

Wednesday 13 November 2024 at 3.00pm

***Lord Black of Brentwood** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the report by the South Sudan Investigation Committee, published on 20 March, into the killing of Christopher Allen in 2017; and what plans they have as a result to improve support for British journalists detained or killed overseas, and their families. [I]

***Lord Sharkey** to ask His Majesty's Government what progress they have made towards the introduction of a Sharia-compliant student finance product.

***Lord Harries of Pentregarth** to ask His Majesty's Government what representations they are making to the government of Indonesia to ensure that the recommendations of the UN Human Rights Committee regarding the indigenous population in West Papua are fully implemented.

Barnsley and Sheffield (Boundary Change) Order 2024 Baroness Taylor of Stevenage to move that the draft Order laid before the House on 7 October be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 11 November*

Property (Digital Assets etc) Bill [HL] Second Reading [Lord Ponsonby of Shulbrede] (*Law Commission Bill*) *Considered in Second Reading Committee on 6 November*

If the bill is read a second time, Lord Ponsonby of Shulbrede to move that the bill be committed to a Special Public Bill Committee.

Passenger Railway Services (Public Ownership) Bill Third Reading [Lord Hendy of Richmond Hill] *Scottish and Welsh Legislative Consent granted, 2nd and 5th Reports from the Delegated Powers and Regulatory Reform Committee*

Football Governance Bill [HL] Second Reading [Baroness Twycross] *Welsh Legislative Consent sought*

If the bill is read a second time, Baroness Twycross to move that the bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House, and that it be an instruction to the Committee of the Whole House that they consider the bill in the following order:

Clauses 1 to 3	Schedule 7
Schedule 1	Clause 68
Clauses 4 to 5	Schedule 8
Schedule 2	Clauses 69 to 75
Clauses 6 to 9	Schedule 9
Schedule 3	Clauses 76 to 81
Clauses 10 to 18	Schedule 10
Schedule 4	Clauses 82 to 93
Clauses 19 to 20	Schedule 11
Schedule 5	Clauses 94 to 97
Clauses 21 to 24	Schedule 12
Schedule 6	Clauses 98 to 100
Clauses 25 to 67	Title.

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



Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 4.15pm

European Forest Institute (Immunities and Privileges) Order 2024 Consideration in Grand Committee [Baroness Chapman of Darlington]

The following four motions are expected to be debated together:

Packaged Retail and Insurance-based Investment Products (Retail Disclosure) (Amendment) Regulations 2024 Consideration in Grand Committee [Baroness Blake of Leeds]

Prudential Regulation of Credit Institutions (Meaning of CRR Rules and Recognised Exchange) (Amendment) Regulations 2024 Consideration in Grand Committee [Baroness Blake of Leeds]

Securitisation (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2024 Consideration in Grand Committee [Baroness Blake of Leeds]

Consumer Composite Investments (Designated Activities) Regulations 2024 Consideration in Grand Committee [Baroness Blake of Leeds] *4th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Persistent Organic Pollutants (Amendment) Regulations 2024 Consideration in Grand Committee [Baroness Hayman of Ullock]

Environmental Protection (Single-use Vapes) (England) Regulations 2024 Consideration in Grand Committee [Baroness Hayman of Ullock] *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 6th Report*

Terrorism Act 2000 (Alterations to the Search Powers Code for Northern Ireland) Order 2024 Consideration in Grand Committee [Baroness Anderson of Stoke-on-Trent] *5th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Future Business

Thursday 14 November 2024 at 11.00am

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Baroness Winterton of Doncaster** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to increase voter registration and participation.

***Lord Davies of Brixton** to ask His Majesty's Government what preparations they are making to inform people born on or after 6 April 1960 about the increase in their state pension age from 66 to 67 which will be implemented over the period 6 April 2026 to 5 April 2028.

***Lord Dubs** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the effectiveness of the BBC World Service.

***The Lord Bishop of Gloucester** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made on the impact of the prisoner early release scheme on probation services.

†**Lord Frost** to move that this House takes note of the cost of renewable energy and its effect on energy costs in the United Kingdom. (*Balloted debate, 2 hours*) [1]

Baroness Sater to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of the Budget on arts, heritage and cultural organisations. (*Topical Question for Short Debate, 1 hour*)

†**Baroness Warwick of Undercliffe** to move that this House takes note of the findings and recommendations in the Universities UK report, *Opportunity, growth and partnership: a blueprint for change*, published on 30 September. (*Balloted debate, 3 hours*)

Friday 15 November 2024 at 10.00am

Support for Infants and Parents etc (Information) Bill [HL] Third Reading [Lord Farmer]

Education (Values of British Citizenship) Bill [HL] Third Reading [Lord Harries of Pentregarth]

Imprisonment for Public Protection (Re-sentencing) Bill [HL] Second Reading [Lord Woodley]

If the bill is read a second time, Lord Woodley to move that the bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

Women, Peace and Security Bill [HL] Second Reading [Baroness Hodgson of Abinger]

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

Home School Education Registration and Support Bill [HL] Second Reading [Lord Storey] *7th Report of the Delegated Powers and Regulatory Reform Committee*

If the bill is read a second time, Lord Storey to move that the bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

Listed Investment Companies (Classification etc) Bill [HL] Second Reading [Baroness Bowles of Berkhamsted]

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

Monday 18 November 2024 at 2.30pm

Poppy Gustafsson OBE will be introduced as a Baroness.

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Bach** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to increase the amount of legal aid available for early advice in the areas of (1) social welfare, and (2) family, law.

***Lord Holmes of Richmond** to ask His Majesty's Government whether the Curriculum and Assessment Review led by Professor Becky Francis will seek to prioritise digital literacy, artificial intelligence literacy, media literacy and financial literacy, alongside reading, writing and mathematics.

***Lord Brooke of Alverthorpe** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ensure that the prescription of new anti-obesity medication by the NHS is cost effective.

