



House of Commons

Tuesday 22 March 2022

Votes and Proceedings

No. 139

The House met at 11.30 am.

Prayers

- 1 **Speaker's Statement: Fifth anniversary of the death of PC Keith Palmer GM**
- 2 **Questions to the Secretary of State for Justice**
- 3 **Urgent Question: Sub-postmaster compensation (Paul Scully)**
- 4 **Shared Prosperity Fund (Wales): Motion for leave to bring in a Bill (Standing Order No. 23)**

Ordered, That leave be given to bring in a Bill to require the Secretary of State to report to Parliament on the merits of devolving management and administration of the money allocated to Wales via the Shared Prosperity Fund to the Welsh Government.

That Ben Lake, Hywel Williams, Liz Saville Roberts, Richard Thomson, Claire Hanna, Stephen Farry, Alison Thewliss, Geraint Davies, Jonathan Edwards, Wendy Chamberlain and Beth Winter present the Bill.

Ben Lake accordingly presented the Bill.

Bill read the first time; to be read a second time on Friday 6 May, and to be printed (Bill 288).

- 5 **Nationality and Borders Bill: Programme (No. 3)**

Ordered, That the following provisions shall apply to the Nationality and Borders Bill for the purpose of supplementing the Orders of 20 July 2021 (Nationality and Borders Bill (Programme)) and 7 December 2021 (Nationality and Borders Bill (Programme) (No. 2)):

Consideration of Lords Amendments

(1) Proceedings on consideration of Lords Amendments shall (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to a conclusion six hours after their commencement.

(2) The proceedings— (a) shall be taken in the order shown in the first column of the following Table, and (b) shall (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to a conclusion at the times specified in the second column of the Table.

Table

Lords Amendments	Time for conclusion of proceedings
1, 4 to 9, 52, 53, 10 to 20, 54, 2, 3, 43 to 51, 21	Three hours after the commencement of proceedings on consideration of Lords Amendments
22, 24, 23, 25 to 27, 40, 28 to 39, 42, 41	Six hours after the commencement of those proceedings

Subsequent stages

(3) Any further Message from the Lords may be considered forthwith without any Question being put.

(4) The proceedings on any further Message from the Lords shall (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to a conclusion one hour after their commencement.—(*Michael Tomlinson.*)

6 Nationality and Borders Bill: Consideration of Lords Amendments

The Deputy Speaker announced that Lords Amendments 10, 12 and 26 engaged Commons financial privilege.

Lords Amendment 1

Motion made and Question proposed, That this House disagrees with the Lords in their Amendment 1.—(*Tom Pursglove.*)

The Deputy Speaker announced a time limit on backbench speeches (Standing Order No. 47(1)).

As it was three hours after the commencement of proceedings on consideration of Lords Amendments, the Deputy Speaker put the Questions necessary to bring proceedings on Lords Amendments 1, 4 to 9, 52, 53, 10 to 20, 54, 2, 3, 43 to 51 and 21 to a conclusion (Programme Order, today).

The following Questions were put forthwith (Standing Order No. 83F).

(1) That this House disagrees with the Lords in their Amendment 1 (Question already proposed from the Chair).

Question agreed to.

Lords Amendment 1 accordingly disagreed to.

(2) That Amendments (a) and (b) be made to the Bill in lieu of Lords Amendment 1 (Single Question on any Amendments moved by a Minister of the Crown relevant to the Lords Amendment).—(*Tom Pursglove.*)

Question agreed to.

Amendments (a) and (b) accordingly made to the Bill in lieu of Lords Amendment 1.

(3) That this House disagrees with the Lords in their Amendment 4 (Question on any Motion moved by a Minister of the Crown to disagree with a Lords Amendment).—(*Tom Pursglove*.)

The House divided.

Division No. 218

Ayes: 318 (Tellers: Michael Tomlinson, Scott Mann)

Noes: 223 (Tellers: Colleen Fletcher, Gerald Jones)

Question agreed to.

