

Thursday 1 July 2021

Votes and Proceedings

The House met at 9.30 am.

Prayers

- 1 Questions to (1) the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport
 - (2) the Attorney General
- 2 Business Question (Leader of the House)
- 3 Supply and Appropriation (Main Estimates) Bill: Second and Third Reading (Standing Order No. 56)

Motion made and Question put forthwith, That the Bill be now read a second time.

Question agreed to and Bill accordingly read a second time.

Motion made and Question put forthwith, That the Bill be now read the third time.

Question agreed to and Bill accordingly read the third time, and passed.

4 Backbench Business

(1) Windrush Day 2021

Resolved, That this House has considered Windrush Day 2021.—(Helen Hayes.)

(2) Pride month

Resolved, That this House has considered Pride month.—(Dame Angela Eagle.)

5 Public petitions

A public petition from residents of Sevenoaks relating to Orchards Academy, Swanley, was presented and read by Laura Trott.

6 Adjournment

Subject: Social housing and the effectiveness of the Housing Ombudsman (Siobhain McDonagh)

Motion made and Question proposed, That this House do now adjourn.—(Scott Mann.)

At 5.00 pm, the Motion lapsed (Standing Order No. 9(3))

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.—(Scott Mann.)

Adjourned at 5.21 pm until Monday 5 July.

Other Proceedings

General Committees: Appointments

The Speaker appoints the Chair of General Committees and members of Programming Sub-Committees, and allocates Statutory Instruments to Delegated Legislation Committees.

The Committee of Selection nominates Members to serve on General Committees (and certain Members to serve on Grand Committees).

7 First Delegated Legislation Committee (draft Local Elections (Northern Ireland) (Amendment) Order 2021)

Chair: Stewart Hosie

8 Second Delegated Legislation Committee (draft Market Surveillance (Northern Ireland) Regulations 2021)

Chair: Christina Rees

9 Third Delegated Legislation Committee (draft Occupational Pension Schemes (Climate Change Governance and Reporting) Regulations 2021)

Chair: Hannah Bardell

10 Fourth Delegated Legislation Committee (That this House authorises the Secretary of State to undertake to pay, and to pay by way of financial assistance under Section 8 of the Industrial Development Act 1982, grants to businesses to support the development of an electric vehicle supply chain in the UK, up to a limit of £388 million over four years)

Chair: Peter Dowd

11 Fifth Delegated Legislation Committee (draft Business and Planning Act 2020 (Pavement Licences) (Coronavirus) (Amendment) Regulations 2021)

Chair: Sir Christopher Chope

12 Sixth Delegated Legislation Committee (draft Bank of England Act 1998 (Macroprudential Measures) (Amendment) Order 2021)

Chair: Clive Efford

13 Seventh Delegated Legislation Committee (draft Coronavirus Act 2020 (Early Expiry) Regulations 2021)

Chair: Mr Laurence Robertson

14 Eighth Delegated Legislation Committee (draft Justice and Security (Northern Ireland)
Act 2007 (Extension of Duration of Non-jury Trial Provisions) Order 2021)

Chair: Rushanara Ali

15 Ninth Delegated Legislation Committee (draft Social Security (Scotland) Act 2018 (Disability Assistance, Young Carer Grants, Short-term Assistance and Winter Heating Assistance) (Consequential Provision and Modifications) Order 2021)

Chair: Julie Elliott

Reports from Select Committees

16 Backbench Business Committee

Determination of business to be taken on Thursday 15 July in the Chamber and Thursday 15 July in Westminster Hall (lan Mearns).

17 Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy Committee

Correspondence with the Competition and Markets Authority relating to their regulatory powers to investigate takeovers: Written evidence, to be published (Darren Jones).

18 Public Accounts (Committee of)

- (1) Overview of the English rail system: Tenth Report, to be printed, with formal minutes relating to the Report (HC 170);
- (2) Protecting consumers from unsafe products: Oral and written evidence, to be published (HC 180);
- (3) Correspondence from the Cabinet Office relating to the publication of Government contracts: Written evidence, to be published (Meg Hillier).

19 Welsh Affairs Committee

- (1) One-off session on issues facing the Welsh University sector: Oral evidence, to be published (HC 468);
- (2) Correspondence with the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy relating to the Subsidy Control Bill: Written evidence, to be published (Stephen Crabb).

