

Thursday 11 May 2023 Order Paper No.157: Part 1

SUMMARY AGENDA: CHAMBER

9.30am Prayers

Afterwards | Oral Questions: Cabinet Office

10.30am Urgent Question:

Retained EU Law (Revocation and Reform) Bill (Secretary of

State for Business and Trade)

Afterwards | Business Question

Ministerial Statements, including on:

Ukraine Update (Secretary of State for Defence)

Rail Services Update (Secretary of State for Transport)

Until 5.00pm | Backbench Business

■ Motion: Future of Overseas Territories

General Debate: No recourse to public funds

Until 5.30pm or for half an hour

Adjournment Debate: Economic aid to Sri Lanka (Dr Matthew

Offord)

WESTMINSTER HALL

1.30pm | Allergy Awareness Week

3.00pm High street bank closures and banking hubs

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Notes:

Item marked [R] indicates that a member has declared a relevant interest.

BUSINESS TODAY: CHAMBER

9.30am Prayers

Followed by

QUESTIONS

Oral Questions to the Minister for the Cabinet Office

1 Dr Jamie Wallis (Bridgend)

What steps his Department is taking to strengthen cyber security. (904849)

2 Munira Wilson (Twickenham)

Whether he has held recent discussions with the Prime Minister on the observance of the Ministerial Code as it relates to the Civil Service. (904850)

3 Mary Glindon (North Tyneside)

What recent assessment he has made of the effectiveness of the use of external consultants by the Civil Service. (904851)

4 Marco Longhi (Dudley North)

What progress his Department has made on strengthening national resilience. (904852)

5 Justin Madders (Ellesmere Port and Neston)

How many people his Department has identified as unsuitable for speaking at Government events based on their social media history. (904855)

6 Dr Luke Evans (Bosworth)

What assessment he has made of the effectiveness of the national emergency test on 23 April 2023. (904856)

7 Andrew Selous (South West Bedfordshire)

What progress his Department has made on strengthening national resilience. (904857)

8 Gavin Newlands (Paisley and Renfrewshire North)

Whether he has had recent discussions with Cabinet colleagues on the impact of the publication of the resignation honours lists of the Rt hon. Member for South West Norfolk and the Rt hon. Member for Uxbridge and South Ruislip on public trust in (a) politicians and (b) political institutions. (904858)

9 Michael Fabricant (Lichfield)

What steps his Department is taking to protect Civil Service impartiality; and if he will make a statement. (904859)

10 Elliot Colburn (Carshalton and Wallington)

What steps his Department is taking to ensure that the Civil Service Code and Complaints Procedure are effective. (904860)

11 Mr Alistair Carmichael (Orkney and Shetland)

What recent discussions he has had with the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology on the potential merits of designating UK genomics databases as critical national infrastructure. (904861)

12 Karin Smyth (Bristol South)

What steps the Government is taking to support small and medium-sized enterprises bidding for public contracts. (904862)

13 Bob Blackman (Harrow East)

What steps his Department is taking to support public services during industrial action. (904864)

14 Simon Jupp (East Devon)

What steps his Department is taking to support public services during industrial action. (904866)

15 Ian Levy (Blyth Valley)

What steps he is taking with Cabinet colleagues to ensure value for money in public procurement spending. (904868)

16 Selaine Saxby (North Devon)

What steps his Department is taking to support public services during industrial action. (904870)

17 Duncan Baker (North Norfolk)

What steps his Department is taking to help ensure impartiality and neutrality are maintained in relevant areas of public life. (904871)

18 Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi (Slough)

What steps he is taking to ensure transparency in Government decision-making. (904872)

19 Kerry McCarthy (Bristol East)

What assessment he has made of the role of public procurement policy in helping the Government meet its net zero targets. (904873)

At 10.15am

Topical Questions to the Minister for the Cabinet Office

T1 Marco Longhi (Dudley North)

If he will make a statement on his departmental responsibilities. (904875)