***Lord Kempson** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to improve the use of evaluation in government policy-making.

Radio Equipment (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) Regulations 2024 Baroness Jones of Whitchurch to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 9 October be approved. *4th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Considered in Grand Committee on 11 November*

Judicial Pensions (Amendment) Regulations 2024 Lord Ponsonby of Shulbrede to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 15 October be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 11 November*

†**Crown Estate Bill [HL]** Third Reading [Lord Livermore] *King's consent to be signified*

†**Great British Energy Bill** Second Reading [Lord Hunt of Kings Heath] *Scottish, Welsh and Northern Ireland Legislative Consent sought*

If the bill is read a second time, Lord Hunt of Kings Heath to move that the bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 3.45pm

†**Aviation Safety (Amendment) Regulations 2024** Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Henty of Richmond Hill] *6th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

†**Draft Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992 (Amendment of Schedule A2) Order 2024** Consideration in Grand Committee [Baroness Jones of Whitchurch]

†*The following two motions are expected to be debated together:*

†**Collective Investment Schemes (Temporary Recognition) and Central Counterparties (Transitional Provision) (Amendment) Regulations 2024** Consideration in Grand Committee [Baroness Jones of Whitchurch]

†**Insurance Distribution (Regulated Activities and Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2024** Consideration in Grand Committee [Baroness Jones of Whitchurch]

†**Building Societies Act 1986 (Modifications) Order 2024** Consideration in Grand Committee [Baroness Blake of Leeds]

Tuesday 19 November 2024 at 2.30pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick** to ask His Majesty’s Government what steps they are taking to ensure a UK-wide approach to improving outcomes for older people with cancer.

***Baroness Keeley** to ask His Majesty’s Government what plans they have to develop a National Carers Strategy.

***Lord Rennard** to ask His Majesty’s Government how they intend to monitor access to continuous glucose monitors for people with type 2 diabetes; and how such monitoring will take account of any inequalities based on deprivation and ethnicity.

†*Topical oral question. Ballot opens at 3pm on Wednesday 13 November, to be drawn at 1pm on Friday 15 November.*

†**Data (Use and Access) Bill [HL]** Second Reading [Baroness Jones of Whitchurch] *Scottish, Welsh and Northern Ireland Legislative Consent sought*

If the bill is read a second time, Baroness Jones of Whitchurch to move that the bill be committed to a Grand Committee, and that it be an instruction to the Grand Committee that they consider the bill in the following order:

Clauses 1 to 56	Schedule 10
Schedule 1	Clauses 103 to 107
Clauses 57 and 58	Schedule 11
Schedule 2	Clauses 108 to 111
Clauses 59 to 65	Schedule 12
Schedule 3	Clauses 112 and 113
Clauses 66 to 70	Schedule 13
Schedule 4	Clauses 114 and 115
Clause 71	Schedule 14
Schedule 5	Clauses 116 to 119
Clauses 72 to 80	Schedule 15
Schedule 6	Clause 120
Clauses 81 to 84	Schedule 16
Schedules 7 to 9	Clauses 121 to 138
Clauses 85 to 102	Title.

Wednesday 20 November 2024 at 3.00pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Baroness Smith of Llanfaes** to ask His Majesty's Government what recent meetings they have had with Welsh Government Ministers regarding coal tip safety.

***Lord Goodman of Wycombe** to ask His Majesty's Government what progress they have made with their review of the counter-extremism strategy announced in August.

***Viscount Stansgate** to ask His Majesty's Government what action they are taking to protect the work of astronomy from the adverse effects of large numbers of satellites.

†*Topical oral question. Ballot opens at 3pm on Thursday 14 November, to be drawn at 1pm on Monday 18 November.*

†**Water (Special Measures) Bill [HL]** Report [Baroness Hayman of Ullock] *Welsh Legislative Consent sought*

Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 4.15pm

†**Product Regulation and Metrology Bill [HL]** Committee [Baroness Jones of Whitchurch] *Scottish, Welsh and Northern Ireland Legislative Consent sought, 2nd, 4th and 6th reports of the Delegated Powers and Regulatory Reform Committee*

Thursday 21 November 2024 at 11.00am

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Baroness Pitkeathley** to ask His Majesty's Government how they plan to respond to the Carers UK report *Poverty and financial hardship of unpaid carers in the UK*, published on 12 September, and in particular its findings that 1.2 million carers live in poverty and that the poverty rate for unpaid carers is 50 per cent higher than for those who do not provide care.

***Lord Woodley** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to reduce water bills for consumers.

***Lord Hogan-Howe** to ask His Majesty's Government what policy they have in relation to the treatment of children from other countries who have life-threatening and rare diseases for which high-quality treatment is available on the NHS.

†*Topical oral question. Ballot opens at 3pm on Friday 15 November, to be drawn at 1pm on Tuesday 19 November.*

†**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).

†**Baroness Northover** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ensure the continuity of farming families (*Topical Question for Short Debate, 1 hour*)

†**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).

Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 1.00pm

†**Institute for Apprenticeships and Technical Education (Transfer of Functions etc) Bill [HL]** Committee [Baroness Smith of Malvern]

Friday 22 November 2024 at 10.00am

†**Lord Khan of Burnley** to move that this House takes note of the Grenfell Tower Inquiry report.

Monday 25 November 2024 at 2.30pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Earl Russell** to ask His Majesty's Government how they plan to increase the number of homes fitted with solar panels.

***Lord Young of Cookham** to ask His Majesty's Government what progress has been made on remediating flats with dangerous cladding.

***Baroness D'Souza** to ask His Majesty's Government whether they plan to review the status of the Taipei Representative Office in the United Kingdom.

***Lord Fuller** to ask His Majesty's Government how they intend to tackle the issue of 'dental deserts', areas with no NHS provision for dentistry; what plans they have to establish new dental schools to meet demand, and on the basis of what criteria decisions about new dental schools will be made.

