

THURSDAY 9 JANUARY 2025

NO.66

Order Paper: Business Today & Future Business

Summary Agenda: Chamber

9.30am	Prayers			
Afterwards	Oral Questions: Transport			
10.30am	Urgent Questions (if any)			
	Business Question			
	Ministerial Statements (if any)			
	General Debate on tackling violence			
Until				
Until 5.00pm	General Debate on tackling violence against women and girls			
5.00pm	against women and girls			
5.00pm Until	against women and girls Adjournment Debate: Provision of debt			

Westminster Hall

1.30pm Impact of conflict on women and girls

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Notes:

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

BUSINESS TODAY: CHAMBER

9.30am Prayers

Followed by

QUESTIONS

Oral Questions to the Secretary of State for Transport

- 1 Michael Wheeler (Worsley and Eccles)
 What financial support she is providing to local transport authorities and mayors. (902003)
- **2 Graham Leadbitter** (Moray West, Nairn and Strathspey) If she will review the UK's participation in the European Geostationary Navigation Overlay System programme. (902005)
- 3 Olly Glover (Didcot and Wantage)
 What steps she is taking to help improve road safety for vulnerable road users. (902006)
- **4 John Lamont** (Berwickshire, Roxburgh and Selkirk) What steps her Department is taking to help maintain roads. (902007)
- **5 Lewis Cocking** (Broxbourne)
 What steps she is taking to help prevent road closures when roadworks are not taking place. (902008) [R]
- 6 Sarah Owen (Luton North)
 What steps she is taking to help improve the accessibility of public transport. (902009)

7 Luke Murphy (Basingstoke)

What assessment she has made of the adequacy of the condition of local roads. (902010)

8 Gregor Poynton (Livingston)

What steps she is taking to support the use and production of sustainable aviation fuels. (902011)

9 Max Wilkinson (Cheltenham)

Whether she has made an assessment of the potential merits of compensation for rail passengers in Cheltenham due to the impact of the Old Oak Common station development. (902012)

10 Charlotte Cane (Ely and East Cambridgeshire)
What steps she is taking to increase railway capacity.
(902014)

11 Tom Hayes (Bournemouth East)

What steps she is taking to improve accessibility at Pokesdown railway station. (902015)

12 Edward Morello (West Dorset)

What assessment she has made of the potential impact of the regularity of bus services on vulnerable users in West Dorset constituency. (902016)

13 Warinder Juss (Wolverhampton West)

What assessment she has made of the adequacy of the condition of local roads. (902018)

14 Matt Vickers (Stockton West)

What funding her Department is providing for public transport projects in the North East. (902019)

15 Jen Craft (Thurrock)

What assessment she has made of the adequacy of the condition of local roads. (902020)

- **16 Gregory Stafford** (Farnham and Bordon)
 What steps her Department is taking to improve bus services in rural areas. (902021)
- **17 Emma Foody** (Cramlington and Killingworth)
 What assessment she has made of the adequacy of the condition of local roads. (902022)
- **18 John Whitby** (Derbyshire Dales)
 What steps she is taking to help improve local bus services. (902023)
- **19 Lillian Jones** (Kilmarnock and Loudoun)
 What steps she is taking to improve passenger rail performance. (902025)
- **20 Dr Neil Shastri-Hurst** (Solihull West and Shirley) What assessment she has made of the potential impact of increasing bus fares on customers. (902026)

At 10.15am

Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Transport

T1 Ben Obese-Jecty (Huntingdon)
If she will make a statement on her departmental responsibilities. (902028)

T2 Mr Joshua Reynolds (Maidenhead) (902030)

T3 Michelle Scrogham (Barrow and Furness) (902031)

T4 Grahame Morris (Easington**)** (902032)

T5 Freddie van Mierlo (Henley and Thame) (902034)

T6 John Slinger (Rugby**)** (902035)

T7 Graham Leadbitter (Moray West, Nairn and Strathspey) (902036)

T8 Robbie Moore (Keighley and Ilkley) (902037)

URGENT QUESTIONS AND STATEMENTS

10.30am

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Urgent Questions (if any)

Business Question to the Leader of the House

Ministerial Statements (if any)

BUSINESS OF THE DAY

1. General Debate on tackling violence against women and girls

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

The Prime Minister

That this House has considered the matter of tackling violence against women and girls.

ADJOURNMENT DEBATE

Until 5.30pm or for half an hour (whichever is later) (Standing Order No. 9(7))

Provision of debt advice services: Ms Stella Creasy

BUSINESS TODAY: WESTMINSTER HALL

ORDER OF BUSINESS

Up to three hours (Standing Order No. 10(1))

1.30pm

That this House has considered the impact of conflict on women and girls: **Alice Macdonald [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)).

