

Wednesday 13 March 2024 Order Paper No.64: Part 1

SUMMARY AGENDA: CHAMBER

11.30am

Prayers

Afterwards

Oral Questions: Wales

12 noon

Oral Questions: Prime Minister

12.30pm

Urgent Question:

 Government's plan to build new gas-fired power stations (Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero)

Ministerial Statements, including on:

 Update on Post Office Legislation (Minister for Enterprise, Markets and Small Business)

No debate

Presentation of Bills

Up to 20 minutes

Ten Minute Rule Motion: Sites of special scientific interest (designation) (Derek Thomas)

Up to three hours

National Insurance Contributions (Reductions in Rates) (No. 2) Bill: Allocation of Time (Motion)

Up to three hours from the start of proceedings on the National Insurance Contributions (Reductions in Rates) (No. 2) Bill: Allocation of Time motion* National Insurance Contributions (Reductions in Rates) (No. 2) Bill: Second Reading

(*if the National Insurance Contributions (Reductions in Rates) (No. 2) Bill: Allocation of Time motion is agreed to)

Followed by

Motion without separate debate:

Money

Up to four hours from the start of proceedings on the National Insurance Contributions (Reductions in Rates) (No. 2) Bill: Allocation of Time

motion*

National Insurance Contributions (Reductions in Rates) (No. 2) Bill: Committee and Remaining Stages

(*if the National Insurance Contributions (Reductions in Rates) (No. 2) Bill: Allocation of Time motion is agreed to)

No debate | Statutory Instruments (Motions for approval)

No debate | Presentation of Public Petitions

Until 7.30pm or for half an hour Adjournment Debate: Review into the presumption of parental involvement in child arrangements (Kate Kniveton)

WESTMINSTER HALL

9.30am Reform of the planning system
11.00am Duty solicitor scheme
2.30pm Gambling advertising in sport
4.00pm Impact of 5G mast installations on communities in Greater Manchester
4.30pm Children's cancer care in the South East

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BUSINESS TODAY: CHAMBER

11.30am Prayers

Followed by

QUESTIONS

Oral Questions to the Secretary of State for Wales

1 Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi (Slough)

What recent discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues on the cost of living in Wales. (901882)

2 Stephen Crabb (Preseli Pembrokeshire)

What assessment he has made of the potential impact of the Spring Budget 2024 on businesses in Wales. (901883)

3 Jonathan Edwards (Carmarthen East and Dinefwr)

What discussions he has had with the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero and the Welsh Government on electricity transmission and distribution policy. (901884)

4 Ben Lake (Ceredigion)

What recent discussions he has had with the Chancellor of the Exchequer on supporting rural areas in Wales with the cost of living. (901886)

5 Richard Thomson (Gordon)

What recent assessment he has made of the impact of increases in the cost of living on people in Wales. (901887)

6 Jerome Mayhew (Broadland)

What discussions he has had with the Welsh Government on the adequacy of healthcare services in Wales. (901889)

7 Marco Longhi (Dudley North)

What discussions he has had with the Welsh Government on the Independent Commission's final report on the Constitutional Future of Wales. (901891)

8 Dr Luke Evans (Bosworth)

What recent discussions he has had with the Welsh Government on support for farmers in Wales. (901892)

9 Mary Glindon (North Tyneside)

What recent discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues on the future of the steelmaking industry in Wales? (901893)

10 Chris Law (Dundee West)

What recent assessment he has made of the strength of the Union. (901894)

At 12 noon

- Oral Questions to the Prime Minister
- Q1 Afzal Khan (Manchester, Gorton)
 If he will list his official engagements for Wednesday 13 March. (902003)
- Q2 Janet Daby (Lewisham East) (902004)
- Q3 Liz Saville Roberts (Dwyfor Meirionnydd) (902005)
- Q4 Mr Tobias Ellwood (Bournemouth East) (902006)
- Q5 Marsha De Cordova (Battersea) (902007)
- Q6 Richard Graham (Gloucester) (902008)
- Q7 Will Quince (Colchester) (902009)
- Q8 Miriam Cates (Penistone and Stocksbridge) (902010)
- Q9 Patrick Grady (Glasgow North) (902011)
- Q10 Sarah Olney (Richmond Park) (902012)
- Q11 Rachael Maskell (York Central) (902013)
- Q12 Sarah Dyke (Somerton and Frome) (902014)
- Q13 Andy Slaughter (Hammersmith) (902015)
- Q14 Chi Onwurah (Newcastle upon Tyne Central) (902016)
- Q15 Tahir Ali (Birmingham, Hall Green) (902017)

URGENT QUESTIONS AND STATEMENTS

12.30pm

Urgent Question:

 To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero if she will make a statement on the Government's plan to build new gas-fired power stations (Caroline Lucas)

Ministerial Statements, including on:

 Update on Post Office Legislation (Minister for Enterprise, Markets and Small Business)

PRESENTATION OF BILLS

No debate (Standing Order No. 57)

Post Office (Horizon System) Offences

Secretary Kemi Badenoch

Bill to provide for the quashing of convictions in England and Wales for certain offences alleged to have been committed while the Horizon system was in use by the Post Office; to make provision about the deletion of cautions given in England and Wales for such offences; and for connected purposes.

BUSINESS OF THE DAY

1. SITES OF SPECIAL SCIENTIFIC INTEREST (DESIGNATION): TEN MINUTE RULE MOTION

Up to 20 minutes (Standing Order No. 23)

Derek Thomas

That leave be given to bring in a Bill to transfer the power to designate sites of special scientific interest from Natural England to the Secretary of State; to make provision about the exercise of that power by the Secretary of State; and for connected purposes.

Notes:

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

2. NATIONAL INSURANCE CONTRIBUTIONS (REDUCTION IN RATES) (NO. 2) BILL: ALLOCATION OF TIME

Up to three hours (Standing Order No. 83)

The Chancellor of the Exchequer

That the following provisions shall apply to the proceedings on the National Insurance Contributions (Reduction in Rates) (No. 2) Bill:

Timetable

- (1) (a) Proceedings on Second Reading and in Committee of the whole House, any proceedings on Consideration and proceedings on Third Reading shall be taken at today's sitting in accordance with this Order.
 - (b) Proceedings on Second Reading shall (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to a conclusion three hours after the commencement of proceedings on the Motion for this Order.
 - (c) Proceedings in Committee of the whole House, 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 on the Motion for this Order.