Lords Amendment 4 accordingly disagreed to.

(4) That Amendments (a) to (f) be made to the Bill in lieu of Lords Amendment 4 (Single Question on any Amendments moved by a Minister of the Crown relevant to the Lords Amendment).—(*Tom Pursglove*.)

Question agreed to.

Amendments (a) to (f) accordingly made to the Bill in lieu of Lords Amendment 4.

(5) That this House disagrees with the Lords in their Amendment 5 (Question on any Motion moved by a Minister of the Crown to disagree with a Lords Amendment).—(*Tom Pursglove*.)

The House divided.

Division No. 219

Ayes: 313 (Tellers: Scott Mann, Michael Tomlinson)

Noes: 231 (Tellers: Colleen Fletcher, Gerald Jones)

Question agreed to.

Lords Amendment 5 accordingly disagreed to.

(6) That this House disagrees with the Lords in their Amendment 6 (Question on any Motion moved by a Minister of the Crown to disagree with a Lords Amendment).—(*Tom Pursglove*.)

The House divided.

Division No. 220

Ayes: 318 (Tellers: Scott Mann, Michael Tomlinson)

Noes: 220 (Tellers: Colleen Fletcher, Gerald Jones)

Question agreed to.

Lords Amendment 6 accordingly disagreed to.

(7) That this House disagrees with the Lords in their Amendment 7 (Question on any Motion moved by a Minister of the Crown to disagree with a Lords Amendment).—(*Tom Pursglove*.)

The House divided.

Division No. 221

Ayes: 291 (Tellers: Scott Mann, Michael Tomlinson)

Noes: 232 (Tellers: Colleen Fletcher, Gerald Jones)

Question agreed to.

Lords Amendment 7 accordingly disagreed to.

(8) That this House disagrees with the Lords in their Amendment 8 (Question on any Motion moved by a Minister of the Crown to disagree with a Lords Amendment).—(*Tom Pursglove.*)

Question agreed to.

Lords Amendment 8 accordingly disagreed to.

(9) That this House disagrees with the Lords in their Amendment 9 (Question on any Motion moved by a Minister of the Crown to disagree with a Lords Amendment).—(*Tom Pursglove.*)

The House divided.

Division No. 222

Ayes: 302 (Tellers: Amanda Solloway, Steve Double)

Noes: 232 (Tellers: Colleen Fletcher, Gerald Jones)

Question agreed to.

Lords Amendment 9 accordingly disagreed to.

(10) That this House disagrees with the Lords in their Amendment 52 (Question on any Motion moved by a Minister of the Crown to disagree with a Lords Amendment).—(*Tom Pursglove.*)

Question agreed to.

Lords Amendment 52 accordingly disagreed to.

(11) That this House disagrees with the Lords in their Amendment 53 (Question on any Motion moved by a Minister of the Crown to disagree with a Lords Amendment).—(*Tom Pursglove.*)

Question agreed to.

Lords Amendment 53 accordingly disagreed to.

(12) That this House disagrees with the Lords in their Amendment 10 (Question on any Motion moved by a Minister of the Crown to disagree with a Lords Amendment).—(*Tom Pursglove.*)

The House divided.

Division No. 223

Ayes: 305 (Tellers: Amanda Solloway, Steve Double)

Noes: 230 (Tellers: Colleen Fletcher, Gerald Jones)

Question agreed to.

Lords Amendment 10 accordingly disagreed to.

(13) That this House disagrees with the Lords in their Amendment 11 (Question on any Motion moved by a Minister of the Crown to disagree with a Lords Amendment).—(*Tom Pursglove.*)

The House divided.

Division No. 224

Ayes: 313 (Tellers: Amanda Solloway, Steve Double)

Noes: 227 (Tellers: Colleen Fletcher, Gerald Jones)

Question agreed to.

Lords Amendment 11 accordingly disagreed to.

