

# Day-by-Day Parliamentary Business

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# Monday 21 November

#### **Commons Chamber**

2:30pm: Work and Pensions questions (Topicals at 3:15pm)

#### **Main business**

Higher Education and Research Bill: Remaining Stages

Adjournment debate on the purpose of the Shale Wealth Fund (Caroline Flint, Lab, Don Valley)

## **Westminster Hall**

4:30pm – 7:30pm: E- Petition 132140 relating to free childcare (Helen Jones, Lab, Warrington North)

#### **Commons Committees**

#### **Select Committees**

#### Work and Pensions Committee (3:45pm, Wilson room)

Employment opportunities for young people

Witnesses: Richard Chadwick, Director of Programmes and Development, Samantha Kerr, Young Ambassador, Prince's Trust, Luke McCarthy, Programme Development Manager, and Kiianu Glasgow, Young ambassador, ThinkForward; Gillian Econopouly, Head of Policy and Research, Construction Industry Trade Board, Dean Smith, Director, HR Group Operations, Chris Oxford, Assistant Project Engineer, and Jaden Waugh, Former apprentice, Carillion

#### Communities and Local Government (4:00pm, Thatcher Room)

**Building Industry** 

Witnesses: Daniel Garth, Managing Director, Daniel Garth Homes, Rt Hon David Heathcoat-Amery, Director, Devonshire Homes Ltd, and Adrain Swan, Managing Director, Swan Homes; Chris Brown, Executive Chair and Founder, Igloo Regeneration, Michael Holmes, Chair, National Custom and Self Build Association, Christine Hynes, Chief Executive Officer, 24:7LivingUK, and Marc Vlessing, Chief Executive Officer, Pocket Living

## Transport Committee (4:05pm, Grimond room)

Transocean Winner incident and emergency towing vessels

Witnesses: Leo Leusink, Chief Operating Officer, Fleet and Operations, ALP Maritime Services B.V.; David Wells, Chief Executive Officer, Aqualis Offshore Ltd.; Sir Alan Massey KCB CBE, Chief Executive, Maritime and Coastguard Agency; Hugh Shaw, Secretary of State's Representative for Maritime Salvage and Intervention; Dave Walls, Operations Director, Transocean

#### Public Accounts Committee (4:30pm, room 6)

NHS Treatment for Overseas Patients

Witnesses: Chris Wormald, Permanent Secretary, David Williams, Director General, Finance Group Operations, Department of Health; Bob Alexander, Executive Director of Resources and Deputy Chief Executive NHS Improvement

## **Lords Chamber**

2:30pm: Oral questions, to ask the Government:

- Lord Toughig (Lab) to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they are intending to review the Strategic Defence and Security Review in relation to maintaining the size of the army at 82,000 personnel and increasing the size of the Royal Navy and Royal Air Force
- Lord Harris of Haringey (Lab) to ask Her Majesty's Government how many seizures of illegal arms entering the United Kingdom there were in the last year for which figures are available
- Baroness Andrews (Lab) to ask Her Majesty's Government, in the light of the numbers of European Union scientists working on British research programmes, what assessment they have made of the impact of the United Kingdom's exit from the European Union on medical research and innovation
- Lord Hoyle (Lab) to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they are planning to require all future British defence contracts to specify the use of British steel exclusively

#### **Main business**

Pension Schemes Bill [HL]: Committee Stage (Day I of 2)

Question for short debate: Policy changes the Government plans to introduce in response to the call from UN officials at the Special Session on Drug Policy on 19–21 April for member states to introduce evidence-based policies to promote public health and to place health rather than prohibition at the heart of drug policy (Baroness Meacher, Crossbench) (I hour)