WRITTEN STATEMENTS

STATEMENTS TO BE MADE TODAY

Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs

1. Use of sanctions to tackle irregular migration and organised immigration crime

Secretary of State for Northern Ireland

2. Commissioning of the Independent Review of the Windsor Framework

Notes:

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

COMMITTEES MEETING TODAY

Broadcasts of proceedings can be found at https://www.parliamentlive.tv/Commons

SELECT COMMITTEES

Public Accounts Committee

Subject: Crown Court backlogs

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

Witnesses:

10.00am Dame Antonia Romeo DCB (Permanent

Secretary at Ministry of Justice)

Jerome Glass (Director General, Courts and Access to Justice Policy at Ministry of Justice)

Nick Goodwin (Chief Executive at HM Courts and Tribunals Service)

Daniel Flury (Operations Director at HM Courts and Tribunals Service)

PUBLIC BILL COMMITTEES

Employment Rights Bill

Further to consider the Bill

Room 10 11.30am (public)

Tobacco and Vapes Bill

Further to consider the Bill

Room 14 11.30am (public)

Water (Special Measures) Bill [HL]

To consider the Bill

Room 9 11.30am (public)

Employment Rights Bill

Further to consider the Bill

Room 10 2.00pm (public)

Tobacco and Vapes Bill

Further to consider the Bill

Room 14 2.00pm (public)

Water (Special Measures) Bill [HL]

Further to consider the Bill

Room 9 2.00pm (public)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FORTHCOMING END OF DAY ADJOURNMENT DEBATES

Applications for 30-minute end of day adjournment debates should be made to the Table Office by 7.00pm or rise of the House, whichever is the earlier, on the Wednesdays listed below. Members can submit their application via MemberHub. The ballot takes place the day after the deadline. Members who are successful will be contacted by the Speaker's Office.

Tuesday 14 to Monday 20 January (ballot closed)

The ballot for Tuesday 14 to Monday 20 January is closed and will take place today.

Tuesday 21 to Monday 27 January (deadline Wednesday 15 January 7.00pm or the rise of the House, whichever is earlier)

Tuesday 28 January to Monday 3 February (deadline Wednesday 22 January 7.00pm or the rise of the House, whichever is earlier)

Tuesday 4 to Monday 10 February (deadline Wednesday 29 January 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. The ballot takes place the day after the deadline. Members who are successful will be contacted by the Speaker's Office.

Tuesday 21 and Wednesday 22 January (deadline Monday 13 January 10.00pm or the rise of the House, whichever is earlier)

The following Departments will answer:

Business and Trade; Culture, Media and Sport; Education; Foreign, Commonwealth and Development; Health and Social Care; Home Office; Justice; Northern Ireland; Science, Innovation and Technology; Wales

Tuesday 28 and Wednesday 29 January (deadline Monday 20 January 10.00pm or the rise of the House, whichever is earlier)

The following Departments will answer:

Attorney General; Cabinet Office; Defence; Energy Security and Net Zero; Environment, Food and Rural Affairs; Housing, Communities and Local Government; Scotland; Transport; Treasury; Women and Equalities; Work and **Pensions**

Tuesday 4 and Wednesday 5 February (deadline Monday 27 January 10.00pm or the rise of the House, whichever is earlier)

The following Departments will answer:

Business and Trade; Culture, Media and Sport; Education; Foreign, Commonwealth and Development; Health and Social Care: Home Office: Justice: Northern Ireland: Science, Innovation and Technology; Wales

Tuesday 11 and Wednesday 12 February (deadline Monday 3 February 10.00pm or the rise of the House, whichever is earlier)

The following Departments will answer:

Attorney General; Culture, Media and Sport; Energy Security and Net Zero; Environment, Food and Rural Affairs; Foreign, Commonwealth and Development; Home Office; Justice; Northern Ireland; Women and Equalities; Work and Pensions

Tuesday 25 and Wednesday 26 February (deadline Monday 10 February 10.00pm or the rise of the House, whichever is earlier)

The following Departments will answer:

Business and Trade; Cabinet Office; Defence; Education; Health and Social Care; Housing, Communities and Local Government; Science, Innovation and Technology; Scotland; Transport; Treasury; Wales

Tuesday 4 and Wednesday 5 March (deadline Monday 24 February 10.00pm or the rise of the House, whichever is earlier)

The following Departments will answer:

Attorney General; Culture, Media and Sport; Energy Security and Net Zero; Environment, Food and Rural Affairs; Foreign, Commonwealth and Development; Home Office; Justice; Northern Ireland; Women and Equalities; Work and Pensions

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/

WRITTEN STATEMENTS

Text of today's Written Statements: https://questionsstatements.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

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



THURSDAY 9 JANUARY 2025

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.

