

**Monday 9 September 2024 at 2.30pm**

**Lord Cryer**, and

**Lord Sharma** will be introduced.

*Oral questions (40 minutes)*

\***Lord Davies of Brixton** to ask His Majesty's Government how many people (1) claimed, and (2) were eligible to claim, Pension Credit in each of the past three financial years.

\***Baroness Gohir** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the drivers of hate crime against Muslims in Britain, and what steps they are taking to challenge anti-Muslim prejudice and anti-Muslim hate crime.

\***Lord Wood of Anfield** to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to implement the recommendations of the 2022 Independent Review of Children's Social Care.

\***Lord Berkeley** to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to provide longer-term support to the local bus sector.

**Budget Responsibility Bill (Money Bill)** Second Reading (*and remaining stages*) [Lord Livermore]

**Lord Hollick** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Industry and Regulators Committee *Who watches the watchdogs? Improving the performance, independence and accountability of UK Regulators* (2nd Report, Session 2023–24, HL Paper 56).

**Future Business****Tuesday 10 September 2024 at 2.30pm**

**Baroness Batters**, and

**Baroness Harman** will be introduced.

*Oral questions (40 minutes)*

\***Lord Aberdare** to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to end the practice of cash retentions in the construction sector.

\***Lord Farmer** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the report, *Making the grade: Prioritising performance in Whitehall*, published by Reform on 1 May; and what steps they are taking in response.

\***Lord Touhig** to ask His Majesty's Government whether they intend to continue the work programme set out in the Buckland Review of Autism Employment.

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*Items marked † are new or have been altered*

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



†\***The Lord Bishop of St Albans** to ask His Majesty’s Government what plans they have to ensure that pharmacies are accessible to those living in rural areas.

**Royal Albert Hall Bill [HL]** The Senior Deputy Speaker to move this House resolves that the promoters of the Royal Albert Hall Bill [HL], which was originally introduced in this House in Session 2022–23 on 23 January 2023, should have leave to proceed with the Bill in the current Session according to the provisions of Private Business Standing Order 150B (*Revival of bills*).

**Lords Spiritual (Women) Act 2015 (Extension) Bill [HL]** Second Reading [Baroness Smith of Basildon]

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

**Lord Harrington of Watford** to ask His Majesty’s Government what measures they intend to implement to attract more foreign direct investment to the United Kingdom. (*1½ hours*)

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

**Bank Resolution (Recapitalisation) Bill [HL]** Committee (day 2) [Lord Livermore]

## **Wednesday 11 September 2024 at 3.00pm**

**Lord Beamish**, and

**Lord Grayling** will be introduced.

*Oral questions (40 minutes)*

\***Lord Rooker** to ask His Majesty’s Government what plans they have to update the Bread and Flour Regulations 1998.

\***Lord Black of Brentwood** to ask His Majesty’s Government what estimate they have made of the number of people with diagnosed HIV in England who are not accessing HIV care.

\***Lord Snape** to ask His Majesty’s Government whether they intend to continue with the Road Investment Strategy 2: 2020–2025; and what are their plans for the road network.

*Topical oral question. Ballot to be drawn at 1pm on Monday 9 September.*

**Arbitration Bill [HL]** Committee [Lord Ponsonby of Shulbrede]

**Commonwealth Parliamentary Association and International Committee of the Red Cross (Status) Bill [HL]** Committee [Lord Collins of Highbury]

*The following three motions are expected to be debated together:*

**Baroness Altmann** to move that an Humble Address be presented to His Majesty praying that the Social Fund Winter Fuel Payment Regulations 2024 (SI 2024/869), laid before the House on 22 August, be annulled because they would significantly reduce state support for pensioners without sufficient warning and without a proper impact assessment, and because they present a significant risk to the health and wellbeing of many pensioners on low incomes. *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 2nd Report*

**Baroness Stedman-Scott** to move that this House regrets (1) that the Social Fund Winter Fuel Payment Regulations (SI 2024/869), laid before the House on 22 August, will leave pensioners worse off in winter; (2) the decision to prioritise above-inflation pay rises for unionised public sector professionals over the needs of the elderly, including many households that are eligible for Pension Credit but do not claim it; and (3) the lack of transparency on these policy decisions during the election period. *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 2nd Report*

