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Weekly Information Bulletin

The next Bulletin will be published on Saturday 14 June 2008

By-election

Following the resignation of the Member for Henley, Boris Johnson, on 4 June 2008, there will be a by-election. Details to be announced.

Private Members’ Bill Fridays

The Leader of the House has announced that the following Fridays have been allocated for the consideration of Private Members’ Bills during the 2007/08 session:

2008: 25 January, 1, 22 and 29 February, 7 and 14 March, 25 April, 9 and 16 May, 6, 13 and 20 June and 17 October.

House of Commons Calendar for 2007/2008 session

The Leader of the House has announced the following provisional recess dates for the 2007/2008 session:

Christmas recess 2007
The House rose on Tuesday 18 December 2007 and returned on Monday 7 January 2008

Spring half term recess 2008
The House rose on Thursday 7 February 2008 and returned on Monday 18 February 2008

April recess 2008
The House rose on Thursday 3 April 2008 and returned on Monday 21 April 2008

Whitsun recess 2008
The House rose on Thursday 22 May 2008 and returned on Monday 2 June 2008

Summer recess 2008
The House will rise on Tuesday 22 July 2008 and return on Monday 6 October 2008

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| Mon 9 June | • OPQ – Home Office, including Topical Questions  
• Leg – Climate Change Bill – Second reading  
• Adj – Provision of stoma and incontinence appliances in primary care                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | • ESC B – EU Document 8403/08 and Addenda 1 to 5 relating to the EU – A Global Partner for Development – Speeding Up Progress Towards the Millennium Development Goals  
• 1st DLC – Draft Maximum Number of Judges Order 2008  
• 2nd DLC – Social Security Benefits Up-rating Regulations 2008 (S.I., 2008, No.667)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | • Children, Schools and Families  
• Environment, Food and Rural Affairs  
• Public Accounts  
• Communities and Local Government                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | • Oral Questions  
• Leg – European Union (Amendment) Bill – Report stage (day 2)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | • EU Sub B                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| Tues 10 June | • OPQ – Justice, including Topical Questions  
• TMRB – Alcohol Sales (Regulation of Prices and Promotion)  
• Leg – Counter-Terrorism Bill – Remaining stages (day 1)  
• Adj – organisation of local elections in Warrington                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | • PBC – Finance Bill  
• PBC – Human Fertilisation and Embryology Bill [HL]  
• 3rd DLC – Draft Scotland Act 1998 (Transfer of Functions to the Scottish Ministers etc) Order 2008  
• 4th DLC – Draft Extradition Act 2003 (Amendment to Designations) Order 2008                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | • Business and Enterprise  
• Culture, Media and Sport  
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• Justice  
• Draft Constitutional Renewal Bill (Joint)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | • Oral Questions  
• Leg – Sale of Student Loans Bill – Second reading  
• Leg – Education and Skills Bill – Second reading  
• Leg – Housing and Regeneration Bill (Grand Committee, day 5)  
• Regs – Immigration (Registration Card) Order 2008; Extradition Act 2003 (Amendment to Designations) Order 2008                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | • Draft Constitutional Renewal Bill (Joint)  
• Economic Affairs  
• European Union                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| Weds 11 June | • International Development  
• Prime Minister  
• TMRB – DNA Database (Removal of Samples)  
• Leg – Counter-Terrorism Bill – conclusion of Remaining stages  
• Adj – Human rights in Somalia                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | • 5th DLC – Draft Social Security (Students Responsible for Children or Young Persons) Amendment Regulations 2008                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | • Children, Schools and Families  
• Scottish Affairs  
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• Draft Marine Bill (Joint)  
• Draft Constitutional Renewal Bill (Joint)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | • Oral Questions  
• Leg – European Union (Amendment) Bill – Report stage (day 3)  
• Leg – Alcohol Labelling Bill – Report stage  
• Leg – Housing and Regeneration Bill (Grand Committee, day 6)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | • Draft Marine Bill (Joint)  
• Science and Technology: Sub-Comm II  
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• EU Sub A  
• Draft Constitutional Renewal Bill (Joint)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| Thurs 12 June | • OPQ – Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, including Topical Questions  
• Business Statement – Leader of the House  
• Topical debate  
• Private Business  
• Adj – Levels of deprivation in Edmonton                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | • PBC – Finance Bill  
• PBC – Human Fertilisation and Embryology Bill [HL]  
• 6th DLC – Farriers’ Qualifications (European Recognition) Regulations 2008 (S.I., 2008, No.646)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | • Public Administration  
• Welsh Affairs  
• Draft Marine Bill (Joint)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | • Oral Questions  
• Leg – Energy Bill – Committee stage (day 1)  
• Regs – Maximum Number of Judges Order 2008; Armed Forces, Army, Air force and Naval Discipline Acts (Continuation) Order 2008; Armed Forces (Service complaints) (Consequential Amendments) Order 2008; Armed forces (Alignment of Service Discipline Acts) Order 2008                                                                                                                                                                       | • EU Sub C  
• Draft Marine Bill (Joint)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| Fri 13 June | • Private Members Bills  
• Adj – Government plans for the expansion of Heathrow Airport                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | None                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | None                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | Private Members Bills                                                                                                                                                                                                               | None                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
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Business of the House of Commons
2 – 6 June 2008

Monday 2 June

The House sat at 2.30pm

Oral Questions – Work and Pensions, including Topical Questions

Legislation – Planning Bill – Programme Motion (No. 2) (agreed on division)

Legislation – Planning Bill – Remaining stages – Day 1 (as amended, considered)

Adjournment – Future of the UK water sector – Linda Gilroy

The House rose at 10.51 pm

Tuesday 3 June

The House sat in Westminster Hall between 9.30am-2.00pm

Westminster Hall Private Members’ Debates –

09.30-11.00 Government Policy on eco-towns – Miss Anne McIntosh
11.00-12.30 Low pay and migrant workers – Colin Burgon
12.30-13.00 UK aid programme in Mozambique – Mark Pritchard
13.00-13.30 Food security policy – Mr David Drew
13.30-14.00 Post Office closures in East Devon – Mr Hugo Swire

The House sat at 2.30pm

Oral Questions – Transport, including Topical Questions

Ten Minute Rule Bill – Members of Parliament (Pay and Responsibilities) – Mr Peter Lilley (Bill presented and read a First time)

Legislation – Child Maintenance and Other Payments Bill – Programme Motion (No. 2) (agreed)

Legislation – Child Maintenance and Other Payments Bill –Lords Amendments considered

Motion – to approve an EU Document relating to the promotion of energy from renewable sources (agreed)

Motion – to approve an EU Document relating to maritime policy (agreed)

Adjournment – Southend Driving Test Centre – James Duddridge

The House rose at 10.29pm

Wednesday 4 June

The House sat in Westminster Hall between 9.30am-5.00pm

Westminster Hall Private Members’ Debates –

09.30-11.00 Effect of the House of Lords ruling on pleural plaques – Mr Michael Clapham
11.00-11.30 Supermarkets and local communities – Mr Barry Sheerman
14.30-16.00 Post Office closures in Mid Wales – Mr Roger Williams
16.00-16.30 Future of Shrewsbury Sixth Form College – Daniel Kawczynski
16.30-17.00 Case of agency worker Sally Avis – Anne Snelgrove
Weekly Information Bulletin

The House sat at 11.30am

**Oral Questions** – Scotland; Prime Minister

**Ten Minute Rule Bill** – Bank Holiday (Contribution of Polish Citizens) – Daniel Kawczynski (Bill presented and read a First time)

**Debate** – Opposition Day (13th allotted day) – i) Volunteering (agreed); ii) Pensioner poverty (as amended, agreed)

**Adjournment** – Regulating internet service providers and internet content – John Robertson

The House rose at 7.57pm

Thursday 5 June

The House sat at 10.30am

**Oral Questions** – Treasury, including Topical Questions

**Business Statement** – Leader of the House

**Topical Debate** – Knife crime

**Debate** – the Future of Care and Support

**Adjournment** – impact of the work of the Highways Agency on local economies – Andrew Selous

The House sat in Westminster Hall between 2.30pm and 5.30pm

**Westminster Hall** – Debate on the sustainability of biofuels (First Report from the Environmental Audit Committee, HC 76-I, and the Government Response HC 528)

The House rose at 6.30pm

Friday 6 June

The House sat at 9.30am

**Private Members Bills** – Voting Age (Reduction) Bill – Julie Morgan (2R); Crown Employment (Nationality) Bill – Mr Andrew Dismore (2R); Expenses of Public Servants (Publication) Bill – Norman Baker (2R); Food Products (Marketing to Children) Bill – Nigel Griffiths (2R); Environmental Protection Act 1990 (Amendment) Bill – Mr Bernard Jenkin (2R); Fixed Term Parliaments Bill – David Howarth (2R); Human Rights Act (Meaning of Public function) Bill – Mr Andrew Dismore (2R); Environmental Protection (Airports) Bill – Justine Greening (2R); Disqualification from Parliament (Taxation Status) Bill – Mr Gordon Prentice (2R); Foreign National Statistics Bill– Mr William Cash (2R); Drugs (Roadside Testing) Bill – Mr Christopher Chope (2R); Drugs (Reclassification) Bill – Mr Christopher Chope (2R); Public Sector Buildings (Energy Performance) Bill – Anne Snelgrove (2R)

