
Thursday 27 April 2023 Order Paper No.152: Part 1

SUMMARY AGENDA: CHAMBER

9.30am	Prayers
Afterwards	Oral Questions : Culture, Media and Sport
10.10am	Oral Questions : Church Commissioners and Speaker's Committee on the Electoral Commission
10.30am	Urgent Questions : <ul style="list-style-type: none">■ Arrangements in place to record the number of voters who attend at a polling station and are denied a vote because they are not in possession of valid ID (Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities)■ War in Ukraine (Secretary of State for Defence) Ministerial Statements, including on: <ul style="list-style-type: none">■ Gambling Act Review White Paper (Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport)
Afterwards	Business Question Ministerial Statements, including on: <ul style="list-style-type: none">■ Sudan update (Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs)
No debate	Presentation of Bills
Until 5.00pm	Backbench Business <ul style="list-style-type: none">■ General Debate: Progress on reforms to NHS dentistry■ General Debate: Reducing plastic pollution in the oceans
Until 5.30pm or for half an hour	Adjournment Debate : Political and security situation in Georgia (Adam Holloway)

WESTMINSTER HALL

1.30pm	Third Report of the Justice Committee, IPP Sentences, HC 266, and the Government Response, HC 933
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BUSINESS TODAY: CHAMBER

9.30am Prayers

Followed by

QUESTIONS

■ Oral Questions to the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport

- 1 **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North)
What discussions she has had with the BBC on its proposed cuts to local radio services. (904659)
- 2 **Mr Louie French** (Old Bexley and Sidcup)
What steps her Department is taking to encourage community participation in the celebration of the coronation of His Majesty King Charles III. (904660)
- 3 **Rob Roberts** (Delyn)
What steps her Department is taking to increase children's participation in grassroots sport. (904661)
- 4 **Nicola Richards** (West Bromwich East)
What steps her Department is taking to support grassroots sport. (904663)
- 5 **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton)
What steps she is taking to support musicians from Ukraine and Europe to tour in the UK. (904664)
- 6 **Esther McVey** (Tatton)
What steps her Department is taking to support grassroots sport. (904668)
- 7 **Mary Kelly Foy** (City of Durham)
What steps she is taking to support cultural and charitable organisations with increases in the cost of living. (904669)
- 8 **Greg Smith** (Buckingham)
Whether she is taking steps with Cabinet colleagues to ensure the availability of synthetic and sustainable fuels for use in motorsport. (904670)
- 9 **Mark Fletcher** (Bolsover)
What recent assessment her Department has made of the adequacy of gambling regulation. (904674)
- 10 **Nickie Aiken** (Cities of London and Westminster)
What steps her Department is taking to encourage community participation in the celebration of the coronation of His Majesty King Charles III. (904675)

At 10.00am**■ Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport****T1 Kevin Brennan (Cardiff West)**

If she will make a statement on her departmental responsibilities. (904676)

T2 Andrew Lewer (Northampton South) (904680)**T3 Mrs Emma Lewell-Buck (South Shields) (904681)****T4 Peter Aldous (Waveney) (904682)****T5 Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi (Slough) (904683)****At 10.10am****■ Oral Questions to the hon. Member for Lancaster and Fleetwood, representing the Speaker's Committee on the Electoral Commission and the Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners****1 Tim Loughton (East Worthing and Shoreham)**

To ask the hon. Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, what discussions the Church of England has had with international counterparts on the desecration of religious sites in the Holy Land. (904699)

2 Fiona Bruce (Congleton)

To ask the hon. Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, what discussions the Church of England has had with the Church of Nigeria on the killing and abduction of Christians in that country. (904700)

3 Kevin Brennan (Cardiff West)

To ask the hon. Member for Lancaster and Fleetwood, representing the Speaker's Committee on the Electoral Commission, what recent discussions the Committee has had with the Electoral Commission on the security of postal votes. (904701)

4 Sir Desmond Swayne (New Forest West)

To ask the hon. Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, what discussions the Church of England has had with international counterparts on the desecration of religious sites in the Holy Land. (904702)

5 Selaine Saxby (North Devon)

To ask the hon. Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, how the Church of England plans to spend grant funding from local authorities. (904703)

6 Martin Vickers (Cleethorpes)

To ask the hon. Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, what steps the Church of England is taking to strengthen its parish ministry. (904704)

7 Mr Philip Hollobone (Kettering)

To ask the hon. Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, whether the Church of England is taking steps to plant more trees on its land. (904705)

8 Kirsten Oswald (East Renfrewshire)

To ask the hon. Member for Lancaster and Fleetwood, representing the Speaker's Committee on the Electoral Commission, what recent discussions the Committee has had with the Electoral Commission on the implementation of voter ID in (a) Scotland, (b) Wales and (c) England ahead of local and national elections. (904707)

9 Jerome Mayhew (Broadland)

To ask the hon. Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, how the Church of England plans to spend grant funding from local authorities. (904708)