- T2 John Spellar (Warley) (904876)
- T3 Rosie Duffield (Canterbury) (904878)
- **T4** Munira Wilson (Twickenham) (904879)
- T5 David Duguid (Banff and Buchan) (904880)
- T6 Dame Diana Johnson (Kingston upon Hull North) (904881)
- T7 Martin Vickers (Cleethorpes) (904883)

URGENT QUESTIONS AND STATEMENTS

10.30am

Urgent Question:

- To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade if she will make a statement on the Retained EU Law (Revocation and Reform) Bill (Sir William Cash)
- Business Question to the Leader of the House

Ministerial Statements, including on:

- Ukraine Update (Secretary of State for Defence)
- Rail Services Update (Secretary of State for Transport)

BUSINESS OF THE DAY

1. BACKBENCH BUSINESS

Until 5.00pm (Standing Order No. 9(3))

Future of Overseas Territories

Alicia Kearns

That this House is committed to upholding the interests of British Overseas Territories and their citizens; recognises the special historical, cultural, and social bonds that bind the United Kingdom and Overseas Territories; and calls upon the Government to ensure that British Overseas Territories citizens' rights as British citizens are upheld, to defend the sovereignty and borders of Overseas Territories from foreign powers, and to consider the unique circumstances of each Territory when formulating policies which affect them.

Relevant Documents:

Oral evidence taken before the European Scrutiny Committee on 24 November 2021, on Negotiations with the European Union in respect of Gibraltar, HC 703

Oral evidence taken before the European Scrutiny Committee on 19 October 2022, on The UK's EU representation: what has changed and how is it working?, HC 123

No recourse to public funds

Sir Stephen Timms

That this House has considered the matter of no recourse to public funds.

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))

■ Economic aid to Sri Lanka: Dr Matthew Offord

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 Allergy Awareness Week: Jon Cruddas

Relevant Documents:

e-petition 589716, Appoint an Allergy Tsar as a champion for people living with allergies e-petition 585304, 'Owen's Law' - Change the law around allergy labelling in UK restaurants

3.00pm

■ That this House has considered the matter of high street bank closures and banking hubs: Wendy Morton

Notes:

The subjects for these debates were determined by the Backbench Business Committee. The sitting will be suspended and time added if divisions take place in the main Chamber (Standing Order No. 10(3)).

WRITTEN STATEMENTS

STATEMENTS TO BE MADE TODAY

Secretary of State for Business and Trade

1. India Trade Negotiations: Update

Secretary of State for Northern Ireland

2. Update on implementation of the Independent Commission for Reconciliation and Information Recovery (ICRIR)

Secretary of State for Work and Pensions

3. Fraud and Error National Statistics

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: Local authority administered COVID grant schemes

Witnesses: 9.30am: Gareth Davies CB, Permanent Secretary, David Bickerton, Director General, Business Sectors, and Anastasia Osbourne, Director, Business Grants and Investment Directorate, Department for Business and Trade; Phil Duffy, Director General for Productivity and Growth, HM Treasury

The Grimond Room, Portcullis House 9.00am (private), 9.30am (public)

DELEGATED LEGISLATION COMMITTEES

■ Fourth Delegated Legislation Committee

To consider the draft Public Service Vehicles (Accessible Information) Regulations 2023

Room 9

11.30am (public)

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 16 to Monday 22 May (Ballot Closed)

The ballot for Tuesday 16 to Monday 22 May is closed and will take place today.

