

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.

***Lord Londesborough** to ask His Majesty's Government, following the speech of the Governor of the Bank of England at Mansion House, what measures they are taking to increase the export of goods to the European Union.

European Forest Institute (Immunities and Privileges) Order 2024 Baroness Chapman of Darlington to move that the draft Order laid before the House on 15 May be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 13 November*

Baroness Hayman of Ullock intends to move the following two motions en bloc: but if any Lord objects the motions must be moved separately.

Persistent Organic Pollutants (Amendment) Regulations 2024 Baroness Hayman of Ullock to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 8 October be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 13 November*

Environmental Protection (Single-use Vapes) (England) Regulations 2024 Baroness Hayman of Ullock to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 23 October be approved. *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 6th Report. Considered in Grand Committee on 13 November*

Building Societies Act 1986 (Modifications) Order 2024 Baroness Blake of Leeds to move that the draft Order laid before the House on 14 October be approved. *Considered in Grand Committee on 18 November*

Aviation Safety (Amendment) Regulations 2024 Lord Hendy of Richmond Hill to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 23 October be approved. *6th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Considered in Grand Committee on 18 November*

†**Passenger Railway Services (Public Ownership) Bill** Consideration of Commons Reasons [Lord Hendy of Richmond Hill]

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

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Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 4.15pm

Product Regulation and Metrology Bill [HL] Committee [Lord Leong] *Scottish, Welsh and Northern Ireland Legislative Consent sought, 2nd, 4th and 6th Reports of the Delegated Powers and Regulatory Reform Committee*

Future Business

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.

†***Lord Robathan** to ask His Majesty’s Government how many people were in the United Kingdom delegation to COP 29 in Baku, what work they did, and what was the total cost of attendance including air fares.

Liaison The Senior Deputy Speaker to move that the Report from the Select Committee *A Northern Ireland Scrutiny Committee* (2nd Report, HL Paper 26) be agreed to.

†**Restoration and Renewal Programme Board** The Senior Deputy Speaker to move that this House has considered the Commons message of 19 November, and

- (1) notes the names of the Members of the House of Commons appointed to the Board on 18 November;
- (2) appoints Lord Greenhalgh as a member of the Restoration and Renewal Programme Board, in place of Lord Sherbourne of Didsbury; and
- (3) agrees with the Commons that Judith Cummins should be Chair of the Board..

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.

†**Mental Health Bill [HL]** Second Reading [Baroness Merron] *Report of the Joint Committee on the Draft Mental Health Bill, Session 2022–23, Welsh Legislative Consent sought*

If the bill is read a second time, Baroness Merron to move that the bill be committed to a Grand Committee, 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 1

Clauses 4 to 23

Schedule 2

Clauses 24 to 38

Schedule 3

Clause 39 to 54

Title.

†*It is expected that the Grand Committee on the Product Regulation and Metrology Bill [HL] will continue at 3.45pm in the Moses Room.*

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.

†*Topical oral question. Ballot opens at 3pm on Wednesday 20 November; to be drawn at 1pm on Friday 22 November.*

†**Baroness Smith of Cluny** to move that this House takes note of the importance of the rule of law.

†*It is expected that the Grand Committee on the Institute for Apprenticeships and Technical Education (Transfer of Functions etc) Bill [HL] will continue at 3.45pm in the Moses Room, and that it will conclude.*

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.

†*Topical oral question. Ballot opens at 3pm on Thursday 21 November, to be drawn at 1pm on Monday 25 November.*

†**Football Governance Bill [HL]** Committee [Baroness Twycross] *Welsh Legislative Consent sought*

†**Windsor Framework (Non-Commercial Movement of Pet Animals) Regulations 2024** Baroness Hayman of Ullock to move that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 10 October be approved. *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 4th Report (Dinner break business)*

†**Baroness Hoey** to move, as an amendment to the above motion, at end to insert "but that this House regrets that the draft Regulations treat pets travelling to Northern Ireland differently from those travelling to any other part of the United Kingdom."

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.

†*Topical oral question. Ballot opens at 3pm on Friday 22 November, to be drawn at 1pm on Tuesday 26 November.*

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

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

Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 1.00pm

†**Bail and Release from Custody (Scotland) Act 2023 (Consequential Modifications) Order 2024** Consideration in Grand Committee [Baroness Anderson of Stoke-on-Trent]

†**Voter Identification (Amendment of List of Specified Documents) Regulations 2024** Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Khan of Burnley] *5th Report from Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

†**Producer Responsibility Obligations (Packaging and Packaging Waste) Regulations 2024** Consideration in Grand Committee [Baroness Hayman of Ullock] *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 6th Report*

†**Human Medicines (Amendment) (Modular Manufacture and Point of Care) Regulations 2024** Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Cryer] *6th Report from Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

†**Medical Devices (Post-market Surveillance Requirements) (Amendment) (Great Britain) Regulations 2024** Consideration in Grand Committee [Lord Cryer] *6th Report from Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

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.