(14) That this House disagrees with the Lords in their Amendment 12 (Question on any Motion moved by a Minister of the Crown to disagree with a Lords Amendment).—(*Tom Pursglove.*)

Question agreed to.

Lords Amendment 12 accordingly disagreed to.

(15) That this House disagrees with the Lords in their Amendment 13 (Question on any Motion moved by a Minister of the Crown to disagree with a Lords Amendment).—(*Tom Pursglove.*)

The House divided.

Division No. 225

Ayes: 317 (Tellers: Amanda Solloway, Steve Double)

Noes: 220 (Tellers: Colleen Fletcher, Gerald Jones)

Question agreed to.

Lords Amendment 13 accordingly disagreed to.

(16) That this House disagrees with the Lords in their Amendment 14 (Question on any Motion moved by a Minister of the Crown to disagree with a Lords Amendment).—(*Tom Pursglove.*)

Question agreed to.

Lords Amendment 14 accordingly disagreed to.

(17) That this House disagrees with the Lords in their Amendment 15 (Question on any Motion moved by a Minister of the Crown to disagree with a Lords Amendment).—(*Tom Pursglove.*)

Question agreed to.

Lords Amendment 15 accordingly disagreed to.

(18) That this House disagrees with the Lords in their Amendment 16 (Question on any Motion moved by a Minister of the Crown to disagree with a Lords Amendment).—(*Tom Pursglove.*)

Question agreed to.

Lords Amendment 16 accordingly disagreed to.

(19) That this House disagrees with the Lords in their Amendment 17 (Question on any Motion moved by a Minister of the Crown to disagree with a Lords Amendment).—(*Tom Pursglove.*)

Question agreed to.

Lords Amendment 17 accordingly disagreed to.

(20) That this House disagrees with the Lords in their Amendment 18 (Question on any Motion moved by a Minister of the Crown to disagree with a Lords Amendment).—(*Tom Pursglove.*)

Question agreed to.

Lords Amendment 18 accordingly disagreed to.

(21) That this House disagrees with the Lords in their Amendment 19 (Question on any Motion moved by a Minister of the Crown to disagree with a Lords Amendment).—(*Tom Pursglove.*)

Question agreed to.

Lords Amendment 19 accordingly disagreed to.

(22) That this House disagrees with the Lords in their Amendment 20 (Question on any Motion moved by a Minister of the Crown to disagree with a Lords Amendment).—(*Tom Pursglove*.)

Question agreed to.

Lords Amendment 20 accordingly disagreed to.

(23) That this House disagrees with the Lords in their Amendment 54 (Question on any Motion moved by a Minister of the Crown to disagree with a Lords Amendment).—(*Tom Pursglove*.)

Question agreed to.

Lords Amendment 54 accordingly disagreed to.

(24) That this House agrees with the Lords in their Amendments 2, 3, 43 to 51, and 21 (Single Question to agree with all remaining Lords Amendments).

Question agreed to.

Lords Amendments 2, 3, 43 to 51, and 21 accordingly agreed to.

Lords Amendment 22

Motion made and Question proposed, That this House disagrees with the Lords in their Amendment 22.—(*Tom Pursglove*.)

The Deputy Speaker announced a time limit on backbench speeches (Standing Order No. 47(1)).

As it was six hours after the commencement of proceedings on consideration of Lords Amendments, the Deputy Speaker put the Questions necessary to bring proceedings on Lords Amendments 22, 24, 23, 25 to 27, 40, 28 to 39, 42 and 41 to a conclusion (Programme Order, today).

The following Questions were put forthwith (Standing Order No. 83F).

(1) That this House disagrees with the Lords in their Amendment 22 (Question already proposed from the Chair).

The House divided.

Division No. 226

Ayes: 307 (Tellers: Michael Tomlinson, Scott Mann)

Noes: 217 (Tellers: Marion Fellows, Richard Thomson)

Question agreed to.

Lords Amendment 22 accordingly disagreed to.

