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House of Commons

Thursday 22 May 2025

Votes and Proceedings

The House met at 9.30 am.

Prayers

1 Questions to (1) the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport

(2) the hon. Member representing the Church Commissioners, the hon. Member representing the House of Commons Commission and the hon. Member representing the Speaker's Committee on the Electoral Commission

**2 Urgent Question: School Teachers' Review
Body recommendations (Catherine
McKinnell)**

**3 Statement: Independent Sentencing Review
(Secretary Shabana Mahmood)**

4 Business Statement (Leader of the House)

**5 Data (Use and Access) Bill [Lords]:
Consideration of Lords Message**

Lords Amendment 49D

The Deputy Speaker announced that Lords Amendment 49D engaged Commons financial privilege.

Motion made and Question proposed, That this House disagrees with the Lords in their Amendment 49D.—(*Secretary Peter Kyle.*)

The House divided.

Ayes: 195 (Tellers: Keir Mather, Christian Wakeford)

Noes: 124 (Tellers: Charlie Maynard, Mr Will Forster)

Question agreed to.

Motion made and Question put forthwith (Standing Order No. 83H(2)), That a Committee be appointed to draw up Reasons to be assigned to the Lords for disagreeing to their Amendment 49D.

That Victoria Collins, Peter Kyle, Katrina Murray, Matthew Patrick, Dr Ben Spencer, Anna Turley and Steve Yemm be members of the Committee.

That Peter Kyle be the Chair of the Committee.

That three be the quorum of the Committee.

That the Committee do withdraw immediately.—(*Anna McMorris*.)

Question agreed to.

6 Business of the House (Today)

Ordered, That, at this day's sitting, notwithstanding the provisions of paragraphs (1) and (2) of Standing Order No. 22D relating to the scheduling of select committee statements, select committee statements on the Sixth Report of the Business and Trade Committee and the Third Report of the Joint Committee on Human

Rights may be made after the conclusion of proceedings on the Motion for this Order.—
(*Anna McMorris.*)

7 Select Committee Statements (Standing Order No. 22D)

(1) Publication of the Sixth Report from the Business and Trade Committee, How to strengthen UK-EU relations: Policy Priorities for the Summit, HC 908 (Liam Byrne)

(2) Publication of the Third Report from the Joint Committee on Human Rights, Legislative Scrutiny: Mental Health Bill, HC 601 (Peter Swallow)

8 Backbench Business (Unallotted day)

Access to NHS dentistry

Motion made and Question proposed, That this House has considered access to NHS dentistry.—(*Melanie Onn.*)

The Deputy Speaker announced a time limit on backbench speeches (Standing Order No. 47(1)).

Question put and agreed to.

9 Statement: Diego Garcia Military Base (Secretary John Healey)

10 Public petitions

A public petition from residents of the United Kingdom relating to the location of the Torbay and South Devon NHS out-of-hours Primary Percutaneous Coronary Intervention Services was presented and read by Caroline Voaden.

11 Adjournment

Subject: A66 Northern Trans-Pennine Project (Markus Campbell-Savours)

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.—
(*Vicky Foxcroft*.)

Adjourned at 6.16 pm until Monday 2 June
(Order, 3 February).

Other Proceedings

Changes to Notices Given

12Dentists (Indemnity Arrangements) Bill

Order for Second Reading on Friday 13 June, read and discharged.

Bill to be read a second time on Friday 11 July.

13A34 Slip Road Safety (East Ilsley and Beedon) Bill

Order for Second Reading on Friday 13 June, read and discharged.

Bill to be read a second time on Friday 11 July.

Reasons Committees: Reports

14Data (Use and Access) Bill [Lords]: Reasons Committee

Peter Kyle (Chair) reported that the Committee had agreed the following Reason:

Lords Amendment 49D

Because the Amendment would involve charges on public funds, and the Commons do not offer any further Reason, trusting that this Reason may be deemed sufficient.

General Committees: Reports

15Planning and Infrastructure Bill Committee

Wera Hobhouse (Chair) reported:

(1) written evidence submitted to the Committee;

(2) the Bill, as amended.

Written evidence to be published.

Bill, as amended, to be considered on Monday 2 June; and to be printed (Bill 250).

General Committees: Appointments

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

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

16Licensing Hours Extensions Bill Committee

Chair: Sir John Hayes

Members: Dame Diana Johnson discharged and Seema Malhotra nominated in substitution.

17Mental Health Bill [Lords] Committee

Chairs: Gill Furniss, Carolyn Harris, Sir Desmond Swayne and Martin Vickers

18 First Delegated Legislation Committee (draft Human Medicines (Amendments Relating to Hub and Spoke Dispensing etc.) Regulations 2025)

Chair: Graham Stuart

Members: Torcuil Crichton discharged and Chris Murray nominated in substitution.

