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## House of Commons

Thursday 3 July 2025

### **Votes and Proceedings**

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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 and the hon. Member representing the House of Commons Commission**
- 2 Business Question (Leader of the House)**
- 3 Statement: 10 Year Health Plan for England (Secretary Wes Streeting)**
- 4 Select Committee Statement (Standing Order No. 22D): Publication of the Fourth Special Report of the Culture, Media and Sport Committee, British film and high-end**

## **television: Government Response, HC 1123 (Dame Caroline Dinenage)**

### **5 Backbench Business**

(1) Financial redress for 1950s women impacted by Department for Work and Pensions maladministration of State Pension age changes

Motion made and Question proposed, That this House notes the Parliamentary and Health Service Ombudsman's (PHSO) report on Women's State Pension Age, HC 638, published in March 2024, which found that maladministration in the Department for Work and Pensions (DWP) communication about the Pensions Act 1995 resulted in complainants losing opportunities to make informed decisions about some things and to do some things differently, and diminished their sense of personal autonomy and financial control; further notes that there will likely be a significant number of women born in the 1950s who have suffered injustice because of maladministration in DWP's communication about the Pensions Act 1995; and also notes that, given the scale of the impact of DWP's maladministration,

and the urgent need for a remedy, the PHSO took the rare but necessary step of asking Parliament to intervene, laying their report before Parliament under section 10(3) of the Parliamentary Commissioner Act 1967 and asked Parliament to identify a mechanism for providing appropriate remedy for those who have suffered injustice.—(*Rebecca Long Bailey.*)

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

Question put and agreed to.

(2) Mobile phone theft

*Resolved*, That this House has considered the matter of mobile phone theft.—(*Dawn Butler.*)

## 6 Adjournment

Subject: Impact of river crossings on Gravesham constituency (Dr Lauren Sullivan)

Motion made and Question proposed, That this House do now adjourn.—(*Keir Mather.*)

At 5 pm, the Motion lapsed (Standing Order No. 9(3)).

*Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.—  
(Keir Mather.)*

Adjourned at 5.25 pm until tomorrow.

## Other Proceedings

### *Changes to Notices Given*

#### **7 Water Bill: Adjourned Debate on Second Reading**

Order for resuming on Friday 4 July the adjourned Debate on the Question proposed on 28 March, That the Bill be now read a second time, read and discharged.

Debate to be resumed on Friday 12 September.

#### **8 Nature-based Solutions (Water and Flooding) Bill**

Order for Second Reading on Friday 4 July, read and discharged.

Bill to be read a second time on Friday 14 November.

## **9 Controlled Drugs (Procedure for Specification) Bill**

Bill, not amended, to be considered on Friday 11 July.

## **10 Ceramics (Country of Origin Marking) Bill**

Order for Second Reading on Friday 11 July, read and discharged.

Bill to be read a second time on Friday 12 September.

## **11 Breast Cancer Screening (Review) Bill**

Order for Second Reading on Friday 11 July, read and discharged.

Bill to be read a second time on Friday 29 May 2026.

## **12 Office of the Whistleblower Bill**

Order for Second Reading on Friday 11 July, read and discharged.

Bill to be read a second time on Friday 29 May 2026.

### **13 Building Regulations (Minimum Standards) Bill**

Order for Second Reading on Friday 11 July, read and discharged.

Bill to be read a second time on Friday 12 September.

### **14 Children's Hospices (Funding) Bill**

Order for Second Reading on Friday 4 July, read and discharged.

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

### **15 Food Products (Market Regulation and Public Procurement) Bill**

Order for Second Reading on Friday 4 July, read and discharged.

Bill to be read a second time on Friday 12 September.

## **16 Military Action Bill**

Order for Second Reading on Friday 4 July, read and discharged.

Bill to be read a second time on Friday 12 September.

## **17 State-related Deaths (National Oversight Mechanism) Bill**

Order for Second Reading on Friday 11 July, read and discharged.

Bill to be read a second time on Friday 5 December.

## **18 Carbon Emissions from Buildings (Net Zero) Bill**

Order for Second Reading on Friday 11 July, read and discharged.

Bill to be read a second time on Friday 12 December.

## **19 Building Regulations (Swift Bricks) Bill**

Order for Second Reading on Friday 11 July, read and discharged.

Bill to be read a second time on Friday 12 December.

## **20Water (Agricultural Pollution) Bill**

Order for Second Reading on Friday 11 July, read and discharged.

Bill to be read a second time on Friday 12 December.

## **21Listed Investment Companies (Classification etc) Bill [Lords]**

Order for Second Reading on Friday 11 July, read and discharged.

Bill to be read a second time on Friday 12 September.

## **22Statutory Adoption Pay (Report on Extension to the Self-Employed) Bill**

Order for Second Reading on Friday 11 July, read and discharged.

Bill to be read a second time on Friday 12 September.



## **23Child Abduction and Custody Act 1985 (Amendment) Bill**

Order for Second Reading on Friday 11 July,  
read and discharged.

Bill to be read a second time on Friday 12  
September.

## **24Equitable Life Policyholders (Compensation) Bill**

Order for Second Reading on Friday 4 July,  
read and discharged.

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

## **25New Homes (Solar Generation) Bill: Adjourned Debate on Second Reading**

Order for resuming on Friday 11 July the  
adjourned Debate on the Question proposed  
on 17 January, That the Bill be now read a  
second time, read and discharged.