**Lord Palmer of Childs Hill** to move that this House regrets that the Social Winter Fuel Payment Regulations 2024 (SI 2024/869), laid before the House on 22 August, will remove support from many of the poorest pensioners at the same time as the energy price cap is being lifted; and calls on the Government (1) to take steps to identify those who are eligible for pension credit but do not claim it so that they can receive both benefits; (2) to support vulnerable pensioners this winter; and (3) to take action to end fuel poverty, including with an emergency home insulation programme and a windfall tax on the profits of oil and gas companies. *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 2nd Report*

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

**Baroness Parminter** to move that the Grand Committee takes note of the Report from the Environment and Climate Change Committee *An extraordinary challenge: Restoring 30 per cent of our land and sea by 2030* (2nd Report, Session 2022–23, HL Paper 234).

**Thursday 12 September 2024 at 11.00am**

**Lord Booth-Smith**, and

**Baroness May of Maidenhead** will be introduced.

*Oral questions (40 minutes)*

\***Lord Dubs** to ask His Majesty’s Government what steps they plan to take, if any, to prevent the spread of false information through electronic media.

\***The Lord Bishop of St Albans** to ask His Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of NFU Mutual’s Rural Crime Report 2024, published on 1 August.

\***The Earl of Clancarty** to ask His Majesty’s Government whether they intend to negotiate the United Kingdom rejoining the Erasmus+ Programme.

*Topical oral question. Ballot to be drawn at 1pm on Tuesday 10 September.*

**Lord Hogan-Howe** to move that this House takes note of the safety and regulation issues involved in the use of pedal cycles on the road network.

**Baroness Burt of Solihull** to ask His Majesty’s Government what steps they will take to address challenges around prison capacities, and to ensure the safety and wellbeing needs of vulnerable prisoners. (*Topical Question for Short Debate, 1 hour*)

**Lord Krebs** to move that this House takes note of the current challenges of higher education funding.

***Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 1.00pm***

**Baroness Sanderson of Welton** to ask His Majesty’s Government what plans they have to publish a new strategy for public libraries. *Balloted Question for Short Debate (1 hour)*

**Lord Popat** to ask His Majesty’s Government what steps they are taking to (1) raise awareness among United Kingdom businesses of commercial opportunities in African markets, and (2) support United Kingdom exports to Africa. *Balloted Question for Short Debate (1 hour) [1]*

**Lord Forsyth of Drumlean** to ask His Majesty’s Government what steps they are taking to protect wild Atlantic salmon populations. *Balloted Question for Short Debate (1 hour)*

**Baroness Anelay of St Johns** to ask His Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of (1) the impact of international conflict on children, and (2) the recommendations proposed by Save the Children in its report *Stop the War on Children: Let Children Live in Peace*, published in December 2023. *Balloted Question for Short Debate (1 hour)*

**Friday 13 September 2024 at 10.00am**

**Lord Collins of Highbury** to move that this House takes note of the situation in Sudan.

## Motions for Balloted Debate

*The ballot to select two motions for debate closes on Tuesday 10 September to be drawn on Wednesday 11 September, for debate on Thursday 17 October. Combined time limit of 5 hours.*

**Baroness Tyler of Enfield** to move that this House takes note of the case for a comprehensive social care strategy.

**Lord Berkeley** to move that this House takes note of the ongoing reduction in fuel duty revenue as a result of the growth in electric vehicle use, and the potential for recouping this loss through road pricing.

**Baroness Thornhill** to move that this House takes note of the case for a cross-departmental approach to reducing homelessness.

**Lord McConnell of Glenscorrodale** to move that this House takes note of the impact of conflict, extreme poverty and climate-related emergencies globally; and of the progress towards achieving the UN Sustainable Development Goals.

**Lord Bach** to move that this House takes note of the potential benefits of increasing the amount of early legal advice given to those considering entering into legal proceedings, and of increasing the availability of legal aid for this purpose.

**Lord Lucas** to move that this House takes note of the economic challenges facing coastal communities and ways of providing long-term solutions to them.

**Baroness Hoey** to move that this House takes note of the impact of the Windsor Framework on democracy within the United Kingdom.

**Lord Harries of Pentregarth** to move that this House takes note of the report by the Global Mind Project, *The Mental State of the World in 2023*, published in March, and in particular its finding that the United Kingdom ranks poorly in mental wellbeing compared to other countries.

**The Lord Bishop of St Albans** to move that this House takes note of trends in the United Kingdom's rural economy and its potential to contribute to national growth.

