

GOVERNMENT WHIPS' OFFICE  
HOUSE OF LORDS

FORTHCOMING BUSINESS  
15 SEPTEMBER 2021

*[Notes about this document are set out at the end]*

WEDNESDAY 15 SEPTEMBER 2021

**Business in the Chamber at 3.00pm**

1. Oral questions (*40 minutes*)
2. Environment Bill – Report (day 4 of 4) – Lord Goldsmith of Richmond Park
3. ‡ Questions on two oral statements – Lord Bethell (*dinner break business*)

**Business in Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 4.15pm**

No business scheduled

THURSDAY 16 SEPTEMBER 2021

**Business in the Chamber at 11.00am**

1. Oral questions (*40 minutes*)
2. Oral questions to the Minister of State at the Cabinet Office (*30 minutes*)
3. Balloted debate on the role of behaviour change in helping the UK to reach net zero carbon emissions by 2050, as set out in the report by the Climate Change Committee *Reducing UK emissions: 2020 Progress Report to Parliament* – Baroness Blackstone/Lord Callanan (*time limit 2½ hours*)
4. Topical QSD on the intergenerational impact of the proposed changes to social care funding – Baroness Greengross/Lord Bethell (*time limit 1 hour*)
5. Balloted debate on the case for enhancing the quality of government through the introduction of training in core leadership skills for ministers and senior civil servants – Lord Norton of Louth/Lord True (*time limit 2½ hours*)
6. Safeguarding (Code of Practice) Measure – motion to direct that the Measure be presented for Royal Assent – The Bishop of Blackburn

**Business in Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 1.00pm**

No business scheduled

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***Conference adjournment:  
Friday 17 September to  
Sunday 10 October inclusive***

**Thursday 7 October**

Last day to table amendments for the marshalled list for:

*Public Service Pensions and Judicial Offices Bill [HL] – committee (day 1)*

**Friday 8 October**

Last day to table amendments for the marshalled list for:

*Skills and Post-16 Education Bill [HL] – Report (day 1)*

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**MONDAY 11 OCTOBER 2021**

**Business in the Chamber at 2.30pm**

1. Oral questions (*40 minutes*)
2. Health and Social Care Levy Bill (*Supply and Money Bill*) – Second Reading (*and remaining stages*) – Lord Agnew of Oulton

**Business in Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 3.45pm**

1. Public Service Pensions and Judicial Offices Bill [HL] – committee (day 1 of 2) – Viscount Younger of Leckie

**TUESDAY 12 OCTOBER 2021**

Last day to table amendments for the marshalled list for:

*Environment Bill – Third Reading*

*Public Service Pensions and Judicial Offices Bill [HL] – Committee (day 2)*

**Business in the Chamber at 2.30pm**

1. Oral questions (*40 minutes*)
2. Skills and Post-16 Education Bill [HL] – Report (day 1 of 2) – Baroness Berridge
3. ‡ Regulation of Investigatory Powers (Criminal Conduct Authorisations) (Amendment) Order 2021 – regret motion – Baroness D’Souza/Baroness Williams of Trafford (*dinner break business*)

**Business in Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 3.45pm**

No business scheduled

## WEDNESDAY 13 OCTOBER 2021

### Business in the Chamber at 3.00pm

1. Oral questions (*40 minutes*)
2. Environment Bill – Third Reading – Lord Goldsmith of Richmond Park
3. Social Security (Uprating of Benefits) Bill – Second Reading – Baroness Stedman-Scott
4. Critical Benchmarks (References and Administrators' Liability) Bill [HL] – Second Reading – Lord Agnew of Oulton

### Business in Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 4.15pm

1. Debate on the report from the Communications and Digital Committee  
*Breaking News? The Future of UK Journalism* – Lord Gilbert of Panteg/Baroness Barran
2. Debate on the report from Common Frameworks Scrutiny Committee  
*Common Frameworks: building a cooperative Union* – Baroness Andrews/Lord True

## THURSDAY 14 OCTOBER 2021

Last day to table amendments for the marshalled list for:  
*Skills and Post-16 Education Bill [HL] – Report (day 2)*

