

FRIDAY 19 JULY 2024

NO.2

## Order Paper: Business Today & Future Business

### Summary Agenda: Chamber

9.30am	<p>Prayers</p> <p><a href="#">Ministerial Statments</a>, including on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>UK Covid-19 Inquiry Module 1 Report (Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster)</li><li>Israel-Gaza (Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs)</li></ul>
Until 2.30pm	<p><a href="#">King's Speech (Motion for an Address) (proposed subject for debate: Planning, the greenbelt and rural affairs)</a></p> <p>Adjournment Debate: No debate</p>

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

**BUSINESS TODAY: CHAMBER****9.30am Prayers****Followed by****URGENT QUESTIONS AND STATMENTS****Ministerial Statments, including on:**

UK Covid-19 Inquiry Module 1 Report (Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster)

Israel-Gaza (Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs)

**BUSINESS OF THE DAY****1. King's Speech (Motion for an Address): Adjourned Debate [18 July]****Until 2.30pm** ([Standing Order No. 11\(2\)\(b\)](#))

Proposed subject for debate: Planning, the greenbelt and rural affairs

That an humble Address be presented to His Majesty, as follows:

Most Gracious Sovereign,

We, Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Commons of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland in Parliament assembled, beg leave to offer our humble thanks to Your Majesty for the Gracious Speech which Your Majesty has addressed to both Houses of Parliament.

**Amendment (a)****Carla Denyer****Adrian Ramsay****Siân Berry****Ellie Chowns****Jeremy Corbyn****Liz Saville Roberts**

Ben Lake

Iqbal Mohamed

Ann Davies

Shockat Adam

Llinos Medi

Mr Adnan Hussain

At end add 'while welcoming the commitment to provide stability and restore public service in Government, respectfully regret that the Gracious Speech did not deliver an urgent transformative programme to tackle multiple challenges including the climate and nature emergencies, rebuilding crumbling public services, the crisis in social housing, and inequality; believe the Government's positive plan for GB Energy will be undermined by oil and gas extraction from Rosebank; call for a clear plan for meeting legally binding 2030 nature targets and ending river and sea pollution; also call for water utilities to be brought back into

public ownership; welcome the scrapping of the Rwanda scheme; further call for new safe and legal routes for refugees; call for an end to arms sales where there is a serious risk of use in breach of international law; urge the Government to fund councils to buy and build new energy-efficient council housing stock; also call for new powers for local authorities to control rents; further call for more investment in health and social care, NHS dentistry, schools, local government, and active and sustainable transport; also urge the Government to introduce legislation to create a fair electoral system and protect the NHS from privatisation; and call on the Government to scrap the two-child benefit limit immediately.'

#### **Amendment (b)**

**Shockat Adam**

**Ayoub Khan**

**Iqbal Mohamed**

**Mr Adnan Hussain**

**Carla Denyer**

**Adrian Ramsay**

Jeremy Corbyn

Siân Berry

At end add 'but respectfully regret that the Gracious Speech does not contain measures to properly address child poverty by failing to reverse the two-child benefit limit; note that the limit results in affected families not receiving £3,455 a year in Universal Credit for any third or subsequent child born after 5 April 2017 and that it has been estimated that by the end of this Parliament another 670,000 children will be affected if the limit is not lifted; recognise that half of affected families are headed by a single parent; further recognise that relative and absolute poverty has risen for poorer families with three or more children since the limit was introduced, which particularly affects Bangladeshi and Pakistani families; acknowledge that ending the two-child limit would remove an estimated half a million children from relative poverty and that, according to the Institute for Fiscal Studies, doing so is a relatively inexpensive option equivalent to just 3 per cent of the working-age benefit budget, or approximately the same as continuing to freeze fuel duty for this Parliament; and call on the Government to bring forward proposals to end the limit as soon as possible to show its intent to end child poverty in the UK.'