†**The Earl of Clancarty** to move that this House takes note of the effect of the UK leaving the EU on the arts and creative industries.

## Select Committee Reports

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

**Lord Ashton of Hyde** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the International Relations and Defence Committee *Our friends in the North: UK strategy towards the Arctic* (1st Report, Session 2023–24, HL Paper 8). *29 November 2023*

**Lord Ricketts** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the European Affairs Committee *The Ukraine Effect: The impact of Russia's invasion of Ukraine on the UK–EU relationship* (1st Report, Session 2023–24, HL Paper 48). *31 January*

**Baroness Brown of Cambridge** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Science and Technology Committee *Long-duration energy storage: get on with it* (1st Report, Session 2023–24, HL Paper 68). *13 March*

**Baroness Stowell of Beeston** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Communications and Digital Committee *Large language models and generative AI* (1st Report, Session 2023–24, HL Paper 54). *2 February*

**Baroness Parminter** to move that this House takes note of the Report from the Environment and Climate Change Committee *EV strategy: rapid recharge needed* (1st Report, Session 2023–24, HL Paper 51). 6 February

## Motions Relating to Delegated Legislation

**Baroness Lister of Burtersett** to move that this House takes note of the Immigration (Guidance on Detention of Vulnerable Persons) Regulations 2024, laid before the House on 30 April (SI 2024/573). *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 25th Report, Session 2023–24*

**Baroness Hoey** to move that an Humble Address be presented to His Majesty praying that the Windsor Framework (Retail Movement Scheme: Plant and Animal Health) (Amendment etc.) Regulations 2024 (SI 2024/853), laid before the House on 9 August, be annulled.

**Lord Davies of Brixton** to move that this House takes note of the draft Pensions Regulator’s Defined Benefit Funding Code of Practice 2024, laid before the House on 29 July. *2nd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

## Questions for Short Debate

*These Questions for Short Debate were drawn in the ballot on Wednesday 17 July as the reserve list, which may be used as lunch, dinner break, or last business.*

**Baroness Neville-Rolfe** to ask His Majesty’s Government what steps they are taking to improve productivity across the public sector.

**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.

**Baroness McIntosh of Pickering** to ask His Majesty’s Government what are their priorities for rural communities over the next two years.

**Baroness Wyld** to ask His Majesty’s Government what steps they will take to ensure that perinatal mental health services are available and accessible to every woman who needs them.

**Lord Herbert of South Downs** to ask His Majesty’s Government what steps they will take to promote global agreement to tackle antimicrobial resistance, including drug-resistant tuberculosis, at the UN High-Level Meeting on antimicrobial resistance on 26 September.

**Baroness Tyler of Enfield** to ask His Majesty’s Government what assessment they have made of the state of NHS waiting lists for mental health treatment and care, and what immediate plans they have to improve the situation.

**Lord Wigley** to ask His Majesty’s Government whether they intend to institute an inquiry into the factors which may have influenced the proportion of registered voters turning out to vote in the general election held on 4 July; and what plans they have to address the issue of low voter turnout.

**Baroness Gohir** to ask His Majesty’s Government what plans they have to reduce violence against Black, Asian and minority ethnic women and girls.

**Baroness Lawlor** to ask His Majesty’s Government what steps they will take to encourage universities to set up overseas institutions, to increase opportunities locally in developing economies and reduce net migration to the UK.

**Lord Moynihan** to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to promote, raise awareness of and encourage participation in sport and recreation for the benefits of health, longevity, fitness, skill, achievement, social interaction and wellbeing.

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

**Lord Naseby** to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have, if any, to establish a form of modern 'national service'.

**Lord Berkeley** to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to increase usage of local buses.

### **Questions for Short Debate ballot entries**

*The ballot for four Questions closes on Tuesday 15 October for debate in Grand Committee on Thursday 31 October. A further 15 questions will be drawn as the reserve list to be taken in the Chamber if time allows and replace the existing list.*

**Lord Murphy of Torfaen** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to support opera. (*Department for Culture, Media and Sport*)

**Lord Patel** to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to improve cancer outcomes in England through early diagnosis, improvement in care, and research. (*Department of Health and Social Care*)

**Lord McColl of Dulwich** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they will take to encourage greater candour and accuracy of statements in public life as expressed in the King's Speech. (*Cabinet Office*)