**Adjournment** – Dispensing of medicines in Newick, East Sussex– Norman Baker

The Weekly Information Bulletin went to press before the House rose

*Details known previous Thursday after 1.00pm

** There are no Westminster Hall Adjournment Debates scheduled

*** Details known the previous Monday evening and will appear in Tuesday’s Order Paper
Written Ministerial Statements
2 – 6 June 2008

2.06.08 Non-EEA Pupils (Academies) – Jim Knight
2.06.08 Young People (Alcohol) – Ed Balls
2.06.08 Training – Mr Bob Ainsworth
2.06.08 Exceptional Assistance measures for Victims of Terrorist Incidents Overseas – Meg Munn
2.06.08 EU Competitiveness Council – Ian Pearson
2.06.08 AIDS Strategy – Mr Douglas Alexander
2.06.08 Written Answer (Correction) – Helen Goodman
2.06.08 Business Questions (Correction) – Helen Goodman
2.06.08 Joint Birth Registration: Recording Responsibility – James Purnell
3.06.08 Departmental Set-up Costs – Mr Gareth Thomas
3.06.08 Veterinary Products Committee – Jonathan Shaw
3.06.08 General Affairs and External Relations Council (26-27 May) – Mr Jim Murphy
3.06.08 NHS Foundation Trusts – Mr Ben Bradshaw
3.06.08 NHS Carbon Reduction Strategy – Mr Ivan Lewis
3.06.08 Health and Social Care – Alan Johnson
3.06.08 Tackling Extremism – Jacqui Smith
3.06.08 Report by the Independent Monitor for Entry Clearance Refusals with Limited Rights of Appeal – Jacqui Smith
3.06.08 EU Education Council – Bill Rammell
3.06.08 International Agricultural Research Organisations – Mr Douglas Alexander
3.06.08 Burma Cyclone Nargis – Mr Douglas Alexander
3.06.08 Longer and Heavier Goods Vehicles – Ruth Kelly
3.06.08 Railway Heritage Committee – Mr Tom Harris
4.06.08 Agency Key Targets – Derek Twigg
4.06.08 Royal Commission on Environment Pollution – Mr Phil Woolas
4.06.08 Environment Council – Hilary Benn
4.06.08 Avian Influenza in Oxfordshire – Hilary Benn
4.06.08 Employment, Social Policy, Health and Consumer Affairs Council – Ann Keen
4.06.08 Land Registry (Framework Document 2008) – Mr Michael Wills
4.06.08 European Councils – Mr James Plaskitt
5.06.08 Local Government – John Healey
5.06.08 Armed Forces Memorial – Derek Twigg
5.06.08 Defence Plan 2008 – Des Browne
5.06.08 Defence Relations – Des Browne
5.06.08 Pesticides Safety Directorate (Performance Targets 2008-09) – Mr Phil Woolas
5.06.08 Animal Health Agency (Performance Targets – Jonathan Shaw
5.06.08 Titan Prisons – Mr Jack Straw
5.06.08 Crossrail Bill – Mr Tom Harris
Forthcoming Business of the House of Commons
9 – 13 June 2008

Monday 9 June

The House will sit at 2.30pm

Oral Questions – Home Office, including Topical Questions
Legislation – Climate Change Bill [HL] – Second reading
Adjournment – Provision of stoma and incontinence appliances in primary care – Mr Robert Syms

Tuesday 10 June

The House will sit in Westminster Hall between 9.30am-2.00pm

Westminster Hall Private Members’ Debates –

09.30-11.00 Cardiac disease in the young – Mr Kevan Jones
11.00-12.30 Military equipment requirements for counter-insurgency in Iraq and Afghanistan – Ann Winterton
12.30-13.00 Government support for swimming – Chris Bryant
13.00-13.30 NHS co-payments and the case of Mrs O’Boyle – Mr John Baron
13.30-14.00 Unused medicines – Ben Chapman

The House will sit at 2.30pm

Oral Questions – Justice, including Topical Questions
Ten Minute Rule Bill – Alcohol Sales (Regulation of Prices and Promotion) – Ms Sally Keeble
Legislation – Counter-Terrorism Bill – Remaining stages (day 1)
Adjournment – Organisation of local elections in Warrington – Helen Jones

Wednesday 11 June

The House will sit in Westminster Hall between 9.30am-5.00pm

Westminster Hall Private Members’ Debates –

09.30-11.00 Specialist trauma response teams – Mr Mark Oaten
11.00-11.30 Compensation case of Lance Corporal Martyn Compton – Hugh Robertson
14.30-16.00 Minimum wage enforcement – Mark Lazarowicz
16.00-16.30 Regulations on tattooing and skin piercing – Mrs Madeleine Moon
16.30-17.00 HM Treasury’s aim to achieve a better quality of life – Jo Swinson

The House will sit at 11.30am

Oral Questions – International Development; Prime Minister
Ten Minute Rule Bill – DNA Database (Removal of Samples) – Jenny Willott
Legislation – Counter-Terrorism Bill – conclusion of remaining stages
Adjournment – Human rights in Somalia – Mr George Galloway
Thursday 12 June

The House will sit at 10.30am

**Oral Questions** – Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, including Topical Questions

**Statement** – HMS Tireless Board of Inquiry

**Business Statement** – Leader of the House

**Topical Debate** – subject to be announced***

**Private Business** – subject to be announced

**Adjournment** – Levels of deprivation in Edmonton – Mr Andrew Love

The House will sit in Westminster Hall between 2.30pm and 5.30pm

**Westminster Hall** – a debate on the European Commission’s Annual Report Strategy 2009

Friday 13 June

The House will sit at 9.30am

**Private Members Bills** – Health and safety Offences Bill – Keith Hill (Report stage); Sovereignty of Parliament (European Communities) Bill – Mr Christopher Chope (2R); Road Traffic (Congestion Reduction) Bill – Mr Christopher Chope (2R); Race Relations (Election Candidates) Bill – Keith Vaz (2R); Leasehold Reform Bill – Simon Hughes (2R); Land Use (Garden Protection) Bill – Mrs Caroline Spelman (2R); Iraq War Inquiry (No.2) Bill – Mr Edward Davey (2R); Citizens’ Convention Bill – Julia Goldsworthy (2R)

**Adjournment** – Government plans for the expansion of Heathrow Airport – Mr John Randall

*Details known previous Thursday after 1.00pm

** There are no Westminster Hall Adjournment Debates scheduled

*** Details known the previous Monday evening and will appear in Tuesday’s Order Paper
Provisional Forthcoming Business of the House of Commons
16 – 20 June 2008

Monday 16 June

The House will sit at 2.30pm

Oral Questions – Defence, including Topical Questions

Legislation – Children and Young Persons Bill [HL] – Second reading

Adjournment – Post Office closures in Birmingham – Ms Gisela Stuart

Tuesday 17 June

The House will sit in Westminster Hall between 9.30am-2.00pm

Westminster Hall Private Members’ Debates – *

The House will sit at 2.30pm

Oral Questions – Health, including Topical Questions

Ten Minute Rule Bill – Local Authorities (Social Equality Audits) – Ms Karen Buck

Debate – Opposition Day (14th allotted day) – subject to be announced

Adjournment – *

Wednesday 18 June

The House will sit in Westminster Hall between 9.30am-5.00pm

Westminster Hall Private Members’ Debates – *

The House will sit at 11.30am

Oral Questions – Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster; Prime Minister

Ten Minute Rule Bill – Sex Encounter Establishments (Licensing) – Dr Roberta Blackman-Woods

Debate – the Pre-European Council

Adjournment – *

Thursday 19 June

The House will sit at 10.30am

Oral Questions – Church Commissioners Public Accounts Commission and Speaker’s Committee on the Electoral Commission; Solicitor General; Women and Equality; Leader of the House; House of Commons Commission

Business Statement – Leader of the House

Topical Debate –***
Debate – Defence Procurement

Adjournment – *

The House will sit in Westminster Hall between 2.30pm and 5.30pm


Friday 20 June

The House will sit at 9.30am

Private Members Bills – European Union (Audit of Benefits and Costs of UK Membership) Bill – Mr Christopher Chope (2R); Runaway and Missing Children Bill – Helen Southworth (2R); Sale of Wine (Measures) Bill – Greg Mulholland (2R); Road Traffic (Safety) Bill – James Brokenshire (2R); Employment Retention Bill – John Robertson (2R); Armed Forces (Federation Bill) – Mr Kevan Jones (2R); Disabled Persons (Independent Living) [HL] Bill – Roger Berry (2R)