## Monday 21 November continued...

## **Lords Committees**

**Select Committee** 

**High Speed Rail (London – West Midlands) Bill** (2:00pm, room 4) Further consideration to the Bill

14:30 Rm Q PCH	APPG ON GEORGIA. "The investment climate in Georgia" by Francis Malige, Managing Director, Eastern Europe and the Caucasus at the European Bank for Reconstruction and Development. This is a change to hear on the latest investment situation in Georgia from one of the key institutions investing in the country.
16:00 CR6	APPG FOR EYE HEALTH AND VISUAL IMPAIRMENT. AGM.
16:00 CR3 HoL	APPG ON MODERN LANGUAGES. 'Are schools teaching languages the right way? A presentation of the DfE's review of MFL pedagogy'. The meeting will be addressed by lan Bauckham, Teaching Schools Council: author of the review. The APPG will be discussing the Teaching Schools Council's review of MFL pedagogy and its recommendations for schools to teach languages better.
16:30 Rm R PCH	APPG ON BEST BREXIT. Inaugural Meeting.
16:30 CR7	APPG ON CERAMICS.
17:30 The Grimond Rm PCH	APPG ON ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE. Inaugural Meeting. Panellist Include. Professor John Shawe-Taylor, Head of Computer Science at UCL, Dr Stephen Cave Executive Director of the Leverhulme Centre for the Future of Intelligence, Shamus Rae, Partner and Head of Innovation and Investments and Cognitive Transformation, KPMG, Dr Claire Taylor, Senior Consultant – Machine Learning QinetiQ, Dr Birgitte Andersen Co-Founder and CEO of the Big Innovation Centre
18:45 CR8	APPG FOR ALEVIS. AGM followed by a panel discussion on the current situation in Turkey, entitled 'Recent political developments in Turkey and the Middle East'. Guest Speaker: Mrs Safak Pavey (Turkish MP for Istanbul), Mrs Zeynep Altiok (Turkish MP for Izmir). Mr Ali Haydar Hakverdi (Turkish MP for Ankara). Mr Mehmet Tum (Turkish MP for Balıkesir, Mr Mulum Dogan (Turkish MP for Izmir), TBC (representative from the British Alevi Federation).
19:15 CRG HoL	APPG ON POLICING. Speaker: Chief Constable Charlie Hall – Hertfordshire Constabulary and Senior Responsible Officer for JESIP (Joint Emergency Services Interoperability Programme), Chief Fire Officer Roy Wilsher, CFOA's Director of Operations and Chair-elect of the new National Fire Chiefs Council (NFCC).

# **Tuesday 22 November**

## **Commons Chamber**

11:30am: Foreign and Commonwealth questions (Topicals at 12:15pm)

#### Main business

Ten Minute Rule Motion: Organ Donors (Leave) (Louise Haigh, Lab, Sheffield, Heeley)

Opposition day debates: i. Education and social mobility ii. NHS

Adjournment debate on flooding on the river Medway and its tributaries (Tom Tugendhat, Con, Tonbridge and Malling)

## **Westminster Hall**

9:30am – II:00am: South West Charter for Growth (Gary Streeter, Con, South West Devon)

11:00am - 11:30am: Accident and emergency services in Merseyside and Cheshire (John Pugh, Lib Dem, Southport)

2:30pm - 4:00pm: Self Care Week 2016 (Sir Kevin Barron, Lab, Rother Valley)

4:00pm - 4:30pm: Effect on air quality of proposed Heathrow airport expansion (Dr Tania Mathias, Con, Twickenham)

4:30pm - 5:30pm: Electrification of the Great Western line (Charlotte Leslie, Con, Bristol North West)

#### **Commons Committees**

#### **Select Committees**

#### Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy Committee (9:30am, Wilson room)

Industrial strategy

Witnesses: Rhian Kelly, Director for Infrastructure, CBI; Ashley Shackleton, Head of Public Affairs, British Chambers of Commerce; Lee Hopley, Chief Economist, EEF; Stephen Pattison, Vice-President Public Affairs, ARM Holdings; Alex Brummer, City Editor, Daily Mail; Mariana Mazzucato, RM Phillips Professorship in the Economics of Innovation, University of Sussex; Paul Nowak, Deputy General Secretary, TUC; Paul Kahn, President, Airbus UK; Simon Walker, Director General, Institute of Directors; and Mark Littlewood, Director General, Institute of Economic Affairs

#### Justice Committee (9:45am, Thatcher room)

Lord Chief Justice Annual Report 2016

Witness: Lord Thomas of Cwmgiedd, Lord Chief Justice

#### Public Administration and Constitutional Affairs Committee (9:45am and 10:45am, Grimond room)

i. PHSO: Learning from mistakes ii. The work of the Civil Service

Witnesses: i. Philip Dunne MP, Minister of State for Health; William Vineall, Director of Quality, and Chris Bostock, Policy Leader for NHS complaints, Department of Health ii. Lord Kerslake, former Head of the Civil Service; and Lord Butler, former Cabinet Secretary