Wednesday 11 December 2024 at 3.00pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Alton of Liverpool** to ask His Majesty's Government how many individuals have been prescribed anti-depressants by the NHS in England in the past 10 years, at what cost, and what assessment they have made of the risks and ramifications.

***Lord Addington** to ask His Majesty's Government how they will ensure state-funded schools are better able to identify those with special educational needs and better able to meet those needs.

***Lord Rooker** to ask His Majesty's Government, further to the answer by Baroness Merron on 11 September (HL Deb col 1562), whether it remains their intention to lay regulations before Parliament to amend the Bread and Flour Regulations 1998 in 2024.

Thursday 12 December 2024 at 11.00am

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Lord Jamieson** to ask His Majesty's Government what tools they will provide to local authorities to support the delivery of mandatory house-building targets.

***Lord Parkinson of Whitley Bay** to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to help mark the 75th anniversary of Formula One in 2025.

***Lord Arbuthnot of Edrom** to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to overturn the convictions of sub-postmasters or former Post Office employees convicted in relation to the Capture system.

Monday 16 December 2024 at 2.30pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

***Baroness Hazarika** to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have plans to tackle anti-social behaviour and shoplifting.

***Lord Best** to ask His Majesty's Government when they plan to publish the report of the Older People's Housing Taskforce.

***Lord Black of Brentwood** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to improve the welfare of domestic animals.

***Lord Hain** to ask His Majesty's Government what progress they have made in considering whether to establish an international anti-corruption court.

Tuesday 17 December 2024 at 2.30pm

Oral questions (40 minutes)

†***Lord Evans of Rainow** to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to reduce the cost of energy for businesses in the United Kingdom.

†***Baroness Goldie** to ask His Majesty's Government, further to the remarks by Lord Coaker on 14 November (HL Deb col 1927), whether they are planning the fiscal event next spring which is to set the pathway to spending 2.5 per cent of gross domestic product on defence to take place before they publish the Strategic Defence Review.

†***Baroness Ramsey of Wall Heath** to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they intend to take to ensure that all pupils in state schools have access to music and drama.

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.

Lord Jackson of Peterborough to move that this House takes note of the operation of the single justice procedure since its introduction in 2015 and its implications for open justice and judicial transparency.

†**Lord Blackwell** to move that this House takes note of the contribution specialist music schools make to the cultural life of the UK, and of the importance of maintaining access to such schools for talented children regardless of social background.

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 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. *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 7th Report*

†**Lord Dodds of Duncairn** to move that this House regrets that the draft Movement of Goods (Northern Ireland to Great Britain) (Animals, Feed and Food, Plant Health etc.) (Transitory Provision and Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2024, laid before the House on 28 October, implement the Northern Ireland Protocol and Windsor Framework which prevent Northern Ireland being a full part of the United Kingdom's internal market, and undermine the democratic and constitutional rights of the people of Northern Ireland. *8th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

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.

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*)

Lord Hussain to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact on family reunification of the minimum income requirement for family visas. (*Home 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 Morrow to ask His Majesty's Government what consideration they have given to the different impacts in the nations and regions of the United Kingdom of the removal of the agricultural property relief for inheritance tax, the increases to employers' National Insurance contributions, and the extension of VAT to private school fees. (*Treasury*)

†**Baroness Burt of Solihull** to ask His Majesty's Government what further steps they are taking to reduce the size of the Imprisonment for Public Protection prison population following the publication on 15 November of the HMPPS Annual Report on the IPP Sentence. (*Ministry of Justice*)

Questions for Written Answer

Tabled on 19 November and due for answer by 3 December.