**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. (*Home Office*)

**Lord Hain** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking, if any, to build support for a new International Anti-Corruption Court. (*Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office*)

**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 the homes people want, in the places they want to live, whilst ensuring that development does not adversely affect existing communities. (*Ministry of Housing, Communities and Local Government*)

**Lord Trefgarne** to ask His Majesty's Government whether deterrence remains a core element of the United Kingdom's defence policy. (*Ministry of Defence*)

**Baroness Scott of Needham Market** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the current position regarding diagnosis and treatment of myalgic encephalomyelitis. (*Department of Health and Social Care*)

**Lord Foster of Bath** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the prevalence of gambling harms experienced by the population as highlighted by the recent statistics published by the Gambling Commission. (*Department for Culture, Media and Sport*)

**Baroness Tyler of Enfield** to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have, if any, to review the operation of the Carer's Allowance, including the repayments regime to assist family carers. (*Department for Work and Pensions*)

**Baroness McIntosh of Pickering** to ask His Majesty's Government what are their priorities for rural communities for the next two years. (*Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs*)

†**The Lord Bishop of St Albans** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to provide assistance to Rohingya refugees in Cox's Bazar and other parts of Bangladesh. (*Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office*)

## Questions for Written Answer

*Tabled on 6 September and due for answer by 20 September.*

**Lord Alton of Liverpool** to ask His Majesty's Government what representations they have made to government of Iraq in relation to the spike in hate speech against the Yazidi, following the 10th anniversary of the Yazidi genocide; and how they are assisting Iraq in addressing the issue. HL837

**Lord Alton of Liverpool** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the reports that evidence collected by the UN Investigative Team to Promote Accountability for Crimes Committed by Da'esh/ISIL is being shared with Kurdish authorities; whether doing so was in accordance with the consent of victims and survivors; and what risks were identified. HL838

**Lord Alton of Liverpool** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the UN Investigative Team to Promote Accountability for Crimes Committed by Da'esh/ISIL as it comes to the end of its mandate; and what arrangements have been agreed in relation to the evidence it has collected so far, in particular (1) where and how it will be stored, (2) how it will be used, and (3) what will happen to the evidence which has not been processed yet. HL839

**Lord Alton of Liverpool** to ask His Majesty's Government what is their position on establishing an ad hoc tribunal for Da'esh to ensure that its members are prosecuted for their involvement in international crimes, including genocide, crimes against humanity and war crimes. HL840

**Lord Alton of Liverpool** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the compatibility of their policy on charging VAT on independent schools with the European Convention on Human Rights (ECHR), and in particular with (1) Article 2 of the First Protocol, and (2) Article 14 of the ECHR. HL841

**Lord Empey** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of (1) the reasons behind, and (2) the consequences of, the resignation of the Northern Ireland Veterans Commissioner: and whether they intend to seek a successor. HL842

**Lord Empey** to ask His Majesty's Government whether they have any plans to amend (1) the terms of reference, and (2) the remit, of the Northern Ireland Veterans Commissioner. HL843

**Baroness Hoey** to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to put the posts of the four Veterans Commissioners on a statutory footing; and on what timescale. HL844

**Baroness Jones of Moulsecoomb** to ask His Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Baroness Hayman of Ullock on 8 August (HL429), what assessment they have made of the changes that have taken place since the publication of *The cost of nationalising the water industry in England* by the Social Market Foundation on 5 February 2018, and the impact of these changes on the cost of compensation to stakeholders. HL845

**Lord Kempson** to ask His Majesty's Government what progress they have made towards helping every child to learn to play a musical instrument. HL846

**Lord McCrea of Magherafelt and Cookstown** to ask His Majesty's Government what discussions they have had with the chief executive of the NHS concerning reports that Central and North West London NHS Foundation Trust emailed staff advising them not to attend anti-Semitism awareness training. HL847

**Lord Moynihan** to ask His Majesty's Government whether the outcome to the consultation *The new alcohol duty system*, which ran from 27 October 2021 to 30 January 2022, has met the stated core principles by making the system (1) simpler, (2) more economically rational, and (3) less administratively burdensome on businesses. HL848



**Lord Moynihan** to ask His Majesty's Government what consideration they have given to either (1) extending, or (2) making permanent, the wine temporary easement period in order to meet the core principles outlined in *The new alcohol duty system* consultation, which ran from 27 October 2021 to 30 January 2022, to make the alcohol duty system (a) simpler, (b) more economically rational, and (c) less administratively burdensome. HL849