#### Culture, Media and Sport Committee (10:30am, room 5)

Ofcom Annual Report 2015-16

Witnesses: Dame Patricia Hodgson, Chairman, and Sharon White, Chief Executive, Ofcom

## Science and Technology Committee (2:15pm, room 8)

Managing intellectual property and technology transfer

Witnesses: Dr Will West, Executive Chairman, CellCentric and Member, Biolndustry Association Board; Felicity Burch, Head of Innovation and Digital, CBI; Richard North, Head of IP Protection Licensing and Control, Rolls-Royce; Anne Glover, Co-founder and Chief Executive, Amadeus Capital Partners Ltd; Chris Mairs, Venture Partner, Entrepreneur First; and Mike Conroy, Executive Director, Corporate and Commercial Banking, British Bankers' Association#

#### Environment, Food and Rural Affairs Committee (2:15pm, room 6)

Common Agricultural Policy

Witnesses: Mark Grimshaw, Chief Executive, Rural Payments Agency; and Paul Caldwell, Operational Delivery Director

## Backbench Business Committee (2:30pm, room 16)

Witnesses: tbc

#### Defence Committee (3:00pm, Wilson room)

**BBC** Monitoring

Witnesses: Francesca Unsworth, Director BBC World Service Group, and Sara Beck, Director, BBC Monitoring; Rt Hon Sir Alan Duncan MP, Minister of State at the Foreign and Commonwealth Office

## Foreign Affairs Committee (3:00pm, Grimond room)

FCO budget and capacity, and Annual Report 2015-16

Witness: Sir Simon McDonald KCMG, KCVO, Permanent Under-Secretary, Foreign and Commonwealth Office

#### **Public Bill Committees**

#### Criminal Finances Bill Committee (9:25am, 2:00pm, room 14)

To further consider the Bill

#### Tuesday 22 November continued...

Technical and Further Education Bill Committee (9:25am and 2:00pm, Boothroyd room)

To further consider the Bill

### **Delegated Legislation Committees**

First Delegated Legislation Committee (2:30pm, room 9)

Local Government Pension Scheme (Management and Investment of Funds) Regulations 2016

#### **Lords Chamber**

2:30pm: Oral questions, to ask the Government:

- Lord Clark of Windermere (Lab) to ask Her Majesty's Government how many individuals completed training to become qualified nurses in England in 2015
- Baroness Cox (Crossbench) to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the continuing intercommunal conflicts in the northern and Middle Belt states of Nigeria; and what assistance they are providing for those displaced by these conflicts
- Lord Alton of Liverpool (Crossbench) to ask Her Majesty's Government what progress is being made in bringing to justice those responsible for genocide and crimes against humanity, particularly against Yazidis, Christians and other minorities, in Syria and Iraq
- Topical oral questions

#### Main business

Asset Freezing (Compensation) Bill [HL]: Third Reading

Bread and Flour Regulations (Folic Acid) Bill: Third Reading

Modern Slavery (Transparency in Supply Chains): Third Reading

Draft Contracts for Difference (Allocation) (Excluded Sites) Amendment Regulations 2016: motion to approve

Draft Environmental Permitting (England Wales) Regulations 2016: motion to approve

Draft Inquiries into Fatal Accidents and Sudden Deaths etc. (Scotland) Act 2016 (Consequential Provisions and Modifications) Order 2016: motion to approve

Debate on the Lords Constitution Select Committee report: 'The Invoking of Article 50' (Lord Lang of Monkton, Con) and on the Lords European Union Committee Report: 'Brexit: Parliamentary Scrutiny' (Lord Boswell of Anyho, Non-Affiliated)

Debate on the Lords European Union Select Committee report: 'Responding to price volatility: creating a more resilient agricultural sector' (Baroness Scott of Needham Market, Lib Dem)

## **Lords Committees**

#### **Select Committees**

## Liscensing Act 2003 Committee (10:15am, Room 3A)

Licensing Act 2003

Witnesses: (at 10:30 am) Nick Grant, Head of Legal Services, Sainsbury's Supermarkets Ltd; James Broadhurst-Brown, Manager, Regulatory Affairs and Trading Law, Waitrose and Mark Bentley, Customer Operations Director, Ocado

#### Economic Affairs Committee (3:30pm, Room I)

The Economics of UK Energy Policy

Witnesses: (at 3:35 pm) Phil Sheppard, Director of Systems Operation, National Grid plc; Cathy McClay, Head of Commercial Operations, National Grid plc and (at 4:15 pm) Dermot Nolan, Chief Executive, Ofgem

