
Tuesday 20 February 2024 Order Paper No.49: Part 1

SUMMARY AGENDA: CHAMBER

11.30am	Prayers
Afterwards	Oral Questions: Justice
12.30pm	Urgent Questions, Ministerial Statements (if any)
Up to 20 minutes	Ten Minute Rule Motion: Broadcasting (listed sporting events) (Scotland) (Kenny MacAskill)
Up to four hours	Offshore Petroleum Licensing Bill: Committee and Remaining Stages
No debate	Statutory Instruments (Motions for approval)
No debate after	Motion to change the membership of a Select Committee: Justice
7.00pm	
Until	Adjournment Debate: Government support for walking and cycling (Trudy Harrison)
7.30pm or for half an hour	

WESTMINSTER HALL

9.30am	Potential merits of a register of not-in-school children
11.00am	Human rights in Balochistan, Pakistan
2.30pm	Tackling off-road biking
4.00pm	Robbery and theft in Carshalton and Wallington constituency
4.30pm	Government support for young drivers

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

BUSINESS TODAY: CHAMBER

11.30am Prayers

Followed by

QUESTIONS

■ **Oral Questions to the Secretary of State for Justice**

1 Rachael Maskell (York Central)

What steps he is taking to ensure that people leaving prison are provided with support to help prevent reoffending. (901575)

2 Nigel Mills (Amber Valley)

What steps he is taking to increase sentences for dangerous offenders. (901576)

3 Richard Burgon (Leeds East)

With reference to his oral statement of 6 December 2023 on Hillsborough: Bishop James Jones Report, Official Report, column 341, if he will bring forward legislative proposals to introduce a legal duty of candour on public bodies. (901577)

4 Marco Longhi (Dudley North)

What steps he is taking to exonerate sub-postmasters who were prosecuted due to errors in the Post Office Horizon system. (901578)

5 Alistair Strathern (Mid Bedfordshire)

What assessment he has made of the effectiveness of the rapid deployment community payback pilots. (901579)

6 Ms Marie Rimmer (St Helens South and Whiston)

What assessment he has made of the potential impact of the length of time that prisoners spend in their cells on reoffending rates. (901581)

7 Gavin Newlands (Paisley and Renfrewshire North)

What steps he is taking with Cabinet colleagues to exonerate sub-postmasters who were convicted due to errors in the Post Office Horizon system. (901583)

8 Nick Smith (Blaenau Gwent)

What progress his Department has made on

reducing the backlog of cases in the Crown court. (901584)

9 Caroline Ansell (Eastbourne)

What steps his Department is taking through the criminal justice system to support victims of crime. (901585)

10 Kirsten Oswald (East Renfrewshire)

What steps he is taking with Cabinet colleagues to exonerate sub-postmasters who were convicted due to errors in the Post Office Horizon system. (901586)

11 Kim Johnson (Liverpool, Riverside)

If he will make an estimate of the cost to the public purse of judicial processes under joint enterprise relating to violent crimes in each year since 2014. (901587)

12 Fleur Anderson (Putney)

What assessment he has made of the potential impact of the length of time that prisoners spend in their cells on reoffending rates. (901588)

13 Ms Anum Qaisar (Airdrie and Shotts)

What steps he is taking with Cabinet

colleagues to exonerate sub-postmasters who were convicted due to errors in the Post Office Horizon system. (901589)

14 Zarah Sultana (Coventry South)

With reference to his oral statement of 6 December 2023 on Hillsborough: Bishop James Jones Report, Official Report, column 341, if he will bring forward legislative proposals to introduce a legal duty of candour on public bodies. (901590)

15 Beth Winter (Cynon Valley)

If he will make an assessment of the potential merits of devolving responsibility for justice to the Welsh Government. (901591)

16 Paul Howell (Sedgefield)

What steps he is taking to help reduce reoffending. (901592)

17 Simon Fell (Barrow and Furness)

What steps his Department is taking to help reduce rates of reoffending by people released from prison. (901593)

18 Anna McMorris (Cardiff North)

What steps his Department is taking to

protect the privacy rights of rape victims in criminal justice processes. (901594)

19 Ruth Jones (Newport West)

What steps his Department is taking to protect the privacy rights of rape victims in criminal justice processes. (901595)

20 Sarah Green (Chesham and Amersham)

What discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues on the use of non-disclosure agreements in judicial processes. (901596)

21 Tim Loughton (East Worthing and Shoreham)

When he plans to enact section 4 of the Civil Partnerships, Marriages and Deaths (Registration etc) Act 2019. (901597)

22 Bob Blackman (Harrow East)

What steps he is taking to ensure that offenders are prepared for life outside prison. (901598)

23 Clive Efford (Eltham)

What assessment he has made of the sustainability of probation officer caseloads. (901599)

At 12.15pm

■ **Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Justice**

- T1 Steve Double** (St Austell and Newquay)
If he will make a statement on his
departmental responsibilities. (901600)
- T2 Paula Barker** (Liverpool, Wavertree) (901601)
- T3 Sir Edward Leigh** (Gainsborough) (901603)
- T4 Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston)
(901604)
- T5 Yasmin Qureshi** (Bolton South East) (901605)
- T6 Henry Smith** (Crawley) (901607)
- T7 Rachael Maskell** (York Central) (901608)
- T8 Duncan Baker** (North Norfolk) (901609)

URGENT QUESTIONS AND STATEMENTS

12.30pm

■ **Urgent Questions (if any)**

■ Ministerial Statements (if any)**BUSINESS OF THE DAY****1. BROADCASTING (LISTED SPORTING EVENTS)
(SCOTLAND): TEN MINUTE RULE MOTION**

Up to 20 minutes (Standing Order No. 23)

Kenny MacAskill

That leave be given to bring in a Bill to expand the list of sporting events that must be made available for broadcast by free-to-air television channels to include all qualifying matches played by the Scotland men's and women's national football teams in the World Cup and the UEFA European Football Championship; and for connected purposes.

Notes:

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

2. OFFSHORE PETROLEUM LICENSING BILL: COMMITTEE AND REMAINING STAGES

**Up to four hours after the commencement of
proceedings in Committee of the whole House
(Order of 8 January)**

Notes:

Proceedings in Committee of the whole House shall (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to a conclusion three hours after their commencement. Any proceedings on Consideration and proceedings on Third Reading shall (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to a conclusion four hours after the commencement of proceedings in Committee of the whole House (Order of 8 January). For amendments, see separate paper (also available on the documents webpage for the Bill).