Tuesday 26 November 2024 at 2.30pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Davies of Gower** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to strengthen position of Wales within the United Kingdom.

***The Lord Bishop of Newcastle** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of data published by the Office for National Statistics on 23 October indicating that the number of drug-related deaths in England and Wales was higher in 2023 than in any other year since records began in 1993, and what steps they are taking to reduce the number of such deaths.

***Lord Oates** to ask His Majesty's Government what representations they are making to the government of Israel about the impact of visa restrictions on international aid workers to that country and the Occupied Palestinian Territories.

Wednesday 27 November 2024 at 3.00pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Caine** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to strengthen Northern Ireland's position within the United Kingdom.

***Lord Foulkes of Cumnock** to ask His Majesty's Government how they intend to report to Parliament on the work of the Council of the Nations and Regions.

***Baroness Thornhill** to ask His Majesty's Government what incentives they propose to introduce to encourage landlords back into the private rented sector for long-term rentals.

Thursday 28 November 2024 at 11.00am

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Baroness Deech** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the BBC's measurement of its duty to deliver due impartiality as required by its Charter, and of how impartiality is addressed by its complaints system.

***Lord German** to ask His Majesty's Government whether they plan to close the Wethersfield site used for housing asylum seekers and instead to make greater use of dispersal accommodation.

***Lord Lamont of Lerwick** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the plan by the BRICS countries to establish a separate banking payments system, and of the implications for the international banking system and the ability of the United Kingdom and its allies to impose economic sanctions.

Lord Butler of Brockwell to move that this House takes note of the case against politicisation of the Civil Service.

†*Topical Question for Short Debate. Ballot opens at 10am on Monday 18 November, to be drawn at 12 noon on Tuesday 19 November.*

Baroness Kidron to move that this House takes note of the increasing interest in mandating that schools be mobile phone free.

Monday 2 December 2024 at 2.30pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Baroness Bloomfield of Hinton Waldrist** to ask His Majesty's Government what progress Great British Nuclear has made with its plans to deploy small modular reactors and advanced modular reactors, and what assessment they have made of the process for evaluating their design and manufacturing.

***The Lord Bishop of London** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ensure the consultation for the NHS 10 Year Plan reaches all communities, including those who have least interaction with the health service.

***Baroness Thornton** to ask His Majesty's Government whether they conducted an equality impact assessment following the judgment in *R (Harrison & Ors) v Secretary of State for Justice [2020]* concerning humanist marriages.

***The Lord Bishop of Hereford** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to improve food security.

Tuesday 3 December 2024 at 2.30pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Kirkhope of Harrogate** to ask His Majesty's Government when they expect to announce the appointment of members for the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe.

***Lord McNicol of West Kilbride** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ensure that their proposed planning reforms contribute to the delivery of net zero carbon emissions.

***Lord Sharpe of Epsom** to ask His Majesty's Government what progress they have made towards securing additional illegal migrant returns agreements with foreign governments.

Wednesday 4 December 2024 at 3.00pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Londesborough** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to encourage entrepreneurs to start up businesses in the United Kingdom.

***Lord Blunkett** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they have taken to promote the attractiveness of the higher education sector, and what work is being undertaken by the Department for Education and the Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office to promote the sector internationally.

***Baroness Wilcox of Newport** to ask His Majesty's Government what progress they have made towards giving decision-making over the allocation of the Shared Prosperity Fund to democratic representatives in Wales, as set out in the *Labour Party Manifesto 2024*.

Thursday 5 December 2024 at 11.00am

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Baroness Neville-Rolfe** to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have for increasing productivity in the UK economy.

***Baroness Quin** to ask His Majesty's Government whether they have held or plan to hold discussions with regional mayors in England about the government's targets for house building.

***Baroness Randerson** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the reasons for the shortage of train crew reported across several train operators as the explanation for the cancellation of services.

Monday 9 December 2024 at 2.30pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Carrington** to ask His Majesty's Government whether they plan to allow maintained schools to set the number of days on which they are open during a school year, in the same way as for academy schools.

***Baroness Finn** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ensure that their legislative agenda does not undermine vocational training.

***Lord Fowler** to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to reduce the number of peers who are eligible to sit in the House of Lords.

***Lord Teverson** to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to respond to the Green Finance Institute's report *A Greenprint for Property Linked Finance in the UK*, published in November, to accelerate private low-carbon investment into existing homes.

Tuesday 10 December 2024 at 2.30pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

†***Baroness Hughes of Stretford** to ask His Majesty's Government what progress they have made in developing a National Youth Strategy.

†***The Earl of Clancarty** to ask His Majesty's Government what action they are taking to facilitate touring in, and trading with, Europe for the arts and creative industries.

†***Lord Harris of Haringey** to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the number of guns manufactured by 3D printers circulating in the United Kingdom.

Motions for Balloted Debate

The ballot to select two motions for debate closes at 5pm on Tuesday 3 December, to be drawn on Wednesday 4 December, for debate on Thursday 19 December. Combined time limit of 5 hours.

Lord Alton of Liverpool to move that this House takes note of Government policy towards China especially in relation to human rights and security issues arising from China's actions in Hong Kong, Taiwan, Tibet, and the South China Sea, and against the Uyghurs in Xinjiang.

Lord Beamish to move that this House takes note of the findings in the *Independent investigation into Capture Accounting Software*, published on 30 September.

Baroness Kennedy of The Shaws to move that this House takes note of the situation of women and girls in Afghanistan.

The Earl of Clancarty to move that this House takes note of the effect of the United Kingdom leaving the European Union on the arts and creative industries.

Lord Harries of Pentregarth to move that this House takes note of the findings on the mental health of people in the UK contained in the *Mental State of the World Report 2023* by the Global Mind Project, published on 4 March.

The Lord Bishop of St Albans to move that this House takes note of the importance of growing the rural economy.