## NHS Sustainability Committee (10:00am, room 1)

Long-term sustainability of the NHS

Witnesses: (at 10:05 am) Professor Dame Sue Bailey, Chair, Academy of Medical Royal Colleges; Mr Ian Eardley, Vice President, Royal College of Surgeons; Professor Jane Dacre, President, Royal College of Physicians (at 11:00 am) Doctor Helen Stokes-Lampard, Chair, Royal College of General Practitioners; Ms Janet Davies, Chief Executive & General Secretary, Royal College of Nursing; Ms Cathy Warwick, Chief Executive, Royal College of Midwives (at 12:00 pm) Professor Karen Middleton CBE, Chief Executive, Chartered Society of Physiotherapy; Dr Nicola Strickland, President, Royal College of Radiologists and Mr Ashok Soni OBE, President, Royal Pharmaceutical Society of Great Britain

#### Select Committee on Charities (3:45pm, Room 4A)

Charities

Witnesses: (at 4:00 pm) Mr Daniel Hurford, Head of Policy (Improvement and Governance), Welsh Local Government Association; Councillor Robert Light, Kirklees Council; (at 5:00 pm) Councillor Anne Brown, Cabinet Member for Communities and Corporate, Essex County Council; Councillor Stephen Powers, Cabinet Member for Policy and Communications, Newcastle City Council

#### Tuesday 22 November continued...

#### Science and Technology Committee (10:30am, room 4A)

Autonomous Vehicles

Witnesses: (at 10:40 am) Professor Sarah Sharples, Professor of Human Factors, Faculty of Engineering, Nottingham University; Professor Natasha Merat, Professor in Human Factors of Transport Systems, Institute for Transport Studies (ITS), University of Leeds; Mr Andy Graham, Consultant, ITS United Kingdom; (at 11:40 am) Rt Hon John Hayes MP, Minister of State, Department for Transport; Mr Nick Hurd MP, Minister of State for Climate Change and Industry, Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy

#### Financial Exclusion Committee (10:30am, room 2A)

Financial exclusion

Witnesses: (at 10:40 am) Ms Jenny Barksfield, Deputy Chief Executive and Senior Subject Specialist, PSHE Association amd Mr Adrian Lyons, National Lead for Economics, Business and Enterprise , Ofsted

#### Communications Committee (3:15pm, room 2)

Children and the Internet

Witnesses: tbc

High Speed Rail (London-West Midlands) Bill (10:00am and 2:00pm, room 4)

High Speed Rail Witnesses: tbc

11:00 CR7	<b>APPG ON GLOBAL LGBT RIGHTS.</b> AGM and election of officers, followed by a discussion of the group's plans for the upcoming year.
I I:30 Internview Rm PCH	APPG ON COLOMBIA. Inaugural meeting and Election of Officers.
12:30 Rm N PCH	APPG FOR PIGEON RACING. Inaugural AGM.
12:30 Rm U PCH	APPG ON CITY REGIONS TRANSPORT GROUP. AGM. Speakers: Jonathan Bray, Director, Urban Transport Group, Steve Barwick, Connect Public Affairs, Andrew Dobbie, Unison.
14:00 CR5	APPG ON FRIENDS OF SYRIA. The Running order of the event includes: screening of The White Helmets, 40 minutes documentary on the volunteer rescuers of Syria Civil Defence, speeches from Raed Saleh, head of Syria Civil Defence & Farous Habib, head of training of Syria Civil Defence.
15:00 CR21	APPG ON THE COMMONWEALTH. <u>Guest speaker</u> : Baroness Scotland, Commonwealth Secretary-General. This event will provide an opportunity to update Parliamentarians on the progress of the Commonwealth Secretariat and its recent work on Brexit challenges and opportunities.
15:00 Rm A, I Parliament Street	APPG ON COMBATING METAL THEFT. AGM.
15:00 Rm R PCH	APPG FOR THE PRIVATE RENTED SECTOR. The Group will consider if buy-to-let lending poses a risk to the economy following the Bank of England's decision to introduce greater regulation of the buy-to-let mortgage market. Speakers from the Bank of England will include Charlotte Gerken, Director of Supervisory Risk Specialists and Gregory Kraushar, Senior Manager for Retail Credit Risk. Bob Pannell, Chief Economist at the Council of Mortgage Lenders and Carla Sateriale, Market Analyst at Council of Mortgage Lenders will also speak.
15:30 IPU Rm	APPG ON WOMEN, PEACE AND SECURITY. Speakers: Mr James Wharton, Parliamentary Under Secretary of State, DFID, Ms Rita Martin, Executive Director and Co-founder of Eve Organization for Women Development, South Sudan, Ms Mairi MacRae, Research Director, International Rescue Committee UK. "Three years too many: how the conflict has affected women and girls in South Sudan"
15:30 Macmillan Rm	APPG ON YORKSHIRE AND NORTHERN LINCOLNSHIRE.
16:00 Rm 7 PoW	<b>APPG ON OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY.</b> The main item will be a presentation from the new chair of the HSE, Martin Temple.
16:00 CR19	APPG ON MALARIA & NTDs. 'How does data-sharing support global health and policy'. Discussion will look at lessons learned from Ebola, Zika, Malaria and neglected tropical diseases.

