

**GOVERNMENT WHIPS' OFFICE
HOUSE OF LORDS**

**TODAY'S LISTS
MONDAY 6 JANUARY 2025**

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Business in the Chamber at 2.30pm

Prayers by the Bishop of Southwark (5 minutes)

Oral Questions (40 minutes)

- * Lord Lamont of Lerwick to ask His Majesty's Government what initiatives they plan to take internationally to support multilateral free trade and to draw attention to the risks posed to the world economy by tariffs and protectionism. **(Lord Leong, DBT)**
- * Baroness Grender to ask His Majesty's Government what steps they have taken to compare the need for affordable housing with the need for council and social housing as part of the National Policy Planning Framework. **(Baroness Taylor of Stevenage, MHCLG)**
- * Lord Goodman of Wycombe to ask His Majesty's Government, further to the answer by Lord Hanson of Flint on 20 November (HL Deb col 207), what progress the Defending Democracy Taskforce has made with its review of security and counter-terrorism. **(Lord Hanson of Flint, HO)**
- * Baroness McIntosh of Pickering to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the effect of the level of rail fares on the cost of living. **(Lord Hendy of Richmond Hill, DfT)**

Private Notice Question (15 minutes)

Baroness Helic to ask His Majesty's Government (1) what representations they are making to the Government of Israel and (2) what steps they plan to take to deliver humanitarian aid to Gaza, following reports of infant deaths due to hypothermia and starvation. **(Baroness Chapman of Darlington, FCDO)**

Questions on an Urgent Question made in the House of Commons on Thursday 19 December (10 minutes)

'To ask His Majesty's Government if they will make a statement on hospice funding.' **(Baroness Merron, DHSC)**

Main Business

**National Insurance Contributions (Secondary Class 1 Contributions) Bill -
Second Reading - Lord Livermore**

- **Regret Motion - Baroness Kramer**

There is no official time limit for this debate. However, as stated in the Companion, backbench contributions should be kept to within 15 minutes

Speakers:

- L Livermore
- B Kramer
- B Neville-Rolfe
- L Macpherson of Earl's Court
- 5 Bp Southwark
- L Forsyth of Drumlean
- L Eatwell
- L Frost
- B Noakes
- 10 L Scriven
- L Blackwell
- B O'Grady of Upper Holloway
- L Ahmad of Wimbledon
- B Sater
- 15 B Moyo
- L Howard of Rising
- B Bray of Coln
- V Chandos
- E Effingham
- 20 L Horam
- L Storey
- L Ashcombe
- L Jackson of Peterborough
- B Bennett of Manor Castle
- 25 B Lawlor
- L Mackinlay of Richborough
- L Londesborough
- V Trenchard
- B Monckton of Dallington Forest
- 30 L Wood of Anfield
- L Moynihan of Chelsea
- B Ruth Porter

L Bruce of Bennachie
L Elliott of Mickle Fell
35 L Udney-Lister
L Layard

L Sharkey
L Altrincham
L Livermore
40 B Kramer

Estimated rising time

The House is expected to rise by 10pm.

Notes:

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