(2) That this House disagrees with the Lords in their Amendment 24 (Question on any Motion moved by a Minister of the Crown to disagree with a Lords Amendment).—(*Tom Pursglove*.)

The House divided.

Division No. 227

Ayes: 300 (Tellers: Michael Tomlinson, Scott Mann)

Noes: 221 (Tellers: Marion Fellows, Richard Thomson)

Question agreed to.

Lords Amendment 24 accordingly disagreed to.

(3) That this House disagrees with the Lords in their Amendment 23 (Question on any Motion moved by a Minister of the Crown to disagree with a Lords Amendment).—(*Tom Pursglove.*)

Question agreed to.

Lords Amendment 23 accordingly disagreed to.

(4) That this House disagrees with the Lords in their Amendment 25 (Question on any Motion moved by a Minister of the Crown to disagree with a Lords Amendment).—(*Tom Pursglove.*)

The House divided.

Division No. 228

Ayes: 296 (Tellers: Steve Double, Scott Mann)

Noes: 219 (Tellers: Liz Twist, Mary Glendon)

Question agreed to.

Lords Amendment 25 accordingly disagreed to.

(5) That this House disagrees with the Lords in their Amendment 26 (Question on any Motion moved by a Minister of the Crown to disagree with a Lords Amendment).—(*Tom Pursglove.*)

The House divided.

Division No. 229

Ayes: 291 (Tellers: Steve Double, Scott Mann)

Noes: 214 (Tellers: Liz Twist, Mary Glendon)

Question agreed to.

Lords Amendment 26 accordingly disagreed to.

(6) That this House disagrees with the Lords in their Amendment 27 (Question on any Motion moved by a Minister of the Crown to disagree with a Lords Amendment).—(*Tom Pursglove.*)

Question agreed to.

Lords Amendment 27 accordingly disagreed to.

(7) That this House disagrees with the Lords in their Amendment 40 (Question on any Motion moved by a Minister of the Crown to disagree with a Lords Amendment).—(*Tom Pursglove.*)

The House divided.

Division No. 230

Ayes: 298 (Tellers: Michael Tomlinson, Gareth Johnson)

Noes: 216 (Tellers: Mr Alistair Carmichael, Wendy Chamberlain)

Question agreed to.

Lords Amendment 40 accordingly disagreed to.

(8) That this House agrees with the Lords in their Amendments 28 to 39, 42 and 41 (Single Question to agree with all remaining Lords Amendments).

Question agreed to.

Lords Amendments 28 to 39, 42 and 41 accordingly agreed to.

Motion made and Question put forthwith (Standing Order No. 83H(2)), That a Committee be appointed to draw up Reasons to be assigned to the Lords for disagreeing to their Amendments 5 to 20, 22 to 27, 40, and 52 to 54.

That Chris Clarkson, Chris Elmore, Paul Holmes, Holly Lynch, Stuart C McDonald, Scott Mann, and Tom Pursglove be members of the Committee.

That Tom Pursglove be the Chair of the Committee.

That three be the quorum of the Committee.

That the Committee do withdraw immediately.—(*David T C Davies.*)

Question agreed to.

7 Statutory Instruments: Motions for Approval

(1) Motion made and Question put forthwith (Standing Order No. 118(6)), That the Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) (Amendment) (No. 4) Regulations 2022 (SI, 2022, No. 203), dated 1 March 2022, a copy of which was laid before this House on 1 March, be approved.—(*David T C Davies.*)

Question agreed to.

(2) Motion made and Question put forthwith (Standing Order No. 118(6)), That the Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) (Amendment) (No. 5) Regulations 2022 (SI, 2022, No. 205), dated 1 March 2022, a copy of which was laid before this House on 1 March, be approved.—(*David T C Davies.*)

Question agreed to.

(3) Motion made and Question put forthwith (Standing Order No. 118(6)), That the Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) (Amendment) (No. 6) Regulations 2022 (SI, 2022, No. 241), dated 8 March 2022, a copy of which was laid before this House on 8 March, be approved.—(*David T C Davies.*)

Question agreed to.