A. CALENDAR OF BUSINESS

MONDAY 13 JANUARY

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

Select Committee Statement on the Second Report of the Defence Committee, Developing AI capacity and expertise in UK Defence, HC 590 (Mrs Emma Lewell-Buck)

Presentation of Bills

Rural Crime (Strategy)

Ben Maguire

Bill to require the Secretary of State to establish a task force to produce a strategy for tackling rural crime; to require the Secretary of State to implement the strategy; and for connected purposes.

Backbench Business

Impact of food and diet on obesity

Dr Simon Opher

That this House has considered the impact of food and diet on obesity.

Notes:

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

Energy, Security and Net Zero Committee

Jessica Morden, on behalf of the Committee of Selection That Ms Julie Minns be discharged from the Energy, Security and Net Zero Committee and Mike Reader be added.

Welsh Affairs Committee

Jessica Morden, on behalf of the Committee of Selection That Aphra Brandreth be discharged from the Welsh Affairs Committee and Simon Hoare be added.

Adjournment Debate

Impact of sixth form college strikes in Sussex on students:

Alison Bennett

Westminster Hall

4.30pm That this House has considered e-petition 661407 relating to children's social media

accounts: Lewis Atkinson, 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 14 JANUARY

Chamber

Questions

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

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

Ten Minute Rule Motion: Community Energy (Review) Joe Morris

That leave be given to bring in a Bill to require the Secretary of State to conduct a review of the contribution of community energy to the Government's Clean Power 2030 mission.

Notes:

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

Renters' Rights Bill: 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 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 9 October 2024). King's Consent to be signified on Third Reading.

Westminster Hall

9.30am That this House has considered railway services in the South West: **Martin Wrigley**

Notes:

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

11.00am That this House has considered the impact of planned changes to agricultural property relief and business property relief on small businesses: **Graham Stuart**

Notes:

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

2.30pm That this House has considered the future

of coastguard search and rescue helicopter

services: Mr Alistair Carmichael

4.00pm That this House has considered the matter of

parking in town centres: Sonia Kumar

4.30pm That this House has considered financial support

for adoptive parents: Lisa Smart

Notes:

The debate at 4.30pm will last for up to an hour. The sitting will be suspended and time added if divisions take place in the main Chamber (Standing Order No. 10(3)).

WEDNESDAY 15 JANUARY

Chamber

Questions

11.30am Questions to the Secretary of State for Northern

Ireland

12 noon Questions to the Prime Minister

Ten Minute Rule Motion: Youth Mobility Scheme (EU **Countries**)

James MacCleary

That leave be given to bring in a Bill to require the Secretary of State to enter into negotiations with countries which are members of the European Union for the purpose of extending the Youth Mobility Scheme to applicants from those countries on a reciprocal basis; and for connected purposes.

Notes:

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

Non-Domestic Rating (Multipliers and Private Schools) **Bill: Remaining Stages**

Not amended in Public Bill Committee, to be considered.

Notes:

Proceedings on Consideration will (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to a conclusion one hour before the moment of interruption on the day on which those proceedings are commenced; and proceedings on Third Reading shall (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to a conclusion at the moment of interruption on that day (Order of 25 November 2024).

Westminster Hall

9.30am That this House has considered water quality in

rivers, lakes and seas: Catherine Fookes

11.00am That this House has considered Government

support for town centres in Stoke-on-Trent:

Gareth Snell

Notes:

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

2.30pm That this House has considered compensation

for women affected by changes to the State

Pension age: Sir John Hayes

4.00pm That this House has considered nature-based

solutions for farmland flooding: Jerome

Mayhew

4.30pm That this House has considered the UK

submarine fleet: Graeme Downie

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 16 JANUARY

Chamber

Questions

9.30am Questions to the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport

10.00am Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport

10.10am Questions to the Church Commissioners, House of Commons Commission, Restoration and Renewal Client Board and Speaker's Committee on the Electoral Commission

Environmental Protection

Secretary Steve Reed

That the draft Deposit Scheme for Drinks Containers (England and Northern Ireland) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 25 November 2024, be approved.

Business to be determined by the Backbench Business Committee (unallotted time)

Westminster Hall

1.30pm That this House has considered Government support for the marine renewables industry: Mr
Alistair Carmichael

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 17 JANUARY

Chamber

New Homes (Solar Generation) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Max Wilkinson

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

If proceedings on this Bill end before 2.30pm, the second Bill and, possibly, subsequent Bills may be debated in the time remaining. After 2.30pm, only Bills which are unopposed may make further progress.