10 Michael Fabricant (Lichfield)

To ask the hon. Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, what steps the Church of England plans to take to mark the coronation of His Majesty King Charles III in (a) cathedrals and (b) other places of worship outside of London; and if he will make a statement. (904709)

URGENT QUESTIONS AND STATEMENTS

10.30am

Urgent Questions:

- To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities if he will make a statement on arrangements in place to record the number of voters who attend at a polling station and are denied a vote because they are not in possession of valid ID (Clive Betts)
- To ask the Secretary of State for Defence if he will make a statement on the war in Ukraine (John Healey)

Ministerial Statements, including on:

- Gambling Act Review White Paper (Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport)

Business Question to the Leader of the House**Ministerial Statements, including on:**

- Sudan update (Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs)

PRESENTATION OF BILLS

No debate ([Standing Order No. 57](#))

- Northern Ireland (Interim Arrangements) Bill

Chris Heaton-Harris

A Bill to extend the period during which departmental functions may be exercised in the absence of Ministers to cover the whole of the current period in which there is no Executive; to give the Secretary of State power, during that period, to commission advice and information for the purpose of developing options for raising more public revenue in Northern Ireland or otherwise improving the sustainability of public finances in Northern Ireland; and to require certain accounts and related documents to be laid before the House of Commons in periods in which the Northern Ireland Assembly is not functioning.

BUSINESS OF THE DAY**1. BACKBENCH BUSINESS**

Until 5.00pm ([Standing Order No. 9\(3\)](#))

■ Progress on reforms to NHS dentistry

Judith Cummins

Peter Aldous

That this House has considered progress on reforms to NHS dentistry.

■ Reducing plastic pollution in the oceans

Selaine Saxby

That this House has considered the matter of reducing plastic pollution in the oceans.

Notes:

The subjects for these debates were determined by the Backbench Business Committee.

ADJOURNMENT DEBATE

Until 5.30pm or for half an hour (whichever is later) ([Standing Order No. 9\(7\)](#))

■ Political and security situation in Georgia: Adam Holloway

BUSINESS TODAY: WESTMINSTER HALL

ORDER OF BUSINESS

The sitting will last for up to three hours ([Standing Order No. 10\(1\)](#))

1.30pm

- That this House has considered the Third Report of the Justice Committee, IPP Sentences, [HC 266](#), and the Government response, [HC 933](#): **Sir Robert Neill**

Notes:

The subject of this debate was determined by the Liaison Committee.

WRITTEN STATEMENTS

STATEMENTS TO BE MADE TODAY

The Chancellor of the Exchequer

1. Tax administration and maintenance: Spring 2023

Secretary of State for Health and Social Care

2. Health Update

Secretary of State for the Home Department

3. Independent Review of the Police-led Management of Registered Sex Offenders

Secretary of State for Northern Ireland

4. NI Finances 2023-24

Prime Minister

5. UK COVID-19 Inquiry

Secretary of State for Transport

6. Transport Update

Notes:

Texts of Written Statements are available from the Vote Office and on the internet at <https://questions-statements.parliament.uk/>.

COMMITTEES MEETING TODAY

Broadcasts of proceedings can be found at <https://www.parliamentlive.tv/Commons>

SELECT COMMITTEES

■ Public Accounts Committee

Subject: Defra Recall: Environmental protection

Witnesses: 10.00am: Tamara Finkelstein CB, Permanent Secretary, David Kennedy, Director General for Food, Biosecurity and Trade, and David Hill, Director General for Environment, Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs; John Leyland, Executive Director of Environment & Business, Environment Agency

The Grimond Room, Portcullis House

9.30am (private), 10.00am (public)

COMMITTEE REPORTS PUBLISHED TODAY

BUSINESS, ENERGY AND INDUSTRIAL STRATEGY

- **4th Special Report: Revised (Draft) National Policy Statement for Energy: Government response to the Committee's Ninth Report of Session 2021-22 HC 1299**
Time of publication: 00.01am

WORK AND PENSIONS

- **6th Report: Children in poverty: Child Maintenance Service HC 272**
Time of publication: 00.01am

HUMAN RIGHTS (JOINT)

- **6th Special Report: Legislative Scrutiny: Strikes (Minimum Service Levels) Bill: Government response to the Committee's Tenth Report HC 1315**
Time of publication: 11.00am

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FORTHCOMING END OF DAY ADJOURNMENT DEBATES

Applications for 30-minute end of day adjournment debates should be made to the Table Office by 7.00pm or rise of the House, whichever is the earlier, on the Wednesdays listed below. Members can submit their application via MemberHub, from their own email account or in hard copy. Application forms are available on the Table Office page on the Parliamentary intranet.

The ballot takes place on the day following the deadline. Members who are successful will be contacted by the Speaker's Office.