Adjournment – *

*Details known previous Thursday after 1.00pm
** There are no Westminster Hall Adjournment Debates scheduled
*** Details known the previous Monday evening and will appear in Tuesday’s Order Paper
Forthcoming Business of the House of Lords
9 – 13 June 2008

Monday 9 June

The House will sit at 2:30pm

Oral Questions – Circumstances they are prepared to deport Christians to Iran – Lord Bishop of Ripon and Leeds; Future of Anti Social Behaviour Orders – Baroness Sharples; Implementation of Comprehensive Peace Agreement in Sudan – Baroness Cox; Results from recent EU-Latin American summit – Viscount Montgomery of Alamein

Legislation – European Union (Amendment) Bill – Report stage (day 2) – Baroness Ashton of Upholland

Short Debate – Threat to women's health of obesity during pregnancy – Baroness Rendell of Babergh

Tuesday 10 June

The House will sit at 2:30pm

Oral Questions – Drug-dependency in prisons – Lord Bishop of Liverpool; Updating of road traffic regulations – Lord Roberts of Llandudno; Guidance to ministers answering oral questions – Lord Denham

Legislation – Sale of Student Loans Bill – Third reading – Baroness Morgan of Drefelin

Legislation – Education and Skills Bill – Second reading – Lord Adonis

Legislation – Housing and Regeneration Bill (Grand Committee, day 5, Moses Room, 3.30pm).

Orders and Regulations – Immigration (Registration Card) Order 2008; Extradition Act 2003 (Amendment to Designations) Order 2008; Extradition Act 2003 (Amendment to Designations) Order 2008 – Lord Bassam of Brighton

Wednesday 11 June

The House will sit at 3:00pm

Oral Question – Middle East peace process – Lord Dykes; Priorities of DEFRA – Baroness Byford; Railway electrification – Lord Faulkner of Worcester

Legislation – European Union (Amendment) Bill – Report stage (day 3) – Baroness Ashton of Upholland

Legislation – Alcohol Labelling Bill – Report stage – Lord Mitchell

Legislation – Housing and Regeneration Bill (Grand Committee, day 6, Moses Room, 3.45pm).

Thursday 12 June

The House will sit at 11:00am

Oral Questions – Advancing National Parks by all Government departments – Lord Judd; De-proscribing the People’s Mujahedin of Iran as a terrorist organisation – Lord Waddington; Prisoner escort drivers also employed as court orderlies – Lord Ramsbotham

Debate – Centre for Crime and Justice Studies paper: Ten years of labour’s youth justice reforms – Baroness Linklater of Butterstone

Debate – Personal data retained by government agencies and private companies – Baroness Miller of Chilthorne Domer

Legislation – Energy Bill (Grand Committee, day 1, Moses Room, 2.00pm)

Orders and Regulations – Maximum Number of Judges Order 2008; Armed Forces, Army, Air force and Naval Discipline Acts (Continuation) Order 2008; Armed Forces (Service complaints) (Consequential Amendments) Order 2008; Armed forces (Alignment of Service Discipline Acts) Order 2008- motions to approve

Friday 13 June

The House will sit at 10:00am

Legislation – Planning and Energy Bill – Second reading – Lord Hanningfield

Legislation – Special Educational Needs (Information) Bill – Second reading – Baroness Pitkeathley
Provisional Forthcoming Business of the House of Lords
16 – 20 June 2008

Monday 16 June

The House will sit at 2.30pm

Oral Questions – Israel and Palestine – Lord Hylton; A revised version of the Defence Industrial Strategy – Lord Astor of Hever; Electronic attacks against the UK’s critical national infrastructure – Lord Soley; Strokes in children with sickle-cell disease – Lord Smith of Clifton

Legislation – Health and Social Care Bill – Report stage – Lord Darzi of Denham

Legislation – Housing and Regeneration Bill (Grand Committee, day 7, Moses Room, 3.30pm)

Orders and Regulations – Scotland Act 1998 (Transfer of Functions to the Scottish Ministers etc.) Order 2008- motion to approve

Tuesday 17 June

The House will sit at 2.30pm

Oral Questions – Teacher training applicants – Baroness Perry of Southwark; Shortage of world food supplies – Lord Alton of Liverpool; New detention centre for illegal immigrants – Baroness Miller of Chilthorne Domer

Legislation – Pensions Bill – Committee stage (day 1) – Lord McKenzie of Luton

Orders and Regulations – Rail Vehicle Accessibility (Interoperable Rail System) Regulations 2008; Ministerial and Other Salaries Order 2008- motions to approve (Grand Committee, Moses Room, 3.30pm).

Short Debate – Assessment of British Association for Central and Eastern Europe – Lord Radice

Wednesday 18 June

The House will sit at 3.00pm

Oral Questions – London polyclinic project – Lord Naseby; Consultations over military training exercise Joint Warrior – Lord MacKenzie of Culkein; Support for disabled people claiming Incapacity Benefit – Baroness Greengross

Legislation – European Union (Amendment) Bill – Third reading

Legislation – Housing and Regeneration Bill (Grand Committee, day 8, Moses Room, 3.45pm)

Short Debate – European Union Committee report on FRONTEX – Lord Jopling

Thursday 19 June

The House will sit at 11.00am

Oral Questions – The future of climate change – Lord Sheldon; The recent conference in Dublin on cluster munitions – Lord Dubs; Aviation policy making in the UK – Baroness McIntosh of Hudnall

Legislation – Energy Bill (Grand Committee, day 2, Moses Room, 2.00pm)

Debate – The concept of Britishness – Lord Taylor of Warwick

Debate – Maintaining the rule of law and ensuring respect for other cultures – Baroness Park of Monmouth

Friday 20 June

The House will not be sitting
Legislation – General Notes

In the list of Bills which follows, the type of Bill is shown at the left-hand margin next to the title by the following codes:

- **G** Government Bills
- **C** Consolidation Bills
- **B** Private Members’ Bills (under the ballot procedure). The number after refers to position in ballot
- **P** Private Members’ Bills (under SO No 57)
- **T** Private Members’ Bills (under the Ten Minute Rule, SO No 23)
- **L** Private Members’ Bills starting in the House of Lords
- **[HL]** Bill starting in the House of Lords
- **HYBRID** Public Bill which affects private interests of particular persons or corporate bodies as distinct from the private interests of all persons or bodies

**Abbreviations:**

1R First reading: date of presentation (formal, no debate)
2R Second reading (debate on the principle(s) of the Bill)
MR Money resolution (normally taken after 2R only shown in the list if taken at another time)
GM Guillotine Motion
SRC Second Reading Committee (2R taken in Committee: formal 2R in whole House next day unless otherwise stated)
SGC/WGC Scottish or Welsh Grand Committee consideration of principles (equates with SRC)
PBC Public Bill Committee in the House of Commons
Comm Committee of the Whole House
Comm** House of Lords Grand Committee, taken in a committee room
JCCB Joint Committee on Consolidation Bills
JC TLRB Joint Committee on Tax Law Re-write Bills (the date indicates the date on which the Bill was committed to the Joint Committee).
SC Standing Committee
SSC/SSSC Special Standing Committee/Special Scottish Standing Committee on a Bill, where public evidence is taken
CN Committee negatived. (Indicates that there was no debate at committee stage in the House of Lords)
OCD Order of Commitment discharged (no debate at committee stage in the House of Lords)
Rep Report stage (detailed review of the Bill as amended in committee)
3R Third reading (final debate on the Bill)
RS Remaining stages of a bill on the same day (usually report stage and third reading)
LA Lords’ amendments considered in the House of Commons
CA Commons’ amendments considered in the House of Lords
RA Bill formally becomes an Act of Parliament
CH Chapter number
CO Carry-over Motion
RC Re-committal to a Public Bill Committee, or to Committee stage in House of Lords
Prog Programme Motion
ATM Allocation of Time Motion
SelCom Bill referred to a Select Committee
Provisional date for 2R of a Bill etc. For Private Members’ Bills (if set down for a Private Members Bill Friday) this is followed, by the position of the Bill in the order of business for that day.
Pri Private sitting (can occur at any stage)
* Indicates proceedings were formal with no debate
# Member in charge has named a date for consideration which is not a Private Members’ Bill Friday, therefore the Bill will not be debated.
Deb adj Debate adjourned
Order for 2nd Reading lapsed Bill has not been printed, therefore does not appear on the order paper on the named day
Dropped Day for the next reading has not been named or time has run out for the Bill to be considered
Withdrawn Member in charge has withdrawn the Bill
Stood over Fewer than 40 Members present at a division, question not decided and business under consideration stood over until next sitting of the House
The following is a list of Public Bills which are before Parliament this session, with the exception of Order Confirmation Bills.

To save space, the list is abbreviated. The title of the Bill is followed by the name of the Member and/or Peer sponsoring it. The letter denotes the type of Bill (see Legislation – General Notes). This is followed by the Bill number(s) with full bill reprints indicated by the use of bold. Then follow the dates of the various stages. All forthcoming, and therefore provisional, dates are italicised. Government Bills are listed in bold type.