3. SOCIAL SECURITY

No debate (Standing Order No. 118(6))

Mims Davies

**That the draft Mesothelioma Lump Sum
Payments (Conditions and Amounts)**

(Amendment) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 11 January, be approved.

Notes:

If this item is opposed after 7.00pm, the division will be deferred.

4. SOCIAL SECURITY

No debate (Standing Order No. 118(6))

Mims Davies

That the draft Pneumoconiosis etc. (Workers' Compensation) (Specified Diseases and Prescribed Occupations) (Amendment) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 14 December 2023, be approved.

Notes:

If this item is opposed after 7.00pm, the division will be deferred.

5. SOCIAL SECURITY

No debate (Standing Order No. 118(6))

Mims Davies

That the draft Pneumoconiosis etc. (Workers' Compensation) (Payment of Claims) (Amendment) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 11 January, be approved.

Notes:

If this item is opposed after 7.00pm, the division will be deferred.

6. JUSTICE

No debate after 7.00pm (Standing Order No. 9(6))

Sir Bill Wiggin, on behalf of the Committee of Selection

That Rob Butler be discharged from the Justice Committee.

ADJOURNMENT DEBATE

Until 7.30pm or for half an hour (whichever is later) (Standing Order No. 9(7))

- **Government support for walking and cycling:**
Trudy Harrison

BUSINESS TODAY: WESTMINSTER HALL

ORDER OF BUSINESS

The first part of the sitting will last for two hours. The second part of the sitting will last for three hours (Standing Order No. 10(1)).

9.30am

- That this House has considered the potential merits of a register of not-in-school children:
Mrs Flick Drummond

11.00am

- That this House has considered human rights in Balochistan, Pakistan: **John McDonnell**

Notes:

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

2.30pm

- That this House has considered the matter of tackling off-road biking: **Peter Gibson**

4.00pm

- That this House has considered the matter of robbery and theft in Carshalton and Wallington constituency: **Elliot Colburn**

4.30pm

- That this House has considered Government support for young drivers: **Carla Lockhart**

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)).

WRITTEN STATEMENTS

STATEMENTS TO BE MADE TODAY

Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs

1. Our plan to back British farmers
2. Water company inspections update

Secretary of State for the Home Department

3. Independent Review of Prevent - One year on progress report

Secretary of State for Transport

4. Rail 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

■ Education Committee

Subject: Screen Time: Impacts on education and wellbeing

Witnesses: 10.00am: Jessica Edwards, Senior Policy Advisor on Childhood Harms, Barnardo's; David Wright, Director, UK Safer Internet Centre, CEO, South West Grid for Learning; Ian Critchley, Lead on Child Protection, National Police Chiefs' Council

11.00am: Dame Rachel de Souza, Children's Commissioner, Office of the Children's Commissioner for England

Room 15

9.15am (private), 10.00am (public)

■ Culture, Media and Sport Committee

Subject: Cricket follow-up

Witnesses: 10.00am: Cindy Butts, Chair, Sir Brendan Barber, Commissioner, and Dr Michael Collins, Commissioner, Independent Commission on Equity in Cricket

11.00am: Richard Thompson, Chair, Richard Gould, Chief Executive, and Clare Connor CBE, Deputy Chief Executive, England and Wales Cricket Board

12.00pm: Harry Chathli, Former Chair, and Colin Graves CBE, Chair, Yorkshire County Cricket Club

The Grimond Room, Portcullis House
9.30am (private), 10.00am (public)

■ Health and Social Care Committee

Room 5
9.30am (private)

■ Scottish Affairs Committee

Subject: Intergovernmental relations: 25 years since the Scotland Act 1998

Witnesses: 10.00am: Alex Salmond, First Minister of Scotland 2007-2014

Room 6

9.30am (private), 10.00am (public)

■ **Defence Sub-Committee & Defence Committee**

Subject: Developing AI capacity and expertise in UK Defence

Witnesses: 10.30am: James Black, Assistant Director of the Defence and Security research group, RAND Europe; Dr Simona Soare, Senior Lecturer, Lancaster University; Air Marshal (Retd) Edward Stringer, Senior Fellow, Policy Exchange

Room 16

10.00am (private), 10.25am (private), 10.30am (public)

■ **Treasury Committee**

Subject: Bank of England Monetary Policy Reports

Witnesses: 10.15am: Andrew Bailey, Governor, and Dr Ben Broadbent, Deputy Governor,

Monetary Policy, Bank of England; Dr Swati Dhingra, External Member, and Megan Greene, External Member, Monetary Policy Committee

The Thatcher Room, Portcullis House
10.00am (private), 10.15am (public)

■ Business and Trade Committee

Subject: Industrial policy

Witnesses: 11.00am: The Lord Harrington of Watford, Chair of the Harrington Review of Foreign Direct Investment

11.45am: Sir Vince Cable, Former Secretary of State for Business, Innovation and Skills; The Rt Hon. the Lord Mandelson, Former Secretary of State for Business, Innovation and Skills; Rt Hon Greg Clark MP, former Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy

Room 8

10.45am (private), 11.00am (public)

■ Northern Ireland Affairs Committee

Subject: Work of the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland

Witnesses: 11.30am: Rt Hon Chris Heaton-Harris MP, Secretary of State, and Ciarán Hayes, Deputy Director, Prosperity, Northern Ireland Office; Mark Davies, Director, Windsor Framework Taskforce, Cabinet Office

The Wilson Room, Portcullis House
11.00am (private), 11.30am (public)

■ Petitions Committee

Room 13
1.00pm

■ Environment, Food and Rural Affairs Committee

Subject: Flooding

Witnesses: 2.30pm: Julie Foley, Director, Environment Agency; Tracey Garrett, Chief Executive, National Flood Forum; Martin Lines, Chief Executive, Nature Friendly Farming

Network; Councillor Emily O'Brien, Deputy Chair, People & Places Board, Local Government Association

Room 6

2.00pm (private), 2.30pm (public)

■ **Justice Committee**

Subject: The Coroner Service: follow-up

Witnesses: 2.30pm: Deborah Coles, Director, INQUEST; Dr Georgia Richards, Teaching Fellow in Evidence-Based Medicine, Oxford University