■ **Tuesday 9 to Monday 15 May (Ballot Closed)**

The ballot for Tuesday 9 to Monday 15 May is closed and will take place today.

■ **Tuesday 16 to Monday 22 May (deadline Wednesday 10 May 7.00pm or the rise of the House, whichever is earlier)**

FORTHCOMING WESTMINSTER HALL DEBATES

Applications for 90, 60 and 30-minute debates should be made to the Table Office by 10.00pm or rise of the House, whichever is the earlier, on the deadline dates listed below. Members can submit their application via MemberHub, from their own email account or in hard copy. Application forms are available on the Table Office page on the Parliamentary intranet.

The ballot takes place on the day following the deadline. Members who are successful will be contacted by the Speaker's Office.

■ **Tuesday 9 and Wednesday 10 May (deadline Tuesday 2 May 10.00pm or the rise of the House, whichever is earlier)**

The following Departments will answer:

Business and Trade; Defence; Education; Energy Security and Net Zero; Foreign, Commonwealth and Development; Home Office; Justice; Levelling Up, Housing and Communities; Science, Innovation and Technology; Scotland; Transport

■ **Tuesday 16 and Wednesday 17 May (deadline Tuesday 9 May 10.00pm or the rise of the House, whichever is earlier)**

The following Departments will answer:

Attorney General; Cabinet Office; Culture, Media and Sport; Environment, Food and Rural Affairs; Health and Social Care; Northern Ireland; Treasury; Wales; Women and Equalities; Work and Pensions

CORONATION AND MAY BANK HOLIDAY ADJOURNMENTS - TABLING OF PARLIAMENTARY QUESTIONS

The following arrangements will apply for the tabling of Questions for oral and written answer during the Coronation and May Bank Holiday Adjournments.

■ Questions for oral answer

Last date of tabling*	Date for answer	Departments etc.
Thursday 27 April	Wednesday 3 May	Science, Innovation and Technology (T)
Thursday 27 April	Wednesday 3 May	Prime Minister
Tuesday 2 May	Wednesday 10 May	Northern Ireland
Wednesday 3 May	Tuesday 9 May	Treasury (T)
Wednesday 3 May	Wednesday 10 May	Prime Minister
Wednesday 3 May	Thursday 11 May	Cabinet Office (T)
Tuesday 9 May	Monday 15 May	Defence (T)
Tuesday 9 May	Wednesday 17 May	Scotland

For further details of last tabling days for other departments and answering bodies, see the Order of Questions rota available on the Commons Business Paper website at <https://commonsbusiness.parliament.uk>

Notes:

* The latest time for tabling is 12.30pm on each of these days. ** (T) denotes that there are Topical questions for this Department.

■ Questions for written answer on a named day

Time of tabling	Ordinary answer	Earliest date for Named Day answer
Thursday 27 April	Tuesday 2 May	Wednesday 3 May
Friday 28 April	Wednesday 3 May	Tuesday 9 May
Tuesday 2 May	Tuesday 9 May	Tuesday 9 May
Wednesday 3 May	Tuesday 9 May	Wednesday 10 May
From rise of House on Wednesday 3 May until 2.30pm on Friday 5 May	Wednesday 10 May	Thursday 11 May
Tuesday 9 May	Thursday 11 May	Monday 15 May
Wednesday 10 May	Monday 15 May	Monday 15 May
Thursday 11 May	Monday 15 May	Tuesday 16 May
Friday 12 May	Tuesday 16 May	Wednesday 17 May

CORONATION AND MAY BANK HOLIDAY ADJOURNMENTS - TABLING OF AMENDMENTS TO PUBLIC BILLS

Amendments should be submitted by email to pbohoc@parliament.uk. Amendments can be accepted from a Member's Parliamentary network account, or from the network account of a member of staff who has been introduced by their Member to clerks in the Public Bill Office and has been specifically authorised to act on the Member's behalf.

There is no formal deadline for amendments to or in lieu of the **Lords Amendments to the National Security Bill**, which will be considered on Wednesday 3 May, but Members are encouraged to give notice of any such amendments as soon as possible.

If amendments are to be eligible for selection in proceedings on report stage of the **Lifelong Learning (Higher Education Fee Limits) Bill** on Wednesday 3 May, they should be tabled by **the rising of the House on Thursday 27 April**.

If amendments are to be eligible for selection in any proceedings in the Chamber on Tuesday 9 May, they should be tabled by **the rising of the House on Wednesday 3 May**.

If amendments are to be eligible for selection in any proceedings in the Chamber on Wednesday 10 May, they should be tabled by **4.30 pm on Thursday 4 May**.

If amendments are to be eligible for selection in any proceedings in the Chamber on Thursday 11 May, they should be tabled by **4.30 pm on Friday 5 May**.

Amendments tabled by these deadlines will be available on the [relevant bill pages](#) of the Parliamentary website from the morning after the deadline.