Baroness Hooper to move that this House takes note of the United Kingdom's relations with Latin American countries in the light of recent political, trade and environmental developments.

Baroness Coussins to move that this House takes note of the United Kingdom's role as penholder at the UN Security Council, in particular with respect to (1) the war in Sudan, and (2) the implementation of the Peace Accord in Colombia.

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*

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*

Motions Relating to Delegated Legislation

Baroness Hoey to move that this House regrets that the draft Windsor Framework (Non-Commercial Movement of Pet Animals) Regulations 2024, laid before the House on 10 October, treat pets travelling to Northern Ireland differently from those travelling to any other part of the United Kingdom.

†**Baroness Scott of Bybrook** to move that this House regrets that the Housing (Right to Buy) (Limits on Discount) (England) Order 2024 (SI 2024/1073), laid before the House on 30 October, will reduce the number of social tenants who can purchase their property, undermine home ownership and cut new house building.

Questions for Short Debate

These Questions for Short Debate were drawn in the ballot on Wednesday 16 October as the reserve list, which may be used as lunch, dinner break, or last business.

Lord Black of Brentwood to ask His Majesty's Government what progress they are making towards universal provision of fracture liaison services in England by 2030.

Baroness Fraser of Craigmaddie to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to support children with special educational needs and disabilities.

Lord Murphy of Torfaen to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to support opera.

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.

Lord Bach to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to increase the amount of legal aid for early advice in the areas of (1) social welfare, and (2) family, law.

Lord Aberdare to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to increase the availability and take-up of first aid training, including in the use of defibrillators.

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.

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.

Baroness Helic to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of establishing a closed season during which the killing or taking of hares is prohibited.

Baroness D'Souza to ask His Majesty's Government what specific measures are being considered at bilateral and multilateral levels to deter Chinese efforts to destabilise Taiwan.

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.

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.

Baroness Monckton of Dallington Forest to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to address the declining numbers of learning disability nurses, and provide opportunities for their training.

Questions for Short Debate ballot entries

The ballot for four Questions closes on Tuesday 26 November for debate in Grand Committee on Thursday 12 December. 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.

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. (*Department of Health and Social Care*)

Baroness Keeley to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to improve the quality and quantity of music education in state schools. (*Department for Education*)

Baroness Ramsey of Wall Heath to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they will take to ensure that patients with allergies receive timely and comprehensive care from the NHS. (*Department of Health and Social Care*)

The Lord Bishop of St Albans to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the social and economic costs of gambling harms in the UK. (*Department for Culture, Media and Sport*)

The Earl of Caithness to ask His Majesty's Government whether they are taking steps to ensure that effective chemical control of bracken can be used to protect human health, biodiversity and the historic environment. (*Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs*)

Lord Elliott of Ballinamallard to ask His Majesty's Government what consideration they have given to the impact on active farmers who are landowners of the changes to inheritance tax and agricultural property relief for family-owned farms announced in the Autumn Budget. (*Treasury*) [1]

Baroness Parminter to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the findings on intensive community and day treatments contained in the Beat eating disorder charity's report *There's No Place Like Home*, published on 29 October; and of the reach and effectiveness of eating disorder services in England. (*Department of Health and Social Care*)

Baroness Hazarika to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ensure that the Child Maintenance Service supports and safeguards victim-survivors of domestic abuse, including economic abuse. (*Department for Work and Pensions*)

Questions for Written Answer

Tabled on 12 November and due for answer by 26 November.

Lord Bourne of Aberystwyth to ask His Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Baroness Merron on 11 November (HL2250), when they anticipate that they will set out their principles for professional regulation in relation to doctors and dentists. HL2445

Lord Cameron of Lochiel to ask His Majesty's Government whether each town in Scotland promised funding via the Long-Term Plan for Towns will still receive that funding following the 2024 Autumn Budget. HL2446

Lord Cameron of Lochiel to ask His Majesty's Government how much outstanding funding is due for each Levelling Up Fund project in Scotland; and whether this funding will still be delivered to each project following the 2024 Autumn Budget. HL2447

Lord Cameron of Lochiel to ask His Majesty's Government how much outstanding funding is due for each Community Renewal Fund project in Scotland; and whether this funding will still be delivered to each project following the 2024 Autumn Budget. HL2448

Lord Cameron of Lochiel to ask His Majesty's Government how much outstanding funding is due for each Community Ownership Fund project in Scotland; and whether this funding will still be delivered to each project following the 2024 Autumn Budget. HL2449

Lord Cameron of Lochiel to ask His Majesty's Government how much outstanding funding is due for each Shared Prosperity Fund project in Scotland; and whether this funding will still be delivered to each project following the 2024 Autumn Budget. HL2450

Lord Cashman to ask the Leader of the House what is the maximum period within which members of the House of Lords can expect to receive answers to correspondence sent to the Prime Minister's Office. HL2451

Lord Cashman to ask the Leader of the House what is the maximum period within which members of the House of Lords can expect to receive answers to correspondence sent to the office of the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care. HL2452

Lord Empey to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the number of cyclists who cycle on roads in the dark without lights on their bicycles. HL2453

Lord Glendonbrook to ask His Majesty's Government, with reference to paragraph 2.40 of the Autumn Budget 2024, published on 30 October, what discussions they held with charities on the potential impact of increased National Insurance contributions on their sector. HL2454

Lord Glendonbrook to ask His Majesty's Government whether an impact assessment report was done in advance of the increase in National Insurance contributions for the charity sector announced in the Autumn Statement on 30 October. HL2455

Lord Glendonbrook to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to meet representatives of the charitable sector to discuss public service reform and how the sector can assist in the delivery of more efficient and cost-effective services. HL2456

Lord Glendonbrook to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to reform the National Health Service; and what plans they have to ask the charitable sector to help in any such reforms. HL2457

Lord Glendonbrook to ask His Majesty's Government what consideration they have given to introducing legislation to give charities a statutory role in delivering public services. HL2458

Baroness Hodgson of Abinger to ask His Majesty's Government what recent assessment they have made of the economic contribution of economically active people over the state pension age in the UK.

