

Preterm Birth Committee		3.00pm
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#### **Tuesday 26 March**

European Affairs Committee		4.00pm
International Agreements Committee	Room 3A	4.00pm

#### **Thursday 18 April**

Royal Albert Hall Bill [HL] Committee	Room 2A	11.00am
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#### **Tuesday 30 April**

Audit and Risk Assurance Committee	Room 2A	3.00pm
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#### **Wednesday 1 May**

House of Lords Commission	The Lord Speaker's Room	10.00am
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#### **Monday 10 June**

Restoration and Renewal Client Board	The Boothroyd Room, Portcullis House	5.00pm
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## Minutes of Proceedings of Monday 18 March 2024

*The House met at 2.30pm.*

*Prayers were read by the Lord Bishop of Worcester.*

1 **Lord Banner** Charles Edward Raymond Banner, KC, having been created Baron Banner, of Barnt Green in the County of Worcestershire for life by Letters Patent dated in the forenoon of 6 March, was introduced between Lord Blencathra and Lord Wolfson of Tredegar, took and subscribed the oath and signed an undertaking to abide by the Code of Conduct.

2 **Lord Jamieson** James Gerard Jamieson, having been created Baron Jamieson, of Maulden in the County of Bedfordshire for life by Letters Patent dated in the afternoon of 11 March, was introduced between Baroness Scott of Bybrook and Lord Porter of Spalding, took and subscribed the oath and signed an undertaking to abide by the Code of Conduct.

### Public Business

3 **Medical research techniques** A question was asked by Baroness Bennett of Manor Castle and answered by Viscount Camrose.

4 **UK Tradeshow Programme closure** A question was asked by Lord Leong and answered by Lord Johnson of Lainston.

5 **Prison officer pension age** A question was asked by Earl Attlee and answered by Lord Bellamy.

6 **Independent schools** A question was asked by Lord Black of Brentwood and answered by Baroness Barran.

7 **Gaza: hunger alleviation** A private notice question was asked by Baroness Helic and answered by Lord Ahmad of Wimbledon.

8 **Business of the House** Earl Howe, on behalf of the Lord Privy Seal (Lord True), moved that, in the event of the Supply and Appropriation (Anticipation and Adjustments) Bill having been brought from the House of Commons, Standing Order 44 (*No two stages of a Bill to be taken on one day*) be dispensed with on Tuesday 19 March to allow the Bill to be taken through its remaining stages that day. The motion was agreed to.

9 **Business of the House** Earl Howe, on behalf of the Lord Privy Seal (Lord True), moved that Standing Order 44 (*No two stages of a Bill to be taken on one day*) be dispensed with on Tuesday 19 March to enable the National Insurance Contributions (Reduction in Rates) (No. 2) Bill to be taken through its remaining stages that day and that, in accordance with Standing Order 47 (*Amendments on Third Reading*), amendments shall not be moved on Third Reading. The motion was agreed to.

10 **Gender Recognition (Approved Countries and Territories and Saving Provision) Order 2023** Baroness Barran moved that the draft Order laid before the House on 6 December 2023 be approved. The motion was agreed to.

11 **National Minimum Wage (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2024** Lord Offord of Garvel moved that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 31 January be approved. The motion was agreed to.

12 **Criminal Justice Act 2003 (Suitability for Fixed Term Recall) Order 2024** Lord Bellamy moved that the draft Order laid before the House on 22 February be approved. After debate, the motion was agreed to.

**13 Supply and Appropriation (Anticipation and Adjustments) Bill** A bill to authorise the use of resources for the years ending with 31 March 2023, 31 March 2024 and 31 March 2025; to authorise the issue of sums out of the Consolidated Fund for those years; and to appropriate the supply authorised by this Act for the years ending with 31 March 2023 and 31 March 2024, certified by the Speaker as a money bill, was brought from the Commons and read a first time.

**14 Spring Budget 2024** Baroness Vere of Norbiton moved that this House takes note of the Spring Budget 2024. After debate, the motion was agreed to.

