

GOVERNMENT WHIPS' OFFICE
HOUSE OF LORDS

FORTHCOMING BUSINESS
24 MARCH 2021

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WEDNESDAY 24 MARCH 2021

Business in the Chamber at 12noon

1. Oral questions (*40 minutes*)
2. Domestic Abuse Bill – Third Reading – Baroness Williams of Trafford
3. Financial Services Bill – Report (day 1) – Earl Howe

Business in Grand Committee in Committee Room 2A at 2.30pm

1. Debate on the report *Coming Home* by the Archbishops' Commission on Housing, Church and Community, and the case for setting out a long-term housing strategy – The Archbishop of Canterbury/Lord Greenhalgh (*time limit 5 hours*)

THURSDAY 25 MARCH 2021

Business in the Chamber at 12noon

1. Oral questions (*40 minutes*)
2. Oral questions to the Minister of State at the Cabinet Office (*30 minutes*)
3. Counter-Terrorism and Sentencing Bill – consideration of Commons amendments – Lord Wolfson of Tredegar/Lord Stewart of Dirleton
Items 4, 5 and 6 will be debated together for up to 5 hours
4. Debate on a motion pursuant to section 99 of the Coronavirus Act 2020 – Lord Bethell & regret motion – Baroness Brinton
5. Health Protection (Coronavirus) (Wearing of Face Coverings in a Relevant Place and Restrictions: All Tiers) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 – motion to approve – Lord Bethell
6. Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (Steps) (England) Regulations 2021 – Lord Bethell (*time limit 5 hours*)

Business in Grand Committee in Committee Room 2A at 2.30pm

No business scheduled

***Easter adjournment:
Friday 26 March to
Sunday 11 April inclusive***

Wednesday 7 April

Last day to table amendments for the marshalled list for:
Financial Services Bill – Report (day 2)

Thursday 8 April

Last day to table amendments for the marshalled list for:
Overseas Operations (Service Personnel and Veterans) Bill – Report

Friday 9 April

Last day to table amendments for the marshalled list for:
Financial Services Bill – Report (day 3)

MONDAY 12 APRIL 2021

Last day to table amendments for the marshalled list for:
National Security and Investment Bill – Report

Business in the Chamber at 1.00pm

1. Oral questions (*40 minutes*)
2. Financial Services Bill – Report (day 2) – Earl Howe

Business in Grand Committee in Committee Room 2A at 2.30pm

No business scheduled

TUESDAY 13 APRIL 2021

Business in the Chamber at 12noon

1. Tributes to the outgoing Clerk of the Parliaments – Leader of the House
2. Oral questions (*40 minutes*)
3. Overseas Operations (Service Personnel and Veterans) Bill – Report – Baroness Goldie

Business in Grand Committee in Committee Room 2A at 2.30pm

1. Draft Greenhouse Gas Emissions (Kyoto Protocol Registry) Regulations 2021 – Lord Callanan (*time limit 1 hour*)
2. Draft Nuclear Safeguards (Fissionable Material and Relevant International Agreements) (EU Exit) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 – Lord Callanan (*time limit 1 hour*)
3. Draft Audiovisual Media Services (Amendment) Regulations 2021 – Baroness Barran (*time limit 1 hour*)

WEDNESDAY 14 APRIL 2021

Business in the Chamber at 12noon

1. Oral questions (*40 minutes*)
2. Financial Services Bill – Report (day 3) – Earl Howe

Business in Grand Committee in Committee Room 2A at 2.30pm

1. Labour party debate(s) (*time limit 5 hours*)

THURSDAY 15 APRIL 2021

Business in the Chamber at 12noon

1. Oral questions (*40 minutes*)
2. National Security and Investment Bill – Report – Lord Callanan

Business in Grand Committee in Committee Room 2A at 2.30pm

1. Draft Recognised Auction Platforms (Amendment and Miscellaneous Provisions) Regulations 2021 – Lord Agnew of Oulton (*time limit 1 hour*)
2. Common Organisation of the Markets in Agricultural Products (Wine) (Amendment, etc.) Regulations 2021 – Lord Gardiner of Kimble (*time limit 1 hour*)
3. Draft Plant Health etc. (Fees) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 – Lord Gardiner of Kimble (*time limit 1 hour*)