ELECTION OF THE CHAIR OF THE CULTURE, MEDIA AND SPORT COMMITTEE

■ Nominations and ballot

Nominations must be handed in to the Table Office or Public Bill Office on days when the House is sitting and at the latest by 12pm on Tuesday 16 May. Nomination forms are available in those offices and in the Vote Office.

In accordance with the House's decision of 16 January 2020 only members of the Conservative Party may be candidates in this election.

Each nomination shall consist of a signed declaration made by the candidate declaring their willingness to stand for election, accompanied by the signatures of fifteen Members elected to the House as members of the same party as the candidate. Nominations may (optionally) be accompanied by signatures of up to five Members elected to the House as members of any party other than that to which the candidate belongs, or members of no party.

No Member may sign more than one candidate's nomination paper; if any Member does so, their signature will be invalidated for all nominations. Nominations may (optionally) be accompanied by a supporting statement of no more than 500 words: supporting statements are published online and, in the event of a contested election, in an election day booklet.

If there is more than one candidate, the ballot will take place between 11.00am and 2.30pm on Wednesday 17 May in the Aye division lobby.

As soon as practicable after the votes have been counted the Speaker will announce to the House the results of the ballot.

FURTHER INFORMATION

MEMBERS' GUIDE TO CHAMBER PROCEEDINGS

The [Members' Guide](#) to Chamber proceedings is available on the Parliamentary website

BUSINESS OF THE DAY

Documents and reports relating to the business being held in the Chamber are available on the Commons Business Briefings webpage: www.parliament.uk/business/publications/research/commons-business-briefings/

WRITTEN STATEMENTS

Text of today's Written Statements: <https://questions-statements.parliament.uk/>

SELECT COMMITTEES

Select Committees Webpage: <https://committees.parliament.uk/>

STANDING ORDERS RELATING TO PUBLIC BUSINESS

Text of Standing Orders relating to public business: https://publications.parliament.uk/pa/cm5802/cmstords/so_804_2021/so-804_02122021v2.pdf

CHAMBER ENGAGEMENT

Information about engaging the public with debates is available on the parliamentary website: <https://www.parliament.uk/get-involved/have-your-say-on-laws/chamber-engagement/>.

All business papers are available via the HousePapers app on mobile devices

FUTURE BUSINESS

A. CALENDAR OF BUSINESS

Business in either Chamber may be changed, and further business added, up to the rising of the House on the day before it is to be taken, and is therefore provisional.

Government items of business in this section have nominally been set down for today, but are expected to be taken on the dates stated.

B. REMAINING ORDERS AND NOTICES

Business in this section has not yet been scheduled for a specific date. It has been nominally set down for today but is not expected to be taken today.

A. CALENDAR OF BUSINESS

Business in either Chamber may be changed, and further business added, up to the rising of the House on the day before it is to be taken, and is therefore provisional.

TUESDAY 2 MAY

CHAMBER

QUESTIONS

- 2.30pm [Questions to the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs](#)
- 3.15pm [Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs](#)

Afterwards

NATIONAL MINIMUM WAGE BILL: TEN MINUTE RULE MOTION

Paula Barker

That leave be given to bring in a Bill to make provision about the national minimum wage; and for connected purposes.

Notes:

The Member moving and a Member opposing this Motion may each speak for up to 10 minutes.

HIGHER EDUCATION (FREEDOM OF SPEECH) BILL: CONSIDERATION OF LORDS MESSAGE

Notes:

None of the Lords Amendments in the Message engages Commons financial privilege. Proceedings on the Message must be brought to a conclusion by no later than one hour after their commencement ([Order, 7 February](#)).

BACKBENCH BUSINESS

- **Support for Rohingya Refugees in Bangladesh**

Mohammad Yasin

That this House has considered the matter of support for Rohingya refugees in Bangladesh.

Notes:

The subject for this debate was determined by the Backbench Business Committee.

ADJOURNMENT DEBATE

- **Regeneration of Wythenshawe and Sale town centres: Mike Kane**

WESTMINSTER HALL

■ **9.30am** No debate

■ **11.00am** No debate

Notes:

The sitting will start at 3.30pm. Order of 25 April.

■ **3.30pm** That this House has considered Marine Protected Areas: **Chris Grayling**

■ **5.00pm** That this House has considered vaping among under-18s: **Dr Neil Hudson**

■ **5.30pm** That this House has considered early access to pensions for people with a terminal illness: **Dave Doogan**

Notes:

The debate at 5.30pm will last for up to an hour. The sitting will be suspended and time added if divisions take place in the main Chamber ([Standing Order No. 10\(3\)](#)).

WEDNESDAY 3 MAY

CHAMBER

QUESTIONS

■ **11.30am** Questions to the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology

■ **11.53am** Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology

■ **12 noon** Questions to the Prime Minister

Afterwards

GREATER LONDON AUTHORITY ACT 1999 (AMENDMENT): TEN MINUTE RULE MOTION

Theresa Villiers

That leave be given to bring in a Bill to amend the Greater London Authority Act 1999 to give the Secretary of State power to review and overturn decisions made by the Mayor of London relating to transport and to air quality; and for connected purposes.