**15 National Insurance Contributions (Reduction in Rates) (No. 2) Bill** Baroness Vere of Norbiton moved that the bill be now read a second time. The motion was agreed to and the bill was committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*The House adjourned at 8.13pm until Tuesday 19 March at 2.30pm.*

**Simon Burton**  
*Clerk of the Parliaments*

### **Grand Committee Business**

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

**Terrorism Act 2000 (Code of Practice for Authorised Officers) Order 2024** Lord Gascoigne moved that the Grand Committee do consider the draft Terrorism Act 2000 (Code of Practice for Authorised Officers) Order 2024. The motion was agreed to.

**Proceeds of Crime Act 2002 (Search, Recovery of Cryptoassets and Investigations: Codes of Practice) Regulations 2024** Lord Gascoigne moved that the Grand Committee do consider the draft Proceeds of Crime Act 2002 (Search, Recovery of Cryptoassets and Investigations: Codes of Practice) Regulations 2024. The motion was agreed to.

**Proceeds of Crime Act 2002 (Investigative Powers of Prosecutors: Code of Practice) Order 2024** Lord Gascoigne moved that the Grand Committee do consider the draft Proceeds of Crime Act 2002 (Investigative Powers of Prosecutors: Code of Practice) Order 2024. The motion was agreed to.

**Proceeds of Crime Act 2002 and Terrorism Act 2000 (Certain Information Orders: Code of Practice) Regulations 2024** Lord Gascoigne moved that the Grand Committee do consider the draft Proceeds of Crime Act 2002 and Terrorism Act 2000 (Certain Information Orders: Code of Practice) Regulations 2024. The motion was agreed to.

**South Yorkshire Mayoral Combined Authority (Election of Mayor and Transfer of Police and Crime Commissioner Functions) Order 2024** Lord Gascoigne moved that the Grand Committee do consider the draft South Yorkshire Mayoral Combined Authority (Election of Mayor and Transfer of Police and Crime Commissioner Functions) Order 2024. The motion was agreed to.

**North East Mayoral Combined Authority (Establishment and Functions) Order 2024** Baroness Scott of Bybrook moved that the Grand Committee do consider the draft North East Mayoral Combined Authority (Establishment and Functions) Order 2024. After debate, the motion was agreed to.

*The Committee adjourned at 5.25pm.*

## Papers

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

### Paper Withdrawn

The following paper, laid before the House on the date shown, was withdrawn:

- 1 Secretary of State determination of fishing opportunities for British fishing boats (22 December 2023)

### Command Papers

The following papers were presented to the House by command of His Majesty:

- 1 Explanatory Memorandum (Revised)—Replacement Explanatory Memorandum to the Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) (Amendment) Regulations 2024, originally laid on 28 February. (—)
- 2 Museums and Galleries—Report of the Spoliation Advisory Panel in respect of three Rubens paintings now in the possession of the Courtauld Institute of Art, London. (—)

### Statutory Instruments laid under Standing Order 70

The following instruments were laid before the House on the dates shown:

- 1 Childcare (Free of Charge for Working Parents) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2024 (*Negative Instrument, No. 369, laid on 15 March*)
- 2 Pensions Increase (Review) (No. 2) Order 2024 (*Instrument not subject to Parliamentary Proceedings, No. 372, laid on 15 March*)
- 3 First-tier Tribunal and Upper Tribunal (Chambers) (Amendment) Order 2024 (*Negative Instrument, No. 376, laid on 15 March*)
- 4 Social Security (Class 2 National Insurance Contributions) (Consequential Amendments and Savings) Regulations 2024 (*Negative Instrument, No. 377, laid on 15 March*)

### Negative Instruments

The following instruments were laid before the House:

- 1 Social Security Benefits Up-rating Regulations 2024 (386)
- 2 Countryside Stewardship (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2024 (391)
- 3 Statute, made by the Chancellor, Masters, and Scholars of the University of Cambridge on 27 November 2023, amending the existing Statutes of the University (—)

### Paper not subject to Parliamentary Proceedings

The following paper was laid before the House:

- 1 Secretary of State determination of fishing opportunities for British fishing boats