Licensing Hours Extensions Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Andrew Ranger

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Absent Voting (Elections in Scotland and Wales) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Tracy Gilbert

Notes:

Fireworks Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Sarah Owen

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Pension (Special Rules for End of Life) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Greg Smith

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Hunting Trophies (Import Prohibition) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: David Reed

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Strategic Litigation Against Public Participation Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Gregory Stafford

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Chalk Streams (Protection) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Sarah Green

Notes:

State-related Deaths (National Oversight Mechanism) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Carla Denyer

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Social Media (Access to Accounts) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Max Wilkinson

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Highways Act 1980 (Amendment) 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.

British Broadcasting Corporation (Privatisation) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Sir Christopher Chope

Notes:

Illegal Immigration (Offences) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Sir Christopher Chope

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Trade Agreements (Exclusion of National Health Services) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Seamus Logan

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Registration of Death (Religion) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Preet Kaur Gill

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Firearms (3D Printing) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Preet Kaur Gill

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Powers of Attorney Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Fabian Hamilton

Notes:

Animals in Medical Research (Prohibition) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Steve Race

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Treatment of Terminal Illness Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Dame Siobhain McDonagh

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Child Criminal Exploitation (No. 2) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Victoria Atkins

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Unauthorised Entry to Football Matches Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Linsey Farnsworth

Sale of Tickets (Sporting and Cultural Events) Bill: **Second Reading**

Member in Charge: Dr Rupa Huq

Vaccine Damage Payments Act (Review) 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.

Terminal Illness (Relief of Pain) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Sir Edward Leigh

Covid-19 Vaccine Damage Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Sir Christopher Chope

Rivers, Streams and Lakes (Protected Status) Bill: **Second Reading**

Member in Charge: Victoria Collins

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Marriage (Prohibited Degrees of Relationship) Bill: **Second Reading**

Member in Charge: Mr Richard Holden

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Listed Investment Companies (Classification etc) Bill [Lords]: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Lisa Smart

MONDAY 20 JANUARY

Chamber

Questions

2.30pm Questions to the Secretary of State for Housing,

Communities and Local Government

3.15pm Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for

Housing, Communities and Local Government

Westminster Hall

4.30pm That this House has considered e-petition 652602 relating to the income requirement for family visas: Irene Campbell, 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 21 JANUARY

Chamber

Questions

11.30am Questions to the Chancellor of the Exchequer

12.15pm Topical Questions to the Chancellor of the

Exchequer

Ten Minute Rule Motion

Katie White

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 the provision of Auditory Verbal Therapy: **Mrs Sharon Hodgson**

Notes:

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

WEDNESDAY 22 JANUARY

Chamber

Questions

11.30am Questions to the Secretary of State for Scotland

12 noon Questions to the Prime Minister

Ten Minute Rule Motion

Ms Julie Minns

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.

THURSDAY 23 JANUARY

Chamber

Questions

9.30am Questions to the Minister for the Cabinet Office

10.15am Topical Questions to the Minister for the Cabinet Office

Westminster Hall

That this House has considered the United 1.30pm

Nations International Day of Education: Bambos

Charalambous [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 24 JANUARY

Chamber

Climate and Nature Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: **Dr Roz Savage**

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

If proceedings on this Bill end before 2.30pm, the second Bill and, possibly, subsequent Bills may be debated in the time remaining. After 2.30pm, only Bills which are unopposed may make further progress.

Gambling Act 2005 (Monetary Limits for Lotteries) Bill: **Second Reading**

Member in Charge: Wendy Chamberlain

Bill not yet printed.

Pets (Microchips) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Rebecca Harris

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Building Regulations (Minimum Standards) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Manuela Perteghella

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Covid-19 Vaccine Damage Payments Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Sir Christopher Chope

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Anonymity of Suspects Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Sir Christopher Chope

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

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

Member in Charge: Sir Christopher Chope

Bill not yet printed.

Poly and Perfluorinated Alkyl Substances (Guidance) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Munira Wilson

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Horticultural Peat (Prohibition of Sale) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Sarah Dyke

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Palestine Statehood (Recognition) (No. 2) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Shockat Adam

Notes:

King's Consent to be signified on Third Reading.

