



# House of Commons

Thursday 8 June 2023

## Votes and Proceedings

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The House met at 9.30 am.

Prayers

**1 Questions to the Secretary of State for Transport**

**2 Business Question (Leader of the House)**

**3 Backbench Business**

(1) National Carers Week and respite for carers.

*Resolved*, That this House has considered National Carers Week and respite for carers—  
(*Dame Caroline Dinenage*.)

(2) Work of the Council of Europe

*Resolved*, That this House has considered the work of the Council of Europe.—(*John Howell*.)

**4 Public petitions**

A public petition from residents of the constituency of Putney relating to East Putney station was presented and read by Fleur Anderson.

**5 Adjournment**

Subject: Government support for deep geothermal energy (Dr Kieran Mullan)

*Resolved*, That this House do now adjourn.—(*Mike Wood*.)

Adjourned at 3.41 pm until Monday 12 June.

## Other Proceedings

### *Changes to Notices Given*

**6 Animal Welfare (Kept Animals) Bill**

Bill laid aside (Standing Order No. 80A(13) and Order, 25 April 2022).

Order for consideration discharged.

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*General Committees: Reports***7 Energy Bill [Lords] Committee**

Caroline Nokes (Chair) reported written evidence submitted to the Committee.  
Written evidence to be published.

*General Committees: Appointments*

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

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

**8 Electronic Trade Documents Bill [Lords] Second Reading Committee**

Chairs: Dame Angela Eagle and Mark Pritchard  
Members: Kate Osborne discharged and Kim Leadbeater nominated in substitution.

**9 Digital Markets, Competition and Consumers Bill Committee**

Chairs: Rushanara Ali, Mr Philip Hollobone and Dame Maria Miller  
Members: Alan Brown discharged and Richard Thomson nominated in substitution.

**10 First Delegated Legislation Committee (draft Judicial Appointments (Amendment) Order 2023)**

Chair: Steve McCabe  
Members: Anthony Browne discharged and David Simmonds nominated in substitution.

**11 Second Delegated Legislation Committee (draft Building Safety Act 2022 (Consequential Amendments etc.) Regulations 2023)**

Chair: Sir Robert Syms  
Members: Brandon Lewis discharged and Jonathan Gullis nominated in substitution.

**12 Third Delegated Legislation Committee (Diocesan Stipends Funds (Amendment) Measure (HC 1413))**

Chair: Dr Rupa Huq

**13 Fourth Delegated Legislation Committee (Draft Judicial Pensions (Remediable Service etc.) Regulations 2023)**

Chair: Sir Edward Leigh  
Members: Dr Matthew Offord discharged and John Stevenson nominated in substitution.

*Select Committees: Reports***14 Backbench Business Committee**

Determination of business to be taken on Thursday 15 June in the Chamber and Tuesday 20 June and Thursday 22 June, in Westminster Hall (Ian Mearns).

**15 Public Accounts (Committee of)**

(1) *Energy bills support*: Fifty-eighth Report, to be printed, with the formal minutes relating to the Report (HC 1074);

(2) *Improving resettlement support for prison leavers*: Oral and written evidence, to be published (HC 1329)

(Dame Meg Hillier).

**16 Standards (Committee on)**

*Jess Phillips*:

(i) Eleventh Report, with an Appendix, to be printed, with the formal minutes relating to the Report (HC 1439);

(ii) Written evidence, to be published (HC 1439)

(Sir Chris Bryant).

*Lindsay Hoyle*

Speaker

## Westminster Hall

The sitting began at 1.30 pm.

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

**1 Preventing obesity and fatty liver disease**

*Resolved*, That this House has considered the matter of preventing obesity and fatty liver disease.—(*Wayne David*.)

*The sitting was suspended between 2.45 pm and 3.00 pm.*

**2 World Ocean Day**

*Resolved*, That this House has considered World Ocean Day.—(*Sally-Ann Hart*.)

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

Adjourned at 4.09 pm until Monday 12 June.

*Eleanor Laing*

Chairman of Ways and Means

## Papers Laid

### Papers subject to Affirmative Resolution

#### 1 Pensions

Draft Pensions Dashboards (Amendment) Regulations 2023 (by Act), with an Explanatory Memorandum and an Impact Assessment (by Command) (Laura Trott)

#### 2 Sanctions

The Republic of Belarus (Sanctions) (EU Exit) (Amendment) Regulations 2023 (SI, 2023, No. 616), dated 6 June 2023 (by Act), with an Explanatory Memorandum and an Impact Assessment (by Command) (David Rutley)

### Papers subject to Negative Resolution

#### 3 Local Government

(1) Draft Cheltenham (Electoral Changes) Order 2023 (by Act), with an Explanatory Memorandum (by Command) (The Speaker)

(2) Draft Epping Forest (Electoral Changes) Order 2023 (by Act), with an Explanatory Memorandum (by Command) (The Speaker)

#### 4 Public Procurement

Common Procurement Vocabulary (Amendment) Regulations 2023 (SI, 2023, No. 601), dated 5 June 2023 (by Statutory Instrument), with an Explanatory Memorandum (by Command) (Alex Burghart)

### Other papers

#### 5 Government Resources and Accounts

Report and Accounts of HM Procurator General and Treasury Solicitor for 2022–23, with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General (by Act), to be printed (HC 1320) (Victoria Atkins)

#### 6 Hallmarking

Report and Accounts of the British Hallmarking Council for 2022, with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General (by Act), to be printed (HC 1351) (Secretary Kemi Badenoch)

#### 7 Local Democracy, Economic Development and Construction

Report and Accounts of the Local Government Boundary Commission for England for 2022–23, with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General (by Act), to be printed (HC 1368) (The Speaker)

#### 8 Marine and Aviation Insurance (War Risks)

Account of Marine and Aviation Insurance (War Risks) Fund for 2021–22, with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General (by Act), to be printed (HC 1495) (Clerk of the House)

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**9 Museums and Galleries**

Report and Accounts of the Wallace Collection for 2021–22, with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General (by Act), to be printed (HC 1138) (Sir John Whittingdale)

**10 National Audit**

Report by the Comptroller and Auditor General on HM Revenue & Customs: Progress with Making Tax Digital (by Act), to be printed (HC 1319) (Clerk of the House)

**11 Police**

State of Policing: Annual Assessment of Policing in England and Wales 2022 by His Majesty's Chief Inspector of Constabulary (by Act) (Clerk of the House)

**12 Political Parties, Elections and Referendums**

Report on the Government's response to the consultation on the draft Strategy and Policy Statement for the Electoral Commission (by Act) (Dehenna Davison)

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**CORRECTION**

Wednesday 7 June 2023

The following item should have appeared after item 25 (Select Committees: Reports):

**Home Affairs Committee**

(1) *Human trafficking*: Oral and written evidence, to be published (HC 1142);

(2) *Correspondence from the Home Secretary relating to channel crossings*: Written evidence, to be published;

(3) *Correspondence from the Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State relating to the Passport Office and the British Nationality (Regularisation of Past Practice) Bill*: Written evidence, to be published

(Dame Diana Johnson).