FRIDAY 16 APRIL 2021

Business in the Chamber at 11.00am

1. Prisons (Substance Testing) Bill – Second Reading – Baroness Pidding/Lord Wolfson of Tredegar
 2. Botulinum Toxin and Cosmetic Fillers (Children) Bill – Second Reading – Baroness Wyld/Lord Bethell
 3. Animal Welfare (Sentencing) Bill – Second Reading – Lord Randall of Uxbridge/Lord Goldsmith of Richmond Park
 4. Education (Guidance about Costs of School Uniforms) Bill – Committee – Baroness Lister of Burtersett/Baroness Berridge
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Information

Notes

- *This document informally advertises the business which the Government anticipates the House will take in the coming three weeks. It should be read together with the formal Order Paper produced by the Clerk of the Parliaments, available from the Printed Paper Office and www.parliament.uk/lords*
- *The advertised business on any day may be interrupted for a Ministerial statement*
- *The number of sessions shown for a stage of a bill represents the Government's assessment of reasonable time given the balance of bills and remaining days to the likely end of the session. Progress remains in the hands of the House. Report stage is usually half the length of Committee*

Recess dates

Subject to the progress of business, the House will be adjourned during the following period:

- *Easter: Friday 26 March to Sunday 11 April inclusive*

Sitting Fridays

The House is expected to sit on the following Friday: 16 April.

Questions for short debate

In line with paragraphs 58-66 of the *Guidance on Hybrid House and Hybrid Grand Committee from the Procedure and Privileges Committee (9th edition)*, four balloted questions for short debate will be asked on Thursday 22 April.

Advice on business

General inquiries

Email holgovernmentwhips@parliament.uk
Telephone 020-7219 3131
Website www.lordswhips.org.uk

Advice on the day's expected timing

Main Office; 020-7219 3131; Room 13

Grouping of amendments

Anishaa Aubeeluck; 020-7219 1113; Room 14

Scheduling private members' business

Ben Burgess; 020-7219 5215; Room 14

Speakers' lists

For all debates, questions and statements it is now necessary to sign-up in advance to speak. Once lists close the Government Whips' Office consults the usual channels about the order of speakers and then issues an ordered list. To see who has signed-up to speak visit www.lordswhips.org.uk/speakers-lists.

To sign-up to speak Telephone 020-7219 3131

Use www.lordswhips.org.uk/speakers-lists for debates and bills

Use <https://www.lordswhips.org.uk/oral-questions-1> for questions etc.

The following speakers' lists will open on Wednesday 7 April:

Tuesday 13 April	Draft Greenhouse Gas Emissions (Kyoto Protocol Registry) Regulations 2021
	Draft Nuclear Safeguards (Fissionable Material and Relevant International Agreements) (EU Exit) (Amendment) Regulations 2021
	Draft Audiovisual Media Services (Amendment) Regulations 2021 - Baroness Barran
Thursday 15 April	Draft Recognised Auction Platforms (Amendment and Miscellaneous Provisions) Regulations 2021
	Common Organisation of the Markets in Agricultural Products (Wine) (Amendment, etc.) Regulations 2021
	Draft Plant Health etc. (Fees) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2021

The following speakers' lists will open on Monday 12 April:

Friday 16 April	Prisons (Substance Testing) Bill - Second Reading
	Botulinum Toxin and Cosmetic Fillers (Children) Bill - Second Reading
	Animal Welfare (Sentencing) Bill - Second Reading

Participants lists for the amending stages of bills

Any member of the House may take part in the amending stages of bills, providing they have signed up to the relevant participants list in advance, and subject to practical limits on the number of members who can be set up to participate in a single sitting. Once the participants list has been published, on the working day before the stage, it will not be possible for further members to add their names, and thus to seek to take part in that day's debate on the bill. Full guidance has been issued by the Procedure Committee. Members can sign up here when the lists are opened: <http://www.lordswhips.org.uk/speakers-lists>

Monday 12 April	<i>Financial Services Bill – Report (day 2) – a participants list will be open between 10.00am and 6.00pm on Thursday 8 April</i>
Tuesday 13 April	<i>Overseas Operations (Service Personnel and Veterans) Bill – Report – a participants list will be open between 10.00am and 6.00pm on Friday 9 April</i>
Wednesday 14 April	<i>Financial Services Bill – Report (day 2) – a participants list will be open between 10.00am and 6.00pm on Monday 12 April</i>
Thursday 15 April	<i>National Security and Investment Bill – Report – a participants list will be open between 10.00am and 6.00pm on Tuesday 13 April</i>
Friday 16 April	<i>Education (Guidance about Costs of School Uniforms) Bill – Committee – a participants list will be open between 10.00am and 6.00pm on Wednesday 14 April</i>