3.30pm: Roey Burden OBE, Founder and Board of Trustees Hon. Secretary, and Angela Geer, CEO, Coroners' Courts Support Service

Room 5

2.00pm (private), 2.30pm (public)

■ **Transport Committee**

The Wilson Room, Portcullis House

3.00pm (private)

■ **Backbench Business Committee**

Subject: Proposals for backbench debates

Witnesses: 4.15pm: Members of Parliament

Room 16

4.00pm (private), 4.15pm (public)

PUBLIC BILL COMMITTEES

■ **Trade (Comprehensive and Progressive
Agreement for Trans-Pacific Partnership) Bill
[HL]**

To consider the Bill

Room 10

9.25am (public)

■ **Trade (Comprehensive and Progressive
Agreement for Trans-Pacific Partnership) Bill
[HL]**

Further to consider the Bill

Room 10

2.00pm (public)

■ **Bishop's Stortford Cemetery Bill Unopposed
Bill Committee**

To consider the Bill

Room 9

4.00pm (private), 4.15pm (public)

DELEGATED LEGISLATION COMMITTEES

■ **Second Delegated Legislation Committee**

**To consider the draft Bank of England Levy
(Amount of Levy Payable) Regulations 2024**

Room 12

2.30pm (public)

■ **Third Delegated Legislation Committee**

**To consider the draft Nuclear Decommissioning
Authority (Pension Scheme Amendment)
Regulations 2024**

Room 11

2.30pm (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 ParliNet. The ballot takes place on the day following the deadline. Members who are successful will be contacted by the Speaker's Office.

- **Tuesday 27 February to Monday 4 March
(deadline Wednesday 21 February 7.00pm or
the rise of the House, whichever is earlier)**
- **Tuesday 5 to Monday 11 March (deadline
Wednesday 28 February 7.00pm or the rise of
the House, whichever is earlier)**

- **Tuesday 12 to Monday 18 March (deadline Wednesday 6 March 7.00pm or the rise of the House, whichever is earlier)**

FORTHCOMING WESTMINSTER HALL DEBATES

The rota for answering Departments is listed below. Applications for 90, 60 and 30-minute debates should be made to the Table Office by 10.00pm or the rise of the House, whichever is the earlier, on the Mondays 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 ParliNet. The ballot takes place on the day following the deadline. Members who are successful will be contacted by the Speaker's Office.

- **Tuesday 27 and Wednesday 28 February (ballot closed)**

The ballot for Tuesday 27 and Wednesday 28 February will take place today. The deadline for making an application to this ballot has now passed.

■ **Tuesday 5 and Wednesday 6 March (deadline Monday 26 February 10.00pm or the rise of the House, whichever is earlier)**

The following Departments will answer:

Attorney General; Cabinet Office; Education; Energy Security and Net Zero; Environment, Food and Rural Affairs; Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office; Home Office; Northern Ireland; Transport; Treasury; Wales

■ **Tuesday 12 and Wednesday 13 March (deadline Monday 4 March 10.00pm or the rise of the House, whichever is earlier)**

The following Departments will answer:

Business and Trade; Culture, Media and Sport; Defence; Health and Social Care; Justice; Levelling Up, Housing and Communities; Science, Innovation and Technology; Scotland; Women and Equalities; Work and Pensions

APPLICATIONS FOR ESTIMATES DAY DEBATES TO THE BACKBENCH BUSINESS COMMITTEE

The Supplementary Estimates are expected to be laid in February. There is expected to be one day of debate on the Supplementary Estimates in mid-March. Backbench Members will lead these debates. Application forms are now available on the Backbench Business Committee website and should be submitted to **BBCom@parliament.uk** by the rise of the House on Monday 4 March. Applicants will be invited to appear before the Committee at 4.15pm on Tuesday 5 March.

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/cm5803/cmstords/so-1932-23102023/so-2023i.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.

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WEDNESDAY 21 FEBRUARY

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**

MOTOR VEHICLES (DRIVING LICENCES) (REFORM): TEN MINUTE RULE MOTION

Dr Thérèse Coffey

That leave be given to bring in a Bill to make provision about licences authorising the driving of motor vehicles of certain classes; and for connected purposes.

Notes:

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

OPPOSITION DAY (5TH ALLOTTED DAY)

■ Ceasefire in Gaza

Stephen Flynn

Brendan O'Hara

Alison Thewliss

Carol Monaghan

David Linden

Owen Thompson

Pete Wishart

Ian Blackford

Stewart Hosie

Hannah Bardell

A. CALENDAR OF BUSINESS

Mhairi Black	Kirsty Blackman
Steven Bonnar	Deidre Brock
Alan Brown	Amy Callaghan
Douglas Chapman	Joanna Cherry
Ronnie Cowan	Angela Crawley
Martyn Day	Martin Docherty-
Hughes	Dave Doogan
Allan Dorans	Marion Fellows
Patricia Gibson	Patrick Grady
Peter Grant	Drew Hendry
Chris Law	Stewart Malcolm
McDonald	Stuart C McDonald
Anne McLaughlin	John McNally
Gavin Newlands	John Nicolson
Kirsten Oswald	Ms Anum Qaisar
Tommy Sheppard	Alyn Smith
Chris Stephens	Richard Thomson
Dr Philippa Whitford	Liz Saville Roberts
Hywel Williams	Ben Lake
Colum Eastwood	Jeremy Corbyn
Claudia Webbe	

That this House calls for an immediate ceasefire in Gaza and Israel; notes with shock and distress that the death toll has now risen beyond 28,000,

the vast majority of whom were women and children; further notes that there are currently 1.5 million Palestinians sheltering in Rafah, 610,000 of whom are children; also notes that they have nowhere else to go; condemns any military assault on what is now the largest refugee camp in the world; further calls for the immediate release of all hostages taken by Hamas and an end to the collective punishment of the Palestinian people; and recognises that the only way to stop the slaughter of innocent civilians is to press for a ceasefire now.