Children's Hospices (Funding) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Ian Byrne

Elections (Proportional Representation) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Sarah Olney

Notes:

Domestic Abuse (Aggravated Offences) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Josh Babarinde

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

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

Member in Charge: Sarah Champion

Quantitative Easing (Prohibition) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Rupert Lowe

MONDAY 27 JANUARY

Chamber

Questions

2.30pm Questions to the Secretary of State for Education

3.15pm Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for

Education

Westminster Hall

4.30pm That this House has considered e-petition

657935 relating to speech and language

therapy: Dave Robertson, on behalf of the

Petitions Committee

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 28 JANUARY

Chamber

Questions

Questions to the Secretary of State for Justice 11.30am

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

Ten Minute Rule Motion

Stephen Flynn

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 29 JANUARY

Chamber

Questions

11.30am Questions to the Secretary of State for Wales

12 noon Questions to the Prime Minister

Ten Minute Rule Motion

Marsha De Cordova

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.

THURSDAY 30 JANUARY

Chamber

Questions

9.30am Questions to the Secretary of State for Business

and Trade

10.15am Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for

Business and Trade

MONDAY 3 FEBRUARY

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

Westminster Hall

4.30pm That this House has considered e-petition 638449 relating to career breaks for parents of seriously ill children: **Robbie Moore, 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 4 FEBRUARY

Chamber

Questions

11.30am Questions to the Secretary of State for Energy

Security and Net Zero

12.15pm Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for

Energy Security and Net Zero

WEDNESDAY 5 FEBRUARY

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

THURSDAY 6 FEBRUARY

Chamber

Questions

9.30am Questions to the Secretary of State for

Environment, Food and Rural Affairs

10.00am Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for

Environment, Food and Rural Affairs

10.10am Questions to the Solicitor General

MONDAY 10 FEBRUARY

Chamber

Questions

2.30pm Questions to the Secretary of State for Defence

3.15pm Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for

Defence

TUESDAY 11 FEBRUARY

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

WEDNESDAY 12 FEBRUARY

Chamber

Questions

11.30am Questions to the Secretary of State for Science,

Innovation and Technology

11.53am Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for

Science, Innovation and Technology

12 noon Questions to the Prime Minister

THURSDAY 13 FEBRUARY

Chamber

Questions

9.30am Questions to the Secretary of State for Transport

10.15am Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for

Transport

MONDAY 24 FEBRUARY

Chamber

Questions

2.30pm Questions to the Secretary of State for the Home Department

3.15pm Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for the Home Department

TUESDAY 25 FEBRUARY

Chamber

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

WEDNESDAY 26 FEBRUARY

Chamber

Questions

11.30am Questions to the Secretary of State for Northern

Ireland

12 noon Questions to the Prime Minister

THURSDAY 27 FEBRUARY

Chamber

Questions

9.30am Questions to the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport

10.00am Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport

10.10am Questions to the Church Commissioners, House of Commons Commission, Restoration and Renewal Client Board and Speaker's Committee on the Electoral Commission

MONDAY 3 MARCH

Chamber

Questions

2.30pm Questions to the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government

3.15pm Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government

TUESDAY 4 MARCH

Chamber

Questions

11.30am Questions to the Chancellor of the Exchequer

12.15pm Topical Questions to the Chancellor of the

Exchequer

WEDNESDAY 5 MARCH

Chamber

Questions

11.30am Questions to the Secretary of State for Scotland

12 noon Questions to the Prime Minister

THURSDAY 6 MARCH

Chamber

Questions

9.30am Questions to the Minister for the Cabinet Office

10.15am Topical Questions to the Minister for the Cabinet Office

FRIDAY 7 MARCH

Chamber

Protection of Children (Digital Safety and Data Protection) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Josh MacAlister

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

If proceedings on this Bill end before 2.30pm, the second Bill and, possibly, subsequent Bills may be debated in the time remaining. After 2.30pm, only Bills which are unopposed may make further progress.

Space Industry (Indemnities) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: John Grady

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Military Action Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Richard Foord

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

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

Member in Charge: Paul Holmes

Bill not yet printed.

Green Spaces Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Caroline Voaden

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Heritage Public Houses Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Mike Wood

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Nature-based Solutions (Water and Flooding) Bill: **Second Reading**

Member in Charge: Adrian Ramsay

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

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

Member in Charge: Sir Christopher Chope

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Dangerous Dogs Act 1991 (Amendment) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Sir Christopher Chope

Bill not yet printed.

Domestic Energy (Value Added Tax) 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:

Bill not yet printed.

Microplastic Filters (Washing Machines) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Alberto Costa

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Health and Safety at Work etc. Act 1974 (Amendment) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Liz Saville Roberts

Controlled Drugs (Procedure for Specification) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Alex McIntyre

Relevant Documents:

Third Report of the Home Affairs Committee of Session 2022–23, Drugs, HC 198, and the Government response, Session 2023–24, HC 127

Breast Cancer Screening (Review) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Wera Hobhouse

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Off-road Bikes (Police Powers) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Luke Akehurst

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

FRIDAY 14 MARCH

Chamber

Rare Cancers Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Dr Scott Arthur

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

If proceedings on this Bill end before 2.30pm, the second Bill and, possibly, subsequent Bills may be debated in the time remaining. After 2.30pm, only Bills which are unopposed may make further progress.