**Lord Moynihan** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of challenges of producing wine which is accurately and predictably within a range of 0.5 per cent alcohol by volume (ABV) for the purposes of taxation, given that wine is an agricultural product and dependent on weather; and what assessment they have made of the impact of introducing alcohol duty bands of 0.5 per cent ABV on (1) businesses, and (2) the consumer. HL850

**Lord Moynihan** to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to support the wine industry with the added cost of packaging required as part of the Extended Producer Responsibility Scheme; and how much they expect the scheme to add to a 750ml wine bottle in addition to (1) the additional duty in 2023, and (2) further duties resulting from the new wine duty regime to be introduced in 2025. HL851

**Lord Moynihan** to ask His Majesty's Government how the proposed increase in the number of taxation bands for wine will reduce the administrative burden on the wine trade, as outlined in the consultation *The new alcohol duty system*, which ran from 27 October 2021 to 30 January 2022. HL852

**Lord Rooker** to ask His Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Baroness Taylor of Stevenage on 31 July (HL90), whether the Minister's secretary received a response to their letter from the Health and Safety Executive. HL853

**Lord Rooker** to ask His Majesty's Government whether they intend (1) to remove the £10 Christmas bonus for qualifying pensioners, or (2) to restore it to its original value as a percentage of the basic pension. HL854

**Lord Rooker** to ask His Majesty's Government what estimate they have made of the revenue they would receive if National Insurance was paid by those aged over 65 with incomes over the threshold; and what assessment they have made of requiring those with incomes above the threshold to pay it. HL855

**Lord Scriven** to ask His Majesty's Government whether they intend to include specific clauses on human rights in their free trade agreement with the Gulf Cooperation Council; if so, what the clauses will consist of and how they will be monitored; and if they will not be included, why not. HL856

**Lord Sharkey** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the effectiveness of competition on cross-Solent ferry routes to and from the Isle of Wight in delivering fair consumer pricing. HL857

**Lord Strathcarron** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of (1) the adequacy of the work of the National Security Online Information Team, and (2) the impact of that work on freedom of speech. HL858

**Viscount Waverley** to ask the Senior Deputy Speaker what consideration has been given to allowing the Ambassador of China to visit the House of Lords parts of the parliamentary estate. HL859

**The Lord Bishop of Winchester** to ask His Majesty's Government whether they intend to work within international forums to establish a commission of inquiry to investigate and hold accountable those responsible for human rights violations against the Banyamulenge in the Democratic Republic of the Congo. HL860

## 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.*

### **23 July** (6 August)

HL279 Lord Watson of Wyre Forest [Ministry of Defence]

### **30 July** (13 August)

HL479 Lord Alton of Liverpool [Ministry of Defence]

HL536 Lord Scriven [Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office]

HL540 Baroness Smith of Llanfaes [Leader of the House of Lords]

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

Leader of the House of Lords (1)

Defence (2)

Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office (1)

**Bills in Progress**

	<b>Type of Bill</b>	<b>To be considered</b>
<b>Waiting for Second Reading</b>		
Assisted Dying for Terminally Ill Adults Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Regulated and Other Activities (Mandatory Reporting of Child Sexual Abuse) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Lords Spiritual (Women) Act 2015 (Extension) Bill [HL] ( <i>King's consent to be signified</i> )	Government	10 September
Education (Values of British Citizenship) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Refugees (Family Reunion) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Statutory Instruments (Amendment) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Environmental Targets (Public Authorities) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Complications from Abortions (Annual Report) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Water (Special Measures) Bill [HL] ( <i>Welsh Legislative Consent sought</i> )	Government	
Product Regulation and Metrology Bill [HL] ( <i>Scottish, Welsh and Northern Ireland Legislative Consent sought</i> )	Government	
Imprisonment for Public Protection (Re-sentencing) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Women, Peace and Security Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Passenger Railway Services (Public Ownership) Bill ( <i>Scottish and Welsh Legislative Consent sought</i> )	Government	
Home School Education Registration and Support Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Listed Investment Companies (Classification etc) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Budget Responsibility Bill ( <i>Money Bill—5 September</i> )	Government	9 September
Asylum Support (Prescribed Period) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Non-Consensual Sexually Explicit Images and Videos (Offences) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
<b>Committed to a Select Committee</b>		
Holocaust Memorial Bill	Government	
<b>Committed to a Grand Committee</b>		
Bank Resolution (Recapitalisation) Bill [HL]	Government	10 September
<b>Committed to a Committee of the Whole House</b>		
Commonwealth Parliamentary Association and International Committee of the Red Cross (Status) Bill [HL]	Government	11 September
Arbitration Bill [HL] ( <i>Northern Ireland Legislative Consent sought</i> )	Government	11 September
Crown Estate Bill [HL] ( <i>King's consent to be signified</i> )	Government	
Support for Infants and Parents etc (Information) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Lithium-ion Battery Safety Bill [HL]	Private Member's	