■ **Commitment to £28 billion annual funding for green energy**

Dave Doogan

Stephen Flynn

Steven Bonnar

Alison Thewliss

Deidre Brock

Owen Thompson

Pete Wishart

Ian Blackford

Mhairi Black

Stewart Hosie

Hannah Bardell

Kirsty Blackman

A. CALENDAR OF BUSINESS

Alan Brown	Amy Callaghan
Douglas Chapman	Joanna Cherry
Ronnie Cowan	Angela Crawley
Martyn Day	Martin Docherty-
Hughes	Allan Dorans
Marion Fellows	Patricia Gibson
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Anne McLaughlin	John McNally
Carol Monaghan	Gavin Newlands
John Nicolson	Brendan O'Hara
Kirsten Oswald	Ms Anum Qaisar
Tommy Sheppard	Alyn Smith
Chris Stephens	Richard Thomson
Dr Philippa Whitford	

That this House fully recognises that the urgent transition to green energy offers an enormous economic opportunity for the UK in general but for energy-rich Scotland in particular; notes that the United States, through the Inflation Reduction Act of 2022, and the European Union, through the European Green Deal, have already

committed the equivalent of trillions of pounds in public investment to capitalise on the global race to net zero; further recognises that business investment is lower in the UK than in any other country in the G7; further notes that a lack of ambition will fail to deliver energy security, cleaner energy and cheaper bills for consumers; and therefore calls on the Government to commit to a public investment programme at a minimum of £28 billion per annum to secure jobs, fight climate change and grow the economy.

Notes:

The selection of the matters to be debated have been made by the Leader of the Scottish National Party (Standing Order No. 14(2)).

ADJOURNMENT DEBATE

- Water pollution on the East Durham coastline:
Grahame Morris

WESTMINSTER HALL

- **9.30am** That this House has considered the future of the steel industry in Wales:
Dame Nia Griffith

A. CALENDAR OF BUSINESS

Relevant Documents:

Oral evidence taken before the Welsh Affairs Committee on 31 January 2024, on The Steel Industry in Wales, HC 508

- **11.00am** That this House has considered
junction 10A on the A14 at Kettering:
Mr Philip Hollobone

Notes:

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

- **2.30pm** That this House has considered
access to education in south east
Northumberland: **Ian Lavery**
- **4.00pm** That this House has considered
Government support for cavity wall
insulation: **Hywel Williams**
- **4.30pm** That this House has considered
independent school fees and VAT:
Andrew Lewer

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 22 FEBRUARY

CHAMBER

QUESTIONS

- 9.30am Questions to the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport
- 10.00am Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport
- 10.10am Questions to the Church Commissioners, House of Commons Commission and the Speaker's Committee on the Electoral Commission

BACKBENCH BUSINESS

- Civil nuclear roadmap

A. CALENDAR OF BUSINESS

Damian Collins

That this House has considered the civil nuclear roadmap.

Relevant Documents:

Oral evidence taken before the Environmental Audit Committee on 13 December 2023, on Small nuclear reactors in the transition from fossil fuels, HC 281

Written evidence to the Environmental Audit Committee, on Small nuclear reactors in the transition from fossil fuels, reported to the House on 13 December 2023, HC 281

Correspondence from the Chair of the Environmental Audit Committee to the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero on Small nuclear reactors in the transition from fossil fuels, reported to the House on 7 February 2024

■ **Premature deaths from heart and circulatory diseases**

Dean Russell

That this House has considered premature deaths from heart and circulatory diseases.

Notes:

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

PRESENTATION OF PUBLIC PETITIONS

- Face to Face banking services: **Catherine West**

ADJOURNMENT DEBATE

- Mole Valley District Council draft Local Plan: **Sir Paul Beresford**

WESTMINSTER HALL

- **1.30pm** That this House has considered fiscal support for tourism and hospitality in coastal areas: **Selaine Saxby**

Notes:

The subject for this debate was 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)).

FRIDAY 23 FEBRUARY

A. CALENDAR OF BUSINESS

CHAMBER

■ **Strategic Litigation Against Public Participation Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Wayne David**

■ **Space Industry (Indemnities) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Mr Jonathan Lord**

■ **Unauthorised Entry to Football Matches Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Kevin Brennan**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Community and Suspended Sentences (Notification of Details) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Ruth Jones**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Hereditary Titles (Female Succession) Bill:
Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Harriett Baldwin**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Prison Media Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Katherine Fletcher**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Water Quality Monitoring Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Richard Foord**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Highways Act 1980 (Amendment) Bill: Second
Reading**

Member in Charge: **Sir Christopher Chope**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

A. CALENDAR OF BUSINESS

■ **Covid-19 Vaccine Damage Payments Bill:
Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Sir Christopher Chope**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Statutory Instruments Act 1946 (Amendment)
Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Sir Christopher Chope**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Dangerous Dogs Act 1991 (Amendment) Bill:
Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Sir Christopher Chope**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Exemption from Value Added Tax
(Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Sir Christopher Chope**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Covid-19 Vaccine Diagnosis and Treatment Bill:
Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Sir Christopher Chope**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Domestic Energy (Value Added Tax) Bill:
Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Sir Christopher Chope**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Caravan Site Licensing (Exemption of Motor
Homes) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Sir Christopher Chope**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **NHS England (Alternative Treatment) Bill:
Second Reading**

A. CALENDAR OF BUSINESS

Member in Charge: **Sir Christopher Chope**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

- **British Broadcasting Corporation (Privatisation) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Sir Christopher Chope**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

- **Children's Clothing (Value Added Tax) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Sir Christopher Chope**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

- **Regulatory Impact Assessments Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Sir Christopher Chope**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Barnett Formula (Replacement) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Sir Christopher Chope**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Rule of Law (Enforcement by Public Authorities) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Sir Christopher Chope**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Illegal Immigration (Offences) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Sir Christopher Chope**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **National Health Service Co-Funding and Co-Payment Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Sir Christopher Chope**

A. CALENDAR OF BUSINESS

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Caravan Sites Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Sir Christopher Chope**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Local Government (Pay Accountability) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Paul Bristow**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Multi-Storey Car Parks (Safety) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Maria Eagle**

■ **Military Action (Parliamentary Approval) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Richard Foord**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Child Criminal Exploitation Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Sir Paul Beresford**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Pet Abduction Bill: Remaining Stages**

Member in Charge: **Anna Firth**

As amended in the public bill committee, to be considered.

Notes:

For amendments, see separate paper (also available on the publications webpage for the Bill).

■ **Building Societies Act 1986 (Amendment) Bill: Remaining Stages**

Member in Charge: **Julie Elliott**

Not amended in the public bill committee, to be considered.