16:00 CR8	APPG ON FREEDOM OF MOVEMENT. Presentation by Professor Sionaidh Douglas-Scott, European Law expert on the rights of EU nationals in the UK and Brits abroad.
16:00 CR9	<b>APPG ON WOMEN AND WORK.</b> Guest Speakers: Carole Easton, Young Women's Trust, Craige Heaney, Centrica, and Adele Bassett, Centrica.
16:30 Grimond Rm PCH	APPG ON SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY IN AGRICULTURE. 'Can UK agriscience help the State of Nature?' Guest speakers: Dr Mark Eaton, Principal Conservation Scientist, RSPB, Richard Bramley, Farmer, NFU Environment Forum
	Dr Jonathan Storkey, Senior Research Scientist, Rothamsted Research.
17:00 CR2a	<b>APPG ON PENAL AFFAIRS.</b> The speakers are: Robert Neill MP, Chair, Justice Committee Katie Pettifer, Director, Offender Policy and Youth Justice
	Ministry of Justice, Joyce Moseley OBE, Chair, Transition to Adulthood Alliance. The topic for the meeting is 'Young adults in the justice system'
17:00 WI	APPG FOR BRITISH ASSOCIATION OF SHOOTING AND CONSERVATION. AGM. The group will discuss "British Wild Boar – Is eradication the answer?" led by Peter Watson, Executive Director of the Deer Initiative.
17:30 Wilson Rm PCH	APPG ON BRITAIN PALESTINE. 'Screening of 'Ambulance' - Short Film on Gaza'.
17:45 CR3A HoL	APPG ON CLASSICAL MUSIC AND OPERA. A joint meeting at which the Chief Executive of ENO, Cressida Pollock, and Carys Williams, Director of Music Administration at ENO, will talk about their plans for the future of the London Coliseum and productions for ENO.
18:30 CR9	<b>APPG ON ARCHIVES AND HISTORY.</b> The guest lecturer is Dr Jill Liddington of Leeds University, who will speak on her research into the women's suffrage movement over the past 40 years, with a focus on archival treasures in Lancashire, Yorkshire and the National Archives in Kew.
19:00 Dining Rm B	APPG ON CHINA. Welcomes by Richard Graham MP, Chair of the All Party Parliamentary China Group, Douglas Flint, CBE, Chair of the Hong Kong Association. Places at our dinner events are limited.

# Wednesday 23 November

#### **Commons Chamber**

11:30am: Scotland Office questions (Topicals at 11:53pm)

12noon: Prime Minister's questions

#### **Main business**

Autumn Statement

Ten Minute Rule Motion: Representation of the People (Voter Proof of Identity) (Chris Green, Con, Bolton West)

Debate on exiting the European Union and transport policy

Adjournment debate on treatment of Graham Phillips by Staffordshire Police (Robert Flello, Lab, Stoke on Trent South)

#### **Westminster Hall**

9:30am - II:00am: Effect of exiting the EU on higher education (Dr Rupa Huq, Lab, Ealing Central and Acton)

11:00am – 11:30am: Changes in clinical commissioning group commissioning practices for GP referrals in North Durham (Dr Roberta Blackman-Woods, Lab, City of Durham)

2:30pm - 4:00pm: Access to diabetes technologies (Derek Thomas, Con, St Ives)

4:00pm - 4:30pm: Car parking charges and Stevenage town centre (Stephen McPartland, Con, Stevenage)