Timing of proceedings and Questions to be put

- (2) When the Bill has been read a second time:
 - (a) it shall, despite Standing Order No. 63 (Committal of bills not subject to a programme order), stand committed to a Committee of the whole House without any Question being put;

- (b) proceedings on the Bill shall stand postponed while the Question is put, in accordance with Standing Order No. 52(1) (Money resolutions and ways and means resolutions in connection with bills), on any financial resolution relating to the Bill;
- (c) on the conclusion of proceedings on any financial resolution relating to the Bill, proceedings on the Bill shall be resumed and the Speaker shall leave the Chair whether or not notice of an Instruction has been given.
- (3) (a) On the conclusion of proceedings in Committee of the whole House, the Chair shall report the Bill to the House without putting any Question.
 - (b) If the Bill is reported with amendments, the House shall proceed to consider the Bill as amended without any Question being put.
- (4) For the purpose of bringing any proceedings to a conclusion in accordance with paragraph (1), the Chair or Speaker shall forthwith put the following Questions in the same order as they would fall to be put if this Order did not apply:
 - (a) any Question already proposed from the chair;
 - (b) any Question necessary to bring to a decision a Question so proposed;
 - (c) the Question on any amendment, new Clause or new Schedule selected by the Chair or Speaker for separate decision;
 - (d) the Question on any amendment moved or Motion made by a Minister of the Crown;
 - (e) any other Question necessary for the disposal of the business to be concluded; and shall not put any other questions, other than the question on any motion described in paragraph (15)(a) of this Order.
- (5) On a Motion so made for a new Clause or a new Schedule, the Chair or Speaker shall put only the Question that the Clause or Schedule be added to the Bill.
- (6) If two or more Questions would fall to be put under paragraph (4)(d) on successive amendments moved or Motions made by a Minister of the Crown, the Chair or Speaker shall instead put a single Question in relation to those amendments or Motions.
- (7) If two or more Questions would fall to be put under paragraph (4)(e) in relation to successive provisions of the Bill, the Chair shall instead put a single Question in relation to those provisions, except that the Question shall be put separately on any Clause of or Schedule to the Bill which a Minister of the Crown has signified an intention to leave out.

Consideration of Lords Amendments

(8) (a) Any Lords Amendments to the Bill may be considered forthwith without any Question being put; and any proceedings interrupted for that purpose shall be suspended accordingly.

- (b) Proceedings on consideration of Lords Amendments shall (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to a conclusion one hour after their commencement; and any proceedings suspended under sub-paragraph (a) shall thereupon be resumed.
- (9) Paragraphs (2) to (7) of Standing Order No. 83F (Programme orders: conclusion of proceedings on consideration of Lords amendments) apply for the purposes of bringing any proceedings to a conclusion in accordance with paragraph (8) of this Order.

Subsequent stages

- (10) (a) Any further Message from the Lords on the Bill may be considered forthwith without any Question being put; and any proceedings interrupted for that purpose shall be suspended accordingly.
 - (b) Proceedings on any further Message from the Lords shall (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to a conclusion one hour after their commencement; and any proceedings suspended under sub-paragraph (a) shall thereupon be resumed.
- (11) Paragraphs (2) to (5) of Standing Order No. 83G (Programme orders: conclusion of proceedings on further messages from the Lords) apply for the purposes of bringing any proceedings to a conclusion in accordance with paragraph (10) of this Order.

Reasons Committee

(12) Paragraphs (2) to (6) of Standing Order No. 83H (Programme orders: reasons committee) apply in relation to any committee to be appointed to draw up reasons after proceedings have been brought to a conclusion in accordance with this Order.

Miscellaneous

- (13) Standing Order No. 15(1) (Exempted business) shall apply to proceedings on the Bill.
- (14) Standing Order No. 82 (Business Committee) shall not apply in relation to any proceedings to which this Order applies.
- (15) (a) No Motion shall be made, except by a Minister of the Crown, to alter the order in which any proceedings on the Bill are taken, to recommit the Bill or to vary or supplement the provisions of this Order.
 - (b) No notice shall be required of such a Motion.
 - (c) Such a Motion may be considered forthwith without any Question being put; and any proceedings interrupted for that purpose shall be suspended accordingly.
 - (d) The Question on such a Motion shall be put forthwith; and any proceedings suspended under sub-paragraph (c) shall thereupon be resumed.
 - (e) Standing Order No. 15(1) (Exempted business) shall apply to proceedings on such a Motion.
- (16) (a) No dilatory Motion shall be made in relation to proceedings to which this Order applies except by a Minister of the Crown.
 - (b) The Question on any such Motion shall be put forthwith.

- (17) (a) The start of any debate under Standing Order No. 24 (Emergency debates) to be held on a day on which the Bill has been set down to be taken as an Order of the Day shall be postponed until the conclusion of any proceedings on that day to which this Order applies.
 - (b) Standing Order No. 15(1) (Exempted business) shall apply in respect of any such debate.
- (18) Proceedings to which this Order applies shall not be interrupted under any Standing Order relating to the sittings of the House.
- (19) (a) Any private business which has been set down for consideration at a time falling after the commencement of proceedings on this Order or on the Bill on a day on which the Bill has been set down to be taken as an Order of the Day shall, instead of being considered as provided by Standing Orders or by any Order of the House, be considered at the conclusion of the proceedings on the Bill on that day.
 - (b) Standing Order No. 15(1) (Exempted business) shall apply to the private business so far as necessary for the purpose of securing that the business may be considered for a period of three hours.

BUSINESS TO BE TAKEN AT 7.00PM

BUSINESS OF THE HOUSE

No debate (Standing Order No. 15(1))

The Prime Minister

That, at this day's sitting, proceedings on the motion in the name of the Chancellor of the Exchequer relating to the National Insurance Contributions (Reduction in Rates) (No. 2) Bill: Allocation of Time may be entered upon and proceeded with, though opposed, at any hour.