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CHILDMaintenance and other Payments (G)

( introduced in 2006-07 and carried over to 2007-08 )

John Hutton / Lord McKenzie of Luton


RA: 5.6.2008 (Ch. 6)

Child MAntenance and other Payments Act 2008

Children and Young Persons [HL] (G)

Lord Adonis / Ed Balls

Lords: (8, 32) *1R: 14.11.2007 2R: 26.11.2007 Comm**: 8, 14, 16 & 17.1; 18.2.2008

Rep: 17.3.2008 3R: 25.3.2008

Commons: (96) 1R: 26.3.2008 Prov 2R: 16.6.2008

Christmas Savings Schemes (Regulation) (T)

Anne Snelgrove

Commons: (58) 1R: 23.1.2008 (not printed - Order for 2R lapsed)

Citizens’ Convention (P)

Julia Goldsworthy

Commons: (49) *1R: 17.12.2007 Prov 2R: 13.6.2008 (8)

Citizens’ Initiative (Legislation) (T)

Mr Douglas Carswell

Commons: (102) 1R: 30.4.2008 (not printed) Prov 2R: 17.10.2008 (10)

Climate Change (Sectoral Targets) (P)

Colin Challen

Commons: (62) *1R: 22.1.2008 (Dropped)

Climate Change [HL] (G)

Lord Rooker / Hilary Benn

Lords: (9) *1R: 14.11.2007 2R: 27.11.2007 Comm: 11 & 17.12.2007; 8, 9, 14, 23 & 30.1; 4.2.2008


Commons: (97) 1R: 1.4.2008 Prov 2R: 9.6.2008

Committee on the Grant of Honours, Decorations and Medals (T)

Mr Don Touhig

Commons: (112) 1R: 21.5.2008 (not printed) Prov 2R: 17.10.2008 (14)

Consolidated Fund (G)

Jane Kennedy


*RA: 13.12.2007 (Ch. 31)

Consolidated Fund Act 2007

Consolidated Fund ( Appropriation ) (G)

Jane Kennedy

Commons: (85) *1R: 10.3.2008 *2R: 11.3.2008 *3R: 11.3.2008

Lords: () *1R: 12.3.2008 2R: 19.3.2008

RA: 20.3.2008 (Ch. 3)

Appropriation Act 2008

Copyright in Sound Recordings and Performers’ Rights (Term Extension) (P)

Pete Wishart

Commons: (78) *1R: 26.2.2008 (Dropped)

Counter-Terrorism (G)

Jacqui Smith


Criminal Justice (Raves) (T)

Christopher Fraser

Commons: (69) 1R: 20.2.2008 Prov 2R: 17.10.2008 (18)
Criminal Justice and Immigration (G)  
(introduced in 2006-07 and carried over to 2007-08)

Commons: (130, 2006-07)  
MR: 8.10.2007  
CO: 8.10.2007  
PBC: 16, 18, 23 & 25.10.2007  
Prog: 9.1.2008  
Rep: 9.1.2008  
Comm: 5, 6, 26 & 27; 3, 5, 10 & 12.3.2008  
Rep: 30.4.2008  
Comm: 16, 18, 25 & 25.10.2007  
LA: 6.5.2008

Criminal Justice and Immigration Act 2008

Crossrail (Hybrid Bill) (Hybrid)  
(introduced in 2004-05, carried over to 2005-06, carried over to 2006-07 and carried over to 2007-08)

Commons: (62, 2004-05)  
MR: 16.11.2006  
CO: 7.4.2005  
PBC: 22, 24, 25 & 28.5.2008  
Rep: 25.1.2008 (Deb adj)  
Comm: 10.5.2008 (Ch.4)

Disabled Persons (Independent Living) [HL] (L)  
(introduced in 2006-07 and carried over to 2007-08)

Commons: (43)  
MR: 10.12.2007  
CO: 7.4.2005  
PBC: 22, 24, 25 & 28.5.2008  
Rep: 25.1.2008 (Deb adj)

Disqualification from Parliament (Taxation Status) (B20)  
(introduced in 2006-07 and carried over to 2007-08)

Commons: (24)  
MR: 10.12.2007  
CO: 7.4.2005  
PBC: 22, 24, 25 & 28.5.2008  
Rep: 25.1.2008 (Deb adj)  
Comm: 10.5.2008 (Ch.4)

Dormant Bank and Building Society Accounts [HL] (G)  
(introduced in 2006-07 and carried over to 2007-08)

Commons: (43)  
MR: 10.12.2007  
CO: 7.4.2005  
PBC: 22, 24, 25 & 28.5.2008  
Rep: 25.1.2008 (Deb adj)

Drugs (Reclassification) (P)  
(introduced in 2006-07 and carried over to 2007-08)

Commons: (37)  
MR: 10.12.2007  
CO: 7.4.2005  
PBC: 22, 24, 25 & 28.5.2008  
Rep: 25.1.2008 (Deb adj)  
Comm: 10.5.2008 (Ch.4)

Education (Children with Autism) (T)  
(introduced in 2006-07 and carried over to 2007-08)

Commons: (56)  
MR: 10.12.2007  
CO: 7.4.2005  
PBC: 22, 24, 25 & 28.5.2008  
Rep: 25.1.2008 (Deb adj)

Education and Skills (G)  
(introduced in 2006-07 and carried over to 2007-08)

Commons: (8)  
MR: 10.12.2007  
CO: 7.4.2005  
PBC: 22, 24, 25 & 28.5.2008  
Rep: 25.1.2008 (Deb adj)  
Comm: 10.5.2008 (Ch.4)

Employment [HL] (G)  
(introduced in 2006-07 and carried over to 2007-08)

Commons: (117)  
MR: 10.12.2007  
CO: 7.4.2005  
PBC: 22, 24, 25 & 28.5.2008  
Rep: 25.1.2008 (Deb adj)

Disability Rights Commission

Commons: (130)  
MR: 8.10.2007  
CO: 8.10.2007  
PBC: 16, 18, 23 & 25.10.2007  
Prog: 9.1.2008  
Rep: 9.1.2008  
Comm: 5, 6, 26 & 27; 3, 5, 10 & 12.3.2008  
Rep: 30.4.2008  
Comm: 16, 18, 25 & 25.10.2007  
LA: 6.5.2008

Crown Employment (Nationality) (P)  
(introduced in 2006-07 and carried over to 2007-08)

Commons: (43)  
MR: 10.12.2007  
CO: 7.4.2005  
PBC: 22, 24, 25 & 28.5.2008  
Rep: 25.1.2008 (Deb adj)

Disabled Persons (Independent Living) [HL] (L)  
(introduced in 2006-07 and carried over to 2007-08)

Commons: (84)  
MR: 10.12.2007  
CO: 7.4.2005  
PBC: 22, 24, 25 & 28.5.2008  
Rep: 25.1.2008 (Deb adj)  
Comm: 10.5.2008 (Ch.4)

Disqualification from Parliament (Taxation Status) (B20)  
(introduced in 2006-07 and carried over to 2007-08)

Commons: (24)  
MR: 10.12.2007  
CO: 7.4.2005  
PBC: 22, 24, 25 & 28.5.2008  
Rep: 25.1.2008 (Deb adj)

Dormant Bank and Building Society Accounts [HL] (G)  
(introduced in 2006-07 and carried over to 2007-08)

Commons: (43)  
MR: 10.12.2007  
CO: 7.4.2005  
PBC: 22, 24, 25 & 28.5.2008  
Rep: 25.1.2008 (Deb adj)

Drugs (Reclassification) (P)  
(introduced in 2006-07 and carried over to 2007-08)

Commons: (37)  
MR: 10.12.2007  
CO: 7.4.2005  
PBC: 22, 24, 25 & 28.5.2008  
Rep: 25.1.2008 (Deb adj)

Drugs (Roadside Testing) (P)  
(introduced in 2006-07 and carried over to 2007-08)

Commons: (38)  
MR: 10.12.2007  
CO: 7.4.2005  
PBC: 22, 24, 25 & 28.5.2008  
Rep: 25.1.2008 (Deb adj)

Education (Children with Autism) (T)  
(introduced in 2006-07 and carried over to 2007-08)

Commons: (56)  
MR: 10.12.2007  
CO: 7.4.2005  
PBC: 22, 24, 25 & 28.5.2008  
Rep: 25.1.2008 (Deb adj)

Education and Skills (G)  
(introduced in 2006-07 and carried over to 2007-08)

Commons: (12, 81)  
MR: 10.12.2007  
CO: 7.4.2005  
PBC: 22, 24, 25 & 28.5.2008  
Rep: 25.1.2008 (Deb adj)

Employment [HL] (G)  
(introduced in 2006-07 and carried over to 2007-08)