Lindsay Hoyle
Speaker

Westminster Hall

The sitting began at 1.30 pm

Business determined by the Backbench Business Committee (Standing Orders No. 10(7) and No. 14(4))

1 Enabling community energy

Resolved, That this House has considered enabling community energy.—(Wera Hobhouse.)

The sitting was suspended between 2.55 pm and 3.15 pm (Orders, 25 February and 16 June).

2 Effect of the COVID-19 outbreak on retirement communities

Resolved, That this House has considered the effect of the COVID-19 outbreak on retirement communities.—(Jim Shannon.)

Sitting adjourned without Question put (Standing Order No. 10(14)).

Adjourned at 4.37 pm until Monday 5 July.

Eleanor Laing

Chairman of Ways and Means

Papers Laid

Papers subject to Affirmative Resolution

1 Energy Conservation

Draft Ecodesign for Energy-Related Products and Energy Information (Lighting Products) Regulations 2021 (by Act), with an Explanatory Memorandum and an Impact Assessment (by Command) (Secretary Kwasi Kwarteng)

Papers subject to Negative Resolution

2 Childcare

Childcare Payments (Miscellaneous Amendment) Regulations 2021 (SI, 2021, No. 781), dated 30 June 2021 (by Act), with an Explanatory Memorandum (by Command) (Steve Barclay)

3 Competition

Competition Act 1998 (Coronavirus) (Public Policy Exclusions) (Revocations) Order 2021 (SI, 2021, No. 773), dated 24 June 2021 (by Act), with an Explanatory Memorandum (by Command) (Secretary Kwasi Kwarteng)

4 Constitutional Law

Social Security (Scotland) Act 2018 (Disability Assistance for Children and Young People) (Consequential Modifications) Order 2021 (SI, 2021, No. 786), dated 29 June 2021 (by Act), with an Explanatory Memorandum (by Command) (Secretary Alister Jack)

5 Customs

- (1) International Waste Shipments (Amendment of Regulation (EC) No 1013/2006 and 1418/2007) Regulations 2021 (SI, 2021, No. 785), dated 30 June 2021 (by Act), with an Explanatory Memorandum (by Command) (Secretary George Eustice)
- (2) Trade Remedies (Extension of Tariff Rate Quota) (EU Exit) Regulations 2021 (SI, 2021, No. 783), dated 30 June 2021 (by Act), with an Explanatory Memorandum (by Command) (Mr Ranil Jayawardena)

6 Excise

Hydrocarbon Oil and Biofuels (Northern Ireland Private Pleasure Craft) Regulations 2021 (SI, 2021, No. 780), dated 30 June 2021 (by Act), with an Explanatory Memorandum (by Command) (Kemi Badenoch)

Papers laid under paragraphs 3(3) and 17(3) of Schedule 7 to the European Union

(Withdrawal) Act 2018

7 Consumer protection

Proposal for an instrument titled REACH etc. (Amendment) Regulations 2021, with an Explanatory Memorandum (by Act) (Secretary George Eustice)

Other papers

8 Chemical Weapons

Report by the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy on the Operation of the Chemical Weapons Act 1996 for 2020 (by Act), to be printed (HC 339) (Secretary Kwasi Kwarteng)

9 Government Resources and Accounts

- (1) Report and Accounts of the Financial Services Compensation Scheme for 2020–21, with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General (by Act), to be printed (HC 205) (John Glen)
- (2) Report and Accounts of the Government Actuary's Department for 2020–21, with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General (by Act), to be printed (HC 389) (Jesse Norman)
- (3) Report and Accounts of the Joint Nature Conservation Committee and JNCC Support Co for 2020–21, with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General (by Statutory Instrument), to be printed (HC 285) (Secretary George Eustice)
- (4) Report and Accounts of the Water Services Regulation Authority for 2020–21, with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General (by Act), to be printed (HC 267) (Jesse Norman)
- (5) Report and Class Statements of the Financial Services Compensation Scheme for 2020–21, with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General (by Act), to be printed (HC 206) (John Glen)
- (6) Report and Financial Statements of the Press Recognition Panel for 2020–21, with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General (by Command), to be printed (HC 347) (Secretary Robert Buckland)
- (7) Report and Accounts of Sherwood Forest Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust for 2020–21 (by Act) (Secretary Sajid Javid)
- (8) Report and Accounts of the Public Works Loan Board for 2020–21, with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General (by Act), to be printed (HC 262) (John Glen)

