

HOUSE OF LORDS BUSINESS

No. 7

Items marked † are new or have been altered.

Wednesday 24 July 2024 at 3.00pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Baroness Tyler of Enfield** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the links between rising levels of mental health issues among school age children and poor school attendance; and what steps they are planning to take to address the situation.

***Lord Balfé** to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to seek a closer relationship with the European Investment Bank to encourage investment in the United Kingdom.

***Baroness Lister of Burtersett** to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have for the future of the local authority Household Support Fund, due to expire in September.

***Baroness Stowell of Beeston** to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to introduce legislation to prevent 'strategic lawsuits against public participation'.

Business of the House The Lord Privy Seal (Baroness Smith of Basildon) to move that Standing Order 73 (*Affirmative Instruments*) be dispensed with on Monday 29 July to enable motions to approve the Criminal Justice Act 2003 (Requisite and Minimum Custodial Periods) Order 2024 and the Global Combat Air Programme International Government Organisation (Immunities and Privileges) Order 2024 to be moved, notwithstanding that no report from the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments on the instruments has been laid before the House.

Business of the House The Lord Privy Seal (Baroness Smith of Basildon) to move that, in the event that the Supply and Appropriation (Main Estimates) Bill has been brought from the Commons, Standing Order 44 (*No two stages of a Bill to be taken on one day*) be dispensed with on Monday 29 July to allow the Bill to be taken through its remaining stages that day.

†**King's Speech** Adjourned Debate on the Motion that a Humble Address be presented to His Majesty as follows:

“Most Gracious Sovereign,

We, Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Lords Spiritual and Temporal in Parliament assembled, beg leave to thank Your Majesty for the most gracious Speech which Your Majesty has addressed to both Houses of Parliament.”

It is expected that the principal topics for debate will be justice and home affairs.