Commons: (117)  
MR: 10.12.2007  
CO: 7.4.2005  
PBC: 22, 24, 25 & 28.5.2008  
Rep: 25.1.2008 (Deb adj)
EMPLOYMENT RETENTION (T)
Commons: (60) 1R: 29.1.2008 (not printed)  Prov 2R: 20.6.2008 (5)

ENERGY (G)
PBC: 5, 19, 21, 26 & 28.2; 4, 6 & 11.3.2008  Prov Rep: 30.4.2008  3R: 30.4.2008
Lords: (52)  1R: 1.5.2008  2R: 21.5.2008  Prov Comm**: 12, 19, 24 & 25.6.2008

ENERGY SAVING (DAYLIGHT) (B10)
Commons: (21) *1R: 5.12.2007  2R: 7.3.2008 (2) (Deb adj - Dropped)

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION (AIRPORTS) (B17)
Commons: (34) *1R: 5.12.2007 (not printed)  Prov 2R: 6.6.2008 (12)

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION (TRANSFERS AT SEA) (B8)
Commons: (20) *1R: 5.12.2007  2R: 25.1.2008 (2) (Deb adj - Withdrawn)

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT 1990 (AMENDMENT) (T)
Commons: (86)  1R: 11.3.2008  Prov 2R: 6.6.2008 (8)

EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES (FINANCE) (G)
*RA: 19.2.2008 (Ch. 1)

EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES (FINANCE) ACT

EUROPEAN UNION (AMENDMENT) (G)
Comm: 29 & 30.1: 5, 6, 20, 25, 26 & 27.2; 3, 4 & 5.3.2008  3R: 11.3.2008
Lords: (40) *1R: 12.3.2008  2R: 1.4.2008  Comm: 22 & 29.4; 6, 12, 14, 19 & 20.5.2008

EUROPEAN UNION (AUDIT OF BENEFITS AND COSTS OF UK MEMBERSHIP) (P)
Commons: (41) *1R: 10.12.2007 (not printed)  Prov 2R: 20.6.2008 (1)

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Increasingly, it had become the practice in recent sessions for the House to refer these to a joint committee of the Commons and Lords appointed for the specific purpose of examining and reporting on a named draft bill. On occasions a draft bill may be referred to one of the departmental select committees or a select committee appointed for that specific purpose.

Listed below are draft bills that are currently under consideration or that have been published during the 2007/08 Session of Parliament. Further information on draft bills, including those from previous sessions can be viewed on the Parliament website at [http://www.parliament.uk/bills/draftbills.cfm](http://www.parliament.uk/bills/draftbills.cfm). This page links to electronic copies of the draft bills and related publications including select committee reports on the draft bills.

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Copies of Private Bills can be obtained from the appropriate Agent, details listed below:

- Bircham Dyson Bell LLP, 50 Broadway, Westminster, London, SW1H 0BL, 020 7227 7000
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  E-mail: monicapeto@eversheds.com

- Rees & Freres, 1 The Sanctuary, London, SW1P 3JT, 020 7222 5381
  E-mail: enquiries@1thesanctuary.com

- Sharpe Pritchard, Elizabeth House, Fulwood Place, London, WC1V 6HG, 020 7405 4600
  E-mail: parliamentary@sharpepritchard.co.uk

- Winckworth Sherwood, 35 Great Peter Street, London, SW1P 3LR, 020 7593 5000
  E-mail: agorlov@winckworths.co.uk

Members of Parliament may obtain copies of Private Bills from the Vote Office.
Lords may obtain them from the Lords Private Bill Office.
Complete List of Private bills before Parliament this Session

The following is a list of Private Bills before Parliament. Private Bills originate outside Parliament and are promoted by bodies seeking special powers not available under the general law. Each Bill starts with a petition to Parliament from the promoter for leave to bring in a Bill; this must be deposited on or before 27 November. Any such petitions will be noted below until they gain a 1st Reading.

Parties affected by a Bill may present a petition against it, clearly stating the grounds of their objection. The petitioning period will be shown beneath the Bill until the deadline has expired.

House of Commons Private Bill Office: Mick Hillyard (Tel: 020 7219 3250 e-mail: prbohoc@parliament.uk)
House of Lords Private Bill Office: Chris Bolton (Tel: 020 7219 3231 e-mail: prbohol@parliament.uk)

For an explanation of parliamentary consideration of Private Bills see HCIO Factsheet L4

BOURNEMOUTH BOROUGH COUNCIL [HL] (Sharpe Pritchard)
Lords: (2006-07) 1R: 22.1.2007  2R: 20.2.2007 (Instruction to Committee)  OBC: 3 & 10.7.2007
Commons: (2006-07) CO: 22.10.2007
Lords: (2007-08) CO: 24.10.2007
Commons: (2007-08) 1R: 29.11.2007
(The Bill is opposed, 3 petitions outstanding)

BROADS AUTHORITY (Winckworth Sherwood)
Lords: (2006-07) CO: 22.10.2007
Lords: (2007-08) 1R: 7.5.2008
Prov 2R: No date
(The Bill is opposed in the Lords. There are 14 petitions outstanding against the Bill)

CANTERBURY CITY COUNCIL (Sharpe Pritchard)
(NO petitions were presented against the Bill in the House of Commons)

LEEDS CITY COUNCIL (Sharpe Pritchard)
Commons: (2007-08) 1R: 22.1.2008
Prov 2R: 12.6.2008
(NO petitions were presented against the Bill in the Commons)

LONDON LOCAL AUTHORITIES [HL] (Sharpe Pritchard)
Prov OBC: 16.6.2008
(The Bill is opposed. There are 4 petitions outstanding It is currently possible to petition against the Bill's Additional Provision)

LONDON LOCAL AUTHORITIES (SHOPPING BAGS) (Sharpe Pritchard)
(The Bill is opposed. There are 7 petitions outstanding)

LONDON LOCAL AUTHORITIES AND TRANSPORT FOR LONDON (Sharpe Pritchard)
Commons: (2004-05) 1R: 25.1.2005
Commons: (2005-06) CO: 19.5.2005
Lords: (2005-06) CO: 24.5.2005
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LONDON LOCAL AUTHORITIES AND TRANSPORT FOR LONDON (NO. 2) [HL] (Sharpe Pritchard)
(The Bill is opposed. There are 3 petitions outstanding. It is currently possible to petition against the Bills’ Additional Provision)

MANCHESTER CITY COUNCIL [HL] (Sharpe Pritchard)
Commons: (2006-07) CO: 24.10.2007
Lords: (2007-08) BR: 8.11.2007  3R: 29.11.2007
Commons: (2007-08) 1R: 29.11.2007  Prov 2R: 12.6.2008
(The Bill is opposed, 1 petition outstanding)

NORTHERN BANK (Bircham Dyson Bell LLP)
Commons: (2007-08) 1R: 22.1.2008  2R: 29.1.2008  Prov UBC: No date
No petitions were presented against the Bill in the Commons

NOTTINGHAM CITY COUNCIL (Sharpe Pritchard)
No petitions were presented against the Bill in the House of Commons

READING BOROUGH COUNCIL (Sharpe Pritchard)
No petitions were presented against the Bill in the Commons

ST. AUSTELL MARKET (Bircham Dyson Bell LLP)
(Petitioning in the Lords ended on 9 May 2008 and no petitions were presented against the Bill.)

TRANSPORT FOR LONDON [HL] (Eversheds LLP)
Commons: (2005-06) CO: 6.11.2006
Commons: (2006-07) 1R: 2.5.2007  2R: 21.5.2007  CO: 17.10.2007
Lords: (2006-07) CO: 22.10.2007
Lords: (2007-08) CA: 12.5.2008  RA: 22.5.2008 (Ch.i)
(The Bill was opposed in both Houses)

TRANSPORT FOR LONDON ACT 2008

TRANSPORT FOR LONDON (SUPPLEMENTAL TOLL PROVISIONS) [HL] (Eversheds LLP)
Commons: (2006-07) CO: 24.10.2007
Lords: (2007-08) BR: 8.11.2007  Prov UBC: No date

Copy of a draft Provisional Order deposited under the Private Legislation Procedure (Scotland) Act 1936
Aberdeen City Council Provisional Order – Examined on 15th January 2008
Delegated Legislation

Statutory Instruments

The most common form of delegated legislation, or secondary legislation, is Statutory Instruments. Those requiring parliamentary approval are subject to either the affirmative or negative procedure: this is explained in HCIO Factsheet L7.

The laying of Orders before the House of Commons is recorded in the Statutory Instrument List published by the Journal Office: http://www.publications.parliament.uk/pa/cm/cmsilist/cmsilist.htm. This list records when Orders were laid and in the case of affirmative instruments, whether a motion for their approval has been tabled. In the case of Negative Instruments, the number of praying days left (in which a motion calling for the instrument to be annulled may be laid) is noted.

Legislative Reform Proposals and Orders: Proceedings as at 9 June 2008

Under the Regulatory Reform Act 2001 (s 6(1)) the Government is able to make Orders to amend or repeal provisions in primary legislation, which are considered to impose a burden on businesses or others, which could be reduced or removed without removing any necessary protection.

