

**GOVERNMENT WHIPS' OFFICE
HOUSE OF LORDS**

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

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Business in the Chamber at 11am

Prayers by the Bishop of Leeds (5 minutes)

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.
(Baroness Taylor of Stevenage, MHCLG)
- * 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.
(Baroness Anderson of Stoke-on-Trent, DCMS)
- * 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. **(Baroness Jones of Whitchurch, DBT)**
- * Baroness Miller of Chilthorne Domer to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of reports of avian flu affecting turkeys in Norfolk.
(Baroness Hayman of Ullock, DEFRA)

Main Business

Baroness Chisholm of Owlpen to move that this House takes note of the need to eliminate domestic abuse, and to support its victims and survivors. (Time-limited to 2 hours)

Speakers:

- B Chisholm of Owlpen
- B May of Maidenhead
- B Hazarika
- B Doocey
- 5 B Gohir
- Bp Newcastle
- B Barran
- B Gale
- L Meston
- 10 L Patten

- Bp St Albans
B Morris of Bolton
B Jenkin of Kennington
L Loomba
15 B Sugg
L Russell of Liverpool
B Laing of Elderslie
B Newlove

B Brinton
20 L Davies of Gower
L Hanson of Flint
B Chisholm of Owlpen

Except for Baroness Chisholm of Owlpen (15 minutes), Baroness Brinton (10 minutes), Baroness Barran (10 minutes) and Lord Hanson of Flint (20 minutes), all speeches are limited to 3 minutes

Questions on an Urgent Question made in the House of Commons on Monday 9 December (10 minutes)

'To ask His Majesty's Government if they will make a statement about the future of planning committees' - Baroness Taylor of Stevenage (MHCLG)

Followed by Questions on an Oral Statement made in the House of Commons on Thursday 5 December (40 minutes)

'Plan for Change: Milestones for mission-led government' - Baroness Smith of Basildon (LHoL)

The Earl of Leicester to move that this House takes note of the impact of the Government's budget proposals on the future of small farms and family businesses. (Time-limited to 3 hours)

Speakers:

- E Leicester
B Mallalieu
B Miller of Chilthorne Domer
L Cameron of Dillington
5 Bp Norwich
B Shephard of Northwold

- L Curry of Kirkharle
- B Foster of Aghadrumsee
- B Cumberlege (Valedictory)
- 10 L Taylor of Holbeach
- E Devon
- E Caithness
- Bp Newcastle
- V Goschen
- 15 L Bilimoria
- L Harlech
- L Rogan
- L Marlesford
- L Londesborough
- 20 B Bennett of Manor Castle
- B McIntosh of Pickering
- L Northbrook
- B Fox of Buckley
- L Berkeley of Knighton
- 25 L Framlingham
- L Elliott of Ballinamallard
- E Shrewsbury
- V Trenchard
- L de Clifford
- 30 L Douglas-Miller

B Bakewell of Hardington Mandeville
L Roborough
L Livermore
E Leicester

Except for The Earl of Leicester (15 minutes), Baroness Bakewell of Hardington Mandeville (10 minutes), Lord Roborough (10 minutes) and Lord Livermore (20 minutes), all speeches are limited to 4 minutes

Last business

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

'Developments in Syria' - Lord Collins of Highbury (FCDO)

Estimated rising time

The House is expected to rise at around 6.15pm.

Business in Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 1pm

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. (Time-limited to 1 hour)

Speakers:

B Ramsey of Wall Heath

B Burt of Solihull

B Healy of Primrose Hill

L Mandelson

5 B Keeley

L Scriven

L Kamall

B Merron

Except for Baroness Ramsey of Wall Heath (10 minutes) and Baroness Merron (12 minutes), all speeches are limited to 6 minutes.

At 2pm

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. (Time-limited to 1 hour)

Speakers:

B Burt of Solihull

L Woodley

L Moylan

L Hastings of Scarisbrick
5 L Thomas of Cwmgiedd
B Blower
L Carter of Haslemere

L German
L Wolfson of Tredegar
10 L Ponsonby of Shulbrede

Except for Baroness Burt of Solihull (10 minutes) and Lord Ponsonby of Shulbrede (12 minutes), all speeches are limited to 4 minutes.

At 3pm

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. (Time-limited to 1 hour)

Speakers:

L Wolfson of Aspley Guise
L Mendelsohn
B Thornhill
L Young of Cookham
5 L Best
L Godson
L Lucas

B Pinnock
L Jamieson
10 B Taylor of Stevenage

Except for Lord Wolfson of Aspley Guise (10 minutes) and Baroness Taylor of Stevenage (12 minutes), all speeches are limited to 4 minutes.

At 4pm

Baroness Tyler of Enfield to ask His Majesty's Government what plans they have for enhanced humanitarian assistance for the people of Ukraine this winter, and in particular for mental health, energy and housing provision. (Time-limited to 1 hour)

Speakers:

B Tyler of Enfield

B Goudie

B Suttie

L Callanan

5 L Collins of Highbury

Except for Baroness Tyler of Enfield (10 minutes) and Lord Collins of Highbury (12 minutes), all speeches are limited to 10 minutes.

Estimated Rising Time

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

Notes:

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