Notes:

The Member moving and a Member opposing this Motion may each speak for up to 10 minutes.

NATIONAL SECURITY BILL: CONSIDERATION OF LORDS AMENDMENTS

Notes:

King's and Prince of Wales's consent to be signified. Lords Amendments 33 and 34 engage Commons financial privilege.

LIFELONG LEARNING (HIGHER EDUCATION FEE LIMITS) BILL: REMAINING STAGES

Not amended in Public Bill Committee, to be considered.

Notes:

Proceedings on Consideration shall (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to a conclusion one hour before the moment of interruption on the day on which those proceedings are commenced. Proceedings on Third Reading shall (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to a conclusion at the moment of interruption on that day.

ADJOURNMENT DEBATE

- Government measures to tackle litter: **Theresa Villiers**

WESTMINSTER HALL

- **9.30am** That this House has considered child poverty in the north of England: **Mrs Emma Lewell-Buck**
- **11.00am** That this House has considered environmental land management scheme funding for upland areas: **Tim Farron**

Notes:

The sitting will be suspended from 11.30am to 2.30pm.

- **2.30pm** That this House has considered public bodies and VAT: **George Eustice**
- **4.00pm** That this House has considered extended producer responsibility for packaging: **Dame Nia Griffith**
- **4.30pm** That this House has considered the voluntary scheme for branded medicines and the Life Sciences Vision: **Anne Marie Morris**

Notes:

The debate at 4.30pm will last for up to an hour. The sitting will be suspended and time added if divisions take place in the main Chamber ([Standing Order No. 10\(3\)](#)).

TUESDAY 9 MAY**CHAMBER****QUESTIONS**

- **2.30pm** Questions to the Chancellor of the Exchequer
- **3.15pm** Topical Questions to the Chancellor of the Exchequer

Afterwards

CLADDING REMEDIATION WORKS (CODE OF PRACTICE): TEN MINUTE RULE MOTION

Tom Hunt

That leave be given to bring in a Bill to make provision for a statutory Code of Practice to set standards for cladding remediation works in occupied buildings; and for connected purposes.

Notes:

The Member moving and a Member opposing this Motion may each speak for up to 10 minutes.

WEDNESDAY 10 MAY

CHAMBER

QUESTIONS

- **11.30am** **Questions to the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland**
- **12 noon** **Questions to the Prime Minister**

Afterwards

CLIMATE AND ECOLOGY: TEN MINUTE RULE MOTION

Olivia Blake

That leave be given to bring in a Bill to require the United Kingdom to achieve climate and nature targets; to give the Secretary of State a duty to implement a strategy to achieve those targets; to establish a Climate and Nature Assembly to advise the Secretary of State in creating that strategy; to give duties to the Committee on Climate Change and the Joint Nature Conservation Committee regarding the strategy and targets; and for connected purposes.

Notes:

The Member moving and a Member opposing this Motion may each speak for up to 10 minutes.

THURSDAY 11 MAY

CHAMBER

QUESTIONS

- **9.30am** **Questions to the Minister for the Cabinet Office**
- **10.15am** **Topical Questions to the Minister for the Cabinet Office**

MONDAY 15 MAY**CHAMBER****QUESTIONS**

- 2.30pm Questions to the Secretary of State for Defence
- 3.15pm Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Defence

WESTMINSTER HALL

- 4.30pm That this House has considered e-petitions [585304](#) and [589716](#), relating to food labelling and support for people with allergies: **Nick Fletcher, on behalf of the Petitions Committee**

Notes

The subject for this debate was determined by the Petitions Committee. The sitting will last for up to three hours. The sitting will be suspended and time added if divisions take place in the main Chamber ([Standing Order No. 10\(3\)](#)).

TUESDAY 16 MAY**CHAMBER****QUESTIONS**

- 11.30am Questions to the Secretary of State for Justice
- 12.15pm Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Justice

Afterwards

TEN MINUTE RULE MOTION**Mrs Flick Drummond**

That leave be given to bring in a Bill under SO No. 23 [details to be provided].

Notes:

The Member moving and a Member opposing this Motion may each speak for up to 10 minutes.

WEDNESDAY 17 MAY**CHAMBER****QUESTIONS**

■ 11.30am Questions to the Secretary of State for Scotland

■ 12 noon Questions to the Prime Minister

Afterwards

TEN MINUTE RULE MOTION

Mick Whitley

That leave be given to bring in a Bill under SO No. 23 [details to be provided].

Notes:

The Member moving and a Member opposing this Motion may each speak for up to 10 minutes.