For an explanation of Parliamentary consideration of Regulatory Reform Orders, see HCIO Factsheet No L7

Committee recommendation:

a) a draft order in the same terms as the proposal should be laid before the House
b) proposal should be amended before a draft order is laid before the House
c) the order-making power should not be used in respect of the proposals
d) draft order should be approved † indicates Committee’s recommendation was agreed after a division
e) draft order should not be approved

* indicates stage taken formally, no debate
# indicates report issued following amendments to draft order

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Remedial Orders, Draft Remedial Orders and Urgent Procedure Remedial Orders: Proceedings as at 9 June 2008

Under the Human Rights Act 1998 (s10), if a court makes a declaration of incompatibility with the European Convention on Human Rights in relation to a statute, the Government is able to propose draft Orders or make Orders to amend primary legislation in order to remove any incompatibility. The Joint Committee on Human Rights is required, in accordance with Schedule 2 to the Act, to report to each House its opinion on any such proposal, draft Order or urgent procedure Order within a specified period after it has been laid before Parliament.

Committee recommendation:
- a) a draft order in the same terms as the proposal should be laid before the House
- b) the proposal should be amended before a draft order is laid before the House
- c) the order or draft order should be approved
- d) the order should be replaced by a modified order
- e) the order or draft order should not be approved

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Northern Ireland Legislation: proceedings as at 9 June 2008

The Northern Ireland Assembly was re-established from 8 May 2007 following a period of suspension from midnight on 14 October 2002. During suspension, legislation, which would otherwise have come within the competence of the Assembly, was made by Order in Council under Schedule 1 to the Northern Ireland Act 2000. The 2000 Act was also used to make Orders in Council which, while the Assembly was active, would have been made under section 85 of the Northern Ireland Act 1998 (Orders making provision for certain reserved matters, for example the criminal law).

Unless made without Parliamentary Approval by reason of urgency, draft Orders in Council must be approved by a resolution of both Houses before being made (affirmative procedure). Orders in Council made before Parliamentary approval by reason of urgency (U), must be approved by both Houses within 40 days of being made. Some UK Acts, for example dealing with social security or pensions, provide for corresponding provisions to be made for Northern Ireland by means of an Order in Council under the 2000 Act, subject to annulment in pursuance of a resolution of either House (negative procedure (N)), rather than by the normal affirmative procedure.

Where appropriate, proposals for draft Orders in Council are issued for public consultation and on occasions may be considered by the Northern Ireland Grand Committee (G), before the draft Order is laid. Prior to formal approval being sought on the floor of the Commons, draft Orders are normally considered in a Delegated Legislation Committee (D) or, less frequently, by the Northern Ireland Grand Committee. The Northern Ireland Orders Grand Committee (O) would also, from time to time, consider a draft Order before formal approval is sought on the floor of the Lords.

Outstanding Orders are listed below. Details of previous Orders are available in earlier editions of the bulletin.

To distinguish between UK Bills/Acts applying to Northern Ireland and Acts passed by the Assembly, see the positioning of the term ‘Northern Ireland’. Examples of each are given below:

UK legislation applying to Northern: Justice and Security (Northern Ireland) Bill 2006/07
Northern Ireland Assembly legislation: Carers and Direct Payments Act (Northern Ireland) 2002

Bills introduced into the Northern Ireland Assembly can be found at the Northern Ireland Assembly website:
http://www.niassembly.gov.uk/

For further details on Northern Ireland Legislation can be found in HCIO fact sheet available on the internet at:
http://www.parliament.uk/parliamentary_publications_and_archives/factsheets/l08.cfm

Abbreviations:
U Urgent Procedure
G Northern Ireland Grand committee
A Approved
D Delegated Legislation Committee
O Northern Ireland Order Grand Committee
N Negative Procedure

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Legislation of the Northern Ireland Assembly (s. 15 of the Northern Ireland Act 1998)

Some Northern Ireland Assembly Bills which include provisions dealing with exempted or reserved matters are required to be laid before Parliament for a period of 20 sitting days before being presented for Royal Assent. If a motion, signed by not less than 20 Members, disapproving of the Bill is tabled in either House during the 20-day period, the Bill shall not be presented for Royal Assent unless the motion is rejected or withdrawn. The date of tabling of any such motion will be shown below.

Assembly Bills of this type which the Secretary of State deems urgent (U) may be presented for Royal Assent before being laid before Parliament. Such Acts of the Assembly are then required to be laid before Parliament for 20 sitting days. If a motion, signed by not less than 20 Members, praying that the Act shall cease to have effect is tabled in either House during the 20-day period the Act and is agreed to, the Act of the Assembly may be repealed by Order in Council. The date of tabling of any such motion will be shown below.

Delegated legislation dealing with certain reserved matters, are subject to Parliamentary procedure at Westminster. The Parliamentary stages of any such legislation are detailed below.

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### Transport and Works Act 1992 Orders

This Act replaces Private Bill procedure for the authorisation of transport works projects

A - Application, made to the TWA Orders Unit at the Department for Transport, date refers to when the application was received in the House

O - Final order, printed as Statutory Instrument, published by The Stationery Office.

Agent - See Private Legislation—General Notes for contact details

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Other General Committee debates. [http://www.publications.parliament.uk/pa/cm/othstn.htm](http://www.publications.parliament.uk/pa/cm/othstn.htm)

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Membership.

Human Fertilisation and Embryology Bill [HL] appointed 20.05.2008

Chairmen – Mr Roger Gale and Mr Jim Hood

Dr Ian Gibson  Patrick Hall  Dr Evan Harris  Dr Brian Iddon
Helen Jones  Robert Key  Steve McCabe  Chris McCafferty
Laura Moffat  Julie Morgan  Mike Penning  Dawn Primarolo
Dr John Pugh  Mark Simmonds  Mr Gary Streeter  Dr Desmond Turner
Jeremy Wright

Change in Membership (2.6.08) – Patrick Hall discharged, Mr Tom Clarke added
### General Committee Meetings
**2 – 6 June 2008**

**Monday 2 June**

| 1st DLC | Draft Building Societies (Financial Assistance) Order 2008 |
| 3rd DLC | Draft Compensation (Claims Management Services) (Amendment) Order 2008 |

**Tuesday 3 June**

| PBC | Finance Bill (13th & 14th Sittings: Clauses 62-65, 67-77, 79, 81 & Schedules 25 & 26 agreed; Clauses 66,78 & Schedule 24, as amended, agreed) |
| PBC | Human Fertilisation and Embryology Bill [HL] (1st & 2nd Sittings: Clauses 1-3, 5-10 & Schedule 1 agreed) |
| 4th DLC | Draft Welsh Ministers (Transfer of Functions) Order 2008 |

**Wednesday 4 June**


**Thursday 5 June**

| PBC | Finance Bill (15th & 16th Sittings: Clauses 82-89, 94-108 & Schedules 28-35 agreed; Clauses 91-93 as amended, agreed) |
| PBC | Human Fertilisation and Embryology Bill [HL] (3rd & 4th Sittings; Clauses 13,15,17-22 & Schedule 4 agreed; Clauses 16 & Schedule 3 as amended, agreed) |

**Friday 6 June**

None

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Forthcoming General Committee Meetings  
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Monday 9 June

ESC B  EU Document 8403/08 and Addenda 1 to 5 relating to the EU – A Global Partner for Development – Speeding Up Progress Towards the Millennium Development Goals, 4.30 pm, Room 10

1st DLC  Draft Maximum Number of Judges Order 2008, 4.30pm, Room 9

2nd DLC  Social Security Benefits Up-rating Regulations 2008 (S.I., 2008, No.667), 4.30pm, Room 11

Tuesday 10 June

PBC  Finance Bill, 10.30am & 4.30pm, Room 10

PBC  Human Fertilisation and Embryology Bill [HL], 10.30am & 4.00pm, Room 9

3rd DLC  Draft Scotland Act 1998 (Transfer of Functions to the Scottish Ministers etc) Order 2008, 10.30am, Room 11

4th DLC  Draft Extradition Act 2003 (Amendment to Designations) Order 2008, 4.30pm, Room 11

Wednesday 11 June

5th DLC  Draft Social Security (Students Responsible for Children or Young Persons) Amendment Regulations 2008, 2.30pm, Room 9

Thursday 12 June

PBC  Finance Bill, 9.00am & 1.00pm, Room 10

PBC  Human Fertilisation and Embryology Bill [HL], 9.00am & 1.00pm, Room 9

Friday 13 June

6th DLC  Farriers’ Qualifications (European Recognition) Regulations 2008 (S.I., 2008, No.646), 8.55am, Room 11

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Membership:
Select Committee Meetings  
2 – 6 June 2008  

Monday 2 June  

Children, Schools and Families  
Subject: Looked-after children  
Witnesses: The Foyer Federation, National Leaving Care Advisory Service, and Professor Mike Stein, University of York  