BUSINESS OF THE DAY

3. NATIONAL INSURANCE CONTRIBUTIONS (REDUCTION IN RATES) (NO. 2) BILL: SECOND READING

Up to three hours after the start of proceedings on the National Insurance Contributions (Reduction in Rates) (No. 2) Bill: Allocation of Time motion (if that motion is agreed to)

Caroline Lucas

That this House, while supporting the Government's stated aim of making the tax system fairer, declines to give the National Insurance Contributions (Reduction in Rates) (No. 2) Bill a Second Reading because it is highly regressive, the proposed reductions to National Insurance contributions being worth less than £50 a year for a person earning £15,000 from employment compared to around £750 a year for someone earning over £50,000, worsening existing inequalities at a time when lower-income households are struggling

with the cost of living, and because the majority of people in the UK believe that the Government should prioritise funding public services over cutting taxes.

Drew Hendry Stephen Flynn Kirsty Blackman Steven Bonnar Chris Stephens Owen Thompson

Ian Blackford **Pete Wishart Stewart Hosie** Hannah Bardell Mhairi Black Deidre Brock Amy Callaghan **Douglas Chapman** Alan Brown Joanna Cherry Ronnie Cowan Angela Crawley Martyn Day Martin Docherty-Hughes Dave Doogan Patricia Gibson Allan Dorans Marion Fellows Patrick Grady Peter Grant Chris Law

David LindenStewart Malcolm McDonaldStuart C McDonaldAnne McLaughlinJohn McNallyCarol MonaghanGavin NewlandsJohn NicolsonBrendan O'HaraKirsten OswaldMs Anum QaisarTommy SheppardAlyn SmithAlison ThewlissRichard Thomson

Dr Philippa Whitford

That this House declines to give a Second Reading to the National Insurance Contributions (Reduction in Rates) (No. 2) Bill because, while acknowledging that the measures in the Bill reduce the National Insurance Contributions (NIC) burden on some employees, it considers the Government should prioritise investment in public services spending over yet more cuts in spending which would be the result of lowering tax revenue by reducing NIC rates.

4. NATIONAL INSURANCE CONTRIBUTIONS (REDUCTION IN RATES) (NO. 2) BILL: MONEY

No debate (Standing Order No. 52(1)(a))

Nigel Huddleston

That, for the purposes of any Act resulting from the National Insurance Contributions (Reduction in Rates) (No. 2) Bill, it is expedient to authorise the payment out of money provided by Parliament of any increase in the sums payable under any other Act out of money so provided that is attributable to:

(a) reducing the main primary percentage for Class 1 primary national insurance contributions to 8% (and reducing the percentage specified in regulation 131 of the Social Security Contributions Regulations 2001 to 1.85%), and

(b) reducing the main Class 4 percentage for Class 4 national insurance contributions to 6%.

Notes:

King's Recommendation signified.

5. NATIONAL INSURANCE CONTRIBUTIONS (REDUCTION IN RATES) (NO. 2) BILL: COMMITTEE AND REMAINING STAGES

Up to four hours after the start of proceedings on the National Insurance Contributions (Reduction in Rates) (No. 2) Bill: Allocation of Time motion (if that motion is agreed to)

Notes:

For New Clauses relating to Committee of the whole House, see separate paper (also available on the publications webpage for the Bill).

6. LOCAL GOVERNMENT

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

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:

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

7. TRADE UNIONS

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

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:

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

8. SEA FISHERIES

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

Secretary Steve Barclay

That the draft Sea Fisheries (International Commission for the Conservation of Atlantic Tunas) (Amendment) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 12 December 2023, be approved.

Notes:

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

PRESENTATION OF PUBLIC PETITIONS

No debate or decision (Standing Order No. 153)

■ Immigration health surcharge: Martyn Day [R]

ADJOURNMENT DEBATE

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

Review into the presumption of parental involvement in child arrangements: Kate
 Kniveton

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 reform of the planning system: Sir Simon Clarke

11.00am

■ That this House has considered the duty solicitor scheme: Kevin Foster

Notes:

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

2.30pm

■ That this House has considered gambling advertising in sport: Ronnie Cowan

4.00pm

■ That this House has considered the impact of 5G mast installations on communities in Greater Manchester: Jim McMahon

4.30pm

■ That this House has considered children's cancer care in the South East: Munira Wilson

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

The Chancellor of the Exchequer

1. Post Office redress

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

Home Affairs Committee

Subject: Fraud

Witnesses: 9.30am: Mark Cheeseman OBE, Chief Executive, Public Sector Fraud Authority; Simon Fell MP, Prime Minister's Anti-Fraud Champion, Home Office; Nick Ephgrave QPM, Director of the Serious Fraud Office

10.30am: Rt Hon Tom Tugendhat MP, Minister for Security, and Duncan Tessier, Director of Economic Crime, Home Office; The Baroness Vere of Norbiton, Parliamentary Secretary, and Anna Harvey, Deputy Director (Payments and Fintech), HM Treasury

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

Welsh Affairs Committee

Subject: Prisons in Wales

Witnesses: 9.30am: Nicky Park, Director of Criminal Justice/Women's Services Development, St Giles Trust; Yvonne Thomas, CEO, The Clink

10.15am: Darren Burns, Director of Diversity & Inclusion, Timpson Group; Tony Hughes, Commercial Director, Williams Homes (Bala) Ltd; David Abraham, Managing Director, Fulcrum Scaffold Safety and Training Ltd

Room 5

9.00am (private), 9.30am (public)

Work and Pensions Committee

Subject: Norton pension schemes and the Fraud Compensation Fund

Witnesses: 9.25am: Sean Browes, Senior Trustee Representative, Dalriada Trustees Limited; Ben Fairhead, Partner, Arc Pensions Law

10.30am: Kristina Kicks, Joint Trustee in Bankruptcy of Mr Stuart Garner, Interpath Ltd; Lee Causer, Joint Liquidator of Norton, BDO UK

The Thatcher Room, Portcullis House 9.00am (private), 9.25am (public), 11.00am (private)