THURSDAY 18 MAY**CHAMBER****QUESTIONS**

■ 9.30am Questions to the Secretary of State for Business and Trade

■ 10.15am Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Business and Trade

MONDAY 22 MAY**CHAMBER****QUESTIONS**

■ 2.30pm Questions to the Secretary of State for the Home Department

■ 3.15pm Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for the Home Department

WESTMINSTER HALL

- **4.30pm** That this House has considered e-petitions [610300](#) and [617425](#), relating to the cost of living and financial support for disabled people: **Marsha De Cordova, on behalf of the Petitions Committee**

Notes:

The subject for this debate was determined by the Petitions Committee. The sitting will last for up to three hours. The sitting will be suspended and time added if divisions take place in the main Chamber ([Standing Order No. 10\(3\)](#)).

TUESDAY 23 MAY

CHAMBER

QUESTIONS

- **11.30am** Questions to the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero
- **12.15pm** Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero

Afterwards

ANIMAL WELFARE (RESPONSIBILITY FOR DOG ATTACKS): TEN MINUTE RULE MOTION

Anna Firth

That leave be given to bring in a Bill to amend the Animal Welfare Act 2006 to ensure that those responsible for a dog act responsibly to ensure that the welfare of other dogs is not compromised.

Notes:

The Member moving and a Member opposing this Motion may each speak for up to 10 minutes.

WEDNESDAY 24 MAY

CHAMBER

QUESTIONS

- **11.30am** Questions to the Secretary of State for Wales
- **12 noon** Questions to the Prime Minister

Afterwards

AVIATION BANNING ORDERS (DISRUPTIVE PASSENGERS) BILL: TEN MINUTE RULE MOTION

Gareth Johnson

That leave be given to bring in a Bill to make provision for court orders to prohibit disruptive passengers from flying, and for connected purposes.

Notes:

The Member moving and a Member opposing this Motion may each speak for up to 10 minutes.

THURSDAY 25 MAY

CHAMBER

QUESTIONS

- 9.30am Questions to the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs
- 10.00am Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs
- 10.10am Questions to the Attorney General

B. REMAINING ORDERS AND NOTICES

Business in this section has not yet been scheduled for a specific date. It has therefore been set down formally to be taken in the Chamber today but is not expected to be taken today.

1. EXITING THE EUROPEAN UNION (CUSTOMS)

Secretary Thérèse Coffey

That the draft [International Waste Shipments \(Amendment\) \(EU Exit\) Regulations 2021](#), which were laid before this House on 17 December 2020 in a previous Session of Parliament, be approved.

2. BILL OF RIGHTS BILL: SECOND READING

Caroline Lucas

This House declines to give a Second Reading to the Bill of Rights Bill, because the Bill attacks the freedoms and liberties protected by the Human Rights Act in an ideologically motivated way, is of supreme constitutional significance and will impact on the rights of individuals for many years to come but has not undergone pre-legislative scrutiny in line with the recommendations of the chairs of relevant cross-party committees, ignores the results of two consultations into the Act, vastly exceeds the manifesto commitment to update the Act, does not come with publication of relevant and robust impact assessments, ignores the fundamental principle that human rights are not earned or contingent on a person's conduct or character but are attached to a person by virtue of their humanity, undermines migrants' rights at a time of unprecedented international turmoil, threatens the Good Friday Agreement, risks severing the ties between domestic rights and Strasbourg jurisprudence leading to a divergence in rights protection leaving the UK out of step with other members of the Council of Europe at a time of war in Europe, fails to improve citizens' rights to a clean, healthy and sustainable environment, to access nature and to live in a safe climate, fails to improve the rights of children, disabled people and future generations, undermines efforts to tackle violence against women and girls, and distorts and undermines this country's democracy by increasing the power of the executive over citizens by removing and weakening rights instead of enshrining and improving them.

Relevant Documents:

Ninth Report of the Joint Committee on Human Rights, Legislative Scrutiny: Bill of Rights Bill, [HC 611](#), and the Government response, [CP 819](#)

Oral evidence taken before the Justice Committee on 5 July 2022, on Bill of Rights Bill, [HC 562](#)

Written evidence to the Justice Committee, on the Bill of Rights and victims of John Worboys, reported to the House on 28 July 2022, [HC 304](#)

e-petition [607712](#), Do not reform the Human Rights Act

e-petition [619334](#), Include abortion rights in the Bill of Rights

3. **ANIMAL WELFARE (KEPT ANIMALS) BILL: REMAINING STAGES**

To be considered ([Order of 25 October 2021](#)).

Notes:

For amendments, see separate paper (also available on the [documents webpage](#) for the Bill).

King's consent to be signified on Third Reading.

Proceedings on Consideration shall (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to a conclusion one hour before the moment of interruption on the day on which those proceedings are commenced.

Proceedings on Third Reading shall (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to a conclusion at the moment of interruption on that day. ([Order of 25 October 2021](#)).