Free School Meals (Automatic Registration of Eligible Children) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Peter Lamb

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Arm's-Length Bodies (Review) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Sir Christopher Chope

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.

Debt Relief (Developing Countries) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Bambos Charalambous

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

E-scooters (Review and Awareness) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Jessica Morden

Notes:

FRIDAY 28 MARCH

Chamber

Water Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Clive Lewis

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

If proceedings on this Bill end before 2.30pm, the second Bill and, possibly, subsequent Bills may be debated in the time remaining. After 2.30pm, only Bills which are unopposed may make further progress.

Looked After Children (Distance Placements) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Jake Richards

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Homelessness Prevention Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Bob Blackman

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Domestic Building Works (Consumer Protection) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Mark Garnier

Bill not yet printed.

Exemption from Value Added Tax (Listed Places of Worship) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Sir Christopher Chope

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

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

Member in Charge: Sir Christopher Chope

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

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

Member in Charge: Sir Christopher Chope

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Vehicle Registration Documents (Sale of Vehicle) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Mr Richard Holden

Notes:

Special Envoy for Freedom of Religion or Belief Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Jim Shannon

Notes:

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

FRIDAY 25 APRIL

Chamber

Devolution (Immigration) (Scotland) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Stephen Gethins

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Battery Energy Storage Systems (Fire Safety) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Anna Sabine

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Plant Protection Products (Prohibition on Public Sector Use) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Siân Berry

Notes:

Climate Finance Fund (Fossil Fuels and Pollution) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Richard Burgon

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Meat (Information About Method of Killing) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Sir Christopher Chope

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Dogs (Protection of Livestock) (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Joe Morris

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Theft of Tools of Trade (Sentencing) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Amanda Martin

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Office of the Whistleblower Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Gareth Snell

Notes:

FRIDAY 16 MAY

Chamber

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

Member in Charge: Dr Luke Evans

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Secure 16 to 19 Academies Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Emma Foody

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Courts (Remote Hearings) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Oliver Ryan

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Bailiffs (Warrants of Possession) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Sir Christopher Chope

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

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

Member in Charge: Sir Christopher Chope

Bill not yet printed.

Football (Gender Inequality) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: James MacCleary

FRIDAY 13 JUNE

Chamber

Fur (Import and Sale) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Ruth Jones

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Access to Telecommunications Networks Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Helen Morgan

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Public Services (Targets) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Olly Glover

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Exemption from Value Added Tax (Public Electric Vehicle Charging Points) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Sir Christopher Chope

Bill not yet printed.

Public Sector Exit Payments (Limitation) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Sir Christopher Chope

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Support for Infants and Parents etc (Information) Bill [Lords]: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Ruth Jones

Notes:

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

FRIDAY 20 JUNE

Chamber

Short-term Let Accommodation Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Rachael Maskell

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Bullying and Respect at Work Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Rachael Maskell

Bill not yet printed.

Health Insurance (Exemption from Insurance Premium Tax) 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.

Domestic Abuse (Safe Leave) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Alex McIntyre

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

FRIDAY 4 JULY

Chamber

Company Directors (Duties) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Martin Wrigley

Notes:

National Cancer Strategy Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Clive Jones

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

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

Member in Charge: Christine Jardine

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Child Criminal Exploitation Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Sir Christopher Chope

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Regulatory Impact Assessments Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Sir Christopher Chope

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Aviation (Accessibility) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Daniel Francis

Notes:

FRIDAY 11 JULY

Chamber

Hospices and Health Care (Report on Funding) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Luke Taylor

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Bank of England (Inflation Targets) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Sir Christopher Chope

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

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

Member in Charge: Sir Christopher Chope

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Rough Sleeping (Decriminalisation) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Layla Moran

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Non-Disclosure Agreements Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Layla Moran

Bill not yet printed.

Palestine Statehood (Recognition) (No. 3) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Layla Moran

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Roadworks (Regulation) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Mr Mark Francois

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Carers and Care Workers Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Helen Morgan

Notes:

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

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.

Employment Rights (Special Constables) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Sir Ashley Fox

Educational Institutions (Mental Health Policy) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Helen Maguire

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

European Union (Withdrawal Arrangements) Bill: Adjourned debate on Second Reading [6 December]

Member in Charge: Jim Allister

Notes:

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

A ways and means resolution is required for this Bill to be proceeded with in Committee.

King's Consent to be signified on Third Reading.