19 Second Delegated Legislation Committee (draft Contracts for Difference (Miscellaneous Amendments) (No. 2) Regulations 2025)

Chair: Wera Hobhouse

Members: Rebecca Smith discharged and Rebecca Paul nominated in substitution.

20 Third Delegated Legislation Committee (draft Investigatory Powers (Codes of Practice, Review of Notices and Technical Advisory Board) Regulations 2025)

Chair: Esther McVey

21 Fourth Delegated Legislation Committee (draft Payment Services and Payment

Accounts (Contract Termination) (Amendment) Regulations 2025)

Chair: David Mundell

Select Committees: Reports

22Backbench Business Committee

Determination of business to be taken on Tuesday 3 June and Thursday 5 June in the Chamber and Tuesday 17 June and Thursday 19 June in Westminster Hall (Martin Vickers).

23Science, Innovation and Technology Committee

*Government Chief Scientific Adviser and
departmental Chief Scientific Advisers:*
Written evidence, to be published (HC 670)
(Chi Onwurah).

Sir Lindsay Hoyle

Speaker

Westminster Hall

The sitting began at 1.30 pm.

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

1 EU-UK summit

Motion made and Question proposed,
That this House has considered the EU-UK summit.—(*Ms Stella Creasy.*)

The sitting was suspended between 2.54 pm and 3.05 pm for a division in the House (Standing Order No. 10(3)).

Resolved, That this House has considered the EU-UK Summit.

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

Adjourned at 4.44 pm until Monday 2 June
(Order, 3 February).

Ms Nusrat Ghani

Chairman of Ways and Means

Papers Laid

Papers subject to Negative Resolution

1 Mauritius No. 1 (2025)

Agreement, done at London and Port Louis on 22 May 2025, between the Government of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the Government of the Republic of Mauritius concerning the Chagos Archipelago including Diego Garcia (by Command) (CP 1334), with an Explanatory Memorandum (by Act) (Secretary David Lammy)

Other papers

2 Armed Forces' Pay

Fifty-fourth Report of the Armed Forces' Pay Review Body (by Command) (CP 1330) (Secretary John Healey)

3 Climate Change

State of the Estate in 2023–24 (by Act)
(Georgia Gould)

4 Doctors' and Dentists' Remuneration

Fifty-third Report of the Review Body
on Doctors' and Dentists' Remuneration
(by Command) (CP 1321) (Secretary Wes
Streeting)

5 Education

Thirty-fifth Report of the School Teachers'
Review Body (by Command) (CP 1327)
(Secretary Bridget Phillipson)

6 Investigatory Powers

Report of the Investigatory Powers
Commissioner for 2023 (by Act), to be
printed (HC 603) (The Prime Minister)

7 Justice

Twenty-fourth Report of the Prison Service
Pay Review Body on England and Wales
(by Command) (CP 1331) (Secretary Shabana
Mahmood)

8 Modern Slavery

Report of the Independent Anti-Slavery
Commissioner for 2024–25 (by Act)
(Secretary Yvette Cooper)

9 National Health Service

Thirty-eighth Report of the NHS Pay Review
Body (by Command) (CP 1322) (Secretary
Wes Streeting)

10 Planning

(1) Initial proposal for a National Policy
Statement for Electricity Networks
Infrastructure (EN–5) (by Act) (Secretary Ed
Miliband)

(2) Initial proposal for a National Policy
Statement for Renewable Energy
Infrastructure (EN–3) (by Act) (Secretary Ed
Miliband)

(3) Initial proposal for an Overarching
National Policy Statement for Energy (EN–1)
(by Act) (Secretary Ed Miliband)

11 Political Parties, Elections and Referendums

Third Report in 2025 from the Speaker's Committee on the Electoral Commission on the Re-appointment of an Electoral Commissioner (by Act), to be printed (HC 934) (The Speaker)

12 Senior Salaries

Forty-seventh Report of the Review Body on Senior Salaries 2025: Report No. 98 (by Command) (CP 1329) (Georgia Gould)

SPEAKER'S CERTIFICATE

VOTING BY PROXY (STANDING ORDER NO. 39A)

(Variations to existing arrangements appear in **bold.**)

Member	From	To	Proxy
Apsana Begum	23 April	4 July	Zarah Sultana

CORRECTION

Wednesday 19 March 2025

Item 28 should have read:

Women and Equalities Committee

(1) *Equality at work: Miscarriage and bereavement leave: Government Response: First Special Report*, to be printed (HC 803);

(2) *Community cohesion*: Oral evidence, to be published (HC 340);

(3) *Equality at work: Paternity and shared parental leave*: Written evidence, to be published (HC 502);

(4) *Female genital mutilation*: Written evidence, to be published (HC 714);

(5) *Gendered Islamophobia*: Written evidence, to be published (HC 571);

(6) *The rights of older people*: Written evidence, to be published (HC 414)

(Sarah Owen).