HL2459

Lord Jackson of Peterborough to ask His Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Lord Collins of Highbury on 29 October (HL1459), whether the government of the Republic of Ireland was one of the range of international counterparts or jurisdictions with which they recently discussed conversion practice policies.

HL2460

Lord Jackson of Peterborough to ask His Majesty's Government whether they have any plans regularly to publish details of the number of foreign national offenders removed from the UK who have served a custodial sentence of at least 12 months; and if not, why not.

HL2461

Lord Jackson of Peterborough to ask His Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Lord Hanson of Flint on 26 September (HL1034), why they do not centrally hold and collate details about the number of non-crime hate incidents.

HL2462

Lord Jackson of Peterborough to ask His Majesty's Government whether they have any plans to publish periodic data on individuals who have had UK visas revoked on the grounds of (1) national security, and (2) being non-conducive to the public good; and if not, why.

HL2463

Baroness Jenkin of Kennington to ask His Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Lord Collins of Highbury on 7 November (HL2061), what is the timetable for the Office for Equality and Opportunity's review of the countries currently listed in the Gender Recognition (Approved Countries and Territories and Saving Provision) Order 2023.

HL2464

Baroness Jenkin of Kennington to ask His Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Lord Collins of Highbury on 7 November (HL2061), whether they will take steps to assess the appropriateness of Germany remaining an approved country, given Germany's adoption of a policy of self-identification.

HL2465

Baroness Jenkin of Kennington to ask His Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Lord Collins of Highbury on 7 November (HL2061), what guidance they are giving to public bodies on whether Gender Recognition Panels should grant a UK Gender Recognition Certificate to a German applicant in the absence of a medical report.

HL2466

Lord Kempzell to ask His Majesty's Government what are their plans for the future of the Community Ownership Fund.

HL2467

Lord Kempzell to ask His Majesty's Government what are the estimated costs of reversing the policy of the previous government to freeze Civil Service hiring and reduce staff numbers to pre-COVID-19 levels.

HL2468

Lord Kempzell to ask His Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Baroness Chapman of Darlington on 7 November (HL1811), which Chagossian groups or representatives they engaged with to ensure that the agreement to transfer sovereignty of the British Indian Ocean Territory to Mauritius reflects the interests of Chagossians.

HL2469

Lord Lexden to ask His Majesty's Government how much revenue they expect to raise by imposing VAT on independent school fees; and how they have calculated that estimate.

HL2470

Lord Mackinlay of Richborough to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of whether the Immigration Health Surcharge covers the full cost to the NHS of treatment for those required to pay it.

HL2471

Lord Mackinlay of Richborough to ask His Majesty's Government, following the rise in cases of tuberculosis, whether they plan to implement nationwide tuberculosis vaccinations, instead of the current policy of vaccinating only high-risk regional areas only.

HL2472

Lord Mackinlay of Richborough to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the tax lost through the continuing zero rating of VAT on books. HL2473

Lord Mackinlay of Richborough to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the tax lost through the continuing zero rating of VAT on children's clothes. HL2474

Lord Mackinlay of Richborough to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the tax lost through the continuing exemption from VAT for funerals. HL2475

Baroness Pidgeon to ask His Majesty's Government, what plans they have to review the Compulsory Basic Training programme for motorcycles to improve road safety, given that in 2021, motorcycles comprised less than one per cent of traffic but accounted for 20 per cent of people killed or seriously injured on UK roads. HL2476

Baroness Smith of Llanfaes to ask His Majesty's Government whether established pooling arrangements for Welsh local government pension schemes via the Wales Public Sector Pension Partnership will be affected by any efforts to encourage or mandate the pooling of English local government pension funds. HL2477

The Lord Bishop of Southwell and Nottingham to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the recommendation in the report *The Voices of Supported Lodgings: Strong foundations for our future*, published by Homes for Good and Safe Families on 16 October, that the Government should introduce a 'supported lodgings lead' within every regional care co-operative with responsibility for supported lodgings provision. HL2478

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to reduce illegal immigration. HL2479

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to encourage private companies to combat climate change. HL2480

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to help the UK become a hub for artificial intelligence development. HL2481

Viscount Waverley to ask His Majesty's Government to what extent they consider countries' presence on the Financial Action Task Force's grey and black lists in assessing their suitability for (1) existing trade agreements or (2) trade agreement negotiations. HL2482

Viscount Waverley to ask His Majesty's Government what implications the presence of Croatia on the Financial Action Task Force grey list has for the provision of British banking services in relation to that country. HL2483

Lord Wigley to ask His Majesty's Government how many proposals they are currently considering from commercial organisations to construct pump storage hydro-electricity plants in Wales; in which year those proposals were first made; and when they anticipate reaching a conclusion on them. HL2484

Lord Wigley to ask His Majesty's Government what discussions they had with the Farmers' Union of Wales between 4 July and 30 October concerning the economic challenges facing farmers in Wales. HL2485

Lord Wigley to ask His Majesty's Government how many students were undertaking undergraduate degree courses at universities in England, at the most recent date for which figures are available, whose home addresses were in (1) Wales, (2) Scotland, and (3) Northern Ireland. HL2486

Lord Wigley to ask His Majesty's Government what conversations they have had with the Welsh Government about seeking to include statistics on the number of people resident in England who can speak, read or write in the Welsh language in the 2031 census. HL2487

Lord Wigley to ask His Majesty's Government how many prisoners are currently held in prisons on indeterminate sentences whose home addresses are recorded as being in Wales. HL2488

Lord Wigley to ask His Majesty's Government how much money per head of population was paid by the Treasury to the Welsh, Scottish and Northern Irish Governments on the basis of the Barnett formula, in the most recent year for which figures are available. HL2489

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.