8 Nationality and Borders Bill: Reasons Committee

Tom Pursglove reported that the Committee had agreed the following Reasons:

Lords Amendment 5

Because the Commons consider that the provisions of Part 2 are compliant with the Refugee Convention, and that it is therefore not necessary to provide expressly that this is so.

Lords Amendment 6

Because the Commons consider that it should be possible to accord different treatment to refugees depending on whether they have complied with the criteria set out in clause 11.

Lords Amendment 7

Because the Commons consider that asylum-seekers (save in limited circumstances) and their adult dependants should not be permitted to work while a decision on their claim for asylum is pending.

Lords Amendment 8

Because the Commons do not consider it appropriate that the commencement of clause 15 should be dependent on the conclusion of international agreements with other States.

Lords Amendment 9

Because the Commons consider that it is appropriate to allow the removal of an asylum seeker to a safe third country while their claim for asylum is pending.

Lords Amendment 10

Because it would alter the financial arrangements made by the Commons, and the Commons do not offer any further reason, trusting that this Reason may be deemed sufficient.

Lords Amendment 11

Because the Commons do not consider it appropriate for there to be a statutory requirement on the minimum number of refugees to be resettled in the UK each year.

Lords Amendment 12

Because it would alter the financial arrangements made by the Commons, and the Commons do not offer any further reason, trusting that this Reason may be deemed sufficient.

Lords Amendment 13

Because the Commons consider that it should be a criminal offence for a person who requires entry clearance to knowingly arrive in the United Kingdom without such clearance.

Lords Amendments 14 to 19

Because they are consequential on Lords Amendment 13 to which the Commons disagree.

Lords Amendment 20

Because the Commons consider that the offence of facilitating the entry of an asylum seeker into the United Kingdom should be capable of prosecution whether or not the defendant was acting for gain.

Lords Amendment 22

Because the Commons consider that the additional requirements for age assessments, as set out in the new clause, are either inappropriate or unnecessary.

Lords Amendment 23

Because it is consequential on Lords Amendment 24 to which the Commons disagree.

Lords Amendment 24

Because the Commons consider that it is appropriate for the fact that a person claiming to be a victim of slavery or human trafficking has provided information late, without good reason, to be taken into account by the competent authority.

Lords Amendment 25

Because the Commons consider that the clause proposed by the Lords Amendment provides an unworkable regime for operating the public order and improper claim exemptions to Article 13 of the Trafficking Convention.

Lords Amendment 26

Because it would alter the financial arrangements made by the Commons, and the Commons do not offer any further reason, trusting that this Reason may be deemed sufficient.

Lords Amendment 27

Because the Commons consider that the clause inserted by the Lords Amendment makes provision in relation to persons under the age of 18 that is not necessary, or not practically workable, or not appropriate.

Lords Amendment 40

Because the Commons consider that the immigration rules should be able to include provision requiring persons travelling from the Republic of Ireland to Northern Ireland to have an electronic travel authorisation.

Lords Amendments 52 and 53

Because they are consequential on Lords Amendment 9 to which the Commons disagree.

Lords Amendment 54

Because the Amendment is unnecessary given that the maritime enforcement powers will in any event have to be exercised in compliance with the European Convention on Human Rights (by virtue of section 6 of the Human Rights Act 1998) and with the UK's international obligations.

The Reasons were agreed to.

9 Public petitions

A public petition from residents of the constituency of North Ayrshire and Arran relating to VAT and fuel duty on petrol and diesel was presented and read by Patricia Gibson.

10 Adjournment

Subject: Prioritisation of NHS capital spend and health inequalities (Lucy Allan)

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.—(*David T C Davies*.)

Adjourned at 8.49 pm until tomorrow.

Other Proceedings

General Committees: Reports

11 Product Security and Telecommunications Infrastructure Bill

Caroline Nokes (Chair) reported:

- (1) written evidence submitted to the Committee; and
- (2) the Bill, as amended.