Science, Innovation and Technology Committee

Subject: UK Astronomy

Witnesses: 9.30am: Professor Gillian Wright CBE, Director, UK Astronomy Technology Centre; Dr Geraint Morgan, Academic, The Open University

10.15am: Adam Woodcraft, Research and Operations, QMC Instruments; Justin Byrne, Head of Earth Observation and Science, Airbus Defence and Space

11.00am: Ian Jones, Chief Executive Officer, Goonhilly Earth Station Ltd; Professor Manesh Anand, Professor of Planetary Science and Exploration and Deputy Head, School of Physical Sciences, Open University

Room 6

9.20am (private), 9.30am (public)

Energy Security and Net Zero Committee

Subject: Securing the domestic supply chain

Witnesses: 10.00am: Andy Reay, Head of Offshore Wind, Associated British Ports

10.30am: Alastair Evans, Director of Corporate and Government Affairs, Rolls -Royce SMR; Rich Everett, Group Head of Supply Chain, and Victoria Scott, Interim Chief Manufacturing Engineer, Rolls-Royce SMR

11.00am: Matthew Knight, Head of Market and Government Affairs, Darren Davidson, Vice President for UK&I, and Andrew Elmes, Head of Net Zero Business Development, UK&I, Siemens Energy

Room 15

9.30am (private), 10.00am (public)

Health and Social Care Committee

Room 7

9.30am (private)

Transport Committee

Subject: Future of transport data

Witnesses: 9.30am: Mr Ben Garratt, Deputy Director for Public Affairs, Logistics UK; Steve Freeman, Chairman, RailX; Chris Shirling-Rooke MBE, Chief Executive, Maritime UK

Room 16

9.30am (public)

Public Accounts Committee

Subject: DHSC Annual Report & Accounts 2022-23

Witnesses: 1.30pm: Sir Chris Wormald KCB, Permanent Secretary, Shona Dunn, Second Permanent Secretary, and Andy Brittain, Director General, Finance, Department of Health and Social Care; Professor Dame Jenny Harries, Chief Executive, UK Health Security Agency; Julian Kelly, Chief Financial Officer and Deputy Chief Executive, NHS England

The Grimond Room, Portcullis House 1.00pm (private), 1.30pm (public)

Energy Security and Net Zero Committee

Subject: Heating our homes

Witnesses: 2.00pm: Neil Lawrence, Director of Delivery, Neil Kenward, Director of Strategy, Economics, Research and Net Zero, and Laura Nell, Deputy Director for Policy and Scheme Development, Ofgem

3.00pm: Lord Callanan, Minister for Energy Efficiency and Green Finance, Department for Energy Security and Net Zero

Room 15

1.45pm (private), 2.00pm (public)

European Scrutiny Committee

Subject: Retained EU law: the progress and mechanics of reform

Witnesses: 2.30pm: Rt Hon Kemi Badenoch MP, Secretary of State, Chris Carr, Director, Smarter Regulation Directorate, and Gavin Lambert, Director General, Competition, Markets and Regulatory Reform Group, Department for Business and Trade

Room 16

1.45pm (private), 2.30pm (public)

Treasury Committee

Subject: Budget 2024

Witnesses: 2.15pm: Rt Hon Jeremy Hunt MP, Chancellor of the Exchequer, and William Macfarlane CBE, Director of Strategy, Planning ad Budget, HM Treasury

The Thatcher Room, Portcullis House 2.00pm (private), 2.15pm (public)

Procedure Committee

Room 7

2.30pm (private)

Committee of Selection

Room 13

4.30pm (private)

JOINT COMMITTEES

Human Rights

Room 8

2.45pm (private)

Statutory Instruments

Virtual meeting

3.40pm (private)

PUBLIC BILL COMMITTEES

■ High Streets (Designation, Review and Improvement Plan) Bill

To consider the Bill

Room 10

9.30am (public)

DELEGATED LEGISLATION COMMITTEES

■ Fifth Delegated Legislation Committee

To consider the draft Combined Authorities (Overview and Scrutiny Committees, Access to Information and Audit Committees) (Amendment) Regulations 2024

Room 9

9.25am (public)

Sixth Delegated Legislation Committee

To consider the draft Tertiary Education and Research (Wales) Act 2022 (Consequential Amendments) Order 2024

Room 11

2.30pm (public)

Seventh Delegated Legislation Committee

To consider the draft Occupational Pension Schemes (Funding and Investment Strategy and Amendment) Regulations 2024

Room 12 4.30pm (public)

■ Eighth Delegated Legislation Committee

To consider the draft Electricity Supplier Obligations (Excluded Electricity) (Amendment) Regulations 2024, the draft Energy-Intensive Industry Electricity Support Payments and Levy Regulations 2024, the draft Electricity Capacity (Supplier Payment etc.) (Amendment and Excluded Electricity) Regulations 2024, and the draft Renewables Obligation (Amendment) (Energy Intensive Industries) Order 2024

Room 9 4.30pm (public)

COMMITTEE REPORTS PUBLISHED TODAY

PUBLIC ACCOUNTS

■ 20th Report: Monitoring and responding to companies in distress: HC 425 Time of publication: 00.01am

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 19 to Tuesday 26 March (deadline Wednesday 13 March 7.00pm or the rise of the House, whichever is earlier)
- Monday 15 to Monday 22 April (deadline Wednesday 20 March 7.00pm or the rise of the House, whichever is earlier)
- Tuesday 23 to Monday 29 April (deadline Wednesday 17 April 7.00pm or the rise of the House, whichever is earlier)
- Tuesday 30 April to Thursday 2 May (deadline Wednesday 24 April 7.00pm or the rise of the House, whichever is earlier)
- Tuesday 7 to Monday 13 May (deadline Wednesday 1 May 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 26 March (deadline Monday 18 March 10.00pm or the rise of the House, whichever is earlier)

The following Departments will answer:

Business and Trade; Culture, Media and Sport; Energy Security and Net Zero; Home Office; Science, Innovation and Technology; Scotland; Transport; Treasury; Women and Equalities; Work and Pensions