#### **Amendment (c)**

**Zarah Sultana**

**Imran Hussain**

**Apsana Begum**

**Richard Burgon**

**John McDonnell**

**Bell Ribeiro-Addy**

Ms Diane Abbott

Grahame Morris

Brendan O'Hara

Kim Johnson

Ayoub Khan

Ellie Chowns

Siân Berry

Ian Byrne

Nadia Whittome

Jeremy Corbyn

Ian Lavery

Shockat Adam

Iqbal Mohamed

Andy McDonald

Rebecca Long Bailey

Mary Kelly Foy

Carla Denyer

Claire Hanna

Adrian Ramsay

Jon Trickett

Mr Adnan Hussain

Liz Saville Roberts  
Ann Davies  
Sorcha Eastwood

Ben Lake  
Naz Shah

Llinos Medi  
Sorcha Eastwood

At end add ‘and submit that this House must work to uphold international law in Israel and Palestine; express horror at the deaths of more than 38,000 people in Gaza and 1,200 in Israel; note the widespread recognition of serious violations of international law in the conflict and the ruling from the International Court of Justice that Israel’s assault is plausibly in breach of the Genocide Convention; also note that United Nations experts have said that arms exports to Israel must stop, that countries such as Spain, Canada and the Netherlands have suspended arms exports, and that 56 per cent of the UK public support an arms sales ban; further note ongoing British arms exports to Israel; recall that previous governments, including those headed by Margaret Thatcher, Tony Blair and Gordon Brown, suspended arms exports to Israel; and therefore call on the Government to support an immediate ceasefire in Gaza and release of all hostages, to immediately recognise the state of Palestine, to restore funding for the United Nations Relief and Works Agency, to drop the challenge to the International Criminal Court’s jurisdiction in Gaza, and to immediately suspend export licences for arms transfers to Israel.’

#### **Amendment (d)**

**Stephen Flynn**  
**Liz Saville Roberts**  
**Jeremy Corbyn**  
**Colum Eastwood**  
**Carla Denyer**  
**Kirsty Blackman**

Pete Wishart  
Chris Law  
Seamus Logan  
Ann Davies  
Adrian Ramsay

Brendan O’Hara  
Dave Doogan  
Ben Lake  
Siân Berry  
Iqbal Mohamed

Stephen Gethins  
Graham Leadbitter  
Llinos Medi  
Ellie Chowns  
Mr Adnan Hussain

At end add ‘but respectfully regret that the Gracious Speech fails to include immediate measures to abolish the two-child limit to Universal Credit; recognise that this policy is pushing children into poverty; further recognise that 1.6 million children are currently impacted and maintaining this policy will result in 670,000 additional children suffering poverty by the end of this Parliament; believe that eradicating child poverty must be a primary priority for the newly-elected Government; and therefore call on the Government, as a vital first step in tackling child poverty, to immediately abolish the two-child limit.’

#### **Amendment (e)**

**Ben Lake**  
**Liz Saville Roberts**  
**Ann Davies**  
**Llinos Medi**  
**Carla Denyer**  
**Siân Berry**  
Ellie Chowns

At end add ‘but respectfully regret that the Gracious Speech fails to include measures to reform Wales’s fiscal framework; call for the replacement of the Barnett Formula with a needs-based formula to account for factors such as Wales’s poverty levels, levels of ill health and the percentage of children and retired people in the population; also call for the introduction of multi-year funding settlements for the Welsh Government in order to move away from the ad-hoc funding of public services and towards a framework which provides consistent, transparent, and fair funding for Wales; further call for a reformed fiscal framework to ensure that Wales receives full consequential funding from HS2 and other English infrastructure projects by mandating that Wales’s funding comparability factor for these and future projects is set at 100 per cent; call for an increase to the Welsh budget by £700 million to restore it to the level set during the 2021 spending review; and further call on the Government to outline how it will fulfil its manifesto promise of not returning to austerity given that its current spending plans could lead to real term cuts of £683 million in day-to-day spending in Wales and a five per cent cut in the Welsh Government’s capital budget by 2029.’

### **Amendment (f)**

**Kim Johnson**

**John McDonnell**

**Mrs Emma Lewell-Buck**

**Zarah Sultana**

**Mary Kelly Foy**

**Ian Lavery**

Nadia Whittome

Kate Osborne

Bell Ribeiro-Addy

Apsana Begum

Iqbal Mohamed

Ann Davies

Ms Diane Abbott

Claire Hanna

Rosie Duffield

Rebecca Long Bailey

Jon Trickett

Ian Byrne

Andy McDonald

Llinos Medi

Mr Adnan Hussain

Richard Burgon

Imran Hussain

Grahame Morris

Jeremy Corbyn

Ben Lake

Liz Saville Roberts

Mike Martin

Add at end ‘but respectfully regret that the Gracious Speech does not include measures to remove the two-child cap on benefits; note that it is widely considered by economists and civil society organisations that removing the two-child cap on benefits would be the single most cost effective and impactful policy to immediately alleviate child poverty levels in this country; and call on the Government to abolish the two-child cap on benefits, which would immediately lift 300,000 children out of relative poverty.’