Written evidence to be published.

Bill, as amended, to be considered tomorrow; and to be printed (Bill 289).

Reports from Select Committees

12 Backbench Business Committee

Transcript of representations made on Tuesday 22 March to be published (Ian Mearns).

13 Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy Committee

(1) *Energy pricing and the future of the energy market*: Oral and written evidence, to be published (HC 1130);

(2) *Correspondence from the Minister for Science, Research and Innovation relating to a Horizon Europe guarantee extension*: Written evidence, to be published;

(3) *Correspondence from the Secretary of State relating to Research and Development (R&D) allocations*: Written evidence, to be published

(Darren Jones).

14 Digital, Culture, Media and Sport Committee

(1) *Racism in cricket: Government Response to the Committee's Seventh Report*: Fourth Special Report, to be printed (HC 1218);

(2) *The Draft Online Safety Bill and the legal but harmful debate: Government Response to the Committee's Eighth Report*: Fifth Special Report, to be printed (HC 1221);

(3) *Reimagining where we live: cultural placemaking and the levelling up agenda*: Oral and written evidence, to be published (HC 1040);

(4) *Influencer culture*: Written evidence, to be published (HC 258);

(5) *Promoting Britain abroad*: Written evidence, to be published (HC 856)

(Julian Knight).

15 Education Committee

(1) *Universities and Higher Education*: Oral evidence, to be published (HC 1213);

(2) *Correspondence from the Minister of State for Levelling Up Communities and Equalities on the Government's response to the Commission on Race and Ethnic Disparities' report into racial and ethnic disparities in the UK*: Written evidence, to be published;

(3) *The impact of COVID-19 on education and children's services*: Written evidence, to be published (HC 87)

(Robert Halfon).

16 Environment, Food and Rural Affairs Committee

Plastic waste: Oral evidence, to be published (HC 556) (Neil Parish).

17 Health and Social Care Committee

(1) *Workforce: recruitment, training and retention in health and social care*: Oral and written evidence, to be published (HC 893);

(2) *Children and young people's mental health*: Written evidence, to be published (HC 17);

(3) *Expert panel: evaluation of the Government's commitments in the area of cancer services in England*: Written evidence, to be published (HC 1025);

(4) *The future of General Practice*: Written evidence, to be published (HC 892)

(Jeremy Hunt).

18 International Development Committee

(1) *Future of UK aid*: Oral evidence, to be published (HC 100);

(2) *Correspondence with the Minister for Africa, Latin America and the Caribbean relating to the FCDO's work on tackling sexual exploitation and abuse in the aid sector*: Written evidence, to be published;

(3) *Correspondence with the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs relating to the humanitarian situation in Ukraine*: Written evidence, to be published;

(4) *Extreme poverty and the Sustainable Development Goals*: Written evidence, to be published (HC 932);

(5) *UK aid spending alignment with Paris agreement*: Written evidence, to be published (HC 1116)

(Sarah Champion).

19 Justice Committee

(1) *Fraud and the Justice System*: Oral evidence and written evidence, to be published (HC 961);

(2) *Correspondence with the Lord Chancellor and Secretary of State relating to Judicial Pension Regulations*: Written evidence, to be published;

(3) *Correspondence with the Lord Chancellor and Secretary of State relating to Strategic Lawsuits Against Public Participation*: Written evidence, to be published;

(4) *Correspondence with the Minister for Justice and Tackling Illegal Migration relating to outdoor weddings and civil partnerships*: Written evidence, to be published;

(5) *Correspondence with the Minister for Levelling Up Communities and Equalities relating to the Government's response to the Commission on Race and Ethnic Disparities' Report*: Written evidence, to be published;

(6) *Correspondence with the Parliamentary Under Secretary of State relating to Nightingale courts*: Written evidence, to be published;

(7) *The work of the Ministry of Justice*: Written evidence, to be published (HC 869)

(Sir Robert Neill).