Tuesday 16 and Wednesday 17 April (deadline Monday 25 March 10.00pm or the rise of the House, whichever is earlier)

The following Departments will answer:

Attorney General; Cabinet Office; Defence; Education; Environment, Food and Rural Affairs; Foreign, Commonwealth and Development; Health and Social Care; Justice; Levelling Up, Housing and Communities; Northern Ireland; Wales

■ Tuesday 23 and Wednesday 24 April (deadline Monday 15 April 10.00pm or the rise of the House, whichever is earlier)

The following Departments will answer:

Business and Trade; Culture, Media and Sport; Energy Security and Net Zero; Home Office; Science, Innovation and Technology; Scotland; Transport; Treasury; Women and Equalities; Work and Pensions

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



Wednesday 13 March 2024 Order Paper No.64: Part 2

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

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THURSDAY 14 MARCH

CHAMBER

QUESTIONS

	9.30am	Questions to the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural
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Affairs

■ 10.00am Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and

Rural Affairs

■ 10.10am Questions to the Attorney General

Afterwards

ESTIMATES DAY (1ST ALLOTTED DAY)

 Supplementary Estimate 2023–24: Department for Education (Subject for debate: the spending of the Department for Education on special educational needs and disabilities provision)

Nigel Huddleston

That, for the year ending with 31 March 2024, for expenditure by the Department for Education:

- (1) further resources, not exceeding £20,997,648,000, be authorised for use for current purposes as set out in HC 500,
- (2) the resources authorised for capital purposes be reduced by £304,572,000 as so set out, and
- (3) the sum authorised for issue out of the Consolidated Fund be reduced by £912,367,000.

Notes:

The subject for debate was determined by the House on the recommendation of the Liaison Committee (Resolution of 6 March).

The Question necessary to dispose of proceedings on the above Motion will be deferred until 5.00pm (Standing Orders Nos. 54 and 55).

Relevant Documents:

First Report of Education Committee, Ofsted's work with schools, HC 117, and the response from Ofsted, HC 624

Seventh Report of the Education Committee of Session 2023-23, Persistent absence and support for disadvantaged pupils, HC 970 and the Government response, HC 368

Oral and written evidence taken before the Education Committee on 28 March and 23 May 2023 on Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND), HC 1248

Written evidence from Minster for Children, Families and Wellbeing following the Committee's session on Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND), reported to the House on 5 September 2023, HC 1248 Correspondence from the Education Committee to the Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State for Children, Families and Wellbeing on Special Educational Needs and Disabilities on Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND) reported to the House on 19 September 2023, and correspondence from the Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State for Childrens, Families and Wellbeing to the Education Committee, on Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND), reported to the House on 19 October 2023

■ Supplementary Estimate 2023–24: Home Office (Subject for debate: the spending of the Home Office on asylum and migration)

Nigel Huddleston

That, for the year ending with 31 March 2024, for expenditure by the Home Office:

- (1) further resources, not exceeding £5,302,799,000, be authorised for use for current purposes as set out in HC 500,
- (2) further resources, not exceeding £578,474,000, be authorised for capital purposes as so set out, and
- (3) a further sum, not exceeding £3,400,000,000, be granted to His Majesty to be issued by the Treasury out of the Consolidated Fund and applied for expenditure on the use of resources authorised by Parliament.

Notes:

The subject for debate was determined by the House on the recommendation of the Liaison Committee (Resolution of 6 March).

The Question necessary to dispose of proceedings on the above Motion will be deferred until 5.00pm (Standing Orders Nos. 54 and 55).

ESTIMATES 2024–25 (NAVY) VOTE A

Secretary Grant Shapps

That, during the year ending with 31 March 2025, a number not exceeding 39,650 all ranks be maintained for Naval and Marine Service and that numbers in the Reserve Naval and Marines Forces be authorised for the purposes of Parts 1, 3, 4 and 5 of the Reserve Forces Act 1996 up to the maximum numbers set out in Votes A 2024–25, HC 529.

ESTIMATES 2024–25 (ARMY) VOTE A

Secretary Grant Shapps

That, during the year ending with 31 March 2025, a number not exceeding 97,710 all ranks be maintained for Army Service and that numbers in the Reserve Land Forces be authorised for the purposes of Parts 1, 3, 4 and 5 of the Reserve Forces Act 1996 up to the maximum numbers set out in Votes A 2024–25, HC 529.

ESTIMATES 2024–25 (AIR) VOTE A

Secretary Grant Shapps

That, during the year ending with 31 March 2025, a number not exceeding 35,800 all ranks be maintained for Air Force Service and that numbers in the Reserve Air Forces be authorised for the purposes of Parts 1, 3, 4 and 5 of the Reserve Forces Act 1996 up to the maximum numbers set out in Votes A 2024–25, HC 529.

ESTIMATES, EXCESSES 2022-23

Nigel Huddleston

That, for the year ending with 31 March 2023, resources, not exceeding £946,445,000, be authorised to make good excesses for use for current purposes as set out in the Statement of Excesses 2022–23, HC 502.

Notes:

The Committee of Public Accounts has reported that it sees no objection to the amount necessary being authorised by excess vote (Standing Order No. 55(2)(d)).

Relevant Documents:

Eighteenth Report of the Committee of Public Accounts, Excess Votes 2022–23, HC 589

SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES 2023–24

Nigel Huddleston

That, for the year ending with 31 March 2024:

- (1) further resources, not exceeding £3,319,371,000, be authorised for use for current purposes as set out in HC 447, HC 500, HC 531, HC 533, HC 575 and HC 587,
- (2) the resources authorised for capital purposes be reduced by £11,316,268,000 as so set out, and
- (3) a further sum, not exceeding £8,456,085,000, be granted to His Majesty to be issued by the Treasury out of the Consolidated Fund and applied to expenditure on the use of resources authorised by Parliament.