## Statutory Instruments in Progress

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

Draft European Forest Institute (Immunities and Privileges) Order 2024

Draft Human Fertilisation and Embryology (Amendment) Regulations 2024 *1st Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft Vehicle Drivers (Certificates of Professional Competence) (Amendment) Regulations 2024 *1st Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft Armed Forces Act 2006 (Continuation) Order 2024

Draft Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (Ombudsman Scheme) (Fees) Regulations 2024 *2nd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft Government of Wales Act 2006 (Devolved Welsh Authorities) (Amendment) Order 2024

Draft Ivory Act 2018 (Meaning of “Ivory” and Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2024

Draft Information Sharing (Disclosure by the Registrar) Regulations 2024

Draft Registrar (Identity Verification and Authorised Corporate Service Providers) Regulations 2024

Draft Separation of Waste (England) (No. 2) Regulations 2024 *1st Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft Renewable Transport Fuel Obligations (Sustainable Aviation Fuel) Order 2024 *1st Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft Social Security (Scotland) Act 2018 (Disability Assistance) (Consequential Modifications) Order 2024

Draft Human Medicines (Amendments Relating to Naloxone and Transfers of Functions) Regulations 2024 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 2nd Report*

Draft Nationality, Immigration and Asylum Act 2002 (Juxtaposed Controls) (Amendment) Order 2024

Syria (Sanctions) (EU Exit) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2024

Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) (Amendment) (No. 3) Regulations 2024

Draft Carbon Dioxide Transport and Storage (Determination of Turnover for Penalties) Regulations 2024

Draft Contracts for Difference (Electricity Supplier Obligations) (Amendment) Regulations 2024 *2nd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Infected Blood Compensation Scheme Regulations 2024 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 2nd Report*

Draft Misuse of Drugs Act 1971 (Amendment) (No. 2) Order 2024

Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) (Amendment) (No. 4) Regulations 2024

Draft Insurance and Reinsurance Undertakings (Prudential Requirements) (Amendment and Miscellaneous Provisions) Regulations 2024

**Affirmative Instruments waiting for Affirmative Resolution**

Draft Product Security and Telecommunications Infrastructure (Security Requirements for Relevant Connectable Products) (Amendment) Regulations 2024

Draft Local Digital Television Programme Services (Amendment) Order 2024

Draft Magistrates' Courts Fees (Amendment) Order 2024

**Negative Instruments**

Immigration (Guidance on Detention of Vulnerable Persons) Regulations 2024 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 25th Report, Session 2023–24. Praying time ended 23 July*

Building (Amendment) (England) Regulations 2024 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 1st Report. Praying time ends 9 September*

Sentencing Act 2020 (Special Procedures for Community and Suspended Sentence Orders) Regulations 2024 *1st Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 11 September*

Separation of Waste (England) Regulations 2024 *1st Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 8 October*

Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (Commodity Derivatives and Emission Allowances) (Amendment) Order 2024 *1st Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 12 October*

Medicines (Gonadotrophin-Releasing Hormone Analogues) (Emergency Prohibition) (England, Wales and Scotland) Order 2024 *1st Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 12 October*

National Health Service (General Medical Services Contracts) (Prescription of Drugs etc.) (Amendment) Regulations 2024 *1st Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 12 October*

Social Fund Winter Fuel Payment Regulations 2024 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 2nd report. Praying time ends 3 November (11 September)*

Windsor Framework (Retail Movement Scheme: Plant and Animal Health) (Amendment etc.) Regulations 2024 *Praying time ends 3 November*

Illegal Migration Act 2023 (Amendment) Regulations 2024 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 2nd Report. Praying time ends 26 October.*

