

GOVERNMENT WHIPS' OFFICE HOUSE OF LORDS

TODAY'S LISTS WEDNESDAY 8 MAY 2024

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Business in the Chamber at 3pm

Prayers by the Bishop of St Albans (5 minutes)

Oral Questions (40 minutes)

- * The Lord Bishop of St Albans to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to address the decline in uptake of childhood immunisations.
(Lord Markham, DHSC)
- * Lord Young of Cookham, on behalf of Baroness Eaton, to ask His Majesty's Government, further to their 2022 response to the report of the Committee on Standards in Public Life on Local Government Ethical Standards, what plans they have to address concerns about councillors having to publish their home addresses.
(Baroness Scott of Bybrook, DLUHC)
- * Baroness Jones of Whitchurch to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ensure political deepfakes on social media are not used to undermine the outcome of the general election. **(Viscount Camrose, DSIT)**
- * Baroness Hayman of Ullock to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they intend to take in response to the ruling of the High Court on 3 May that their carbon budget delivery plan was not sufficient to meet legally binding targets.
(Lord Benyon, DESNZ)

Main Business

Animal Welfare (Livestock Exports) Bill – Report – Lord Douglas-Miller

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- Other speakers within each group are expected to keep within 10 minutes.
- No member may speak more than once to an amendment except the mover of the amendment, or a member who has leave of the House.
- Arguments deployed at Committee should not be repeated at length on report.
- Members' speeches should not summarise or repeat at length points made by others, and if speaking more than once a Member should not repeat points they have already made.
- Members pressing or withdrawing an amendment should normally be brief.

Target for the day: to complete Report stage

Grouping of amendments:

1, 3

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A Repeat of an Oral Statement made in the House of Commons on Tuesday 7 May

'Defence Personnel Data Breach' - Lord Harlech (MoD)

Automated Vehicles Bill [HL] - Consideration of Commons Amendments - Lord Davies of Gower

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Grouping of amendments:

1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11

Media Bill - Committee (day 1 of 3) - Lord Parkinson of Whitley Bay

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Target for the day: to complete the group beginning with amendment g19

Grouping of amendments:

1, 2, 3, 7, 8, g18, 33, g35

4, 5, 6, 10, 11

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12, 34

13, 32

14, 15

16, 17, 54

g19, g20, g21, g22, g23, g24, 25, 26, g27, g28, 29, 30, 31, g36, g37, g38, g39, g40, g41

42, 46, 47, g48, g49, 50, 51, 53

43, 44, 58, 59, 70

45, g52, g55, g56, g68, g82

Cl 31 S/P

57, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 69

71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76

77, 78, 79, 80, 81

83, 84, 85, 86, Cl 50 S/P, 87, 87A, 92, 94

88, 90, 91, 93, 95

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Dinner break business – at a convenient time around 7.30pm

Debate on the regret motion in the name of Lord Berkeley in relation to the National Networks National Policy Statement – Lord Davies of Gower

Estimated rising time

The House is expected to rise at around 10pm.

Notes:

- *This document sets out the matters for the day's business which the Government Whips' Office coordinates: Speakers' Lists (Companion 4.26), ministerial statements (Companion 6.02) and the grouping of amendments (Companion 8.70). It is not the formal order paper, which is produced by the Clerk of the Parliaments and is available from the Printed Paper Office and <https://lordsbusiness.parliament.uk/>*
- *Time estimates are best endeavours: there is no certainty other than for formally time-limited business. It is the duty of individual members to observe the rules on attendance at debate (Companion 4.32) and, in particular, to ensure that they are present for the start of business in which they wish to take part.*
- *The number of sessions shown for a stage of a bill represents the Government's assessment of reasonable time given the balance of bills and remaining days to the likely end of the session. Progress remains in the hands of the House. Report stage is usually half the length of Committee.*
- *The grouping of amendments is informal. Although every effort is made to secure agreement to groupings, any peer may speak to an amendment in its place on the Marshalled List. "g" before an amendment indicates a Government amendment.*
- *Speaking in debates (Companion 4.34): A member of the House who is taking part in a debate (including general debates and debates on amendments or motions) should attend the start, end and greater part of that debate. In addition, it is considered discourteous for members not to be present for at least the opening speeches, the speeches before and after their own, and for the winding-up speeches. Ministers may decide not to answer, orally or in writing, points made by a speaker who does not stay to hear the Minister's closing speech. Members who believe that they are unlikely to be able to stay until the end of a debate should not seek to participate in it (and if the debate has a speakers' list, should remove their names from the list).*