10 Statutory Instruments (Notification)

Communication declaring that the undermentioned Statutory Instrument had come into operation before copies were laid before Parliament, and explaining why such copies had not been so laid before the Instrument came into operation: Trade Remedies (Extension of Tariff Rate Quota) (EU Exit) Regulations 2021 (SI, 2021, No. 783) (by Standing Order) (The Speaker)

Withdrawn papers

11 Consumer protection

Proposal for an instrument titled REACH etc. (Amendment) Regulations 2021, with an Explanatory Memorandum (laid 29 June)

SPEAKER'S CERTIFICATES

Supply and Appropriation (Main Estimates) Bill

The Speaker has certified that the Supply and Appropriation (Main Estimates) Bill is a Money Bill within the meaning of the Parliament Act 1911.*

*This item was revised as a correction since publication. See the Votes and Proceedings from 12 July 2021 for details confirming the correction.

Voting by proxy

1. New pandemic proxy voting arrangements

The Speaker has certified, under the terms of Standing Order No. 39A (Voting by proxy), as amended by the temporary Orders of 23 September 2020 (Proxy voting during the pandemic) and 3 November 2020 (Proxy voting during the pandemic (No. 2)) and extended by the Orders of 22 October 2020 and of 25 March and 16 June 2021, that the Members listed in the table below are eligible to have a proxy vote cast on their behalf by the nominated proxies listed in the table below, starting on the dates specified below and ending on 22 July 2021, unless the arrangement is ended or the House otherwise orders.

Member	From	Proxy
Owen Thompson	5 July	Richard Thomson
Ben Lake	5 July	Liz Saville Roberts
Kenny MacAskill	5 July	Neale Hanvey

2. Variation of existing pandemic proxy voting arrangements

The Speaker has certified, under the terms of Standing Order No. 39A (Voting by proxy), as amended by the temporary Orders of 23 September 2020 (Proxy voting during the pandemic) and 3 November 2020 (Proxy voting during the pandemic (No. 2)) and extended by the Orders of 22 October 2020 and of 25 March and 16 June 2021, that the following Members have given notice that they wish to amend their proxy voting arrangement:

From 5 July 2021 the nominated proxy for the following Members will be Richard Thomson instead of Owen Thompson:

Hannah Bardell	Stewart Hosie
Mhairi Black	Chris Law
lan Blackford	David Linden
Kirsty Blackman	Angus MacNeil
Steven Bonnar	Stewart Malcolm McDonald
Deidre Brock	Stuart C McDonald
Alan Brown	Anne McLaughlin
Amy Callaghan	John McNally
Dr Lisa Cameron	Carol Monaghan

Douglas Chapman Gavin Newlands
Joanna Cherry John Nicolson
Ronnie Cowan Brendan O'Hara
Angela Crawley Kirsten Oswald

Martyn Day Anum Qaisar-Javed Martin Docherty-Hughes Tommy Sheppard

Dave DooganAlyn SmithStephen FlynnChris StephensPatricia GibsonAlison Thewliss

Patrick Grady Dr Philippa Whitford

Peter Grant Pete Wishart

Drew Hendry

From 5 July 2021 the nominated proxy for the following Members will be Liz Saville Roberts instead of Ben Lake:

Colum Eastwood

Claire Hanna

Hywel Williams

Further to the certificate of 17 June 2021, the start date for Sir Geoffrey Clifton-Brown's proxy vote is now 5 July 2021, rather than 6 July 2021.

3. Ending pandemic proxy voting arrangements

The Speaker has certified, under the terms of Standing Order No. 39A (Voting by proxy), as amended by the temporary Orders of 23 September 2020 (Proxy voting during the pandemic) and 3 November 2020 (Proxy voting during the pandemic (No. 2)) and extended by the Orders of 22 October 2020 and of 25 March and 16 June 2021, that the following Members have given notice that they wish to end their proxy voting arrangement with effect from when the Speaker takes the Chair on the dates specified below:

Member	From
Alistair Carmichael	5 July
Sarah Olney	5 July
Ben Everitt	5 July
Mary Glindon	5 July
Liz Saville Roberts	5 July
Mr Jonathan Djanolgly	5 July
Maggie Throup	5 July
Jamie Stone	6 July

CORRECTION

Wednesday 30 June 2021

This item should have appeared before item 27 (Other Proceedings):

Environmental Audit Committee

Sustainability of the built environment: Written evidence, to be published (HC 76) (Philip Dunne).