Carbon Emissions from Buildings (Net Zero) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Ellie Chowns

Notes:

Bill not yet printed.

Building Regulations (Swift Bricks) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Ellie Chowns

Notes:

Water (Agricultural Pollution) Bill: Second Reading

Member in Charge: Ellie Chowns

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. Companies

Secretary Jonathan Reynolds

That the draft Reporting on Payment Practices and Performance (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 7 October 2024, be approved.

2. National Security

Secretary Yvette Cooper

That the draft National Security Act 2023 (Consequential Amendment of Primary Legislation) Regulations 2025, which were laid before this House on 29 October 2024, be approved.

3. Police

Secretary Yvette Cooper

That the draft Police Act 1997 (Authorisations to Interfere with Property: Relevant Offence) Regulations 2025, which were laid before this House on 29 October 2024, be approved.

4. Companies

Secretary Jonathan Reynolds

That the draft Unique Identifiers (Application of Company Law) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 31 October 2024, be approved.

5. Companies

Secretary Jonathan Reynolds

That the draft Registrar (Identity Verification and Authorised Corporate Service Providers) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 22 May 2024, in the last Parliament, be approved.

Banks and Banking Tulip Siddiq

That the draft Silicon Valley Bank UK Limited Compensation Scheme Order 2024, which was laid before this House on 6 November 2024, be approved.

7. Arbitration Bill [Lords]: Second Reading

Notes:

To be reported from a Second Reading Committee.
The Northern Ireland Assembly has approved a
Legislative Consent Resolution relating to this Bill.
Copies of the Resolution are available in the Vote Office (also available on the publications webpage for the Bill).

8. Bank Resolution (Recapitalisation) Bill [Lords]: Second Reading

9. Bank Resolution (Recapitalisation) Bill [Lords]: Ways and Means

Tulip Siddiq

That, for the purposes of any Act resulting from the Bank Resolution (Recapitalisation) Bill [Lords], it is expedient to authorise the imposition of charges for the purpose of meeting expenses incurred by the scheme manager of the Financial Services Compensation Scheme in connection with the recapitalisation of a financial institution.

10. Bank Resolution (Recapitalisation) Bill [Lords]: Money

Tulip Siddiq

That, for the purposes of any Act resulting from the Bank Resolution (Recapitalisation) Bill [Lords], it is expedient to authorise the payment out of the National Loans Fund of any sums payable out of the Fund by virtue of the Act.

Notes:

King's Recommendation signified.

11. Retained EU Law Reform

Secretary Steve Reed

That the draft Official Controls (Amendment) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 19 November 2024, be approved.

12. Local Government

Jim McMahon

That the draft Combined Authorities (Borrowing) and East Midlands Combined County Authority (Borrowing and Functions) (Amendment) Regulations 2025, which were laid before this House on 19 November 2024, be approved.

13. Energy

Secretary Ed Miliband

That the draft Clean Heat Market Mechanism Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 21 November 2024, be approved.

14. Agriculture

Secretary Steve Reed

That the draft Free-Range Egg Marketing Standards (Amendment) (England) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 21 November 2024, be approved.

15. Local Government

Jim McMahon

That the draft Devon and Torbay Combined County Authority Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 26 November 2024, be approved.

16. Local Government

Jim McMahon

That the draft Greater Lincolnshire Combined County Authority Regulations 2025, which were laid before this House on 11 December 2024, be approved.

17. Local Government

Jim McMahon

That the draft Hull and East Yorkshire Combined Authority Order 2024, which was laid before this House on 26 November 2024, be approved.

18. Local Government

Jim McMahon

That the draft Lancashire Combined County Authority Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 26 November 2024, be approved.

19. Energy

Secretary Ed Miliband

That the draft Heat Networks (Market Framework) (Great Britain) Regulations 2025, which were laid before this House on 28 November 2024, be approved.

20. Climate Change

Secretary Ed Miliband

That the draft Greenhouse Gas Emissions Trading Scheme (Amendment) Order 2025, which was laid before this House on 3 December 2024, be approved.

21. Environmental Protection

Secretary Steve Reed

That the draft Separation of Waste (England) Regulations 2025, which were laid before this House on 3 December 2024, be approved.

22. Retained EU Law Reform

Secretary Heidi Alexander

That the draft Airports Slot Allocation (Alleviation of Usage Requirements etc.) Regulations 2025, which were laid before this House on 4 December 2024, be approved.

23. Local Government

Jim McMahon

That the draft Hull and East Yorkshire Combined Authority Order 2025, which was laid before this House on 4 December 2024, be approved.

Notes:

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

24. Defence

Luke Pollard

That the draft Armed Forces (Court Martial) (Amendment No. 2) Rules 2024, which were laid before this House on 5 December 2024, be approved.