ESTIMATES, VOTE ON ACCOUNT 2024–25

Nigel Huddleston

That, for the year ending with 31 March 2025:

- (1) resources, not exceeding £373,672,234,000 be authorised, on account, for use for current purposes as set out in HC 446, HC 501, HC 549, HC 574, HC 576, HC 586 and HC 615,
- (2) resources, not exceeding £98,840,640,000, be authorised, on account, for use for capital purposes as so set out, and
- (3) a sum, not exceeding £386,454,679,000, be granted to His Majesty to be issued by the Treasury out of the Consolidated Fund, on account, and applied for expenditure on the use of resources authorised by Parliament.

Notes:

A Bill is to be brought in upon the Motions in the name of Nigel Huddleston relating to Excesses 2022–23, Supplementary Estimates 2023–24 and Vote on Account 2024–25, if they are agreed to by the House.

ADJOURNMENT DEBATE

Future of St Peter's Hospital, Maldon: Sir John Whittingdale

WESTMINSTER HALL

■ 1.30pm That this House has considered St Patrick's Day and the contribution

of the Irish diaspora to the UK: Rebecca Long Bailey [R], Dame Karen

Bradley [R]

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 15 MARCH

CHAMBER

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

Member in Charge: Selaine Saxby

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

■ 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

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

Member in Charge: Mrs Flick Drummond

■ Telecommunications Infrastructure (Consultation) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Dame Diana Johnson

Notes:

King's Consent to be signified on Third Reading.

Public Liability (Compulsory Insurance) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Mrs Natalie Elphicke

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Unpaid Trial Work Periods (Prohibition) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Stewart Malcolm McDonald

■ 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

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

Member in Charge: Sally-Ann Hart

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.

Licensing Hours Extensions Bill: Remaining Stages

Member in Charge: Mrs Emma Lewell-Buck

Not amended in Public Bill Committee, to be considered.

Notes:

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

Highways Act 1980 (Amendment) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Sir Christopher Chope

Covid-19 Vaccine Damage Payments Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Sir Christopher Chope

Notes:

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

Statutory Instruments Act 1946 (Amendment) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Sir Christopher Chope

Dangerous Dogs Act 1991 (Amendment) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Sir Christopher Chope

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

Member in Charge: Sir Christopher Chope

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

Member in Charge: Sir Christopher Chope

Notes:

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

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

Member in Charge: Sir Christopher Chope

■ NHS England (Alternative Treatment) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Sir Christopher Chope

Notes:

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

■ British Broadcasting Corporation (Privatisation) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Sir Christopher Chope

Notes:

King's Consent to be signified on Third Reading.

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

Member in Charge: Sir Christopher Chope

Regulatory Impact Assessments Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Sir Christopher Chope

■ Barnett Formula (Replacement) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Sir Christopher Chope

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

Member in Charge: Sir Christopher Chope

■ Illegal Immigration (Offences) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Sir Christopher Chope

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

Member in Charge: Sir Christopher Chope

Caravan Sites Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Sir Christopher Chope

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

Member in Charge: Maria Eagle

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

Member in Charge: Sir Christopher Chope

Conversion Practices (Prohibition) Bill: Adjourned debate on Second Reading[1 March]

Member in Charge: Lloyd Russell-Moyle

Relevant Documents:

Correspondence between the Petitions Committee and the Minister for Equalities, on conversion practices, reported to the House on 21 November and 14 December 2023 e-petition 613556, Ensure Trans people are fully protected under any conversion therapy ban e-petition 300976, Make LGBT conversion therapy illegal in the UK

Child Criminal Exploitation Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Sir Paul Beresford

ADJOURNMENT DEBATE

Contingency plans for Thames Water: Sarah Olney

MONDAY 18 MARCH

CHAMBER

QUESTIONS

2.30pm Questions to the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions

■ 3.15pm Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions

Afterwards

PROCEEDINGS ON THE SUPPLY AND APPROPRIATION (ANTICIPATION AND ADJUSTMENTS)
BILL

SAFETY OF RWANDA (ASYLUM AND IMMIGRATION) BILL: CONSIDERATION OF LORDS AMENDMENTS

ADJOURNMENT DEBATE

■ Cadet Expansion Programme: James Sunderland

WESTMINSTER HALL

■ 4.30pm That this House has considered e-petitions 630932 and 631529 relating to LGBT content in relationships education: Elliot Colburn, 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 19 MARCH

CHAMBER

QUESTIONS

11.30am Questions to the Chancellor of the Exchequer

■ 12.15pm Topical Questions to the Chancellor of the Exchequer

Afterwards

ILLEGAL AND UNSUSTAINABLE FISHING (DUE DILIGENCE): TEN MINUTE RULE MOTION

Chris Grayling

That leave be given to bring in a Bill to require suppliers and retailers of fish and related products to establish and implement due diligence systems to ensure that those products are not obtained from illegal or unsustainable fishing; and for connected purposes.

Notes:

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

TRADE (COMPREHENSIVE AND PROGRESSIVE AGREEMENT FOR TRANS-PACIFIC PARTNERSHIP) BILL [LORDS]: REMAINING STAGES

Not amended in Public Bill Committee, to be considered.

Notes:

Proceedings on Consideration shall (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to a conclusion one hour before the moment of interruption on the day on which those proceedings are commenced. Proceedings on Third Reading shall (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to a conclusion at the moment of interruption on that day (Order of 29 January). The Scottish Parliament has passed a legislative consent resolution relating to this Bill.

Relevant Documents:

Second Report of the Business and Trade Committee, UK accession to the Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for Trans-Pacific Partnership, HC 483

WESTMINSTER HALL

■ 9.30am That this House has considered tutoring provision: Munira Wilson

Notes:

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

■ 11.00am That this House has considered access to dentistry for cancer patients:

Andrew Western

Notes:

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

■ 2.30pm That this House has considered international support for Armenian

refugees from Nagorno-Karabakh: Carol Monaghan

4.00pm That this House has considered baby loss and the role of coroners: Tim

Loughton

■ 4.30pm That this House has considered Child Trust Fund access for people

seeking to manage the finances of others: Sir Jeremy Quin

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)).

PRESENTATION OF PUBLIC PETITIONS

■ Traffic congestion and road safety in Rother Valley: Alexander Stafford

WEDNESDAY 20 MARCH

CHAMBER

QUESTIONS

■ 11.30am Questions to the Minister for Women and Equalities

■ 11.53am Topical Questions to the Minister for Women and Equalities

■ 12 noon Questions to the Prime Minister

Afterwards

TEN MINUTE RULE MOTION

Debbie Abrahams

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.