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Notes:

For amendments, see separate paper (also available on the publications webpage for the Bill).

ADJOURNMENT DEBATE

- Accountability of NHS Property Services:
Richard Foord

MONDAY 26 FEBRUARY

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

Afterwards

GENERAL DEBATE (SUBJECT TO BE CONFIRMED)

ADJOURNMENT DEBATE

- Access to social media in prisons: Paul Howell

WESTMINSTER HALL

- **4.30pm** That this House has considered
e-petition 649894 relating to financial
risk checks for gambling: **Christina
Rees, 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 27 FEBRUARY**CHAMBER****QUESTIONS**

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

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

Afterwards

TEN MINUTE RULE MOTION

Lia Nici

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.

**LEASEHOLD AND FREEHOLD REFORM BILL:
REMAINING STAGES**

As amended in the public bill committee, to be considered.

Notes:

For amendments, see separate paper (also available on the publications webpage for the Bill). Proceedings on Consideration will (so far as not previously concluded) be brought

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to a conclusion one hour before the moment of interruption on that day; 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 (Order of 11 December 2023).

King's and Prince of Wales' Consent to be signified on Third Reading.

Relevant Documents:

Twelfth Report of the Communities and Local Government Committee of Session 2017-19, Leasehold Reform, HC 1468, and the Government response, CP 99

PRESENTATION OF PUBLIC PETITIONS

- Family visa minimum income thresholds: **Afzal Khan**

WESTMINSTER HALL

- **9.30am** That this House has considered the Child Maintenance Service: **Sir Stephen Timms**

Notes:

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

WEDNESDAY 28 FEBRUARY

CHAMBER

QUESTIONS

■ 11.30am Questions to the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland

■ 12 noon Questions to the Prime Minister

Afterwards

TEN MINUTE RULE MOTION

Dame Siobhain McDonagh

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.

PEDICABS (LONDON) BILL [LORDS]: SECOND READING

THURSDAY 29 FEBRUARY**CHAMBER****QUESTIONS**

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

BACKBENCH BUSINESS

- Language in politics on International Women's Day

Dame Maria Miller

That this House has considered the use of language in politics in light of International Women's Day; agrees that the respectful use of language is an important feature of a strong and inclusive democracy; and calls on all parliamentary candidates to pledge that respectful language will be used at all times in the upcoming General Election campaigning period.

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■ **Welsh affairs**

Stephen Crabb

That this House has considered Welsh affairs.

Notes:

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

WESTMINSTER HALL

■ **1.30pm** That this House has considered Colleges
Week 2024: **Peter Aldous**

Notes:

The subject for this debate was 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)).

FRIDAY 1 MARCH

CHAMBER

■ **Conversion Practices (Prohibition) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Lloyd Russell-Moyle**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Consular Assistance Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Christine Jardine**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Courts (Remote Hearings) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Andy Carter**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Conservation and Sustainable Use of Marine Biological Diversity (Ratification of Treaty) Bill: Second Reading**

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Member in Charge: **Kevin Foster**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Fertility Treatment (Employment Rights) Bill:
Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Nickie Aiken**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Deductions from Universal Credit (Report) Bill:
Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Chris Stephens**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Evictions (Universal Credit) Bill: Second
Reading**

Member in Charge: **Chris Stephens**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Arms Trade (Inquiry and Suspension) Bill:
Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Zarah Sultana**

Notes:

A money resolution is required for this Bill to be proceeded with in Committee.

■ **Landlord and Tenant Act 1985 (Amendment)
Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Fleur Anderson**

■ **Welfare Benefits (Adequacy, Debt and
Deductions) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **David Linden**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Police (Declaration) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Tonia Antoniazzi**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

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■ **Whistleblowing Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Mary Robinson**

Notes:

A money resolution is required for this Bill to be proceeded with in Committee.

■ **Food Poverty Strategy Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Chris Stephens**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Under-Occupancy Penalty (Report) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Chris Stephens**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Devolution (Employment) (Scotland) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Chris Stephens**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Social Security Benefits (Healthy Eating) Bill:
Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Chris Stephens**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Universal Credit Sanctions (Zero Hours
Contracts) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Chris Stephens**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

TUESDAY 5 MARCH

CHAMBER

TEN MINUTE RULE MOTION

Giles Watling

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

Notes:

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

MONDAY 11 MARCH

CHAMBER

TEN MINUTE RULE MOTION

Martin Docherty-Hughes

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.

CHAMBER

■ **Animal Welfare (Import of Dogs, Cats and Ferrets) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Selaine Saxby**

Notes:

A money resolution is required for this Bill to be proceeded with in Committee.

■ **Public Procurement (British Goods and Services) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Sarah Champion**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Health and Equality Acts (Amendment) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Elizabeth Truss**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Children Not in School (Registers, Support and Orders) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Mrs Flick Drummond**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Members of Parliament (Oil and Gas Companies) Bill: Second Reading**

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Member in Charge: Richard Burgon

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Telecommunications Infrastructure
(Consultation) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: Dame Diana Johnson

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Public Liability (Compulsory Insurance) Bill:
Second Reading**

Member in Charge: Mrs Natalie Elphicke

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Corporate Homicide Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: Chris Stephens

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Asylum Seekers (Permission to Work) Bill:
Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Chris Stephens**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Unpaid Trial Work Periods (Prohibition) Bill:
Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Stewart Malcolm McDonald**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Pets (Microchips) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **James Daly**

Notes:

A money resolution is required for this Bill to be proceeded with in Committee.