## **ADJOURNMENT DEBATE**

No debate

## WRITTEN STATEMENTS

### STATEMENTS TO BE MADE TODAY

#### Secretary of State for Education

##### 1. Schools and teaching update

**Notes:**

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

## 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.

**Monday 2 to Monday 9 September (deadline Wednesday 24 July 7.00pm or the rise of the House, whichever is earlier)**

**Tuesday 10 to Thursday 12 September (deadline Wednesday 4 September 7.00pm or the rise of the House, whichever is earlier)**

**Monday 7 to Monday 14 October (deadline Wednesday 11 September 7.00pm or the rise of the House, whichever is earlier)**

### DEBATES IN WESTMINSTER HALL

There will be no Westminster Hall debates in the new Parliament until the debate on the King's Speech has concluded ([Standing Order No. 10\(2\)\(a\)](#)). The new rota for answering Departments will be published in the Order Paper as soon as it is available, and Members will be able to submit applications when that rota is published.

### ELECTION OF DEPUTY SPEAKERS

The ballot will take place on Tuesday 23 July between 10am and 1.30pm in Committee Room 8.

Nominations must be submitted in the Table Office between 10am and 5pm on Monday 22 July. Nomination forms are available in the Table Office and from the Vote Office but need not be used provided that the criteria in [Standing Order No. 2A](#) are met. To be valid, nominations must contain a brief signed statement made by the candidate declaring willingness to stand. This statement must be accompanied by the signatures of not fewer than six nor more than 10 Members. There are no requirements as to the party affiliations of these sponsoring Members.

No Member may sign more than three such statements of nomination. If any Member does so, that Member's signature will be invalidated for all nominations.

Candidates have the option of providing a 500-word supporting statement, which will be published online and in a booklet of candidates. These statements should be submitted by email to [pbohoc@parliament.uk](mailto:pbohoc@parliament.uk).



## FURTHER INFORMATION

### MPs' GUIDE TO PROCEDURE

The [MPs' Guide](#) to Procedure is available on the Parliamentary website and also in hard copy from the Vote Office

### 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/](http://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/cm5901/cmstords/so\\_829\\_05072024/so-2024i.pdf](https://publications.parliament.uk/pa/cm5901/cmstords/so_829_05072024/so-2024i.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





## Order Paper: 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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**A. CALENDAR OF BUSINESS****MONDAY 22 JULY****Chamber****King's Speech (Motion for an Address): Adjourned Debate**

Proposed subject for debate: Economy, welfare and public services

**Presentation of Public Petitions**

Water bills in Lancaster and Wyre: **Cat Smith**

**Adjournment Debate**

Government support for the aerospace industry in Northern Ireland: **Jim Shannon**

**TUESDAY 23 JULY****Chamber****Questions**

**11.30am** [Questions to the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care](#)

**12.15pm** [Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care](#)

**King's Speech (Motion for an Address): Adjourned Debate**

Proposed subject for debate: Immigration and home affairs

**Adjournment Debate**

Prevention of commercial sexual exploitation: **Tonia Antoniazzi**

**WEDNESDAY 24 JULY****Chamber****Questions**

**11.30am** [Questions to the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland](#)

**12 noon** [Questions to the Prime Minister](#)

**Motion to approve the [Global Combat Air Programme International Government Organisation \(Immunities and Privileges\) Order 2024](#)**

**General Debate on education and opportunity**

**At 7.00pm the House will be asked to agree Estimates**

**Adjournment Debate**

Flood defences in West Worcestershire constituency: **Dame Harriett Baldwin**

**THURSDAY 25 JULY**

**Chamber**

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**Questions**

**9.30am** [Questions to the Minister for the Cabinet Office](#)

**10.15am** [Topical Questions to the Minister for the Cabinet Office](#)

**Proceedings on the Supply and Appropriation (Main Estimates) Bill**

**Criminal Law**

**Secretary Shabana Mahmood**

That the draft [Criminal Justice Act 2003 \(Requisite and Minimum Custodial Periods\) Order 2024](#), which was laid before this House on 17 July, be approved.

**Notes:**

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

**Debate on motions on second jobs for Members of Parliament and to establish a House of Commons Modernisation Committee**

**Adjournment Debate**

Convention on Biological Diversity: **Barry Gardiner**

**FRIDAY 26 JULY**

**Chamber**

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**General Debate on making Britain a clean energy superpower**

**Adjournment Debate**

Government support for pharmacy provision in Hampton: **Munira Wilson**

**MONDAY 29 JULY****Chamber**

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**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

**Passenger Railway Services (Public Ownership) Bill: Second Reading**

**Adjournment Debate**

Road safety on the A1: **Alicia Kearns**

**TUESDAY 30 JULY****Chamber**

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**Questions**

**11.30am** Questions to the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs

**12.15pm** Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs

**Budget Responsibility Bill: Second Reading**

**Adjournment Debate**

Food security: **Sir John Hayes**

## 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. Constitutional Law

#### Secretary Jo Stevens

That the draft [Government of Wales Act 2006 \(Devolved Welsh Authorities\) \(Amendment\) Order 2024](#), which was laid before this House on 21 May, be approved.

#### Notes:

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