WESTMINSTER HALL

■ 9.30am That this House has considered access to migraine treatment: Dehenna

Davison

■ 11.00am That this House has considered the conduct of elections: Wendy

Chamberlain

Notes:

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

■ 2.30pm That this House has considered the treatment of Ahmadi Muslims in

Pakistan: Elliot Colburn

■ 4.00pm That this House has considered public access to defibrillators: Jonathan

Gullis

4.30pm That this House has considered lessons learned from the Terance

Radford Prevention of Future Deaths Report: Lee Anderson

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 21 MARCH

CHAMBER

QUESTIONS

9.30am Questions to the Secretary of State for Transport

■ 10.15am Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Transport

WESTMINSTER HALL

3.00pm That this House has considered Easter, Christian culture and heritage:

Nick Fletcher

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 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

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:

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.

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

Member in Charge: Kevin Foster

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Whistleblowing Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Mary Robinson

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

Asylum Seekers (Permission to Work) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Chris Stephens

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Corporate Homicide Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Chris Stephens

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.

■ 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:

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

Member in Charge: Chris Stephens

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

MONDAY 25 MARCH

CHAMBER

QUESTIONS

2.30pm Questions to the Secretary of State for Defence

■ 3.15pm Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Defence

TUESDAY 26 MARCH

CHAMBER

QUESTIONS

■ 11.30am Questions to the Secretary of State for Justice

■ 12.15pm Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Justice

TEN MINUTE RULE MOTION

Paul Bristow

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 15 APRIL

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

TUESDAY 16 APRIL

CHAMBER

TEN MINUTE RULE MOTION

Theresa Villiers

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

Notes:

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

WEDNESDAY 17 APRIL

CHAMBER

TEN MINUTE RULE MOTION

Holly Lynch

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.

FRIDAY 19 APRIL

CHAMBER

Pet Abduction Bill: Remaining Stages

Member in Charge: Anna Firth

As amended in 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 Public Bill Committee, to be considered.

Notes:

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

Zoological Society of London (Leases) Bill: Remaining Stages

Member in Charge: Bob Blackman

Not amended in Public Bill Committee, to be considered.

Notes:

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

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:

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:

Higher Education (Student Finance and Skills Shortages) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Lia Nici

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Brain Tumours Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Dame Siobhain McDonagh

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.

FRIDAY 26 APRIL

CHAMBER

 Commonwealth Parliamentary Association and International Committee of the Red Cross (Status) Bill: Remaining Stages

Member in Charge: Dame Maria Miller

As amended in Public Bill Committee, to be considered.

Notes:

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

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

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

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

Member in Charge: Sir Christopher Chope

Notes:

■ 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.

■ Consular Assistance Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Christine Jardine

Notes:

A money resolution is required for this Bill to be proceeded with in Committee. King's consent to be signified on Third Reading.

■ Bereavement Support (Children and Young People) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Christine Jardine

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

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

Member in Charge: Richard Burgon

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:

Anonymity of Suspects Bill: Second Reading

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

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

Member in Charge: David Linden

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Senior Civil Service (Accountability and Appointment) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Giles Watling

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Public Sector Websites (Data Charges) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Simon Lightwood

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

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:

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.

■ Police (Declaration) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Tonia Antoniazzi

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Fertility Treatment (Employment Rights) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Nickie Aiken

Personal Protective Equipment at Work (Protected Characteristics) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Emma Hardy

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

FRIDAY 14 JUNE

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:

Clean Air (Human Rights) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Caroline Lucas

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Social Energy Tariff (No. 2) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Marion Fellows

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Mortgages (Switching) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Martin Docherty-Hughes

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:

Bill not yet printed.

Covid-19 Vaccine Damage Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Sir Christopher Chope

Notes:

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]

Member in Charge: Kim Johnson

Family Visas (Minimum Income) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Mr Alistair Carmichael

Notes:

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

Member in Charge: Kenny MacAskill

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Hereditary Titles (Female Succession) Bill: Adjourned debate on Second Reading [23 February]

Member in Charge: Harriett Baldwin

Notes:

King's Consent to be signified on Third Reading.

■ Military Action (Parliamentary Approval) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Richard Foord

Notes:

King's Consent to be signified on Third Reading.

High Income Child Benefit Charge (Review and Impact Assessment) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Wendy Chamberlain

Notes:

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. RENTERS (REFORM) BILL: REMAINING STAGES

As amended in 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.

3. 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.

4. 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.

5. 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).

6. 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.

7. 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.

8. 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.

9. 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.

10. 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.

11. 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.

12. 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.

13. PROCEEDS OF CRIME

Secretary James Cleverly

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.

14. 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.

15. EDUCATION

Secretary David T C Davies

That the draft Tertiary Education and Research (Wales) Act 2022 (Consequential Amendments) Order 2024, which was laid before this House on 22 January, be approved.

16. 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.

17. 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.

18. 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.

19. CRIMINAL JUSTICE BILL: REMAINING STAGES

As amended in 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 28 November 2023).

20. 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.

21. 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.

22. 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.

23. 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.

24. COMPANIES

Secretary Kemi Badenoch

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.

25. COMPANIES

Secretary Kemi Badenoch

That the draft Accounting Standards (Prescribed Bodies) (United States of America and Japan) (Amendment) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 21 February, be approved.

26. ENERGY

Secretary Claire Coutinho

That the draft Strategy and Policy Statement for Energy Policy in Great Britain, which was laid before this House on 21 February, be approved.

27. TRANSPORT

Secretary Mark Harper

That the draft Renewable Transport Fuel Obligations (Amendment) Order 2024, which was laid before this House on 21 February, be approved.

28. FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE TO INDUSTRY

Ms Nusrat Ghani

That this House authorises the Secretary of State to undertake to pay, and to pay by way of financial assistance under section 8 of the Industrial Development Act 1982, a grant or grants exceeding £30 million and up to a total of £75 million to BMW to support the production of electric Minis at Plant Oxford.