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ensure continued support for military and dual-use technology exports to Taiwan, including through the maintenance of existing export licences. HL2652

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to support UK firms participating in renewable energy projects in Taiwan to enhance energy resilience in that country. HL2653

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask His Majesty's Government what consideration they have given to establishing a cybersecurity dialogue with Taiwan similar to the UK–Singapore Cyber Dialogue; and whether they intend to support Taiwanese participation in the European Centre of Excellence for Countering Hybrid Threats, to address shared cybersecurity challenges. HL2654

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to support Taiwan's application to join the Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for Trans-Pacific Partnership (CPTPP) and to encourage other member states to endorse its bid; and whether they are seeking to expedite Taiwan's CPTPP application and to ensure that it is considered independently of, or prior to, the application of China. HL2655

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask His Majesty's Government whether they plan to increase the number and frequency of 'freedom of navigation' operations through contested areas in the East and South China Seas, including the Taiwan Strait. HL2656

Lord Alton of Liverpool to ask His Majesty's Government how they plan to oppose China's efforts to reinterpret international maritime laws, particularly with regard to 'innocent passage' and exclusive economic zones. HL2657

Lord Blunkett to ask His Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Baroness Merron on 18 November (HL2386), what lessons have been learned from the 2024 distribution of respiratory syncytial virus vaccines to primary care settings; and how these lessons will be applied to ensure early availability to all eligible patients from 1 September 2025. HL2658

Lord Bradley to ask His Majesty's Government what are the current terms of reference of the (1) Children's Commissioner, (2) Victims' Commissioner and (3) Care Quality Commission. HL2659

Lord Caine to ask His Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Baroness Twycross on 15 November (HL1853), on what date Sue Gray communicated to the Cabinet Office that she would not be taking up the role of Prime Minister's Envoy to the Nations and Regions. HL2660

Lord Foster of Bath to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the purpose and benefits of legally-binding climate change targets in meeting their climate change obligations and objectives; and what consideration they have given to providing (1) certainty to business and the public sector, (2) predictability to households and firms, and (3) investment incentives for low carbon and green technologies, in making their assessment. HL2661

Lord Foster of Bath to ask His Majesty's Government what repercussions, if any, they would face for failing to comply with their obligations under the Paris Agreement. HL2662

Baroness Freeman of Steventon to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have to ensure that when policy evaluations are commissioned the methods and outcomes are pre-registered, and that the results will be published in a timely manner. HL2663

Baroness Hodgson of Abinger to ask His Majesty's Government, further to the Written Answer by Baroness Twycross on 23 September (HL1035), whether a portrait of the Queen Elizabeth I was removed from 10 Downing Street, and if so, whether they considered the public sector equality duty. HL2664

Lord Hogan-Howe to ask His Majesty's Government what is the current status of the Emergency Services Network replacement project for Airwave. HL2665

Lord Hogan-Howe to ask His Majesty's Government what is their latest assessment of costs for the Emergency Services Network replacement service for Airwave; when the first police force will receive a functioning radio system; and when the roll out to all forces will be completed. HL2666

Lord Jackson of Peterborough to ask His Majesty's Government why they have not yet implemented section 6 of the Retained EU Law (Revocation and Reform) Act 2023 as regards UK courts following EU-derived case law, and whether they intend to give effect to this provision soon. HL2667

Lord Kinnock to ask His Majesty's Government what progress they have made with implementing the Floating Offshore Wind Manufacturing Investment Scheme to enable the development of port infrastructure for the successful bids from Port Talbot and the Port of Cromarty Firth. HL2668

Lord Kinnock to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the Competition and Markets Authority (CMA) report into the proposed subsidy to the Cromarty Firth Port Authority under the Floating Offshore Wind Manufacturing Investment Scheme (FLOWMIS), published on 12 November, and when they expect to receive a report from the CMA in respect of the proposed FLOWMIS subsidy to Port Talbot. HL2669

Lord Mann to ask His Majesty's Government how many landowners claim annually through the tax-exempt heritage assets scheme; and how much they claim each year. HL2670

Lord Murphy of Torfaen to ask His Majesty's Government what discussions they have had with Network Rail regarding their plans for Old Oak Common, including on the length of disruption to Great Western Railway services, and what estimate they have made of the cost of the project. HL2671

Lord Murphy of Torfaen to ask His Majesty's Government what discussions they have had with the Welsh Government on (1) Network Rail's planned works at Old Oak Common, and (2) the current performance of the Great Western Railway. HL2672

Lord Murphy of Torfaen to ask His Majesty's Government what discussions they have had with Network Rail on the estimated completion date for works to Pontypool and New Inn station, and on the causes for the delay. HL2673

The Lord Bishop of Norwich to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of the Budget's changes to agricultural property relief from inheritance tax on the mental health of farming families who own small farms. HL2674

Lord Redesdale to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the likelihood of the United Kingdom's nature restoration targets, plans and strategies achieving the mission of the 2022 Kunming–Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework to halt and reverse nature loss by 2030. HL2675