### Business in the Chamber at 11.00am

1. Oral questions (*40 minutes*)
2. Debate on social care – Baroness Pitkeathley/Lord Bethell
3. A topical QSD may be taken (*ballot to be drawn on Tuesday 5 October, time limit 1 hour*)
4. Debate on producing a long-term regional strategy to tackle inequalities of place within England and the UK as a whole – Lord Liddle/Lord Greenhalgh
5. Free Trade Agreement between Iceland, the Principality of Liechtenstein and the Kingdom of Norway and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland – take note motion – The Earl of Kinnoull/Lord Grimstone of Boscobel

### Business in Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 1.00pm

1. Public Service Pensions and Judicial Offices Bill [HL] – committee (day 2 of 2) – Viscount Younger of Leckie

## FRIDAY 15 OCTOBER 2021

*The House is expected not to sit*

Last day to table amendments for the marshalled list for:  
*Telecommunications (Security) Bill – Report*

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### MONDAY 18 OCTOBER 2021

Last day to table amendments for the marshalled list for:

*Police, Crime, Sentencing, and Courts Bill – Committee (day 1)*

#### **Business in the Chamber at 2.30pm**

1. Oral questions (*40 minutes*)
2. Skills and Post-16 Education Bill [HL] – Report (day 2 of 2) – Baroness Berridge
3. ‡ Competition Act 1998 (Coronavirus) (Public Policy Exclusions) (Revocations) Order 2021 – regret motion – Lord Berkeley/Lord Callanan (*dinner break business*)

#### **Business in Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 3.45pm**

No business yet scheduled

### TUESDAY 19 OCTOBER 2021

#### **Business in the Chamber at 2.30pm**

1. Oral questions (*40 minutes*)
2. Compensation (London Capital & Finance plc and Fraud Compensation Fund) Bill – Second Reading (*and remaining stages*) – Viscount Younger of Leckie
3. Telecommunications (Security) Bill – Report – Baroness Barran
4. ‡ QSD on Iran and engaging on the Joint Comprehensive Plan of Action and the detention of dual nationals – Lord Dubs/Lord Ahmad of Wimbledon (*dinner break business, time limit 1 hour*)

#### **Business in Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 3.45pm**

No business yet scheduled

## WEDNESDAY 20 OCTOBER 2021

### Business in the Chamber at 3.00pm

1. Oral questions (*40 minutes*)
2. Police, Crime, Sentencing and Courts Bill – Committee (day 1 of 7) – Baroness Williams of Trafford/Lord Wolfson of Tredegar
3. ‡ QSD on the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic in Latin America – Baroness Coussins/Lord Ahmad of Wimbledon (*dinner break business, time limit 1 hour*)

### Business in Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 4.15pm

1. Debate on the report from the Science and Technology Committee *Ageing: Science, Technology and Healthy Living* – Lord Patel/Lord Bethell

## THURSDAY 21 OCTOBER 2021

Last day to table amendments for the marshalled list for:

*Police, Crime, Sentencing, and Courts Bill – Committee (day 2)*

### Business in the Chamber at 11.00am

1. Oral questions (*40 minutes*)
2. Oral questions to the Minister of State at the Cabinet Office (*30 minutes*)
3. Conservative party debate(s) to be confirmed
4. A topical QSD may be taken (*ballot to be drawn on Tuesday 12 October, time limit 1 hour*)

### Business in Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 1.00pm

No business yet scheduled

## FRIDAY 22 OCTOBER 2021

Last day to table amendments for the marshalled list for:

*Skills and Post-16 Education Bill [HL] – Third Reading*

*Social Security (Uprating of Benefits) Bill – Committee*

*Critical Benchmarks (References and Administrators' Liability) Bill [HL] – Committee*

### Business in the Chamber at 10.00am

1. Assisted Dying Bill [HL] – Second Reading – Baroness Meacher/Lord Wolfson of Tredegar
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## MONDAY 25 OCTOBER 2021

Last day to table amendments for the marshalled list for:

*Telecommunications (Security) Bill – Third Reading*

*Police, Crime, Sentencing, and Courts Bill – Committee (day 3)*

### **Business in the Chamber at 2.30pm**

1. Oral questions (*40 minutes*)
2. Skills and Post-16 Education Bill [HL] – Third Reading – Baroness Berridge
3. Police, Crime, Sentencing and Courts Bill – Committee (day 2 of 7) – Baroness Williams of Trafford/Lord Wolfson of Tredegar
4. ‡ QSD on mandatory ethnicity pay gap reporting – Lord Boateng/Lord Callanan (*dinner break business, time limit 1 hour*)