20 Northern Ireland Affairs Committee

Investment in Northern Ireland: Oral evidence, to be published (HC 792) (Simon Hoare).

21 Petitions Committee

(1) *Tackling Online Abuse: Government Response to the Committee's Second Report*: Second Special Report, to be printed (HC 1224);

(2) Record of the Committee's decisions relating to e-petitions, to be published;

(3) List of closed e-petitions presented to the House, to be published;

(4) *Correspondence with the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs relating to breed specific legislation*: Written evidence, to be published

(Catherine McKinnell).

22 Public Administration and Constitutional Affairs Committee

(1) *Common Framework scrutiny: Public procurement*: Oral evidence, to be published (HC 1138);

(2) *Correspondence from the Deputy Chief Executive and Chief Operating Officer of the Information Commissioner's Office relating to the Information Commissioner's Office Grant in Aid funding*: Written evidence, to be published;

(3) *Pre-appointment hearing: Chair of UK Statistics Authority*: Written evidence, to be published (HC 1162)

(Mr William Wragg).

23 Transport Committee

(1) *Airlines and airports: supporting recovery in the UK aviation sector*: Written evidence, to be published (HC 683);

(2) *Correspondence from the Chief Executive of the Driver Vehicle Licensing Agency relating to licence application backlog*: Written evidence, to be published;

(3) *Correspondence from the Secretary of State relating to international travel*: Written evidence, to be published;

(4) *Correspondence from the Secretary of State relating to the sanctions regime on Russian travel*: Written evidence, to be published;

(5) *Fuelling the future: motive power and connectivity*: Written evidence, to be published (HC 973);

(6) *HS2: Progress update*: Written evidence, to be published (HC 487)

(Huw Merriman).

Lindsay Hoyle

Speaker

Westminster Hall

The sitting began at 9.30 am.

Business appointed by the Chairman of Ways and Means (Standing Order No. 10(6))

1 People affected by the Midas Financial Solutions collapse

Resolved, That this House has considered the matter of the people affected by the Midas Financial Solutions collapse.—(Mr Alistair Carmichael.)

2 Potential merits of a men's health strategy

Resolved, That this House has considered the potential merits of a men's health strategy.—(Nick Fletcher.)

The sitting was suspended between 11.19 am and 2.30 pm (Standing Order No. 10(1)(b)).

3 The rollout of the School Rebuilding Programme

Resolved, That this House has considered rollout of the School Rebuilding Programme.—(Mary Kelly Foy.)

4 Tackling sibling sexual abuse

Motion made and Question proposed, That this House has considered the matter of tackling sibling sexual abuse.—(*Wera Hobhouse.*)

The sitting was suspended between 4.19 pm and 5.59 pm for divisions in the House.

Resolved, That this House has considered the matter of tackling sibling sexual abuse.

5 Parental leave and pay

Resolved, That this House has considered parental leave and pay.—(*Kirsten Oswald.*)

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

Adjourned at 6.48 pm until tomorrow.

Eleanor Laing

Chairman of Ways and Means

Papers Laid

Other papers

1 Air Force (Constitution)

(1) Air Publication 3376 Volume 1 (Fourteenth Edition) - Terms and Conditions of Service for Enlisted Aviators of the Royal Air Force (by Act) (James Heappey)

(2) Air Publication 3393 Volume 1 (Twenty-fifth Edition) - Terms and Conditions of Service for Officers of the Royal Air Force (by Act) (James Heappey)

2 Energy

Business Plan of the Nuclear Decommissioning Authority, April 2022 to March 2025 (by Act) (Secretary Kwasi Kwarteng)

3 Social Security

Explanatory Memorandum to the Social Security (Habitual Residence and Past Presence) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (by Command) (David Rutley)

Withdrawn papers

4 Social Security

Explanatory Memorandum to the Social Security (Habitual Residence and Past Presence) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (laid 21 March)