Debate to be resumed on Friday 29 May  
2026.

## **26 Social Media (Access to Accounts) Bill**

Order for Second Reading on Friday 11 July, read and discharged.

Bill to be read a second time on Friday 29 May 2026.

## **27 Festivals Bill**

Order for Second Reading on Friday 11 July, read and discharged.

Bill to be read a second time on Friday 29 May 2026.

## **28 River Wye (Cleaning) Bill**

Order for Second Reading on Friday 4 July, read and discharged.

## **29 Criminal Injuries Compensation Authority (Review) Bill**

Order for Second Reading on Friday 4 July, read and discharged.

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

## *General Committees: Reports*

### **30Bus Services (No. 2) Bill [Lords] Committee**

Dame Siobhain McDonagh (Chair) reported:

(1) written evidence submitted to the Committee; and

(2) the Bill, as amended.

Written evidence to be published.

Bill, as amended, to be considered tomorrow; and to be printed (Bill 273).

## *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).*

**31 First Delegated Legislation Committee (draft Online Safety Super-Complaints (Eligibility and Procedural Matters) Regulations 2025)**

Chair: Sir John Hayes

Members: Jon Pearce discharged and Gregor Poynton nominated in substitution.

**32 Second Delegated Legislation Committee (draft Electricity and Gas (Energy Company Obligation) (Amendment) Order 2025)**

Chair: Graham Stringer

**33 Third Delegated Legislation Committee (draft Electricity Capacity (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2025)**

Chair: Martin Vickers

**34 Fourth Delegated Legislation Committee (draft Transport Act 2000 (Air Traffic Services) (Prescribed Terms) Regulations 2025)**

Chair: Sir Jeremy Wright

**35 Fifth Delegated Legislation Committee (draft Buckinghamshire Council, Surrey County Council and Warwickshire County**

## **Council (Housing and Regeneration Functions) Regulations 2025)**

Chair: Sir Edward Leigh

### *Select Committees: Reports*

#### **36 Backbench Business Committee**

Determination of business to be taken on Thursday 10 July in the Chamber and Tuesday 15 July and Tuesday 22 July in Westminster Hall (Bob Blackman).

#### **37 Public Accounts (Committee of)**

(1) *Government's use of private finance for infrastructure*: Thirty-ninth Report, to be printed, with the formal minutes relating to the Report (HC 821);

(2) *HS2: Update following the Northern leg cancellation*: Written evidence, to be published (HC 357)

(Sir Geoffrey Clifton-Brown).

*Sir Lindsay Hoyle*

Speaker

## Westminster Hall

The sitting began at 1.30 pm.

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

### 1 Future of music education

*Resolved*, That this House has considered the future of music education.—(*Bambos Charalambous*.)

### 2 Safeguarding children with allergies at school

*Resolved*, That this House has considered the matter of safeguarding children with allergies at school.—(*Chris Bloore*.)

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

Adjourned at 4.07 pm until Monday 7 July.

*Ms Nusrat Ghani*

Chairman of Ways and Means

## Papers Laid

### Papers subject to Affirmative Resolution

#### **1 Financial Services and Markets**

Draft Markets in Financial Instruments (Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2025 (by Act), with an Explanatory Memorandum (by Command) (Emma Reynolds)

### Papers subject to Negative Resolution

#### **2 Police**

Road Traffic Act 1988 (Police Driving: Prescribed Training) (Amendment) Regulations 2025 (SI, 2025, No. 792), dated 2 July 2025 (by Act), with an Explanatory Memorandum (by Command) (Secretary Yvette Cooper)

#### **3 Road Traffic**

Civil Enforcement of Parking Contraventions Designation (No. 2) (Amendment) and the

Civil Enforcement of Parking Contraventions Designation (County of Cambridgeshire) (Huntingdonshire District) Order 2025 (SI, 2025, No. 788), dated 30 June 2025 (by Act), with an Explanatory Memorandum (by Command) (Secretary Heidi Alexander)

### Other papers

## **4 Energy Security and Net Zero**

Department for Energy Security and Net Zero Minute, dated 3 July 2025, concerning an update to the notification of contingent liabilities relating to Carbon Capture, Usage and Storage Track-1 clusters (by Command) (Sarah Jones)

## **5 Government Resources and Accounts**

(1) Report, Accounts and Product Accounts of National Savings and Investments for 2024–25, with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General (by Act), to be printed (HC 1017) (Emma Reynolds)

(2) Report and Accounts of the Financial Services Compensation Scheme for 2024–25, with the Report of the Comptroller and



Auditor General (by Act), to be printed (HC 1035) (Emma Reynolds)

(3) Report and Accounts of the Veterinary Medicines Directorate for 2024–25, with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General (by Act), to be printed (HC 992) (Secretary Steve Reed)

(4) Report and Class Statements of the Financial Services Compensation Scheme for 2024–25, with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General (by Act), to be printed (HC 1037) (Emma Reynolds)

## **6 Government Trading Funds**

Report and Accounts of FCDO Services for 2024–25, with the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General (by Act), to be printed (HC 1033) (Catherine West)

## **7 Health and Social Care**

Fit for the Future: The 10 Year Health Plan for England (by Command) (CP 1350) (Secretary Wes Streeting)