7 October (21 October)

HL1145 Baroness Altmann [Cabinet Office]

HL1146 Baroness Altmann [Women and Equalities]

HL1343 Baroness Vere of Norbiton [Cabinet Office]

15 October (29 October)

HL1637 Baroness Neville-Rolfe [Department of Health and Social Care]

16 October (30 October)

HL1675 Baroness Hayter of Kentish Town [Department of Health and Social Care]

21 October (4 November)

HL1816 Baroness Neville-Rolfe [Cabinet Office]

22 October (5 November)

HL1852 Lord Caine [Cabinet Office]

HL1853 Lord Caine [Cabinet Office]

HL1878 Lord Jackson of Peterborough [Ministry of Defence]

HL1880 Baroness Jenkin of Kennington [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL1906 Lord Scriven [Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office]

23 October (6 November)

HL1918 Baroness Barran [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL1929 Baroness Finn [Cabinet Office]

HL1930 Baroness Finn [Cabinet Office]

HL1931 Baroness Finn [Cabinet Office]

HL1954 Lord Taylor of Warwick [Department of Health and Social Care]

24 October (7 November)

HL1981 Baroness Fraser of Craigmaddie [Ministry of Defence]

25 October (8 November)

HL2031 Lord McInnes of Kilwinning [Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs]

HL2032 Baroness Miller of Chilthorne Domer [Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs]

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28 October (11 November)

HL2051 Baroness Bennett of Manor Castle [Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs]

HL2053 Lord Butler of Brockwell [Cabinet Office]

HL2062 Lord Kemsell [Department for Science, Innovation and Technology]

29 October (12 November)

HL2097 Lord Carey of Clifton [Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office]

HL2105 Baroness Jenkin of Kennington [Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office]

HL2106 Baroness Jenkin of Kennington [Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office]

HL2112 Lord Kamall [Department of Health and Social Care]

HL2116 Baroness Neville-Rolfe [Cabinet Office]

HL2117 Baroness Neville-Rolfe [Cabinet Office]

HL2123 Lord Patten [Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs]

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

Cabinet Office (11)

Defence (2)

Environment, Food and Rural Affairs (4)

Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office (4)

Health and Social Care (6)

Science, Innovation and Technology (1)

Women and Equalities (1)

Bills in Progress

	Type of Bill	To be considered
Waiting for Second Reading		
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	
Complications from Abortions (Annual Report) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Imprisonment for Public Protection (Re-sentencing) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	15 November
Women, Peace and Security Bill [HL]	Private Member's	15 November
Home School Education Registration and Support Bill [HL]	Private Member's	15 November
Listed Investment Companies (Classification etc) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	15 November
Asylum Support (Prescribed Period) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Non-Consensual Sexually Explicit Images and Videos (Offences) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Public Authority Algorithmic and Automated Decision-Making Systems Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Permitted Development Rights (Extension) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Crown Estate (Wales) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Universal Credit (Standard Allowance Entitlement of Care Leavers) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Consumer Products (Control of Biocides) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Mortgage Prisoners Inquiry Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Education (Assemblies) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
House of Lords (Peerage Nominations) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Palestine Statehood (Recognition) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Still-Birth (Definition) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Data (Use and Access) Bill [HL] (<i>Scottish, Welsh and Northern Ireland Legislative Consent sought</i>)	Government	19 November
Football Governance Bill [HL] (<i>Welsh Legislative Consent sought</i>)	Government	13 November
Schools (Mental Health Professionals) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Great British Energy Bill (<i>Scottish, Welsh and Northern Ireland Legislative Consent sought</i>)	Government	18 November
Mental Health Bill [HL] (<i>Welsh Legislative Consent sought</i>)	Government	
Property (Digital Assets etc) Bill [HL] (<i>Law Commission Bill</i>)	Government	13 November
Committed to a Select Committee		
Holocaust Memorial Bill	Government	
Committed to a Grand Committee		
Product Regulation and Metrology Bill [HL] (<i>Scottish, Welsh and Northern Ireland Legislative Consent sought</i>)	Government	20 November
Institute for Apprenticeships and Technical Education (Transfer of Functions etc) Bill [HL]	Government	21 November
Committed to a Committee of the Whole House		
Lithium-ion Battery Safety Bill [HL]	Private Member's	

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Refugees (Family Reunion) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Statutory Instruments (Amendment) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Environmental Targets (Public Authorities) Bill [HL] (<i>King's consent to be signified</i>)	Private Member's	
Waiting for Report		
Water (Special Measures) Bill [HL] (<i>Welsh Legislative Consent sought</i>)	Government	20 November
Waiting for Third Reading		
Support for Infants and Parents etc (Information) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	15 November
Education (Values of British Citizenship) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	15 November
Crown Estate Bill [HL] (<i>King's consent to be signified</i>)	Government	18 November
Passenger Railway Services (Public Ownership) Bill (<i>Scottish and Welsh Legislative Consent granted</i>)	Government	13 November
Royal Albert Hall Bill [HL]	Private	
Sent to the Commons		
Commonwealth Parliamentary Association and International Committee of the Red Cross (Status) Bill [HL]	Government	
Lords Spiritual (Women) Act 2015 (Extension) Bill [HL]	Government	
Arbitration Bill [HL] (<i>Northern Ireland Legislative Consent sought</i>)	Government	
Bank Resolution (Recapitalisation) Bill [HL]	Government	