■ **Employment Equality (Insurance etc) Bill:
Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Mrs Natalie Elphicke**

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■ **Support for Infants and Parents etc
(Information) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Sally-Ann Hart**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Social Energy Tariff Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Marion Fellows**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Veterans (Non-custodial Sentences) Bill: Second
Reading**

Member in Charge: **Owen Thompson**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Nuclear Veterans (Compensation) Bill: Second
Reading**

Member in Charge: **Owen Thompson**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Miners' Strike (Pardons) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Owen Thompson**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

FRIDAY 22 MARCH

CHAMBER

■ **Hunting Trophies (Import Prohibition) Bill:
Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **John Spellar**

■ **Greater London Low Emission Zone Charging
(Amendment) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Gareth Johnson**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Puppy Import (Prohibition) Bill: Second
Reading**

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Member in Charge: **John Spellar**

■ **Chalk Streams (Protection) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Sarah Green**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **British Goods (Public Sector Purchasing Duty) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **John Spellar**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Consumer Pricing Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **John Spellar**

■ **Broadcasting (Listed Sporting Events) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **John Spellar**

■ **Employment (Application Requirements) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **John Spellar**

■ **Public Sector Website Impersonation Bill:
Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **John Spellar**

■ **Armenian Genocide (Recognition) Bill: Second
Reading**

Member in Charge: **John Spellar**

■ **House of Lords (Hereditary Peers (Abolition of
By-Elections)) (No. 2) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **John Spellar**

■ **Asylum Seekers (Accommodation Eviction
Procedures) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Chris Stephens**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Parliamentary and Health Service Ombudsman
(Powers) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Chris Stephens**

Notes:

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Bill not yet printed.

■ **Scottish Law Officers (Devolution) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Joanna Cherry**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Health and Social Care (Recruitment and Retention of Staff in Rural Areas) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Jamie Stone**

■ **Offences Against the Person Act 1861 (Sentencing Guidelines) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Dame Maria Miller**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Offensive Weapons Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Helen Hayes**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

FRIDAY 19 APRIL

CHAMBER

■ Off-Road Vehicles (Registration) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: **Anne McLaughlin**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ Online Services (Cancellation) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: **Mrs Natalie Elphicke**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ Health and Safety at Work Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: **Chris Stephens**

Notes:

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Bill not yet printed.

■ **Public Sector Exit Payments (Limitation) Bill:
Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Sir Christopher Chope**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Green Belt (Protection) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Sir Christopher Chope**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Autism (Early Identification) Bill: Second
Reading**

Member in Charge: **Duncan Baker**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **State Pension Age (Compensation) Bill: Second
Reading**

Member in Charge: **Alan Brown**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Affordable Housing (Conversion of Commercial Property) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Vicky Ford**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

FRIDAY 26 APRIL

CHAMBER

■ **Workers (Rights and Definition) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Chris Stephens**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Public Health (Control of Disease) Act 1984 (Amendment) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Sir Christopher Chope**

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Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **BBC Licence Fee Non-Payment
(Decriminalisation for Over-75s) Bill: Second
Reading**

Member in Charge: **Sir Christopher Chope**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **General Medical Council (Fitness to Practise)
Rules (Amendment) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Daisy Cooper**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Road Traffic and Street Works Bill: Second
Reading**

Member in Charge: **Kit Malthouse**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

FRIDAY 17 MAY

CHAMBER

■ **Animal Welfare (Responsibility for Dog Attacks) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Anna Firth**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Benefit Sanctions (Warnings) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Chris Stephens**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Arm's-length Bodies (Accountability to Parliament) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Sir Christopher Chope**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Anonymity of Suspects Bill: Second Reading**

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Member in Charge: **Sir Christopher Chope**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Government of Wales (Referendum on Devolution) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Mr Rob Roberts**

Notes:

A money resolution is required for this Bill to be proceeded with in Committee.

■ **Immigration and Nationality Fees (Exemption for NHS Clinical Staff) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Mr Rob Roberts**

FRIDAY 7 JUNE

CHAMBER

■ **Bullying and Respect at Work Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Rachael Maskell**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Housing Standards (Refugees and Asylum Seekers) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Chris Stephens**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Dangerous Dogs (Licensing) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Sir Christopher Chope**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Mobile Homes Act 1983 (Amendment) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Sir Christopher Chope**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

FRIDAY 14 JUNE

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CHAMBER

■ **Titles Deprivation Act 1917 Amendment Bill:
Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Bob Seely**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Vaccine Damage Payments Act (Review) Bill:
Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Sir Christopher Chope**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Disability Benefit Assessments (Recording) Bill:
Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Chris Stephens**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Clean Air (Human Rights) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Caroline Lucas**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

FRIDAY 21 JUNE

CHAMBER

■ **Groceries Code Adjudicator (Powers and Duties) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Mr Alistair Carmichael**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Palestine Statehood (Recognition) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Layla Moran**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Full Employment Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Chris Stephens**

Notes:

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Bill not yet printed.

■ **Covid-19 Vaccine Damage Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Sir Christopher Chope**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Schools (Mental Health Professionals) Bill:
Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Munira Wilson**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Airports (Prohibition of Night Flights) Bill:
Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Sarah Olney**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ **Outdoor Education Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Tim Farron**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

- **Access to Telecommunications Networks Bill: Adjourned debate on Second Reading [26 January]**

Member in Charge: **Helen Morgan**

- **Bus Services Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Helen Morgan**

Notes:

A money resolution is required for this Bill to be proceeded with in Committee.

- **Public Transport (Rural Areas) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Sarah Dyke**

- **Cancer Research Funding (Report to Parliament) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Daisy Cooper**

- **Joint Enterprise (Significant Contribution) Bill: Adjourned debate on Second Reading [2 February]**

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Member in Charge: **Kim Johnson**

■ **Family Visas (Minimum Income) Bill: Second Reading**

Member in Charge: **Mr Alistair Carmichael**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

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. ANIMALS**Secretary Steve Barclay**

That the draft Animal Welfare (Electronic Collars) (England) Regulations 2023, which were laid before this House on 27 April 2023, in the last Session of Parliament, be approved.

2. IMMIGRATION**Secretary James Cleverly**

That the draft General Aviation (Persons on Board, Flight Information and Civil Penalties) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 28 November 2023, be approved.

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3. RENTERS (REFORM) BILL: REMAINING STAGES

As amended in the public bill committee, to be considered.

Notes:

For amendments, see separate paper (also available on the publications webpage for the Bill). Proceedings on Consideration will (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to a conclusion one hour before the moment of interruption on that day; 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 (Order of 23 October 2023, in the last Session of Parliament).

King's consent to be signified on Third Reading.

4. CRIMINAL LAW

Secretary Alex Chalk

That the draft Magistrates' Courts Act 1980 (Automatic Online Conviction and Standard Statutory Penalty) (Specification of Offences and Penalties) Regulations 2024, which were

laid before this House on 4 December 2023, be approved.

5. NATIONAL CRIME AGENCY

Secretary James Cleverly

That the draft National Crime Agency (Directed Tasking) Order 2023, which was laid before this House on 7 December 2023, be approved.