International Development  
Subject: Co-ordination for Aid Effectiveness  
Witnesses: Shahid Malik MP, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State, Department for International Development  

Innovation, Universities, Science and Skills  
Subject: Office for Fair Access  
Witnesses: Professor Sir Martin Harris, Director of Fair Access to Higher Education  

Public Accounts  
Subject: Efficient grant making in the Culture, Media and Sport sector  
Witnesses: Nicholas Holgate, Chief Operating Officer, Department for Culture, Media and Sport; Jennie Price, Chief Executive, Sport England; Dr Simon Thurley, Chief Executive, English Heritage; Alan Davey, Chief Executive, Arts Council; Peter Wanless, Chief Executive, The Lottery Fund  

Communities and Local Government  
Subject: Provision of Public Toilets  

Tuesday 3 June  

Defence  
Subject: ISTAR  
Witnesses: Thales UK and Northrop Grumman  

Business and Enterprise  
Subject: Energy Prices  

Welsh Affairs  
Subject: The provision of cross-border public services for Wales  
Witnesses: Ben Bradshaw MP, Minister of State, Department of Health  

Environmental Audit  
Subject: Greener homes for the future? An environmental analysis of the Government’s house-building plans  
Witnesses: Phil Woolas MP, Minister for the Environment, Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, and Rt Hon Caroline Flint MP, Minister for Housing, Department for Communities and Local Government  

Justice  
Subject: (i) Consultation Sentencing Guideline: Theft and Burglary (non-dwelling) (ii) Constitutional and Legal Issues  
Witnesses: (i) Nacro, Federation of Small Businesses and Victim Support (ii) Michael Wills MP, Minister of State and Bridget Prentice MP, Parliamentary Under-Secretary, Ministry of Justice  

Home Affairs  
Subject: Policing in the 21st Century  
Witnesses: Local Government Association and Cambridgeshire Constabulary; Tesco, Association of Convenience Stores, and British Beer and Pub Association; Devon and Cornwall Constabulary
Joint Committees

Draft Constitutional Renewal Bill
Subject: Draft Constitutional Renewal Bill
Witnesses: Gareth Crossman, Director of Policy, Liberty, and Mike Schwarz, Partner, Bindmans; Baroness Mallalieu QC, President, Countryside Alliance; and Milan Rai

Draft Marine Bill
Subject: Draft Marine Bill
Witnesses: Local Government Association, Association of Sea Fisheries Committees, and the Environment Agency; Natural England and Countryside Council for Wales; Marine and Fisheries Agency; and the Joint Nature Conservation Committee

Wednesday 4 June

Innovation, Universities, Science and Skills
Subject: Sub-Committee on after Leitch: Implementing skills and training policies
Witnesses: Professor Lorna Unwin, University of London; Mick Fletcher, Education Consultant; Professor Alison Fuller, University of Southampton; Professor Alison Wolf, King’s College, London; Association of the British Pharmaceutical Industry; Engineering Employers Federation; Federation of Small Businesses; and Graham Schuhmacher, Head of Learning Services, Rolls Royce Plc

Children, Schools and Families
Subject: National Curriculum
Witnesses: Civitas, Futurelab, Qualifications and Curriculum Authority, and Royal Society for the Encouragement of the Arts

Environmental Audit
Subject: Carbon Capture and Storage and Kingsnorth power station
Witnesses: Bob Taylor, Managing Director (Generation) E.ON UK; Malcolm Wicks MP, Minister for Energy, Department for Business, Enterprise and Regulatory Reform

European Scrutiny
Subject: (i) Ageing well in the information society (ii) Scrutiny of European Documents
Witnesses: (i) Baroness Vadera, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State, Department for Business, Enterprise and Regulatory Reform

Treasur
Subject: Budget Measures and Low-Income Households
Witnesses: Rt Hon Alistair Darling MP, Chancellor of the Exchequer

Public Accounts
Subject: Reducing passenger delays by better management of incidents
Witnesses: Dr Mike Mitchell and Dr Gary Backler, Department for Transport; Iain Coucher, Network Rail; Dr Bill Emery, Office of Rail Regulation; and David Franks, Association of Train Operating Companies

Environment, Food and Rural Affairs
Subject: Draft Marine Bill – Coastal Access Provisions
Witnesses: Natural England

Joint Committee

Draft Constitutional Renewal Bill
Subject: Draft Constitutional Renewal Bill
Witnesses: Baroness Usha Prashar, Chairman; Professor Dame Hazel Genn, Commissioner; and Jonathan Sumption, Commissioner Judicial Appointments Commission; Chris Allison, Deputy Assistant Commissioner, Metropolitan Police; Dean Ingleedew, Director of Community Protection, Westminster City Council; and Kit Malthouse, Deputy Mayor for Policing, Greater London
Thursday 5 June

Health
Subject: Health Inequalities
Witnesses: Dr Hamish Meldrum, Chair of Council, BMA, Professor Martin Roland, Director, National Primary Care Research and Development Centre, and Dr Julian Tudor Hart, Hon Clinical Research Fellow, University of Wales Swansea Medical School; Professor James Nazroo, University of Manchester, Age Concern, and Men’s Health forum

International Development
Subject: The humanitarian and development situation in the Occupied Palestinian Territories
Witnesses: Rt Hon Tony Blair, Middle East Quartet Representative

Business and Enterprise
Subject: Energy Prices
Witnesses: Fuel Poverty Advisory Group, National Right to Fuel Campaign, and National Energy Action

Joint Committee

Draft Marine Bill
Subject: Draft Marine Bill
Witnesses: British Ports Association and Associated British Ports; British Marine Aggregate Producers Association; Chamber of Shipping

Friday 6 June

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Forthcoming Select Committee Meetings
9 – 13 June 2008

Monday 9 June

**Children, Schools and Families***

Subject: Child Poverty
Witnesses: Rt Hon Ed Balls MP, Secretary of State for Children, Schools and Families, Rt Hon Beverley Hughes MP, Minister for Children, Young People and Families, Rt Hon James Purnell MP, Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, Rt Hon Stephen Timms MP, Minister for Employment and Welfare Reform, and Angela Eagle MP, Exchequer Secretary, HM Treasury

3:45pm The Wilson Room, Portcullis House

**Environment, Food and Rural Affairs***

Witnesses: Country Land and Business Association and National Farmers’ Union; National Trust and Royal Society for the Protection of Birds (at 5.30 p.m.)

4:30pm The Thatcher Room, Portcullis House

**Public Accounts**

Subject: Shared services in the Department for Transport and its agencies
Witnesses: Robert Devereux, Permanent Secretary, and Barbara Moorhouse, Director General, Corporate Resources Group, Department for Transport

4:30pm Committee Room 15, Palace of Westminster

**Communities and Local Government**

Subject: Provision of Public Toilets
Witnesses: British Toilet Association; Baroness Andrews OBE, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State, Department for Communities and Local Government (at 5.20 p.m.)

4:50pm The Grimond Room, Portcullis House

Tuesday 10 June

**Business and Enterprise***

Subject: Post Office Closure Programme
Witnesses: Alan Cook CBE, Managing Director, and Paula Vennells, Network Director, Post Office Ltd, and Howard Webber, Chief Executive, Postwatch

10:30am Committee Room 8, Palace of Westminster

**Culture, Media and Sport**

Subject: Draft Cultural Property (Armed Conflicts) Bill
Witnesses: Professor Peter Stone and Dr Roger O’Keefe; Brigadier Gordon Messenger DSO OBE, Ministry of Defence (at 10.55 a.m.); British Art Market Federation (at 11.20 a.m.); British Red Cross, UK National Commission of UNESCO and English Heritage (at 11.45 a.m.)

10:30am The Grimond Room, Portcullis House

**Home Affairs**

Subject: Policing in the 21st Century
Witnesses: Airwave Solutions, Research in Motion, and G4S Justice Services; Bedfordshire Police and the British Transport Police (at 11.30 a.m.); Police Federation (at 12 noon)

10:30am The Wilson Room, Portcullis House

**Justice**

Subject: Draft Constitutional Renewal Bill
Witnesses: Roger Smith, Director, JUSTICE, and Professor Jeffrey Jowell QC; Rt Hon Baroness Scotland of Asthal QC, Attorney General, and Jonathan Jones, Director General, Attorney General’s Office (at 5.15 p.m.)

4:15pm The Grimond Room, Portcullis House
Joint Committee

**Draft Constitutional Renewal Bill***
Subject: Draft Constitutional Renewal Bill
Witnesses: Jonathan Baume, General Secretary, First Division Association, and Charles Cochrane, Director of Policy, Public and Commercial Services Union; Sir Christopher Kelly KCB, Chair, Committee on Standards in Public Life, and Sir Christopher Foster, Chairman, and Sir Richard Mottram GCB, Better Government Initiative (at 2.30 p.m.)