Statutory Instruments in Progress

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

- Draft Separation of Waste (England) (No. 2) Regulations 2024 *1st Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*
- Draft National Security Act 2023 (Consequential Amendment of Primary Legislation) Regulations 2025
- Draft Police Act 1997 (Authorisations to Interfere with Property: Relevant Offence) Regulations 2025
- Draft Environmental Permitting (Electricity Generating Stations) (Amendment) Regulations 2024
- Draft Companies and Limited Liability Partnerships (Protection and Disclosure of Information and Consequential Amendments) Regulations 2024
- Draft Financial Services and Markets Act 2023 (Addition of Relevant Enactments) Regulations 2024
- Draft Proceeds of Crime Act 2002 (Search, Seizure and Detention of Property: Code of Practice) (Northern Ireland) Order 2024
- Draft Unique Identifiers (Application of Company Law) Regulations 2024
- Draft Recognition of Professional Qualifications and Implementation of International Recognition Agreements (Amendment) (Extension to Switzerland etc.) Regulations 2024
- Draft Local Digital Television Programme Services (Amendment) Order 2024
- Draft Silicon Valley Bank UK Limited Compensation Scheme Order 2024

Draft Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (Designated Activities) (Supervision and Enforcement) Regulations 2024

Draft Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (Ring-fenced Bodies, Core Activities, Excluded Activities and Prohibitions) (Amendment) Order 2024

Draft Representation of the People (Northern Ireland) (Amendment) Regulations 2025

Draft Short Selling Regulations 2024

Affirmative Instruments waiting for Affirmative Resolution

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

Draft European Forest Institute (Immunities and Privileges) Order 2024 *(13 November)*

Draft Information Sharing (Disclosure by the Registrar) Regulations 2024

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

Draft Packaged Retail and Insurance-based Investment Products (Retail Disclosure) (Amendment) Regulations 2024 *4th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (13 November)*

Draft Prudential Regulation of Credit Institutions (Meaning of CRR Rules and Recognised Exchange) (Amendment) Regulations 2024 *(13 November)*

Draft Reporting on Payment Practices and Performance (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2024

Draft Securitisation (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2024 *(13 November)*

Draft Persistent Organic Pollutants (Amendment) Regulations 2024 *(13 November)*

Draft Radio Equipment (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) Regulations 2024 *4th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (18 November)*

Draft Consumer Composite Investments (Designated Activities) Regulations 2024 *4th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (13 November)*

Draft Windsor Framework (Non-Commercial Movement of Pet Animals) Regulations 2024 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 4th Report*

Draft Building Societies Act 1986 (Modifications) Order 2024 *(18 November)*

Draft Collective Investment Schemes (Temporary Recognition) and Central Counterparties (Transitional Provision) (Amendment) Regulations 2024 *(18 November)*

Draft Judicial Pensions (Amendment) Regulations 2024 *(18 November)*

Draft Terrorism Act 2000 (Alterations to the Search Powers Code for Northern Ireland) Order 2024 *5th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (13 November)*

Draft Voter Identification (Amendment of List of Specified Documents) Regulations 2024 *5th Report from Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft Bail and Release from Custody (Scotland) Act 2023 (Consequential Modifications) Order 2024

Draft Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992 (Amendment of Schedule A2) Order 2024 *(18 November)*

Draft Greenhouse Gas Emissions Trading Scheme (Amendment) (No. 2) Order 2024

Draft Human Medicines (Amendment) (Modular Manufacture and Point of Care) Regulations 2024 *6th Report from Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft Medical Devices (Post-market Surveillance Requirements) (Amendment) (Great Britain) Regulations 2024 *6th Report from Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft Barnsley and Sheffield (Boundary Change) Order 2024 *(13 November)*

Draft Aviation Safety (Amendment) Regulations 2024 *6th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (18 November)*

Draft Environmental Protection (Single-use Vapes) (England) Regulations 2024 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 6th Report (13 November)*

Draft Insurance Distribution (Regulated Activities and Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2024 *(18 November)*

Draft Producer Responsibility Obligations (Packaging and Packaging Waste) Regulations 2024 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 6th Report*

Draft Contracts for Difference (Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2024

Draft Movement of Goods (Northern Ireland to Great Britain) (Animals, Feed and Food, Plant Health etc.) (Transitory Provision and Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2024

Draft Road Transport (International Passenger Services) (Amendment) Regulations 2024 *7th Report from Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

Draft Scotland Act 1998 (Transfer of Functions to the Scottish Ministers etc.) Order 2025

Negative Instruments

Social Security (Infected Blood Capital Disregard) (Amendment) Regulations 2024 *3rd Report from Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 15 November*

Recognition of Overseas Qualifications (Charges) Regulations 2024 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 4th report. Praying time ends 13 November*

Scotland Act 1998 (Agency Arrangements) (Specification) Order 2024 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 4th report. Praying time ends 15 November*

Official Controls (Extension of Transitional Periods) and Plant Health (Frequency of Checks) (Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2024 *4th report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 16 November*

Payment Services (Amendment) Regulations 2024 *4th report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 17 November*

Seafarers' Wages Regulations 2024 *4th report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 18 November*

Architects (Fees, Electronic Communications and Miscellaneous Amendments) (Amendment) Regulations 2024 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 4th report. Praying time ends 18 November*

Parole Board (Amendment) Rules 2024 *5th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 18 November*

Sea Fisheries (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2024 *5th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 24 November*

School Teachers' Pay and Conditions (England) Order 2024 *5th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 26 November*

Sentencing Act 2020 (Magistrates' Court Sentencing Powers) (Amendment) Regulations 2024 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 7th report. Praying time ends 6 December*

Housing (Right to Buy) (Limits on Discount) (England) Order 2024 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 7th report. Praying time ends 8 December*

Supplementary Protection Certificates (Amendments Relating to the Windsor Framework) Regulations 2024 *7th report from Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 9 December*

Treaties before the House

Treaties not yet considered by a Select Committee

Protocol to the Agreement on the international occasional carriage of passengers by coach and bus (Interbus Agreement) regarding the international regular and special regular carriage of passengers by coach and bus; to a further Agreement; and to Decision No 1/2011 of the Joint Committee established under the Interbus Agreement *Scrutiny period expires: 3 December*

Amendments to the Agreement Establishing the African Development Fund *Scrutiny period expires: 10 December*

Treaties considered by a Select Committee

Agreement between the United Kingdom and the Kingdom of Thailand concerning Air Services *Noted by the International Agreements Committee on 29 October. Scrutiny period expires: 21 November*

Retirements

The following members of the House have given notice of their intention to retire.