- Tuesday 23 to Thursday 25 May (deadline Wednesday 17 May 7.00pm or the rise of the House, whichever is earlier)
- Monday 5 to Monday 12 June (deadline Wednesday 24 May 7.00pm or the rise of the House, whichever is earlier)
- Tuesday 13 to Monday 19 June (deadline Wednesday 7 June 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 23 and Wednesday 24 May (deadline Monday 15 May 10.00pm or the rise of the House, whichever is earlier)

The following Departments will answer:

Business and Trade; Defence; Health and Social Care; Justice; Levelling Up, Housing and Communities; Northern Ireland; Scotland; Transport; Treasury; Women and Equalities

Tuesday 6 and Wednesday 7 June (deadline Monday 22 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; Education; Energy Security and Net Zero; Environment, Food and Rural Affairs; Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office; Home Office; Science, Innovation and Technology; Wales; Work and Pensions

Tuesday 13 and Wednesday 14 June (deadline Monday 5 June 10.00pm or the rise of the House, whichever is earlier)

The following Departments will answer:

Business and Trade; Defence; Health and Social Care; Justice; Levelling Up, Housing and Communities; Northern Ireland; Scotland; Transport; Treasury; Women and Equalities

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 an election day booklet.

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.

Members nominated for election as Chair of the Culture, Media and Sport Committee

Up to and including Wednesday 10 May

New nominations are marked thus *

Candidate: Damian Collins

Nominated by (own party): Priti Patel, Sir Jeremy Wright, Dame Maria Miller, Sir Gary Streeter, Andrea Leadsom, Craig Whittaker, Anthony Mangnall, Gary Sambrook, Dean Russell, Nicola Richards, Nickie Aiken, Robbie Moore, Gordon Henderson, Siobhan Baillie, David Morris

Nominated by (other parties or no party): Dame Margaret Hodge, Mr Clive Betts, Mrs Sharon Hodgson, John Nicolson

Interests declared: I hold the following unpaid positions: Board member of the Center for Countering Digital Hate; Trustee, The Sports Trust, Folkestone; Trustee, The Folkestone Youth Project. In addition to these I have a contract from the publisher Bloomsbury to write a biography of the former Prime Minister David Lloyd George, to be published in 2024.

Candidate: Dame Caroline Dinenage

Nominated by (own party): Iain Stewart, Mark Jenkinson, Alicia Kearns, Andrew Percy, Nigel Adams, Ms Nadine Dorries, Greg Clark, Simon Fell, Alec Shelbrooke, Caroline Ansell, Harriett Baldwin, Tobias Ellwood, Mrs Sheryll Murray, Vicky Ford, Fiona Bruce

Nominated by (other parties or no party): Ms Anum Qaisar, Alison McGovern, Kim Leadbeater, Sarah Green, Carolyn Harris

Interests declared: none



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

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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.

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

VICTIMS AND PRISONERS BILL: SECOND READING

Relevant Documents:

Second Report of the Justice Committee, Pre-legislative scrutiny of the draft Victims Bill, HC 304, and the Government response, HC 932

Oral evidence taken before the Justice Committee on 9 May 2023, on Victims and Prisoners Bill, HC 1340 Written evidence to the Justice Committee, on Victims and Prisoners Bill, reported to the House on 9 May 2023, HC 1340

VICTIMS AND PRISONERS BILL: PROGRAMME MOTION

Secretary Alex Chalk

That the following provisions shall apply to the Victims and Prisoners Bill:

Committal

(1) The Bill shall be committed to a Public Bill Committee.

Proceedings in Public Bill Committee

- (2) Proceedings in the Public Bill Committee shall (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to a conclusion on Thursday 13 July 2023.
- (3) The Public Bill Committee shall have leave to sit twice on the first day on which it meets.

Consideration and Third Reading

- (4) 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.
- (5) Proceedings on Third Reading shall (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to a conclusion at the moment of interruption on that day.

(6) Standing Order No. 83B (Programming committees) shall not apply to proceedings on Consideration and Third Reading.

Other proceedings

(7) Any other proceedings on the Bill may be programmed.

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.

VICTIMS AND PRISONERS: CARRY OVER

Secretary Alex Chalk

That if, at the conclusion of this Session of Parliament, proceedings on the Victims and Prisoners Bill have not been completed, they shall be resumed in the next Session.

ADJOURNMENT DEBATE

■ Health inequalities in north west London: **Dr Rupa Huq**

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

CHILDREN NOT IN SCHOOL (REGISTER): TEN MINUTE RULE MOTION

Mrs Flick Drummond

That leave be given to bring in a Bill to place a duty on local authorities to maintain a register of children who are not in school; and for connected purposes.