**Wednesday 11 June**

**Children, Schools and Families**
Subject: National Curriculum
 Witnesses: ATL, NAHT, NASUWT and NUT; Northern Ireland Council for Curriculum, Examinations and Assessment, and the Federation of Small Businesses (at 10.45 a.m.)

**Scottish Affairs**
Subject: Commission on Scottish Devolution
Witnesses: Sir Kenneth Calman KCB, Chair, Jim Gallagher, Secretary, and David Middleton, Head of Secretariat, Commission on Scottish Devolution

**Foreign Affairs***
Subject: Developments in the European Union
Witnesses: Rt Hon David Miliband MP, Secretary of State, Ananda Guha and Paul Williams, Foreign and Commonwealth Office

**Transport**
Subject: Draft Marine Navigation Bill
Witnesses: Local Government Association, UK Major Ports Group and British Ports Association; Chamber of Shipping and Royal Yachting Association (at 3.30 p.m.)

**Environment, Food and Rural Affairs**
Witnesses: The Ramblers’ Association; Devon County Council, Norfolk County Council and Countryside Access Partnership Board (Cumbria County Council & Cumbria Local Access Forum) (at 4.00 p.m.)

**Public Accounts**
Subject: HM Revenue and Customs: Tackling the hidden economy
Witnesses: Dave Hartnett CB, Acting Chairman, Mike Norgrove, Director, Central Compliance, and Naomi Ferguson, Director, Local Compliance, HM Revenue and Customs

**Joint Committees**

**Draft Marine Bill**
Subject: Draft Marine Bill
Witnesses: National Federation Fishermen’s Organisation, Seafish Industry Authority and Scottish Fisherman’s Federation; National Federation of Sea Anglers and Sea Anglers Conservation Network (at 10.30 a.m.); Fisheries and Angling Conservation Trust (at 11.15 a.m.)

**Draft Constitutional Renewal Bill***
Subject: Draft Constitutional Renewal Bill
Witnesses: Professor Peter Hennessy, Queen Mary, University of London, Lord Wilson of Dinton GCB, and Lord Turnbull of Enfield KCB; Dr Malcolm Jack, Clerk of the House of Commons, Mr Michael Pownall, Clerk of the Parliaments, Lt General Sir Michael Willcocks KCB, Black Rod, and Jill Pay, Serjeant at Arms (at 5.00 p.m.)
Thursday 12 June

Public Administration
Subject: Charities and Public Benefit
Witnesses: Board of Deputies of British Jews, British Humanist Association, Evangelical Alliance, and Lawyers’ Christian Fellowship
10:00am The Thatcher Room, Portcullis House

Welsh Affairs
Subject: The Provision of cross-border public services for Wales
Witnesses: Rt Hon Rhodri Morgan AM, First Minister, Welsh Assembly Government
11:00am Committee Room 15, Palace of Westminster

Joint Committee

Draft Marine Bill
Subject: Draft Marine Bill
Witnesses: Derek Twigg MP, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State, Ministry of Defence; British Marine Federation, British Sub Aqua Club and Royal Yachting Association (at 11.00 a.m.); Country Land and Business Association and The Ramblers Association (at 11.45 a.m.)
10:15am Committee Room 2A/3A, Palace of Westminster

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Monday 9 June

EU Sub-Committee B: Internal Market 4:05pm
Subject: Inquiry into the EU's 20% Renewable Energy Target
Witnesses: Mr Jeremy Nicholson, Director, Energy Intensive Users Group

Tuesday 10 June

Joint Committee on Draft Constitutional Renewal Bill 1:45pm
Subject: Draft Constitutional Renewal Bill
Witnesses: (a) Jonathan Baume, General Secretary, FDA; Mark Serwotka, General Secretary, Public and Commercial Service Union; and Charles Cochrane, Secretary, CCSU (to be confirmed); and (b) from Sir Christopher Kelly, Chair, Committee on Standards in Public Life; Sir Christopher Foster, Chairman, and Sir Richard Mottram, Better Governance Initiative

Economic Affairs 3:35pm
Subject: Inquiry into the Economics of Renewable Energy
Witnesses: (a) Mr Philip Wolfe, Renewable Energy Association; Ms Maria McCaffery, Chief Executive, British Wind Energy Association; and Mr William Heller, Chief Executive, Falck Renewables Ltd; and from (b) Professor Dieter Helm, Oxford University; and Professor David Newbery, Cambridge University

European Union 4:15pm
Subject: European Union
Witnesses: The French Ambassador on the priorities of the French Presidency of the EU; and (b) Jim Murphy MP, Minister for Europe, on Annual Policy Strategy for 2009

Wednesday 11 June

Joint Committee on Draft Marine Bill 10:30am
Subject: Draft Marine Bill
 Witnesses: (a) National Federation Fishermen's Organisation; Seafish Industry Authority; Scottish Fisherman's Federation; National Federation of Sea Anglers; and Sea Anglers Conservation Network; and (b) Fisheries and Angling Conservation Trust

Science and Technology: Sub-Committee II 10:40am
Subject: Genomic Medicine
Witnesses: Professor Peter Furness, Vice-President, Royal College of Pathologists; Dr John Crolla, Chair, Joint Committee on Medical Genetics, also representing the Royal College of Physicians; and Dr Inram Rafi, Royal College of General Practitioners

Constitution 10:45am
Subject: Inquiry into Surveillance and Data Collection
Witnesses: (a) Councillor Hazel Harding, Ms Donna Sidwell, and Mr David Holland, Local Government Association; and (b) Ms Terri Dowty, Director, Action Rights for Children (ARCH)

EU Sub-Committee D: Environment and Agriculture 11:00am
Subject: Common Fisheries Policy
Witnesses: (a) Roddy McColl, Fishermen’s Association Limited; (b) Andrew Charles, Scottish Seafood Processors’ Federation; and (c) Jonathan Shaw MP, Fisheries Minister, Defra

EU Sub-Committee A: Economic and Financial Affairs, and International Trade 3:00pm
Subject: The 2009 EC Budget
Witnesses: Kitty Ussher MP, Economic Secretary, HM Treasury
Joint Committee on Draft Constitutional Renewal Bill 4:15pm
Subject: Draft Constitutional Renewal Bill
Witnesses: (a) Professor Peter Hennessy, Attlee Professor of Contemporary British History, Queen Mary University of London; Lord Wilson of Dinton (Cabinet Secretary 1998-2002); and Lord Turnbull of Enfield (Cabinet Secretary 2002-05); and (b) from Dr Malcolm Jack, Clerk of the House of Commons; Mr Michael Pownall, Clerk of the House of Lords; Sir Michael Willcocks, Black Rod; and Jill Pay, Serjeant at Arms

Thursday 12 June

EU Sub-Committee C: Foreign Affairs, Defence and Development Policy 10:35am
Subject: European Security Strategy
Witnesses: Professor Mary Kaldor, London School of Economics; and Dr Bastian Giegerich, International Institute for Strategic Studies (IISS)

Joint Committee on Draft Marine Bill 11:00am
Subject: Draft Marine Bill
Witnesses: (a) Derek Twigg MP, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State and officials, Ministry of Defence; British Marine Federation; British Sub Aqua Club; Royal Yachting Association; and (b) Country Land and Business Association; Ramblers Association

Friday 13 June

None
**Select Committees: Publications received since the last Bulletin**

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**STAGE & NOTES**
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- Uncorrected oral evidence on website: HC 416-I & ii
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### Liaison

**INQUIRY**
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- The work of committees in 2007

**STAGE & NOTES**
- Government Response published 2 June
- Government Response published 2 June

### Modernisation of the House of Commons

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- Debating departmental objectives and annual reports
- Regional accountability

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- Oral & Written evidence available on Committee’s website

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**INQUIRY**
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Pay modernisation in the NHS – GPs Contracts | Report in preparation
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The BBC’s management of risk | BBC Response published 3 June
The cancellation of Bicester Accommodation Centre | Report in preparation
Use of office property by government departments | Report in preparation

Public Administration

**INQUIRY**

| Charities & Public Benefit | Oral evidence in progress  
1st evidence session 12 June |
| Good Government | Invitation for evidence by 1 July 2008 |
| Lobbying | Oral evidence in progress  
Final evidence session 19 June |

**Quadripartite Committee**

**INQUIRY**

| Road Safety | Oral evidence in progress |

**Regulatory Reform**

**INQUIRY**

| Getting Results: The Better Regulation Executive and the Impact of the Regulatory Reform Agenda | Oral evidence in progress  
Next evidence session on 24 June |

**Scottish Affairs**

**INQUIRY**

| Commission on Scottish Devolution | One-off oral evidence session announced  
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| Credit Unions in Scotland | Oral evidence in progress |
| Experience of the Scottish Elections | Report in preparation |

**Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments**

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| Business under Standing Order No 151, followed as necessary by meetings of the Select Committee on Statutory Instruments for business under Standing Order No 151(10) | Continuing scrutiny: Report to be published  
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**EU documents recommended for debate by the European Scrutiny Committee**

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#### COM documents

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