Draft Pensions Regulator's Defined Benefit Funding Code of Practice 2024 *2nd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 1 November.*

Human Medicines (Amendments relating to the Windsor Framework) Regulations 2024 *2nd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 1 November.*

M6 Motorway (Junctions 21a to 26) (Variable Speed Limits) Regulations 2024 *2nd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 2 November.*

Medicines (Gonadotrophin-Releasing Hormone Analogues) (Emergency Prohibition) (Extension) Order 2024 *2nd Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 3 November.*

## **Treaties before the House**

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

Amendment to the Agreement between the United Kingdom and the United States of America for Cooperation on the Uses of Atomic Energy for Mutual Defense Purposes *Scrutiny period expires: 23 October*

Framework Agreement between the United Kingdom and Ukraine on Official Credit Support for the Development of Ukraine's Defence Capabilities *Scrutiny period expires: 29 October*

Agreement among the United Kingdom, Australia, and the United States of America for Cooperation related to Naval Nuclear Propulsion *Scrutiny period expires: 29 October*

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

Amending Protocol between the United Kingdom and the Republic of Moldova to extend Amending Agreement No. 1 between the two countries to amend the Strategic Partnership, Trade and Cooperation Agreement between the two countries *Noted by the International Agreements Committee on 3 September. Scrutiny period expires: 14 October*

## **Retirement**

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

Baroness Smith of Gilmorehill (28 February 2025)

## COMMITTEES

### Committees

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

#### **Monday 9 September**

Modern Slavery Act 2015 Committee	Room 3	3.30pm
Statutory Inquiries Committee	Room 2	4.00pm

#### **Tuesday 10 September**

Science and Technology Committee	Room 2	10.00am
Industry and Regulators Committee	Room 3	10.30am
Justice and Home Affairs Committee	Room 1	10.30am
Built Environment Committee	Room 4	10.30am
Communications and Digital Committee	Room 2	2.00pm
Economic Affairs Committee	Room 3	3.00pm
European Affairs Committee	Room 4	4.00pm
International Agreements Committee	Room 2A	4.00pm

#### **Wednesday 11 September**

Constitution Committee	Room 2	10.00am
Financial Services Regulation Committee	Room 4	10.00am
Environment and Climate Change Committee	Room 3	10.00am
International Relations and Defence Committee	Room 1	10.30am
Public Services Committee	Room 2A	11.00am
Finance Committee	Room 3A	3.45pm
Conduct Committee	2-03 Millbank House	4.00pm

#### **Thursday 12 September**

Food, Diet and Obesity Committee	Room 1	9.00am
Services Committee	Room 3A	12.30pm

#### **Tuesday 8 October**

Liaison Committee	Room G-32, Millbank House	10.00am
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#### **Monday 14 October**

Preterm Birth Committee		3.00pm
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#### **Wednesday 30 October**

House of Lords Commission	The Lord Speaker's Room	10.00am
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## Minutes of Proceedings of Friday 6 September 2024

*The House met at 10.00am.*

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

### Public Business

1 **Asylum Support (Prescribed Period) Bill [HL]** Baroness Healy of Primrose Hill, on behalf of Baroness Lister of Burtersett, presented a bill to introduce a minimum period of 56 days after an asylum claim is determined before an asylum claim is considered to be determined for the purposes of ending asylum support; to make provision about the serving of documentation relevant to the ending of asylum support following an asylum determination; and for connected purposes. It was read a first time and ordered to be printed. (HL Bill 25)

2 **Non-Consensual Sexually Explicit Images and Videos (Offences) Bill [HL]** Baroness Owen of Alderley Edge presented a bill to create offences relating to the taking of a non-consensual sexually explicit photograph or film; and the creation of, or solicitation to create, a non-consensual digitally produced sexually explicit photograph or film; and for connected purposes. It was read a first time and ordered to be printed. (HL Bill 26)

3 **Marine Protected Areas (Bottom Trawling) Bill [HL]** The bill was withdrawn.

4 **Support for Infants and Parents etc (Information) Bill [HL]** Lord Farmer moved that the bill be now read a second time. After debate, the motion was agreed to and the bill was committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

5 **Lithium-ion Battery Safety Bill [HL]** Lord Redesdale moved that the bill be now read a second time. After debate, the motion was agreed to and the bill was committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

*The House adjourned at 1.21pm until Monday 9 September at 2.30pm.*

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