Notes:

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

PRESENTATION OF PUBLIC PETITIONS

■ Traffic calming measures in Westwood Hill: **Dr Lisa Cameron**

WESTMINSTER HALL

9.30am That this House has considered the cost of living for people with disabilities: Marion Fellows

Notes:

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

■ 11.00am That this House has considered the adequacy of investigations into

abuse and sexual assaults in the NHS: Daisy Cooper

Notes:

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

■ 2.30pm That this House has considered dental services in the East of England:

Mr Richard Bacon

■ 4.00pm That this House has considered farmers, supermarkets and food supply

chains: Gordon Henderson

■ 4.30pm That this House has considered levels of corporate profit and inflation:

Richard Burgon

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)).

WEDNESDAY 17 MAY

CHAMBER

QUESTIONS

■ 11.30am Questions to the Secretary of State for Scotland

■ 12 noon Questions to the Prime Minister

Afterwards

ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE (REGULATION AND WORKERS' RIGHTS): TEN MINUTE RULE MOTION

Mick Whitley

That leave be given to bring in a Bill to regulate the use of artificial intelligence technologies in the workplace; to make provision about workers' and trade union rights in relation to the use of artificial intelligence technologies; and for connected purposes.

Notes

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

WESTMINSTER HALL

9.30am	That this House has considered public bodies and VAT: George Eustice

■ 11.00am That this House has considered the future of stoma care: Giles Watling

Notes

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

■ 2.30pm That this House has considered the potential merits of a national eye

health strategy: Marsha De Cordova

■ 4.00pm That this House has considered food price inflation and food banks:

Beth Winter

■ 4.30pm That this House has considered alternatives to council tax and stamp

duty: Simon Fell

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)).

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 reponsible 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): 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

MONDAY 5 JUNE

WESTMINSTER HALL

4.30pm That this House has considered e-petition 622847, relating to a statutory duty of care for higher education students: 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 6 JUNE

CHAMBER

TEN MINUTE RULE MOTION

Dan Carden

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 7 JUNE

CHAMBER

TEN MINUTE RULE MOTION

Mark Pawsey

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.

MONDAY 12 JUNE

WESTMINSTER HALL

■ 4.30pm That this House has considered e-petitions 623243 and 627984, relating to the definition of "sex" in the Equality Act 2010: Tonia Antoniazzi, 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)).

THURSDAY 15 JUNE

WESTMINSTER HALL

■ 1.30pm That this House has considered Fifth Report of the Scottish Affairs Committee, Public broadcasting in Scotland, HC 1048, and the Government response, HC 1305: Pete Wishart

Notes:

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

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. 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.

11. 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.

12. 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.

13. 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.

14. 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.

15. 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.

16. CONSUMER PROTECTION

Secretary Thérèse Coffey

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

17. 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.

18. 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.

19. 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.

20. 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.

21. NON-DOMESTIC RATING BILL: COMMITTEE

22. DIGITAL MARKETS, COMPETITION AND CONSUMERS BILL: SECOND READING

Notes

King's consent to be signified on Third Reading.

23. DIGITAL MARKETS, COMPETITON AND CONSUMERS BILL: MONEY

Victoria Atkins

That, for the purposes of any Act resulting from the Digital Markets, Competition and Consumers 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 or the Competition and Markets Authority; and
- (2) any increase attributable to the Act in the sums payable under or by virtue of any other Act out of money provided by Parliament.

Notes:

King's Recommendation signified.

24. DIGITAL MARKETS, COMPETITON AND CONSUMERS BILL: WAYS AND MEANS

Victoria Atkins

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

- (1) the charging of a levy by the Competition and Markets Authority in connection with the regulation of competition in digital markets; and
- (2) the payment of sums into the Consolidated Fund.

25. 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

26. 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.

27. 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..

28. 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.

29. 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.