Baroness Quin (19 December)

Baroness Cohen of Pimlico (19 December)

Baroness Cumberlege (20 December)

Baroness Smith of Gilmorehill (28 February 2025)

Lord Maxton (5 May 2025)

COMMITTEES

Committees

Only the next meeting of each Committee is listed below.

Wednesday 13 November

Holocaust Memorial Bill Select Committee	Room 4A	9.45am
Environment and Climate Change Committee	Room 2A	10.00am
Financial Services Regulation Committee	Room 3	10.00am
Constitution Committee	Room 2	10.00am
International Relations and Defence Committee	Room 1	10.30am
Public Services Committee	Room 4	11.00am
Statutory Instruments (Joint Committee)	Virtual meeting	3.40pm
Conduct Committee	2-03 Millbank House	4.00pm

Monday 18 November

International Agreements Committee		4.00pm
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Tuesday 19 November

Built Environment Committee		10.30am
Industry and Regulators Committee		10.30am
Justice and Home Affairs Committee		10.30am
Communications and Digital Committee		2.00pm
Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee	Room 1	3.45pm
European Affairs Committee		4.00pm

Wednesday 20 November

Delegated Powers and Regulatory Reform Committee	Room 3A	10.30am
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Monday 2 December

Liaison Committee		3.00pm
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Wednesday 4 December

Finance Committee	Room 3A	3.45pm
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Thursday 5 December

Administration Estimate Audit and Risk Assurance Committee, Audit and Risk Assurance Committee	The Boothroyd Room, Portcullis House	2.00pm
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Monday 9 December

Restoration and Renewal Client Board	The Boothroyd Room, Portcullis House	4.30pm
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Thursday 12 December

Services Committee	Room 3A	12.30pm
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Wednesday 18 December

House of Lords Commission	Room 4A	10.00am
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Minutes of Proceedings of Tuesday 12 November 2024

The House met at 2.30pm.

Prayers were read by the Lord Bishop of Gloucester.

Select Committee Report

1 Secondary Legislation Scrutiny

The following Report from the Select Committee was made and ordered to be printed:

Drawn to the special attention of the House:

Sentencing Act 2020 (Magistrates' Court Sentencing Powers) (Amendment) Regulations 2024

Housing (Right to Buy) (Limits on Discount) (England) Order 2024

Includes information paragraphs on:

Draft Road Transport (International Passenger Services) (Amendment) Regulations 2024

Supplementary Protection Certificates (Amendments Relating to the Windsor Framework) Regulations 2024. (7th Report, HL Paper 37)

Private Business

2 **Holocaust Memorial Bill** The petition against the bill from Lord Strathcarron (HMB-003) was withdrawn.

Public Business

3 **Shadow Great British Railways: chair appointment** A question was asked by Lord Moylan and answered by Lord Hendy of Richmond Hill.

4 **Istanbul Convention: Article 59** A question was asked by Baroness Gale and answered by Lord Hanson of Flint.

5 **Carbon emissions: bus fleets** A question was asked by Baroness Pidgeon and answered by Lord Hendy of Richmond Hill.

6 **Transport infrastructure: north of England** A question was asked by the Lord Bishop of Sheffield and answered by Lord Hendy of Richmond Hill.

7 **Immigration and Nationality (Fees) (Amendment) Order 2024** Lord Hanson of Flint moved that the draft Order laid before the House on 12 September be approved. The motion was agreed to *en bloc*.

8 **Criminal Finances Act 2017 and Economic Crime and Corporate Transparency Act 2023 (Consequential Amendments) Regulations 2024** Lord Hanson of Flint moved that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 16 October be approved. The motion was agreed to *en bloc*.

9 **Bank Resolution (Recapitalisation) Bill [HL]** The bill was read a third time. A privilege amendment was agreed to. Then, after debate, the bill was passed and sent to the Commons.

10 **House of Lords reform** The Lord Privy Seal (Baroness Smith of Basildon) moved that this House takes note of House of Lords reform. After debate, the motion was agreed to.

The House adjourned at 10.27pm until Wednesday 13 November at 3.00pm.

Simon Burton
Clerk of the Parliaments

Papers

All statutory instruments laid before the House are accompanied by an Explanatory Memorandum presented by command of His Majesty, unless otherwise indicated.

Command Papers

The following papers were presented to the House by command of His Majesty:

- 1 Contingent Liability—Minute from HM Treasury concerning the notification of a contingent liability arising from the Asset Purchase Facility. (—)
- 2 Contingent Liability—Minute from the Department for Education concerning the notification of a contingent liability relating to the Department for Education Local Government Pension Scheme (LGPS) Guarantee. (—)
- 3 Explanatory Memorandum (Revised)—Replacement Explanatory Memorandum to the Regulation of Premium Rate Services Order 2024 and the Transfer of Undertakings (Protection of Employment) (Transfer of Staff to the Office of Communications) Regulations 2024, originally laid on 24 October.(—)

Negative Instrument

The following instrument was laid before the House:

- 1 Thames Estuary Cockle Fishery Order 2024 (1150)

Papers not subject to Parliamentary Proceedings

The following papers were laid before the House:

- 1 Memorandum of Understanding between the Financial Conduct Authority and the Bank of England (including in its capacity as the Prudential Regulatory Authority)
- 2 Report and Accounts of the British Board of Film Classification 2023
- 3 Report by the Financial Reporting Council on its supervision of the professional bodies during 2023–24
- 4 Report of the Independent Supervisor on Auditors General under Section 1229 of the Companies Act 2006
- 5 Report of the Independent Supervisor on Auditors General under Section 1231 of the Companies Act 2006