The Scottish Parliament has approved a Legislative Consent Resolution relating to this Bill. Copies of the Resolution are available in the Vote Office (also available on the [documents webpage](#) for the Bill)

4. **TRANSPORT STRIKES (MINIMUM SERVICE LEVELS) BILL: SECOND READING**

5. **TRANSPORT STRIKES (MINIMUM SERVICE LEVELS) BILL: MONEY**

Victoria Atkins

That, for the purposes of any Act resulting from the Transport Strikes (Minimum Service Levels) Bill, it is expedient to authorise the payment out of money provided by Parliament of—

- (1) any expenditure incurred under or by virtue of the Act by the Secretary of State;
- (2) any increase attributable to the Act in the sums payable under any other Act out of money so provided.

6. **PROCUREMENT BILL [LORDS]: REMAINING STAGES**

As amended in Public Bill Committee, to be considered.

Notes:

Proceedings on Consideration will (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to a conclusion one hour before the moment of interruption on the day on which those proceedings are commenced; and proceedings on Third Reading will (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to a conclusion at the moment of interruption on that day.

The Scottish Parliament has approved a Legislative Consent Resolution relating to this Bill.

Senedd Cymru has approved a Legislative Consent Resolution in respect of some of the provisions in the Bill, and did not approve a Legislative Consent Resolution relating to other provisions of the Bill.

Copies of the Resolution are available in the Vote Office (also available on the [documents webpage](#) for the Bill).

7. **HOLOCAUST MEMORIAL BILL: SECOND READING**

Notes:

To be reported upon by the Examiners.

8. HOLOCAUST MEMORIAL BILL: MONEY

Victoria Atkins

That, for the purposes of any Act resulting from the Holocaust Memorial Bill, it is expedient to authorise the payment out of money provided by Parliament of any expenditure incurred under or by virtue of the Act by the Secretary of State.

Notes:

King's Recommendation signified.

9. [ELECTRONIC TRADE DOCUMENTS BILL \[LORDS\]](#): SECOND READING

Notes:

To be reported from a Second Reading Committee.

10. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

Secretary Thérèse Coffey

That the draft [Environmental Permitting \(England and Wales\) \(Amendment\) \(England\) Regulations 2023](#), which were laid before this House on 23 March, be approved.

11. FINANCIAL SERVICES AND MARKETS

Andrew Griffith

That the draft [Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 \(Financial Promotion\) \(Amendment\) Order 2023](#), which was laid before this House on 23 March, be approved.

12. [VICTIMS AND PRISONERS BILL](#): SECOND READING

13. VICTIMS AND PRISONERS BILL: MONEY

Victoria Atkins

That, for the purposes of any Act resulting from the Victims and Prisoners Bill, it is expedient to authorise the payment out of money provided by Parliament of:

- (a) any expenditure incurred under or by virtue of the Act by the Secretary of State, and
- (b) any increase attributable to the Act in the sums payable under any other Act out of money so provided.

Notes:

King's Recommendation signified.

14. FINANCIAL SERVICES AND MARKETS

Andrew Griffith

That the draft [Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 \(Commodity Derivatives and Emission Allowances\) Order 2023](#), which was laid before this House on 29 March, be approved.

Notes:

The Instrument has not yet been considered by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments.

15. ARMORIAL BEARINGS, ENSIGNS AND FLAGS

Secretary Chris Heaton-Harris

That the draft [Flags \(Northern Ireland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2023](#), which were laid before this House on 29 March, be approved.

Notes:

The Instrument has not yet been considered by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments.

16. HOUSING

Felicity Buchan

That the draft [Houses in Multiple Occupation \(Asylum-Seeker Accommodation\) \(England\) Regulations 2023](#), which were laid before this House on 30 March, be approved.

Notes:

The Instrument has not yet been considered by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments.

17. PUBLIC PASSENGER TRANSPORT

Secretary Mark Harper

That the draft [Public Service Vehicles \(Accessible Information\) Regulations 2023](#), which were laid before this House on 30 March, be approved.

Notes:

The Instrument has not yet been considered by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments.

18. ENERGY

Secretary Grant Shapps

That the [Non-Domestic Alternative Fuel Payment Application Scheme Pass-through Requirement Regulations 2023 \(S.I., 2023, No. 428\)](#), dated 14 April 2023, a copy of which was laid before this House on 17 April, be approved.

Notes:

The Instrument has not yet been considered by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments.

19. ELECTRONIC INFORMATION

Secretary Suella Braverman

That the draft [Police, Crime, Sentencing and Courts Act 2022 \(Extraction of Information from Electronic Devices\) \(Amendment of Schedule 3\) Regulations 2023](#), which were laid before this House on 17 April, be approved.

Notes:

The Instrument has not yet been considered by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments.

20. INSIDER DEALING

Andrew Griffith

That the draft [Insider Dealing \(Securities and Regulated Markets\) Order 2023](#), which was laid before this House on 17 April, be approved.