29. FINANCIAL SERVICES AND MARKETS

Bim Afolami

That the draft Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (Disapplication or Modification of Financial Regulator Rules in Individual Cases) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 26 February, be approved.

30. INCOME TAX

Nigel Huddleston

That the draft Major Sporting Events (Income Tax Exemption) (2024 UEFA Champions League Final) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 26 February, be approved.

Notes:

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

31. PENSIONS

Paul Maynard

That the draft Occupational Pension Schemes (Funding and Investment Strategy and Amendment) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 26 February, be approved.

32. RETAINED EU LAW REFORM

Secretary Steve Barclay

That the draft Official Controls (Fees and Charges) (Amendment) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 26 February, be approved.

33. SANCTIONS

Anne-Marie Trevelyan

That the Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) (Amendment) Regulations 2024 (SI, 2024, No. 218), dated 26 February, a copy of which was laid before this House on 28 February, be approved.

Notes:

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

34. PEDICABS (LONDON) BILL [LORDS]: COMMITTEE AND REMAINING STAGES

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; and 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 28 February).

35. 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
- (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.
- (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 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
 - (c) a criminal trial has been concluded.";
- (3) 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.

Amendment (a)

Sir Christopher Chope

Philip Davies

Paragraph (1), line 1, leave out "approves" and insert "notes"

Amendment (b)

Sir Christopher Chope

Philip Davies

Paragraph (1), line 2, at end insert "and notes the correspondence between the Speaker and the Procedure Committee and the reservations expressed by that Committee to the House of Commons Commission proposals;"

Amendment (c)

Sir Christopher Chope

Philip Davies

Dr Thérèse Coffey

Sir William Cash

Sir Julian Lewis

Sir Edward Leigh

Paragraph (1) of the proposed Standing Order, line 1, after "information" leave out "about a Member who is subject to serious allegations relating to" and insert "about a Member who has been charged with"

Amendment (n)

Nigel Mills

Dr Thérèse Coffey

Paragraph (2) of the proposed Standing Order, line 2, at end insert "Mr Speaker may not appoint a member of the Cabinet or Shadow Cabinet to the Panel."

Amendment (d)

Sir Christopher Chope

Philip Davies

Paragraph (3) of the proposed Standing Order, line 1, leave out "will not" and insert "shall"

Amendment (e)

Sir Christopher Chope

Philip Davies

Paragraph (4) of the proposed Standing Order, line 1, leave out "will" and insert "shall"

Amendment (f)

Sir Christopher Chope

Philip Davies

Dr Thérèse Coffey

Sir William Cash

Sir Julian Lewis

Sir Edward Leigh

Paragraph (4) of the proposed Standing Order, line 2, leave out "alleged misconduct" and insert "charge"

Amendment (g)

Sir Christopher Chope

Philip Davies

Paragraph (6) of the proposed Standing Order, line 1, leave out "will" and insert "shall"

Amendment (h)

Sir Christopher Chope

Philip Davies

Leave out paragraph (8) of the proposed Standing Order

Amendment (i)

Sir Christopher Chope

Philip Davies

Paragraph (8) of the proposed Standing Order, line 1, after "Member" insert "who is subject to an existing voluntary agreement not to attend the Estate or who is"

Amendment (m)

Philip Davies

Sir Christopher Chope

Paragraph (8) of the proposed Standing Order, line 1, leave out "may apply for" and insert "is entitled to"

Amendment (o)

Nigel Mills

Paragraph (8) of the proposed Standing Order, line 1, leave out "may apply for" and insert "shall not be entitled to"

Amendment (p)

Nigel Mills

Paragraph (10) of the proposed Standing Order, line 1, leave out "The Panel may review its" and insert "The Speaker may convene a Panel to review the"

Amendment (j)

Sir Christopher Chope

Philip Davies

Paragraph (11) of the proposed Standing Order, line 2, after "not" leave out all words and insert "prejudice a fair trial on any criminal case against the Member."

Amendment (k)

Sir Christopher Chope

Philip Davies

Paragraph (12) of the proposed Standing Order, line 3, leave out subparagraph (b)

Amendment (I)

Sir Christopher Chope

Philip Davies

Leave out paragraph (4) and insert—

"() This Standing Order shall be of temporary effect until the Dissolution of this Parliament."

Relevant Documents:

Oral evidence taken before the Procedure Committee on 18 December 2023, on Commons scrutiny of Secretaries of State in the House of Lords, HC 338, Qq15-22 and 48-54

Correspondence between the Procedure Committee and Mr Speaker, on risk-based exclusions, reported to the House on 18 December 2023, 17 January and 29 January 2024

Correspondence from the Procedure Committee to the Leader of the House, on the exclusion of Members, reported to the House on 7 June 2023

36. AGRICULTURE

Secretary Steve Barclay

That the draft Fair Dealing Obligations (Milk) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 1 March, be approved.

37. MEDICINES

Secretary Steve Barclay

That the draft Veterinary Medicines (Amendment etc.) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 4 March, be approved.

Notes:

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

38. PLANT HEALTH

Secretary Steve Barclay

That the draft Plant Health (Fees) (England) and Official Controls (Frequency of Checks) (Amendment) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 4 March, be approved.

Notes:

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

39. ROAD TRAFFIC

Secretary Mark Harper

That the draft Goods Vehicles (International Road Transport Permits and Haulage Within the EU) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 4 March, be approved.

Notes:

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

40. REGULATORY REFORM

Secretary Kemi Badenoch

That the draft Economic Growth (Regulatory Functions) (Amendment) Order 2024, which was laid before this House on 6 March, be approved.

Notes:

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

41. INVESTIGATORY POWERS (AMENDMENT) BILL [LORDS]: REMAINING STAGES

As amended in Public Bill Committee, to be considered.

Notes:

Proceedings on Consideration shall (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to a conclusion on 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 19 February).

42. IMMIGRATION

Secretary James Cleverly

That the draft Immigration (Leave to Enter and Remain) (Amendment) Order 2024, which was laid before this House on 11 March, be approved.

Notes

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

43. FINANCE (NO. 2) BILL: SECOND READING