Lord Redesdale to ask His Majesty's Government what repercussions, if any, they would face for failing to comply with their obligations under the 2022 Kunming–Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework. HL2676

Lord Redesdale to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the purpose and benefits of legally-binding targets in meeting their biodiversity restoration obligations and objectives. HL2677

Lord Reid of Cardowan to ask His Majesty's Government what progress they have made on the implementation of the five-year national action plan on antimicrobial resistance (AMR); and what assessment they have made of the effectiveness of their strategies to mitigate AMR through AMR funding and research. HL2678

Lord Reid of Cardowan to ask His Majesty's Government what specific funding has been allocated in 2024–25 for research and development of new antibiotics and alternative therapies to combat antimicrobial resistance; and how this compares to funding allocated over the previous five years. HL2679

Lord Reid of Cardowan to ask His Majesty's Government what initiatives are being implemented in schools and universities to educate both healthcare professionals and the general public about the dangers of antimicrobial resistance. HL2680

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the impact of the increased value of cryptocurrency; and whether they intend to introduce regulations to ensure oversight of the crypto market. HL2681

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the reduction in the number of new businesses opening in the UK. HL2682

Lord Taylor of Warwick to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ensure the UK's trade relationships with the US and EU remain strong. HL2683

Lord Watson of Wyre Forest to ask His Majesty's Government what definition they use for a football fan. HL2684

Lord Watson of Wyre Forest to ask His Majesty's Government on which dates since July ministers from the Department of Culture, Media and Sport have met with representatives from (1) Fédération Internationale de Football Association, (2) Union of European Football Associations, (3) Premier League, (4) English Football League, and (5) National League North and South. HL2685

Lord Young of Cookham to ask His Majesty's Government whether they plan to list young carers separately in daily school attendance reporting in order to assess the impact of caring on school attendance. HL2686

Lord Young of Cookham to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the finding of the Carers Trust report *Caring and classes: the education gap for young carers*, published in September, that almost a quarter of young carers said there is "no support at all" for young carers in their school, college or university. HL2687

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)

HL1343 Baroness Vere of Norbiton [Cabinet Office]

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)

QUESTIONS FOR WRITTEN ANSWER

HL1878 Lord Jackson of Peterborough [Ministry of Defence]

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

23 October (6 November)

HL1918 Baroness Barran [Department of Health and Social Care]

24 October (7 November)

HL1981 Baroness Fraser of Cragmaddie [Ministry of Defence]

25 October (8 November)

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

28 October (11 November)

HL2053 Lord Butler of Brockwell [Cabinet Office]

29 October (12 November)

HL2117 Baroness Neville-Rolfe [Cabinet Office]

30 October (13 November)

HL2144 Baroness Bennett of Manor Castle [Ministry of Defence]

HL2170 Baroness Neville-Rolfe [Treasury]

HL2179 Lord Swire [Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs]

4 November (18 November)

HL2237 Baroness Bennett of Manor Castle [Department for Education]

HL2241 Baroness Bennett of Manor Castle [Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs]

HL2245 Lord Berkeley [Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs]

HL2246 Lord Berkeley [Cabinet Office]

HL2258 Baroness Helic [Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office]

HL2285 Lord Rogan [Ministry of Defence]

HL2289 Lord Scriven [Department of Health and Social Care]

5 November (19 November)

HL2312 Baroness Goudie [Home Office]

HL2321 Baroness Hussein-Ece [Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office]

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

Cabinet Office (5)

Defence (4)

Education (1)

Environment, Food and Rural Affairs (4)

Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office (2)

Health and Social Care (4)

Home Office (1)

Treasury (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	
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	
Schools (Mental Health Professionals) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Mental Health Bill [HL] (<i>Welsh Legislative Consent sought</i>)	Government	25 November
House of Lords (Hereditary Peers) Bill (<i>King's consent to be signified</i>)	Government	
Committed to a Special Public Bill Committee		
Property (Digital Assets etc) Bill [HL] (<i>Law Commission Bill</i>)	Government	
Committed to a Select Committee		
Holocaust Memorial Bill	Government	20 November
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
Data (Use and Access) Bill [HL] (<i>Scottish, Welsh and Northern Ireland Legislative Consent sought</i>)	Government	
Committed to a Committee of the Whole House		
Lithium-ion Battery Safety 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] (<i>King's consent to be signified</i>)	Private Member's	