### **Business in Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 3.45pm**

No business yet scheduled

## TUESDAY 26 OCTOBER 2021

### **Business in the Chamber at 2.30pm**

1. Oral questions (*40 minutes*)
2. Telecommunications (Security) Bill – Third Reading – Baroness Barran
3. Social Security (Uprating of Benefits) Bill – Committee – Baroness Stedman-Scott
4. Rating (Coronavirus) and Directors Disqualification (Dissolved Companies) Bill – Second Reading – Lord Greenhalgh
5. *Further business may be scheduled*

### **Business in Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 3.45pm**

1. Critical Benchmarks (References and Administrators' Liability) Bill [HL] – Committee – Lord Agnew of Oulton

## WEDNESDAY 27 OCTOBER 2021

### **Business in the Chamber at 3.00pm**

1. Oral questions (*40 minutes*)
2. Police, Crime, Sentencing and Courts Bill – Committee (day 3 of 7) – Baroness Williams of Trafford/Lord Wolfson of Tredegar
3. ‡ *Dinner break business will be scheduled*

### **Business in Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 4.15pm**

No business yet scheduled

## THURSDAY 28 OCTOBER 2021

### **Business in the Chamber at 11.00am**

1. Oral questions (*40 minutes*)
2. Balloted debate (*ballot to be drawn on Thursday 14 October, time limit 2½ hours*)
3. A topical QSD may be taken between the two debates (*ballot to be drawn on Tuesday 19 October, time limit 1 hour*)
4. Balloted debate (*ballot to be drawn on Thursday 14 October, time limit 2½ hours*)

### **Business in Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 1.00pm**

1. *Four balloted questions for short debate will be taken (ballot to be drawn on Wednesday 20 October)*

## FRIDAY 29 OCTOBER 2021

*The House is expected not to sit*

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# Information

## Notes

- This document informally advertises the business which the Government anticipates the House will take in the coming three sitting 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 [lordsbusiness.parliament.uk](http://lordsbusiness.parliament.uk)
- The advertised business on any day may be interrupted for a Ministerial statement
- Items marked ‡ are expected to be taken during the dinner or lunch break. This usually starts at around 7.30pm or 1.30pm but may start earlier or later
- 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 periods:

- *Conference*: Friday 17 September to Sunday 10 October inclusive
- *Autumn long weekend*: Thursday 11 November to Sunday 14 November inclusive
- *Christmas*: Friday 17 December to Monday 3 January inclusive

## Sitting Fridays

The House is expected to sit on the following Fridays: 22 October, 19 November and 10 December. Further sitting Fridays will be announced in due course.

## Questions for short debate

In line with paragraph 25 of the report from the Procedure and Privileges Committee *1st Report of session 2021-22*, four balloted questions for short debate will be asked on Thursday 28 October.

## Advice on business

General inquiries	Email	<a href="mailto:holgovernmentwhips@parliament.uk">holgovernmentwhips@parliament.uk</a>
	Telephone	020-7219 3131
	Website	<a href="http://www.lordswhips.org.uk">www.lordswhips.org.uk</a>
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 oral questions and most debates, it is necessary to sign-up in advance to speak. Speakers' lists close at 6pm two working days before a question or debate takes place (4pm on Fridays). Once lists close the Government Whips' Office consults the usual channels about the order of speakers and then issues an ordered list.

*To sign-up to speak* Telephone 020-7219 3131

Use [www.lordswhips.org.uk/speakers-lists](http://www.lordswhips.org.uk/speakers-lists) for debates

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

*On the day of publication of this edition of Forthcoming Business, the following speakers' lists were open for debates:*

Monday 11 October	Health and Social Care Levy Bill – Second Reading
Wednesday 13 October	Social Security (Uprating of Benefits) Bill – Second Reading Critical Benchmarks (References and Administrators' Liability) Bill [HL] – Second Reading Debate on the report from the Communications and Digital Committee <i>Breaking News? The Future of UK Journalism</i> Debate on the report from Common Frameworks Scrutiny Committee <i>Common Frameworks: building a cooperative Union</i>
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Monday 25 October	QSD on mandatory ethnicity pay gap reporting
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