25. Companies

Secretary Jonathan Reynolds

That the draft Register of Overseas Entities (Protection and Trusts) (Amendment) Regulations 2025, which were laid before this House on 6 December 2024, be approved.

26. Public Procurement

Georgia Gould

That the draft Procurement Act 2023 (Consequential and Other Amendments) Regulations 2025, which were laid before this House on 12 December 2024, be approved.

Notes:

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

27. Broadcasting

Stephanie Peacock

That the draft Community Radio Order 2025, which was laid before this House on 10 December 2024, be approved.

Notes:

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

28. Betting, Gaming and Lotteries Stephanie Peacock

That the draft Gambling Act 2005 (Operating Licence Conditions) (Amendment) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 10 December 2024, be approved.

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

29. Betting, Gaming and Lotteries **Stephanie Peacock**

That the draft Gambling Levy Regulations 2025, which were laid before this House on 12 December 2024, be approved.

Notes:

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

30. Medicines

Andrew Gwynne

That the draft Medicines for Human Use (Clinical Trials) (Amendment) Regulations 2024, which were laid before this House on 12 December 2024, be approved.

Notes:

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

31. Space Industry

Secretary Heidi Alexander

That the draft Space Industry (Licence Exemption for Military Activities of Allies) Regulations 2025, which were laid before this House on 12 December 2024, be approved.

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

32. Armed Forces Commissioner Bill: 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 18 November 2024).

33. Electricity

Secretary Ed Miliband

That the draft Electricity Capacity (Amendment)
Regulations 2025, which were laid before this House on 16
December 2024, be approved.

Notes:

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

34. Energy

Secretary Ed Miliband

That the draft Energy Bill Relief Scheme and Energy Bills Discount Scheme (Amendment) Regulations 2025, which

were laid before this House on 16 December 2024, be approved.

Notes:

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

35. Electronic Communications

Secretary Peter Kyle

That the draft Online Safety Act 2023 (Category 1, Category 2A and Category 2B Threshold Conditions) Regulations 2025, which were laid before this House on 16 December 2024, be approved.

Notes:

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

36. Consumer Protection

Secretary Jonathan Reynolds

That the draft Digital Markets, Competition and Consumers Act 2024 (Consequential Amendments) Regulations 2025, which were laid before this House on 18 December 2024, be approved.

Notes:

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

37. Scrutiny of European Statutory Instruments Lucy Powell

That the following Standing Order shall be made

- 1. For the purposes of paragraph 17 of Schedule 7 to the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018 and paragraph 6 of Schedule 5 to the Retained EU Law (Revocation and Reform) Act 2023 the committee charged with considering draft instruments and related documents shall be the committee appointed under Standing Order No. 152 to examine the expenditure, administration and policy of the Department laying the draft instrument or, in respect of an instrument or document laid by a Minister in the Cabinet Office, the Public Administration and Constitutional Affairs Committee.
- 2. A committee considering such a draft instrument or related document shall have the assistance of the Counsel to the Speaker.
- 3. In its consideration of an instrument referred to in paragraph (1) the committee shall consider, in addition to such other matters as it deems appropriate, whether the draft instrument—
 - (a) contains any provision of the type specified in paragraph 1(2) of Schedule 7 to the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018 in relation to which the Act requires that a draft of the instrument must be laid before, and approved by a resolution of, each House of Parliament (the affirmative procedure);
 - (b) contains any provision of the type specified in

paragraph 5(2) of Schedule 5 to the Retained EU Law (Revocation and Reform) Act 2023 in relation to which the Act requires that a draft of the instrument must be laid before, and approved by a resolution of, each House of Parliament (the affirmative procedure);

(c) otherwise appears to make an inappropriate use of the negative procedure;

and shall report to the House if it is of the opinion that the negative procedure should not apply.

- 4. This Standing Order shall lapse—
 - (a) in so far as it relates to documents laid in accordance with paragraph 17(3)(b) of Schedule 7 to the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018 (and matters arising from the consideration of such documents), at the end of the period after which no more regulations may be made under section 23(1) of that Act;
 - (b) in so far as it relates to documents laid in accordance with paragraph 6(3)(b) of Schedule 5 to the Retained EU Law (Revocation and Reform) Act 2023 (and matters arising from the consideration of such documents), at the end of the period after which no more regulations may be made under Sections 11, 12, or 14 of that Act.

38. National Health Service

Andrew Gwynne

That the draft Health and Social Care Act 2008 (Regulated Activities) (Amendment) Regulations 2025, which were laid before this House on 6 January, be approved.

Notes:

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