6. SENTENCING BILL: COMMITTEE

Remaining stages will also be taken.

Notes:

For amendments, see separate paper (also available on the publications webpage for the Bill). Proceedings in Committee of the whole House shall (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to a conclusion five hours after their commencement. Any proceedings on Consideration and proceedings on Third Reading shall (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to a conclusion six hours after the commencement of proceedings in Committee of the whole House (Order of 6 December 2023).

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7. POSTAL SERVICES

Secretary Kemi Badenoch

That the draft Post Office Network Subsidy Scheme (Amendment) Order 2024, which was laid before this House on 11 December 2023, be approved.

8. TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF EMPLOYMENT

Secretary Kemi Badenoch

That the draft Carer's Leave Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 11 December 2023, be approved.

9. TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF EMPLOYMENT

Secretary Kemi Badenoch

That the draft Maternity Leave, Adoption Leave and Shared Parental Leave (Amendment) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 11 December 2023, be approved.

10. SEA FISHERIES

Secretary Steve Barclay

That the draft Sea Fisheries (International Commission for the Conservation of Atlantic

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Tunas) (Amendment) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 12 December 2023, be approved.

11. PENSIONS

Paul Maynard

That the draft Occupational Pension Schemes (Collective Money Purchase Schemes) (Amendment) Regulations 2023, which were laid before this House on 14 December 2023, be approved.

12. LIMITED LIABILITY PARTNERSHIPS

Secretary Kemi Badenoch

That the draft Limited Liability Partnerships (Application of Company Law) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 18 December 2023, be approved.

13. COMPANIES

Secretary Kemi Badenoch

That the draft Service Address (Rectification of Register) Regulations 2024, which were laid

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before this House on 18 December 2023, be approved.

14. COMPANIES

Secretary Kemi Badenoch

That the draft Principal Office Address (Rectification of Register) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 18 December 2023, be approved.

15. COMPANIES

Secretary Kemi Badenoch

That the draft Registered Office Address (Rectification of Register) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 18 December 2023, be approved.

16. PENSIONS

Secretary Claire Coutinho

That the draft Nuclear Decommissioning Authority (Pension Scheme Amendment) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 19 December 2023, be approved.

17. COMPANIES

Secretary Kemi Badenoch

That the draft Economic Crime and Corporate Transparency Act 2023 (Consequential, Supplementary and Incidental Provisions) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 10 January, be approved.

Notes:

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

18. NORTHERN IRELAND

Secretary Chris Heaton-Harris

That the draft Local Elections (Northern Ireland) (Amendment) Order 2024, which was laid before this House on 10 January, be approved.

19. COMPANIES

Secretary Kemi Badenoch

That the draft Reporting on Payment Practices and Performance (Amendment) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 10 January, be approved.

20. TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF EMPLOYMENT

Secretary Kemi Badenoch

That the draft Paternity Leave (Amendment) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 10 January, be approved.

21. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

Robbie Moore

That the draft Waste Enforcement (Fixed Penalty Receipts) (Amendment) (England and Wales) Regulations 2023, which were laid before this House on 10 January, be approved.

22. REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE

Secretary Chris Heaton-Harris

That the draft Representation of the People (Postal Vote Handling etc.) (Northern Ireland) (Amendment) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 10 January, be approved.

23. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

Secretary Steve Barclay

That the draft Packaging Waste (Data Reporting) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2024, which

were laid before this House on 17 January, be approved.

24. HOUSING

Jacob Young

That the draft Social Housing (Regulation) Act 2023 (Consequential and Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 18 January, be approved.

25. BANKS AND BANKING

Bim Afolami

That the draft Bank of England Levy (Amount of Levy Payable) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 22 January, be approved.

26. ELECTRICITY

Secretary Kemi Badenoch

That the draft Electricity Supplier Obligations (Excluded Electricity) (Amendment) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 22 January, be approved.

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27. ELECTRICITY

Secretary Kemi Badenoch

That the draft Energy-Intensive Industry Electricity Support Payments and Levy Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 22 January, be approved.

28. PROCEEDS OF CRIME

The Attorney General

That the draft Proceeds of Crime Act 2002 (Investigative Powers of Prosecutors: Code of Practice) Order 2024, which was laid before this House on 22 January, be approved.

29. PROCEEDS OF CRIME

Secretary James Cleverly

That the draft Proceeds of Crime Act 2002 (Search, Recovery of Cryptoassets and Investigations: Codes of Practice) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 22 January, be approved.

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Secretary James Cleverly

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That the draft Proceeds of Crime Act 2002 and Terrorism Act 2000 (Certain Information Orders: Code of Practice) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 22 January, be approved.

31. PUBLIC PROCUREMENT

James Cartlidge

That the draft Single Source Contract (Amendment) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 22 January, be approved.

32. PREVENTION AND SUPPRESSION OF TERRORISM

Secretary James Cleverly

That the draft Terrorism Act 2000 (Code of Practice for Authorised Officers) Order 2024, which was laid before this House on 22 January, be approved.

33. EDUCATION

Secretary David T C Davies

That the draft Tertiary Education and Research (Wales) Act 2022 (Consequential Amendments)

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Order 2024, which was laid before this House on 22 January, be approved.

34. ELECTRICITY

Secretary Kemi Badenoch

That the draft Electricity Capacity (Supplier Payment etc.) (Amendment and Excluded Electricity) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 22 January, be approved.

35. ELECTRICITY

Secretary Claire Coutinho

That the draft Renewables Obligation (Amendment) (Energy Intensive Industries) Order 2024, which was laid before this House on 23 January, be approved.

36. CRIMINAL LAW

Secretary James Cleverly

That the draft Criminal Justice Act 1988 (Offensive Weapons) (Amendment, Surrender and Compensation) Order 2024, which was laid before this House on 25 January, be approved.

37. PENSIONS

Paul Maynard

That the draft Occupational Pension Schemes (Funding and Investment Strategy and Amendment) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 29 January, be approved.

38. LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Simon Hoare

That the draft Representation of the People (Variation of Election Expenses and Exclusions) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 29 January, be approved.