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Football Governance Bill [HL] (<i>Welsh Legislative Consent sought</i>)	Government	27 November
Imprisonment for Public Protection (Re-sentencing) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Women, Peace and Security Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Home School Education Registration and Support Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Listed Investment Companies (Classification etc) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Great British Energy Bill (<i>Scottish, Welsh and Northern Ireland Legislative Consent sought</i>)	Government	
Waiting for Report		
Water (Special Measures) Bill [HL] (<i>Welsh Legislative Consent sought</i>)	Government	20 November
Waiting for Third Reading		
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	
Support for Infants and Parents etc (Information) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Education (Values of British Citizenship) Bill [HL]	Private Member's	
Crown Estate Bill [HL]	Government	
Waiting for Consideration of Commons Reasons		
Passenger Railway Services (Public Ownership) Bill (<i>Scottish and Welsh Legislative Consent granted</i>)	Government	20 November

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 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

Draft Home Detention Curfew and Requisite and Minimum Custodial Periods (Amendment) Order 2024

Draft Electricity Capacity Mechanism (Amendment) Regulations 2024

Draft Combined Authorities (Borrowing) and East Midlands Combined County Authority (Borrowing and Functions) (Amendment) Regulations 2025

Draft Official Controls (Amendment) 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 *(20 November)*

Draft Information Sharing (Disclosure by the Registrar) Regulations 2024

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

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

Draft Persistent Organic Pollutants (Amendment) Regulations 2024 *(20 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 (27 November)*

Draft Building Societies Act 1986 (Modifications) Order 2024 *(20 November)*

Draft Voter Identification (Amendment of List of Specified Documents) Regulations 2024 *5th Report from Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (28 November)*

Draft Bail and Release from Custody (Scotland) Act 2023 (Consequential Modifications) Order 2024 *(28 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 (28 November)*

Draft Medical Devices (Post-market Surveillance Requirements) (Amendment) (Great Britain) Regulations 2024 *6th Report from Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (28 November)*

Draft Aviation Safety (Amendment) Regulations 2024 *6th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee (20 November)*

Draft Environmental Protection (Single-use Vapes) (England) Regulations 2024 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 6th Report (20 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 (28 November)*

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 *8th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee*

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

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

Negative Instruments

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*

National Health Service (Charges for Drugs and Appliances) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2024 *8th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 10 December*

Medicines (Gonadotrophin-Releasing Hormone Analogues) (Emergency Prohibition) (Extension) (No. 2) Order 2024 *8th Report from the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee. Praying time ends 15 December*

Police Act 1997 (Criminal Records) (Amendment) Regulations 2024 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 8th Report. Praying time ends 16 December*

Police Act 1997 (Criminal Records and Registration) (Guernsey) (Amendment) Regulations 2024 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 8th Report. Praying time ends 16 December*

Police Act 1997 (Criminal Records and Registration) (Jersey) (Amendment) Regulations 2024 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 8th Report. Praying time ends 16 December*

Police Act 1997 (Criminal Records and Registration) (Isle of Man) (Amendment) Regulations 2024 *Special attention drawn to the instrument by the Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee, 8th Report. Praying time ends 16 December*

Treaties before the House

Treaties not yet considered by a Select Committee

Agreement between the United Kingdom and the Federative Republic of Brazil concerning Air Services *Scrutiny period expires: 18 December*

Agreement between the United Kingdom and the Republic of Moldova concerning Air Services *Scrutiny period expires: 18 December*

Agreement between the United Kingdom and Mongolia concerning Air Services *Scrutiny period expires: 18 December*

Agreement between the United Kingdom and the Republic of Tajikistan concerning Air Services *Scrutiny period expires: 18 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*

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 *4th Report from the International Agreements Committee. Scrutiny period expires: 3 December*

Amendments to the Agreement Establishing the African Development Fund *Noted by the International Agreements Committee on 19 November. Scrutiny period expires: 10 December*

Retirements

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

Lord Levene of Portsoken (28 November)

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 20 November

Financial Services Regulation Committee	Room 4	10.00am
Environment and Climate Change Committee	Room 2A	10.00am
Constitution Committee	Room 3	10.00am
Delegated Powers and Regulatory Reform Committee	Room 3A	10.30am
International Relations and Defence Committee	Room 1	10.30am
Public Services Committee	Room 2	11.00am
Holocaust Memorial Bill Select Committee	Room 4A	1.45pm
Statutory Instruments (Joint Committee)	Virtual meeting	3.40pm

Tuesday 26 November

Science and Technology Committee		10.00am
Justice and Home Affairs Committee		10.30am
Built Environment Committee		10.30am
Industry and Regulators Committee		10.30am
Communications and Digital Committee		2.00pm
Economic Affairs Committee		3.00pm
Secondary Legislation Scrutiny Committee	Room 1	3.45pm
International Agreements Committee		4.00pm

Wednesday 27 November

Conduct Committee	2-03 Millbank House	4.00pm
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Monday 2 December

Liaison Committee		3.00pm
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Tuesday 3 December

European Affairs Committee		4.30pm
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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 19 November 2024

The House met at 2.30pm.

