

**GOVERNMENT WHIPS' OFFICE
HOUSE OF LORDS**

**TODAY'S LISTS
THURSDAY 9 MAY 2024**

[Notes about this document are set out at the end]

Business in the Chamber at 11.00am

Prayers by the Bishop of St Albans (5 minutes)

Introduction

**Baroness Porter of Fulwood and
Baroness Hazarika will be introduced.**

Oral Questions (40 minutes)

- * The Earl of Shrewsbury to ask His Majesty's Government what progress they are making in tackling rural crime. **(Lord Sharpe of Epsom, HO)**
- * Lord Cashman to ask His Majesty's Government what representations they have made to the government of Uganda regarding its Anti-Homosexuality Act. **(Lord Benyon, FCDO)**
- * Lord Holmes of Richmond to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to protect intellectual property rights in relation to artificial intelligence, in particular large language models, since discontinuing plans to develop a code of practice. **(Viscount Camrose, DSIT)**
- * Lord West of Spithead to ask His Majesty's Government what discussions they have had with President Macron regarding the allocation of French nuclear weapons to NATO. **(Lord Ahmad of Wimbledon, FCDO)**

Main Business

Lord Aberdare to move that this House takes note of the importance of skills for the success of the United Kingdom economy and for the quality of life of individuals.

Advisory backbench speaking time: 6 minutes

Speakers:

- L Aberdare
- L Baker of Dorking
- L Griffiths of Burry Port
- B Garden of Frogna1
- 5 B Hayman
- L Marks of Hale (Maiden)

- L Willetts
B Wolf of Dulwich
L Patten
10 B Bennett of Manor Castle
B Coussins
L Lilley
L Birt
B Lane-Fox of Soho
15 L Elliott of Mickle Fell (Maiden)
L Harrington of Watford
L Hampton
L Lingfield
B Valentine
20 B Sater
B Fairhead
L Lucas
E Clancarty
L Holmes of Richmond
25 L Mair
E Effingham
L Muntevans

L Addington
B Wilcox of Newport
30 B Barran
L Aberdare

Topical Question for Short Debate

Lord German to ask His Majesty's Government what estimate they have made of the number of people who have entered the United Kingdom without prior permission since 7 March 2023 and so have been deemed inadmissible to the asylum system, and what plans they have to deal with them. (Time-limited to 1 hour)

Speakers:

- L German
L Lilley

Bp St Albans

L Rogan

5 B Hamwee

Lord Coaker

L Sharpe of Epsom

Except for Lord German (10 minutes) and Lord Sharpe of Epsom (12 minutes), all speeches are limited to 7 minutes.

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).

Advisory backbench speaking time: 6 minutes

Speakers:

B Pitkeathley

L Altrincham

B Tyler of Enfield

B Finlay of Llandaff

5 B Armstrong of Hill Top

L Jamieson (Maiden)

B Redfern

B Barker

B McIntosh of Pickering

10 L Allan of Hallam

B Merron

L Markham

B Pitkeathley

L Allan of Hallam

15 B Merron

L Markham

B Pitkeathley

Estimated rising time

The House is expected to rise at around 7pm.

Business in Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 1pm

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).

Advisory backbench speaking time: 8 minutes

Speakers:

- B Drake
- L Maude of Horsham
- L Thomas of Gresford
- B Stuart of Edgbaston
- 5 L Young of Cookham
- B Finn
- L Butler of Brockwell
- L Norton of Louth
- L Jackson of Peterborough

- 10 L Wallace of Saltaire
- B Chapman of Darlington
- B Neville-Rolfe
- B Drake

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).

Advisory backbench speaking time: 8 minutes

Speakers:

- B Brown of Cambridge
- B Neville-Jones
- E Russell
- B Jones of Moulsecoomb
- 5 L Krebs
- B Neuberger

L Randall of Uxbridge
L Harries of Pentregarth

B Hayman of Ullock

10 L Benyon

B Brown of Cambridge

Estimated Rising Time

The Grand Committee is expected to rise at around 5pm.

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/>*
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- *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.*
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