39. RISK-BASED EXCLUSION

Penny Mordaunt

That

(1) this House approves the Report from the House of Commons Commission, A risk-based exclusion policy for the House of Commons – updated proposals, HC 386;

(2) the following Standing Order be made:

“Risk-based exclusion policy

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- (1) When the police provide the Clerk of the House with information about a Member who is subject to serious allegations relating to a violent or sexual offence a risk assessment will take place.
- (2) The risk assessment will be carried out by a Risk Assessment Panel (the Panel appointed by Mr Speaker).
- (3) The Panel will not be given the name of the Member being risk assessed.
- (4) In carrying out a risk assessment the Panel will have regard to—
 - (a) the nature of the alleged misconduct;
 - (b) whether there is any safeguarding concern;
 - (c) the risk to the Parliamentary community, or a particular individual, group or groups within it;
 - (d) information from the police; and
 - (e) any undertaking that the Member in question is subject to an existing voluntary agreement not to attend the Estate.

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- (5) The Panel shall have the assistance of the Counsel to the Speaker, the Director of Parliamentary Security and such other members of the House administration as it thinks fit.
- (6) The Panel will decide on appropriate measures to mitigate any risk, and such mitigation may include one or more of the following—
 - (a) exclusion from the Parliamentary estate;
 - (b) exclusion from domestic travel funded in whole or in part through the House of Commons Estimate; and
 - (c) exclusion from foreign travel funded in whole or in part, directly or indirectly, through the House of Commons Estimate.
- (7) Members must not lobby the Panel in a manner calculated to influence the outcome of a risk assessment process.
- (8) A Member subject to exclusion from the Parliamentary estate may apply for a proxy vote.
- (9) If the Panel considers a Member should be subject to exclusion it shall inform the Speaker

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and the Speaker shall authorise the House administration to take such measures as are necessary to ensure the Panel's decision is implemented.

(10) The Panel may review its risk assessment in the light of new information relating to matters specified in paragraph (4), and as a consequence of that review may recommend ending any exclusion, varying any existing risk mitigation measures, or introducing further measures as a result of its review.

(11) The decisions of the Panel in relation to a particular case and actions taken thereafter shall not be made public and shall be kept confidential (except insofar as is reasonably necessary to ensure the decision is effected).

(12) A Member's exclusion will end if—

(a) the Panel so decides and informs the Speaker accordingly;

(b) the Speaker and the Panel are informed by the police or another competent person that the police have concluded their investigations and no charge has been made; or

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(c) a criminal trial has been concluded.”

(3) That the operation of Standing Order (Risk based exclusion policy) be reviewed by a panel appointed by Mr Speaker, and the report of that panel shall be laid before the House no later than 16 September 2024; and

(4) Standing Order No. 39A (Voting by Proxy) be amended as follows:

“(1) In paragraph (2)(d) after “injury” insert

() precautionary exclusion from the Parliamentary estate”; and

After paragraph 5(b) insert

() The Speaker shall not specify the reason for which a proxy vote has been given in any such certificate.

40. CRIMINAL JUSTICE BILL: REMAINING STAGES

As amended in the public bill committee, to be considered.

Notes:

For amendments, see separate paper (also available on the publications webpage for the

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Bill). Proceedings on Consideration will (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to a conclusion one hour before the moment of interruption on that day; 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 (Order of 28 November 2023).

41. DATA PROTECTION

Secretary James Cleverly

That the draft Data Protection Act 2018 (Amendment of Schedule 2 Exemptions) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 31 January, be approved.

Notes:

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

42. TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF EMPLOYMENT

Secretary Kemi Badenoch

That the draft National Minimum Wage (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 31 January, be approved.

Notes:

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

43. COMPANIES**Secretary Kemi Badenoch**

That the draft Economic Crime and Corporate Transparency Act 2023 (Consequential, Supplementary and Incidental Provisions) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 1 February, be approved.

Notes:

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

44. ENERGY**Secretary Claire Coutinho**

That the draft Energy Bills Discount Scheme (Amendment) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 7 February, be approved.

Notes:

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

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45. LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Jacob Young

That the draft North East Mayoral Combined Authority (Establishment and Functions) Order 2024, which was laid before this House on 7 February, be approved.

Notes:

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

46. POLICE

Secretary James Cleverly

That the draft South Yorkshire Mayoral Combined Authority (Election of Mayor and Transfer of Police and Crime Commissioner Functions) Order 2024, which was laid before this House on 7 February, be approved.

Notes:

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

47. POLICE

Secretary James Cleverly

That the draft West Midlands Combined Authority (Transfer of Police and Crime Commissioner Functions) Order 2024, which was laid before this House on 7 February, be approved.

Notes:

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

48. TRADE UNIONS

Secretary James Cleverly

That the draft Strikes (Minimum Service Levels: Fire and Rescue Services) (England) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 8 February, be approved.

Notes:

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

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49. LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Jacob Young

That the draft Combined Authorities (Overview and Scrutiny Committees, Access to Information and Audit Committees) (Amendment) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 19 February, be approved.

Notes:

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

**50. TRADE UNION AND LABOUR RELATIONS
(CONSOLIDATION)**

Secretary Kemi Badenoch

That the draft Code of Practice on Dismissal and Re-Engagement, which was laid before this House on 19 February, be approved.

Notes:

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

51. COMPANIES

Secretary Kemi Badenoch

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That the draft Economic Crime and Corporate Transparency Act 2023 (Financial Penalty) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 19 February, be approved.

Notes:

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

52. RATING AND VALUATION**Simon Hoare**

That the draft Non-Domestic Rating (Rates Retention: Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 19 February, be approved.

Notes:

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

53. NORTHERN IRELAND**The Prime Minister****Secretary Chris Heaton-Harris****The Chancellor of the Exchequer****Secretary Alex Chalk**

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Secretary Michael Gove

Secretary David T C Davies

Secretary Alister Jack The Attorney General
Laura Trott

That an humble address be presented to His Majesty welcoming the return of the devolved institutions in Northern Ireland, re-affirming the importance of upholding the Belfast (Good Friday) Agreement 1998 in all its strands, acknowledging the foundational importance of the Acts of Union 1800, including the economic provisions under Article 6 of those Acts, and recognising that, consistent with section 23(1) of the Northern Ireland Act 1998, executive power in Northern Ireland shall continue to be vested in His Majesty, and that joint authority is not provided for in the Belfast (Good Friday) Agreement 1998 in respect of the UK and Irish Governments.