Notes:

The Instrument has not yet been considered by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments.

21. ANIMALS

Secretary Thérèse Coffey

That the draft [Animal By-Products, Pet Passport and Animal Health \(Fees\) \(England\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2023](#), which were laid before this House on 18 April, be approved.

Notes:

The Instrument has not yet been considered by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments.

22. INTERNATIONAL IMMUNITIES AND PRIVILEGES

David Rutley

That the draft [International Criminal Police Organisation \(Immunities and Privileges\) Order 2023](#), which was laid before this House on 20 April, be approved.

Notes:

The Instrument has not yet been considered by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments.

23. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

Secretary Thérèse Coffey

That the draft [Packaging Waste \(Data Reporting\) \(England\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2023](#), which were laid before this House on 20 April, be approved.

Notes:

The Instrument has not yet been considered by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments.

24. CONSUMER PROTECTION

Secretary Thérèse Coffey

That the draft [REACH \(Amendment\) Regulations 2023](#), which were laid before this House on 20 April, be approved.

Notes:

The Instrument has not yet been considered by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments.

25. SANCTIONS

Mr Andrew Mitchell

That the [Russia \(Sanctions\) \(EU Exit\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2023 \(S.I., 2023, No. 440\)](#), dated 18 April, a copy of which was laid before this House on 20 April, be approved.

Notes:

The Instrument has not yet been considered by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments.

26. CRIMINAL LAW

Secretary Chris Heaton-Harris

That the draft [Justice and Security \(Northern Ireland\) Act 2007 \(Extension of Duration of Non-jury Trial Provisions\) Order 2023](#), which was laid before this House on 24 April, be approved.

Notes:

The Instrument has not yet been considered by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments.

27. HIGHWAYS

Secretary Mark Harper

That the draft [Highways Company \(Name Change and Consequential Amendments\) Regulations 2023](#), which were laid before this House on 24 April, be approved.

Notes:

The Instrument has not yet been considered by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments.

28. REHABILITATION OF OFFENDERS

Secretary Alex Chalk

That the draft [Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 \(Exceptions\) \(Amendment\) \(England and Wales\) Order 2023](#), which was laid before this House on 24 April, be approved.

Notes:

The Instrument has not yet been considered by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments.

29. [DIGITAL MARKETS, COMPETITION AND CONSUMERS BILL](#): SECOND READING

30. [ENERGY BILL \[LORDS\]](#): SECOND READING

31. BUILDING AND BUILDINGS

Lee Rowley

That the draft [Building Safety \(Responsible Actors Scheme and Prohibitions\) Regulations 2023](#), which were laid before this House on 25 April, be approved.

Notes:

The Instrument has not yet been considered by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments

32. ENERGY

Secretary Grant Shapps

That the [Energy Bills Discount Scheme \(Northern Ireland\) Regulations 2023 \(S.I., 2023, No. 454\)](#), dated 24 April 2023, a copy of which was laid before this House on 25 April, be approved.

Notes:

The Instrument has not yet been considered by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments.

33. ENERGY

Secretary Grant Shapps

That the [Energy Bills Discount Scheme Pass-Through Requirement Regulations 2023 \(S.I., 2023, No. 463\)](#), dated 24 April 2023, a copy of which was laid before this House on 25 April, be approved..

Notes:

The Instrument has not yet been considered by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments.

34. ENERGY

Secretary Grant Shapps

That the [Energy Bills Discount Scheme Regulations 2023 \(S.I., 2023, No. 453\)](#), dated 24 April 2023, a copy of which was laid before this House on 25 April, be approved.

Notes:

The Instrument has not yet been considered by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments.

35. ENERGY

Secretary Grant Shapps

That the [Energy Bills Discount Scheme \(Non-Standard Cases\) Regulations 2023 \(S.I., 2023, No. 464\)](#), dated 24 April 2023, a copy of which was laid before this House on 25 April, be approved.

Notes:

The Instrument has not yet been considered by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments.

36. ENERGY

Secretary Grant Shapps

That the [Energy Bills Discount Scheme Pass-through Requirement \(Heat Suppliers\) Regulations 2023 \(S.I., 2023, No. 455\)](#), dated 24 April 2023, a copy of which was laid before this House on 25 April, be approved.

Notes:

The Instrument has not yet been considered by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments.

37. COMPANIES

Secretary Kemi Badenoch

That the draft [Register of Overseas Entities \(Penalties and Northern Ireland Dispositions\) Regulations 2023](#), which were laid before this House on 26 April, be approved.

Notes:

The Instrument has not yet been considered by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments.

38. ROAD TRAFFIC

Secretary Mark Harper

That the draft [Road Vehicles \(Authorised Weight\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2023](#), which were laid before this House on 26 April, be approved.

Notes:

The Instrument has not yet been considered by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments.