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Noticeboard

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The next Bulletin will be published on Saturday 21 June 2008

By-election

Following the resignation of the Member for Henley, Boris Johnson, on 4 June 2008, there will be a by-election on Thursday 26 June 2008.

Summer Opening of Parliament 2008

The Houses of Parliament will open this summer from July 28th to September 27th (inclusive), with tours operating Monday to Saturday; there are no tours on Sundays or Bank Holidays. For further details please see the parliament website: http://www.parliament.uk/about/visiting/summer_opening.cfm

Party Conferences 2008

Labour: 20th September to 24th of September 2008
Conservative: 28th September to 1st of October 2008
Liberal Democrat: 13th September to 17th September 2008

State Opening of Parliament

The State Opening of Parliament will take place on Wednesday 3 December 2008

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

http://www.parliament.uk
The Parliament website provides information on parliamentary proceedings, membership of both Houses and general information on a wide range of parliamentary matters. See index for material available on the website.
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The hon. Member representing the House of Commons commission also answers on behalf of the Finance and Services Committee.
The Minister of State for Justice, also answers on behalf of the Lord Chancellor and the Privy Council office.
The Secretary of State for Scotland also answers on behalf of the Advocate General.
The Solicitor General also answers on behalf of the Attorney General.
**Business of the House of Commons**  
6 – 13 June 2008

**Friday 6 June**

The House sat at 9.30am

**Private Members Bills** – Voting Age (Reduction) Bill – Julie Morgan (Deb adj; Order for 2R: 13.6.2008); Crown Employment (Nationality) Bill – Mr Andrew Dismore (Order for 2R: 13.6.2008); Expenses of Public Servants (Publication) Bill – Norman Baker (Order for 2R: 17.10.2008); Food Products (Marketing to Children) Bill – Nigel Griffiths (Dropped); Environmental Protection Act 1990 (Amendment) Bill – Mr Bernard Jenkin (Dropped); Fixed Term Parliaments Bill – David Howarth (Order for 2R: 13.6.2008); Human Rights Act (Meaning of Public function) Bill – Mr Andrew Dismore (Order for 2R: 13.6.2008); Environmental Protection (Airports) Bill – Justine Greening (Dropped); Disqualification from Parliament (Taxation Status) Bill – Mr Gordon Prentice (Order for 2R: 13.6.2008); Foreign National Statistics Bill– Mr William Cash (Dropped); Drugs (Roadside Testing) Bill – Mr Christopher Chope (Order for 2R: 13.6.2008); Drugs (Reclassification) Bill – Mr Christopher Chope (Order for 2R: 13.6.2008); Public Sector Buildings (Energy Performance) Bill – Anne Snelgrove (Order for 2R: 17.10.2008)

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

The House rose at 2.57pm

**Monday 9 June**

The House will sit at 2.30pm

**Oral Questions** – Home Office, including Topical Questions

**Statement** – Transport (Greater Manchester) – Ruth Kelly

**Legislation** – Climate Change Bill [HL] – Second reading (agreed on division)

**Legislation** – Climate Change Bill [HL] – Programme Motion (agreed on division)

**Legislation** – Climate Change Bill [HL] – Money Resolution (agreed)

Adjournment – Provision of stoma and incontinence appliances in primary care – Mr Robert Syms

The House rose at 10.55pm

**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 (Bill presented and read the First time)
Legislation – Counter-Terrorism Bill – Programme Motion (No. 2) (agreed on division)

Legislation – Counter-Terrorism Bill – Remaining stages (day 1) (as amended, considered)

Adjournment – Organisation of local elections in Warrington – Helen Jones

The House rose at 11.04pm

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 (Bill presented and read the First time)

Legislation – Counter-Terrorism Bill – conclusion of remaining stages (Bill, as amended, further considered and, on division, read the Third time)

Adjournment – Human rights in Somalia – Mr George Galloway

The House rose at 7.25pm

Thursday 12 June

The House will sit at 10.30am

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

Business Statement – Leader of the House

Statement – HMS Tireless Board of Inquiry – Mr Bob Ainsworth

Statement – Radioactive waste – Hilary Benn

Statement – Cabinet Office Assessment (Documents) – Edward Miliband

Topical Debate – Dangerous dogs

Private Business – Opposed Private Business

Adjournment – Levels of deprivation in Edmonton – Mr Andrew Love

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


The House rose at 6.59pm
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); Citizens’ Convention Bill – Julia Goldsworthy (2R); Voting Age (Reduction) Bill – Julie Morgan (2R); Crown Employment (Nationality) Bill – Mr Andrew Dismore (2R); Fixed Term Parliaments Bill – David Howarth (2R); Human Rights Act 1998 (Meaning of Public function) Bill – Mr Andrew Dismore (2R); Disqualification from Parliament (Taxation Status) Bill – Mr Gordon Prentice (2R); Drugs (Roadside Testing) Bill – Mr Christopher Chope (2R); Drugs (Reclassification) Bill – Mr Christopher Chope (2R)

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

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** There are no Westminster Hall Adjournment Debates scheduled

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Written Ministerial Statements
6 – 13 June 2008

6.06.08 EU Competitiveness Council – Ian Pearson
6.06.08 London 2012 (Legacy Action Plan) – Tessa Jowell
6.06.08 Business Questions – Ms Harriet Harman
9.06.08 EU Competitiveness Council – Malcolm Wicks
9.06.08 Telecoms Council – Malcolm Wicks
9.06.08 Bellwin Scheme – John Healey
9.06.08 OFWAT – Mr Phil Woolas
9.06.08 Immigration Reform – Mr Liam Byrne
9.06.08 International Assessment of Agriculture Science and Technology for Development – Mr Douglas Alexander
10.06.08 ECOFIN – Mr Alistair Darling
10.06.08 National Challenge for Secondary Schools – Ed Balls
10.06.08 Armed Forces Personnel – Des Browne
10.06.08 Carers Strategy – Alan Johnson
10.06.08 Race Relations Act 1976 (Section 19D Authorisation) – Mr Liam Byrne
10.06.08 Probation Board for Northern Ireland (Business Plan 2008-09) – Paul Goggins
10.06.08 Serious Fraud Office (Jessica de Grazia Review) – Vera Baird
10.06.08 Households Below Average Income – James Purnell
11.06.08 Regional Development Agencies (Reappointments) – Mr Pat McFadden
11.06.08 Migration Impacts Plan – Hazel Blears
11.06.08 Veterinary Medicines Directorate – Jonathan Shaw
11.06.08 Burma (UK Aid) – Mr Douglas Alexander
11.06.08 Public Law Family Fees Consultation – Bridget Prentice
11.06.08 EU Transport Council – Ms Rosie Winterton
11.06.08 Tramway and Heritage Rail Safety Verification – Mr Tom Harris
12.06.08 ECOFIN – Mr Alistair Darling
12.06.08 Global Economy – Mr Alistair Darling
12.06.08 General Affairs and External Relations Council – Mr Jim Murphy
12.06.08 Control Order Powers (11 March – 10 June 2008) – Mr Tony McNulty
12.06.08  “Work Skills” – Mr John Denham
12.06.08  State Opening of Parliament – Ms Harriet Harman
12.06.08  Parking Contravention Regulations – Ms Rosie Winterton
12.06.08  Dartford – Thurrock River Crossing – Ms Rosie Winterton
12.06.08  Agency Targets and Business Plans – James Purnell
12.06.08  Employment, Social Policy, Health and Consumer Affairs Council – Mr James Plaskitt
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** –

- 09.30-11.00  Impact of military operations on the development and reconstruction of Helmand Province, Afghanistan – Mr Adam Holloway
- 11.00-12.30  Future of the bee industry – Dr Ian Gibson
- 12.30-13.00  Post Office closure programme in Shropshire – Mr Philip Dunne
- 13.00-13.30  Regeneration of Featherstone – Jon Trickett
- 13.30-14.00  Abuse of powers of attorney relating to the elderly – Susan Kramer

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) – i) the Government’s plans for polyclinics; ii) sentencing policy and the early release of offenders

**Adjournment** – Local government PFI contracts – Mr Ian Liddell-Grainger

Wednesday 18 June

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

**Westminster Hall Private Members’ Debates** –

- 09.30-11.00  Parliamentary representation in England – Derek Wyatt
- 11.00-11.30  Academies – Mrs Linda Riordan
- 14.30-16.00  Gypsy encampments in Wiltshire – Mr James Gray
- 16.00-16.30  Water quality and mussel farming on the River Fal – Julia Goldsworthy
- 16.30-17.00  Crimestoppers in Great Yarmouth – Mr Anthony Wright

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** – European Affairs

**Adjournment** – Government support for people with poor credit histories – Dr Stephen Ladyman
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 – Parking regulations – Dr Vincent Cable

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); 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); Iraq War Inquiry (No.2) Bill – Mr Edward Davey (2R)

Adjournment – Leyton High Road Post Office – Harry Cohen

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** There are no Westminster Hall Adjournment Debates scheduled

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Provisional Forthcoming Business of the House of Commons
23 – 27 June 2008

Monday 23 June

The House will sit at 2.30pm

Oral Questions – Culture, Media and Sport, including Topical Questions

Statement – The European Council

Debate – Opposition Day (11th allotted day) (Second Part from 7th May) – subject to be announced

Legislation – Sale of Student Loans Bill – Lords amendments

Adjournment – North Northamptonshire Core Spatial Strategy – Mr Philip Hollobone

Tuesday 24 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 – Foreign and Commonwealth Office, including Topical Questions

Ten Minute Rule Bill – Protection of Bats and Newts – Mr Andrew Robathan

Debate – Opposition Day (unallotted day) (First Part) Democratic Unionist Party – subject to be announced

Adjournment – *

Wednesday 25 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 – Northern Ireland; Prime Minister

Ten Minute Rule Bill – Vehicle Safety (Loads) – Janet Anderson

Legislation – Planning Bill – remaining stages

Adjournment – *
Thursday 26 June

*The House will sit at 10.30am*

**Oral Questions** – Innovation, Universities and Skills; including Topical Questions

**Business Statement** – Leader of the House

**Topical Debate** –***

**Debate** – Draft Legislative Programme

**Adjournment** – *

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

**Westminster Hall** – Skills for Life

Friday 27 June

*The House will not be sitting*

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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
Provisional Forthcoming Business of the House of Lords
23 – 27 June 2008

Monday 23 June

The House will sit at 2:30pm

Oral Questions – Alcohol harm reduction strategy – Lord Avebury; Disruption of electricity supplies on 27 May – Baroness Miller of Hendon; Maximise the benefits of digital technology – Lord St John of Bletso; Self testing blood sugar levels by type two diabetes patients – Viscount Falkland

Legislation – Pensions Bill – Committee stage (day 2) – Lord McKenzie of Luton

Orders and Regulations – Sexual Offences (Northern Ireland) Order 2008; Sexual Offences (Northern Ireland Consequential Amendments) Order 2008 – Lord Rooker

Tuesday 24 June

The House will sit at 2:30pm

Oral Questions – Proposal to establish a league of democracies – Lord Hannay of Chiswick; Number of dementia sufferers in ten years time – Lord Ashley of Stoke; A ban on the drug khat – Baroness Warsi

Orders and Regulations – Welsh Ministers (Transfer of Functions) Order 2008; National Assembly for Wales (Legislative Competence) (Social Welfare) Order 2008 – Baroness Morgan of Drefelin

Wednesday 25 June

The House will sit at 3:00pm


Legislation – Education and Skills Bill – Committee stage (day 1) – Lord Adonis

Orders and Regulations – Representation of the People (Northern Ireland) Regulations 2008; Service Voters’ Registration Period (Northern Ireland) Order 2008; Political Parties, Elections and Referendums Act 2000(Northern Ireland Political Parties) Order 2008 – Lord Rooker

Thursday 26 June

The House will sit at 11:00am

Oral Questions – Protection of UK farm livestock against bluetongue infection – Lord Livesey of Talgarth; Number of confirmed reports of food poisoning in the UK since the Foods Standards Agency was established – Countess of Mar; the Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development’s assessment of Britain’s economic prospects – Lord Roberts of Conwy

Debate – Future direction of higher education – Lord Luce

Debate – Case for a Royal Commission on state of prisons – Lord Ramsbotham

Legislation – Powers of Entry Bill – Committee stage – Lord Selsdon

Legislation – House of Lords (Members’ Taxation Status) Bill [HL] – Committee stage (day 2) – Lord Oakeshott of Seagrove Bay

Friday 27 June

The House will not be sitting
Legislation – General Notes

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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 TL RB** 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
- **Prov 2R (Rep,3R)** 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
Complete list of Public Bills before Parliament this Session

The following is a list of Public Bills which are before Parliament this session, with the exception of Order Confirmation Bills.

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Ruth Kelly / Lord Bassam of Brighton

RA: 22.5.2008 (Ch. 5)

CHANNEL TUNNEL RAIL LINK (SUPPLEMENTARY PROVISIONS) ACT 2008

CHILD MAINTENANCE AND OTHER PAYMENTS (G)

John Hutton / Lord McKenzie of Luton

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

RA: 5.6.2008 (Ch. 6)

CHILD MAINTENANCE 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 (not printed - Order for 2R lapsed)

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
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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)

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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

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Pete Wishart

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

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Jacqui Smith

Lords: (65) Prov 1R: No date
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Prov 2R: 17.10.2008 (20)

CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND IMMIGRATION (G)  
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CROWN EMPLOYMENT (NATIONALITY) (P)  
Commons: (43)  
*1R: 10.12.2007
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Lord Ashley of Stoke / Roger Berry
Commons: (4)  
3R: 25.2.2008
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DISQUALIFICATION FROM PARLIAMENT (TAXATION STATUS) (B20)  
Gordon Prentice
Commons: (24)  
*1R: 5.12.2007  2R: 25.1.2008 (3) (Deb adj)
Prov 2R: 13.6.2008 (13)

DNA DATABASE (REMOVAL OF SAMPLES) (T)  
Jenny Willott
Commons: (118)  
1R: 11.6.2008 (not printed)
Prov 2R: 17.10.2008 (24)

DORMANT BANK AND BUILDING SOCIETY ACCOUNTS [HL] (G)  
Lord Davies of Oldham / Angela Eagle
Commons: (2, 17, 26)  
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DRUGS (RECLASSIFICATION) (P)  
Christopher Chope
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Prov 2R: 13.6.2008 (15)

DRUGS (ROADSIDE TESTING) (P)  
Christopher Chope
Commons: (38)  
*1R: 10.12.2007
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EDUCATION AND SKILLS (G)  
Ed Balls / Lord Adonis

Commons: (12, 81) *1R: 28.11.2007 2R: 14.1.2008  

PBC: 22, 24, 29 & 31.1; 5, 7, 19, 21 & 28.2.2008

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Lord Jones of Birmingham / Pat McFadden

Lords: (58) 1R: 14.5.2008 2R: 10.6.2008  
Prov Comm: 25.6; 1.7.2008

Commons: (117) 1R: 3.6.2008  
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EMPLOYMENT RETENTION (T)  
John Robertson

Commons: (60) 1R: 29.1.2008 (not printed)  
Prov 2R: 20.6.2008 (5)

ENERGY  
John Hutton / Lord Jones of Birmingham

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  
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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION (AIRPORTS) (B17)  
Justine Greening

Commons: (34) *1R: 5.12.2007 (Dropped)

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION (TRANSFERS AT SEA) (B8)  
Mark Lazarowicz

Commons: (20) *1R: 5.12.2007 2R: 25.1.2008 (2) (Deb adj - Withdrawn)

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT 1990 (AMENDMENT) (T)  
Bernard Jenkin

Commons: (86) 1R: 11.3.2008 (Dropped)

EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES (FINANCE) (G)  
Alistair Darling / Lord Davies of Oldham

Commons: (2) *1R: 7.11.2007 2R: 19.11.2007  
Prog: 19.11.2007 MR: 19.11.2007

*Prog: 15.1.2008 Comm: 15.1.2008  
Rep: 15.1.2008 3R: 15.1.2008

Lords: (2) 1R: 16.1.2008 2R: 4.2.2008  
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*RA: 19.2.2008 (Ch. 1)

EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES (FINANCE) ACT 2008

EUROPEAN UNION (AMENDMENT) (G)  
David Miliband / Baroness Ashton of Upholland

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

Rep: 4, 9 & 11.6.2008  
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Commons: (41) *1R: 10.12.2007 (not printed)  
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Norman Baker

Commons: (46) *1R: 18.12.2007  
Prov 2R: 17.10.2008 (18)

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Jane Kennedy

Commons: (89) 1R: 18.3.2008  
Comm: 28 & 29.4.2008

PBC: 6, 8, 13, 15, 20 & 22.5; 3, 5, 10 & 12.6.2008  
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Rob Marris

Commons: (83) 1R: 5.3.2008 (not printed)  
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David Howarth

Commons: (30) *1R: 5.12.2007 2R: 16.5.2008 (2) (Deb adj)  
Prov 2R: 13.6.2008 (11)

FOOD PRODUCTS (MARKETING TO CHILDREN) (B7)  
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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.

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Abbreviations

1R First Reading
2R Second Reading
CO Carry-over or revival motion (To enable Bill to progress through Parliament across more than one session)
BR Bill Reintroduced (Together with any other formal stages necessary to return the Bill to the point it had reached in the previous session)
BC Bill committed (as yet the type of Committee is not known)
UBC Bill committed to an unopposed committee (If two dates are given the last is the date on which the committee reported)
OBC Bill committed to an opposed committee (If two dates are given the last is the date on which the committee reported)
Rep Report stage (House of Commons only)
3R Third Reading
CA Commons’ amendments considered by the House of Lords
LA Lords’ amendments considered by the House of Commons
RA Bill formally becomes an Act of Parliament
CH Chapter number

Debate Bill debated, otherwise the stages are taken formally. In the House of Commons this will be at 7 pm

Prov Provisional date for next stage - date supplied where known, ie prov 2R: 27.1.2004 - provisional second reading 27 January 2004

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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.

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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
CO: 22.10.2007
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: 19.6.2008
(The Bill is opposed, 3 petitions outstanding)

BROADS AUTHORITY (Winckworth Sherwood)

Commons: (2006-07) 1R: 23.1.2007 2R: 25.4.2007 (Debate)OBC: 17 & 18.7.2007
CO: 16.10.2007
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)

(No petitions were presented against the Bill in the Commons)

LONDON LOCAL AUTHORITIES [HL] (Sharpe Pritchard)

Lords: (2007-08) 1R: 22.1.2008 2R: 20.2.2008 Prov OBC: No date
(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: 24.5.2005
Commons: (2005-06) 3R: 15.12.2005
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LONDON LOCAL AUTHORITIES AND TRANSPORT FOR LONDON (NO. 2) [HL] (Sharpe Pritchard)

Lords: (2007-08) 1R: 22.1.2008 2R: 20.2.2008 Prov OBC: No date
(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: 19.6.2008
(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)

Lords: (2007-08) 1R: 29.4.2008 2R: 13.5.2008 Prov UBC: No date
(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
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
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 13 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 13 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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The Northern Ireland Assembly was restored 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
- **O**: Northern Ireland Order Grand Committee
- **A**: Approved
- **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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Mr Peter Lilley  
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Mrs Nadine Dorries  
Sarah McCarthy-Fry  
Anne Main  
Alison Seabeck  
Mr David Drew  
Mr Pat McFadden  
Judy Mallaber  
Sarah Teather
General Committee Meetings
9 – 13 June 2008

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
1st DLC  Draft Maximum Number of Judges Order 2008

Tuesday 10 June
PBC  Finance Bill (17th & 18th Sittings: Clauses 110, 111 & Schedule 37, agreed; Clause 109 & Schedule 36, as amended, agreed)
PBC  Human Fertilisation and Embryology Bill [HL] (5th & 6th Sittings: Clauses 26-29, 32-39, 41-45 & Schedule 5, agreed; Clauses 24, 25, 30, 31 & 40, as amended, agreed)
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

Wednesday 11 June
5th DLC  Draft Social Security (Students Responsible for Children or Young Persons) Amendment Regulations 2008

Thursday 12 June
6th DLC  Farriers’ Qualifications (European Recognition) Regulations 2008 (S.I., 2008, No.646)
PBC  Finance Bill (19th & 20th Sittings: Clauses 112-113, 115-116, 118-137, 139-146, agreed; Clauses 114, as amended, agreed; Clauses 138, agreed on a division; Schedule 42-43, agreed; Schedule 38-41, 45, as amended, agreed)
PBC  Human Fertilisation and Embryology Bill [HL] (7th & 8th Sittings: Clauses 46-47, 49, 51-52, 54-68, agreed; 48,50,53,69, as amended, agreed; Schedule 6 agreed; Schedule 7-8 as amended, agreed)

Friday 13 June
None

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Forthcoming General Committee Meetings  
16 – 20 June 2008

Monday 16 June

None

Tuesday 17 June

NIGC  Risk Assessment and Management of Sex Offenders in Northern Ireland, 4.30pm, Room 14
PBC  Finance Bill, 10.30am & 4.30pm, Room 10
PBC  Regulatory Enforcement and Sanctions Bill [HL], 10.30am & 4.00pm, Room 12

Wednesday 18 June

WGC  The Future of Energy in Wales, 9.00am & 2.00pm, Room 10
1st DLC  Draft Immigration and Nationality (Fees) (Amendment No. 2) Regulations 2008, 2.30pm, Room 9

Thursday 19 June

PBC  Finance Bill, 9.00am & 1.00pm, Room 10
PBC  Regulatory Enforcement and Sanctions Bill [HL], 9.00am & 1.00pm, Room 12

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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 Rt Hon Yvette Cooper MP, Chief Secretary, HM Treasury

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

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

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

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

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; British Art Market Federation; British Red Cross, UK National Commission of UNESCO and English Heritage

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; Police Federation

Justice
Subject: Draft Constitutional Renewal Bill
Witnesses: Roger Smith, Director, JUSTICE, and Professor Jeffreyy Jowell QC; Rt Hon Baroness Scotland of Asthal QC, Attorney General, and Jonathan Jones, Director General, Attorney General’s Office

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
Wednesday 11 June

Children, Schools and Families
Subject: National Curriculum
Witnesses: ATL, NAHT, NASUWT and NUT; Northern Ireland Council for Curriculum, Examinations and Assessment; the Federation of Small Businesses and David Robb, Imperial College London

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, and Simon Fraser, Director General, Europe and Globalisation, 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

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)

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; Fisheries and Angling Conservation Trust

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

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

Welsh Affairs
Subject: The Provision of cross-border public services for Wales
Witnesses: Rt Hon Rhodri Morgan AM, First Minister, Welsh Assembly Government
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; Country Land and Business Association and The Ramblers Association

Friday 13 June

None

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### Forthcoming Select Committee Meetings

#### 16 – 20 June 2008

#### Monday 16 June

**Work and Pensions**

Subject: The Pensions Regulator and the Pension Protection Fund
Witnesses: Tony Hobman, Chief Executive, Pensions Regulator, and Lawrence Churchill, Chairman, Pension Protection Fund

4:15pm  Committee Room 16, Palace of Westminster

**Public Accounts**

Subject: National programme for IT in the NHS: Progress since 2006
Witnesses: David Nicholson, Chief Executive, NHS, Gordon Hextall, Chief Operating Officer and Interim Director for Programme and Systems Delivery, Professor Michael Thick, Chief Clinical Officer, and Dr Gillian Braunold, Clinical Director, Summary Care Record, Department of Health, and Peter Hutchinson, Group Director, and Chris Davies, Commercial Director, UK Public Services, Fujitsu Services

4:30pm  Committee Room 15, Palace of Westminster

#### Tuesday 17 June

**Treasury**

Subject: The May 2008 Inflation Report
Witnesses: Professor Danny Quah, Professor Anton Muscatelli, Roger Bootle and Bronwyn Curtis

9:45am  The Thatcher Room, Portcullis House

**Business and Enterprise**

Subject: Energy Prices
Witnesses: Ofgem; Shell, BP and ExxonMobil (at 11.30 am)

10:00am  Committee Room 15, Palace of Westminster

**Environmental Audit**

Subject: Halting UK biodiversity loss
Witnesses: Dr Peter Brotherton, Head of Biodiversity, and Tom Tew, Chief Scientist, Natural England; Paul Temple, Vice President, and Andrew Clark, Head of Policy Services, National Farmers Union (at 11.10 am)

10:20am  Committee Room 16, Palace of Westminster

**Defence**

Subject: UK national security and resilience
Witnesses: Fujitsu UK, Intellect UK, Morgan Aquila LLP, Society of British Aerospace Companies, and VT Group plc

10:30am  Committee Room 15, Palace of Westminster

**Home Affairs**

Subject: (i) Policing in the 21st Century (ii) Human Trafficking
Witnesses: (i) Professor Al Aynsley-Green, Children’s Commissioner for England (ii) Anti-Trafficking Legal Project

10:30am  The Wilson Room, Portcullis House

**International Development**

Subject: The World Food Programme and Global Food Security
Witnesses: Gareth Thomas MP, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State, Department for International Development

10:30am  Committee Room 6, Palace of Westminster

**Welsh Affairs**

Subject: The provision of cross-border public services for Wales
Witnesses: Deeside College and West Cheshire College; Fforwm and Coleg Powys (at 11.15 am)

10:30am  Committee Room 8, Palace of Westminster

**Joint Committee on the Draft Constitutional Renewal Bill**

Subject: Draft Constitutional Renewal Bill
Witnesses: Rt Hon Tony McNulty MP, Minister for Security, Counter-Terrorism, Crime and Policing, Home Office; Janet Paraskeva, First Civil Service Commissioner, and Sir Gus O’Donnell KCB, Cabinet Secretary and Head of the Home Civil Service (at 2.30 pm)

1:45pm  Committee Room 4A, Palace of Westminster
Justice
Subject: Justice Reinvestment
Witnesses: Dr Chloë Chitty, Research Development and Statistics Unit, Ministry of Justice; David Faulkner, Centre for Criminology, University of Oxford, and Professor James McGuire, University of Liverpool (at 4.45 pm)

Wednesday 18 June

Work and Pensions
Subject: The Government’s Carers Strategy
Witnesses: Anne McGuire MP, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State, Department for Work and Pensions, and Ivan Lewis MP, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State, Department of Health

Innovation, Universities, Science and Skills
Subject: Plastic Electronics Engineering
Witnesses: Institute of Physics, Royal Academy of Engineering, and Ian French; Technology Strategy Board, Engineering and Physical Sciences Research Council, Amadeus Capital Partners Ltd, and Department for Innovation, Universities and Skills (at 10.30 am)

Joint Committee on the Draft Marine Bill
Subject: Draft Marine Bill
Witnesses: Oil and Gas UK, Renewable Energy Association, British Wind Energy Association, and British Energy; Malcolm Wicks MP, Minister of State, Department for Business, Enterprise and Regulatory Reform (at 10.30 a.m.); Carbon Capture and Storage Association (at 11.15 am)

European Scrutiny
Subject: (i) Role of National Parliaments under the Lisbon Treaty (ii) Scrutiny of European Documents
Witnesses: (i) Dr Simon Hix, Professor of European and Comparative Politics, London School of Economics

Transport
Subject: Draft Marine Navigation Bill
Witnesses: Northern Lighthouse Board, Trinity House and Commissioners of Irish Lights; UK Maritime Pilots Association, Nautilus UK and UK Harbour Masters’ Association (at 3.30 p.m.)

Environment, Food and Rural Affairs
Witnesses: Jonathan Shaw MP, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State, Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs

Public Accounts
Subject: Chinook Mk3 Helicopter
Witnesses: Sir Bill Jeffrey KCB, Permanent Under Secretary, Lt Gen Andrew Figures CBE, Deputy Chief of Defence Staff (Equipment Capability), and General Sir Kevin O’Donoghue KCB CBE, Chief of Defence Materiel, Ministry of Defence

Joint Committee on the Draft Constitutional Renewal Bill
Subject: Draft Constitutional Renewal Bill
Witnesses: Rt Hon Lord Lyell of Markyate QC, Rt Hon Lord Morris of Aberavon KG QC and Rt Hon Lord Mayhew of Twysden QC; Lord Carlile of Bertrix QC and Professor Jeremy Horder, Criminal Commissioner, Law Commission (at 5.00 pm)

Thursday 19 June

Public Administration
Subject: Lobbying
Witnesses: Tom Watson MP, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State, Cabinet Office, Iain Wright MP, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State, Department for Communities and Local Government, and Tom Harris MP, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State, Department for Transport
Joint Committee on the Draft Marine Bill

Subject: Draft Marine Bill
Witnesses: Marine Biological Association and Scottish Association for Marine Science; Proudman Marine Laboratory and Plymouth Marine Laboratory (at 11.00 a.m.); Royal Commission on Environmental Pollution and the Natural Environmental Research Council (at 11.45 am)

10:15am Committee Room
4A, Palace of Westminster

Friday 20 June

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Monday 16 June

None

Tuesday 17 June

EU Sub-Committee A: Economic and Financial Affairs, and International Trade
Subject: Inquiry into European Trade Policy
Witnesses: Mr Edwin Laurent, Commonwealth Secretariat

Joint Committee on Draft Constitutional Renewal Bill
Subject:
Witnesses: (a) Tony McNulty MP, Minister of State, Home Office; and (b) Janet Paraskeva, First Civil Service Commissioner, and Sir Gus O'Donnell, Cabinet Secretary and Head, Home Civil Service

Economic Affairs
Subject: Inquiry into the Economics of Renewable Energy
Witnesses: (a) Dr Keith MacLean, Scottish and Southern Energy; Mr Sarwjit Sambhi, Centrica; and Mr Bob Taylor, E.on UK; and from (b) Professor Gordon MacKerron, University of Sussex

Wednesday 18 June

Joint Committee on Draft Marine Bill
Subject:
Witnesses: (a) Oil and Gas UK; Renewable Energy Association; British Wind Energy Association; British Energy; and Malcolm Wicks MP, Minister of State, Department for Business, Enterprise and Regulatory Reform; and (b) British Nuclear Fuels Ltd; and Carbon Capture and Storage Association

EU Sub-Committee F: Home Affairs
Subject: Europol
Witnesses: (a) Professor Juliet Lodge, University of Leeds; and Professor Didier Bigo, Visiting Professor of War Studies, King's College London; and (b) Tim Wilson, Visiting Fellow, Policy, Ethics and Life Sciences Institute

Constitution
Subject: Surveillance and Data Collection
Witnesses: Dr Chris Pounder, Pinsent Masons

Joint Committee on Draft Constitutional Renewal Bill
Subject:
Witnesses: (a) Lord Lyell of Markyate; Lord Morris of Aberavon; and Lord Mayhew of Twysden; and (b) Lord Carlile of Berriew; and Professor Jeremy Horder, Criminal Commissioner, Law Commission
Thursday 19 June

**EU Sub-Committee C: Foreign Affairs, Defence and Development Policy**

Subject: European Security Strategy
Witnesses: Mr François Heisbourg, International Institute for Strategic Studies (IISS); and Professor Alyson Bailes, University of Iceland (to be confirmed)

**Joint Committee on Draft Marine Bill**

Subject: 
Witnesses: (a) Marine Biological Association; Scottish Association for Marine Science; Proudman Marine Laboratory; and Plymouth Marine Laboratory; and from (b) Royal Commission on Environmental Pollution; and the Natural Environmental Research Council

Friday 20 June

None
Select Committees: Publications received since the last Bulletin

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- British Bill of Rights: Oral evidence in progress
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#### Stage & Notes
- British Bill of Rights: Report in preparation
- Immigration and Human Rights: Government reply received

### Innovation, Universities, Science & Skills

#### Inquiry
- Engineering (incorporating Plastics Electronics and Nuclear case studies): Oral evidence in progress
- Funding for Equivalent or Lower Qualifications (ELQs): One-off oral evidence session on 17 January
- The Leitch Review of Skills: One-off oral evidence session concluded
- The Office for Fair Access (OFFA): One-off oral evidence session

#### Stage & Notes
- Engineering (incorporating Plastics Electronics and Nuclear case studies): Next evidence session 18 June

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- The work and operation of the copyright tribunal: One-off oral evidence session on 28 January

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- After Leitch: implementing skills and training policies: Government Response to be published 16 June

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- DFID and China: Inquiry announced
- DFID’s Programme in Nigeria: Inquiry postponed
- Humanitarian And Development Situation in the Occupied Palestinian Territories: Oral evidence concluded
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### White Papers

**Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs**

Radioactive Waste


CM 7386, ISBN: 010 1738620, £18.55

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### Other Papers

Department of Health: Carers at the heart of 21st-century families and communities, www.orderline.dh.gov.uk


European Communities Documents to be considered
EU documents recommended for debate by the European Scrutiny Committee

Progress of documents to be considered by the House is noted in the “European Union Documents” list, in the Vote Bundle, and on the parliament website at: http://www.publications.parliament.uk/pa/cm/cmeudoc/cmeudoc.htm.

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