Prayers were read by the Lord Bishop of Chichester.

Select Committee Reports

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:

Police Act 1997 (Criminal Records) (Amendment) Regulations 2024 and three related instruments

Includes information paragraphs on:

Draft Movement of Goods (Northern Ireland to Great Britain) (Animals, Feed and Food, Plant Health etc.)

(Transitory Provision and Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2024

National Health Service (Charges for Drugs and Appliances) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2024

Medicines (Gonadotrophin-Releasing Hormone Analogues) (Emergency Prohibition) (Extension) (No. 2)

Order 2024. (8th Report, HL Paper 41)

2 Built Environment

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

High Streets: Life beyond retail? (1st Report, HL Paper 42)

3 International Agreements

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

Scrutiny of International Agreements: Interbus Agreement: Protocol on regular and special regular international passenger bus and coach services. (4th Report, HL Paper 43)

Public Business

4 **Cancer: older people** A question was asked by Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick and answered by Baroness Merron.

5 **National Carers Strategy** A question was asked by Baroness Keeley and answered by Baroness Merron.

6 **Type 2 diabetes: continuous glucose monitors** A question was asked by Lord Rennard and answered by Baroness Merron.

7 **Non-crime hate incidents** A question was asked by Lord Austin of Dudley and answered by Lord Hanson of Flint.

8 **Restoration and Renewal Programme Board** A message was brought from the Commons that they:

(1) appoint Judith Cummins as a member of the Restoration and Renewal Programme Board, and appoint Marie Goldman as a member in place of Wera Hobhouse; and

(2) appoint Judith Cummins as Chair of the Board.

9 **Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992 (Amendment of Schedule A2) Order 2024** Baroness Jones of Whitchurch moved that the draft Order laid before the House on 17 October be approved. The motion was agreed to *en bloc*.

10 **Collective Investment Schemes (Temporary Recognition) and Central Counterparties (Transitional Provision) (Amendment) Regulations 2024** Baroness Jones of Whitchurch moved that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 15 October be approved. The motion was agreed to *en bloc*.

11 Insurance Distribution (Regulated Activities and Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2024

Baroness Jones of Whitchurch moved that the draft Regulations laid before the House on 24 October be approved. The motion was agreed to *en bloc*.

12 Council tax Baroness Taylor of Stevenage repeated the answer given to an Urgent Question asked in the House of Commons on Thursday 14 November.

13 National Insurance contributions: healthcare Baroness Merron answered questions on the answer given to an Urgent Question asked in the House of Commons on Thursday 14 November.

14 Bus funding Lord Hendy of Richmond Hill answered questions on a statement made in the House of Commons on Monday 18 November.

15 Passenger Railway Services (Public Ownership) Bill The bill was returned from the Commons with reasons. It was ordered that the Commons reasons be printed. (HL Bill 49)

16 Children’s social care Baroness Smith of Malvern answered questions on a statement made in the House of Commons on Monday 18 November.

17 Data (Use and Access) Bill [HL] Baroness Jones of Whitchurch moved that the bill be now read a second time. After debate, the motion was agreed to. Then Baroness Jones of Whitchurch moved that the bill be committed to a Grand Committee, and that it be an instruction to the 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.

The motion was agreed to.

The House adjourned at 8.40pm until Wednesday 20 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.

Affirmative Instruments

The following instruments were laid before the House for approval by resolution:

- 1 Draft Combined Authorities (Borrowing) and East Midlands Combined County Authority (Borrowing and Functions) (Amendment) Regulations 2025
- 2 Draft Official Controls (Amendment) Regulations 2024

Written Representations under the Constitutional Reform Act 2005

The following Representation was received:

- 1 Lady Chief Justice's Report 2024

Papers not subject to Parliamentary Proceedings

The following papers were laid before the House:

- 1 Consolidated Financial Statements of the National Army Museum 2023–24
- 2 Report and Accounts of University Hospitals Birmingham NHS Foundation Trust 2023–24

