

**GOVERNMENT WHIPS' OFFICE  
HOUSE OF LORDS**

**TODAY'S LISTS  
THURSDAY 12 SEPTEMBER 2024**

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**Business in the Chamber at 11.00am**

*Prayers by the Bishop of Leeds (5 minutes)*

*Introduction*

**Lord Booth-Smith, and**

**Baroness May of Maidenhead will be introduced**

*Oral Questions (40 minutes)*

- \* Baroness Kennedy of Cradley on behalf of 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. **(Baroness Jones of Whitchurch, DSIT)**
- \* 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. **(Lord Hanson of Flint, HO)**
- \* The Earl of Clancarty to ask His Majesty's Government whether they intend to negotiate the United Kingdom rejoining the Erasmus+ Programme. **(Baroness Smith of Malvern, DfE)**
- \* The Lord Bishop of Leeds to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to accelerate and intensify military support for Ukraine. **(Baroness Chapman of Darlington, FCDO)**

*A Repeat of an Oral Statement made in the House of Commons on Wednesday 11 September (40 minutes)*

**'The Murder of Patrick Finucane' – Baroness Anderson of Stoke-on-Trent (NIO)**

*Main Business*

**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.**

*(Time-limited to 2½ hours)*

*Speakers:*

L Hogan-Howe

L Berkeley

L Young of Cookham

L Birt

- 5 B Hodgson of Abinger  
B Jones of Moulsecoomb  
L Burns  
L Holmes of Richmond  
L Hampton
- 10 L Hastings of Scarisbrick  
L Robathan  
L Londesborough  
L Austin of Dudley  
L Macpherson of Earl's Court
- 15 B McIntosh of Pickering  
L Russell of Liverpool  
L Shinkwin  
V Colville of Culross
- B Randerson
- 20 L Moylan  
L Hendy of Richmond Hill  
L Hogan-Howe

*Except for Lord Hogan-Howe (15 minutes), Baroness Randerson (10 minutes), Lord Moylan (10 minutes) and Lord Hendy of Richmond Hill (20 minutes), all speeches are limited to 5 minutes*

*Questions on an Oral Statement made in the House of Commons on Monday 9 September (40 minutes)*

**'Bus Franchising Update' - Lord Hendy of Richmond Hill (DfT)**

*Topical Question for Short Debate*

**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. (Time-limited to 1 hour)**

*Speakers:*

- B Burt of Solihull  
L Mann  
L Farmer

- L Carlile of Berriew
- 5 Bp Sheffield
- L Carter of Haslemere
- B Benjamin
- L Harries of Pentregarth
- B Fox of Buckley
- 10 L Hastings of Scarisbrick
- L Moylan
- L Phillips of Worth Matravers
- L Burnett of Maldon
- L McNally
- 15 B Wheatcroft

L German

E Effingham

L Timpson

*Except for Baroness Burt of Solihull (10 minutes) and Lord Timpson (12 minutes), all speeches are limited to 2 minutes.*

**Lord Krebs to move that this House takes note of the current challenges of higher education funding.** *(Time-limited to 2½ hours)*

*Speakers:*

- L Krebs
- L Howarth of Newport (Virtual)
- L Willetts
- B Garden of Frogna
- 5 L Rees of Ludlow
- Bp Sheffield
- L Parekh
- B Wolf of Dulwich
- B Bennett of Manor Castle
- 10 L Trees
- B Clark of Calton
- B Warwick of Undercliffe
- L Johnson of Marylebone

- L Tarassenko (Maiden)
- 15 L Mair (Maiden)
- L Watson of Invergowrie
- L Hannay of Chiswick
- B Fox of Buckley
- B Murphy
- 20 L Thomas of Cwmgiedd
- V Hanworth
- D Wellington
- L Wallace of Saltaire
- B Barran
- 25 B Smith of Malvern
- L Krebs

*Except for Lord Krebs (15 minutes), Lord Wallace of Saltaire (10 minutes), Baroness Barran (10 minutes) and Baroness Smith of Malvern (20 minutes), all speeches are limited to 4 minutes*

*Estimated rising time*

The House is expected to rise at around 7.15pm.

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**Business in Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 1pm**

**Baroness Sanderson of Welton to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to publish a new strategy for public libraries. (Time-limited to 1 hour)**

*Speakers:*

- B Sanderson of Welton
- B Rebuck
- B Smith of Newnham
- L Berkeley of Knighton
- 5 Bp St Albans
- B Wilcox of Newport
- L Mendoza
- B Stuart of Edgbaston

- L Watson of Invergowrie
- 10 B Finn
- B Janke
- L Liddle
- B Fraser of Craigmaddie
- B Fox of Buckley
- 15 E Clancarty
- L McInnes of Kilwinning
- B Blower
- B Redfern
- B Harris of Richmond
- 20 L Vaizey of Didcot
- L Freyberg

L Shipley

L Parkinson of Whitley Bay

B Twycross

*Except for Baroness Sanderson of Welton (10 minutes) and Baroness Twycross (12 minutes), all speeches are limited to 1 minutes.*

*At 2pm*

**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.**  
*(Time-limited to 1 hour)*

*Speakers:*

- L Popat
- L Bruce of Bennachie
- L Risby
- L Swire
- 5 B Hoey
- L Hannan of Kingsclere
- L Mancroft
- B Northover

- L Johnson of Lainston  
10 L Leong

*Except for Lord Popat (10 minutes) and Lord Leong (12 minutes), all speeches are limited to 4 minutes.*

*At 3pm*

**Lord Forsyth of Drumlean to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to protect wild Atlantic salmon populations. (Time-limited to 1 hour)**

*Speakers:*

- L Forsyth of Drumlean  
L Grantchester  
L Thomas of Gresford  
L Douglas-Miller  
5 L Campbell-Savours (Virtual)  
L Patten  
L Bellingham  
L Moynihan  
L Vaux of Harrowden  
10 E Caithness  
D Wellington  
E Shrewsbury  
V Trenchard  
  
L Beith  
15 L Roborough  
B Hayman of Ullock

*Except for Lord Forsyth of Drumlean (10 minutes) and Baroness Hayman of Ullock (12 minutes), all speeches are limited to 2 minutes.*

At 4pm

**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. (Time-limited to 1 hour)**

*Speakers:*

- B Anelay of St Johns
- L Browne of Ladyton
- L Ahmad of Wimbledon
- B D'Souza
- 5 B Goudie
- B Sugg
- L Alton of Liverpool
- L Patten
- L Sahota
- 10 B Helic
  
- B Northover
- L Callanan
- L Collins of Highbury

*Except for Baroness Anelay of St Johns (10 minutes) and Lord Collins of Highbury (12 minutes), all speeches are limited to 3 minutes.*

*Estimated Rising Time*

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

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*Notes:*

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