4:30pm - 5:30pm: Transport in the North East (Bridget Phillipson, Lab, Houghton and Sunderland South)

## **Commons Committees**

#### **Select Committees**

#### Exiting the European Union Committee (9:15am, Boothroyd Room)

The UK's negotiating objectives for its withdrawal from the EU

Witnesses: Dr Robin Niblett, Director, Chatham House; Stephen Booth, Acting Director and Director of Policy and Research, Open Europe; and Shankar Singham, Director of Economic Policy and Prosperity Studies, The Legatum Institute

# International Development Sub-Committee on the Work of the Independent Commission for Aid Impact (9:25am, Thatcher Room)

ICAI's review on UK aid's contribution to tackling tax avoidance and evasion

Witnesses: Dr Alison Evans, Chief Commissioner, Richard Gledhill, Lead Commissioner, Charlotte Vaillant, Team Leader, and Marcus Cox, Consultant, Independent Commission for Aid Impact; Nick Dyer, Director General, Policy and Global Programmes, Jonathan Hargreaves, Head of Governance, Open Societies and Anti-Corruption, Peter Hurst, Tax Advisor, Governance, Open Societies and Anti-Corruption, Department for International Development, and Sue Walton, Director, Tax Professionalism and Assurance, HMRC

## Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy Committee (9:30am, room 16)

Corporate Governance

Witnesses: Vanessa Knapp, Queen Mary University of London; City of London Lawyers Association; ShareAction; Aberdeen Assets; Sharesoc; Sarah Wilson, Chief Executive, Manifest; and the International Corporate Governance Network

## Northern Ireland Affairs Committee (9:30am, room 15)

Future of the land border with the Republic of Ireland

Witnesses: Professor Dagmar Schiek, Professor of EU Law, Queen's University Belfast and Dr Katy Hayward, Queen's University Belfast

## Work and Pensions Committee (9:30am, Wilson room)

Pension Protection Fund and the Pensions Regulator

Witnesses: Lesley Titcomb, Chief Executive, The Pensions Regulator; and Richard Harrington MP, Parliamentary Under Secretary of State for Pensions

#### Women and Equalities Committee (9:45am, Grimond Room)

Disability and the built environment

Witnesses: Department for Communities and Local Governmentl; Local Government Association; The Planning Inspectorate; Clare Devine, Executive Director of Architecture and the Built Environment, The Design Council CABE; Julie Fleck, Built Environment Professional Education Project Board; Simon Turton, Chair, National Register of Access Consultants; and the Royal Institute of British Architects

#### **Communities and Local Government Committee** (10:00am, room 5)

Parks

Witnesses: Lydia Ragoonanan, Senior Programme Manager, Nesta; Eddie Curry, Chair, Core Cities Parks and Greenspace Group; Mark Walton, Director, Shared Assets; Euan Hall, Chief Executive Officer, Land Trust; and David Foster, Chief Executive, The Parks Trust Milton Keynes

#### Wednesday 23 November continued...

#### Environmental Audit Committee (4:15pm, Wilson Room)

Sustainable Development Goals in the UK

Witnesses: Steve Waygood, Chief Responsible Investment Officer, Aviva, Geoff Lane, Senior partner, UK Sustainability and Climate Change Team, PwC, and Dr Christine Chow, Associate Director, Hermes; Dominic White, Head of International Development Policy, WWF, and Stefano D'Errico, Monitoring, Evaluation, Accountability and Learning Manager, International Institute for Environment and Development

#### **Joint Committees**

#### Joint Committee on Human Rights (3:15pm, room 1)

What are the human rights implications of Brexit?

Witness: Rt Hon Sir Oliver Heald QC MP, Minister of State for Courts and Justice, Ministry of Justice

#### **Public Bill Committees**

#### Homelessness Reduction Bill Committee (9:30am, room 11)

To further consider the Bill

## **Lords Chamber**

3:00pm: Oral questions, to ask the Government:

- Baroness Doocey (Lib Dem) to ask Her Majesty's Government what plans they have to review the use of force by police officers when responding to emergency calls from mental health units
- Lord Addington (Lib Dem) to ask Her Majesty's Government when their response to the Waterson review of secondary ticketing will be published
- Baroness McIntosh (Con) of Pickering to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the National Infrastructure delivery plan 2016 to 2021, what assessment they have made of the ability of the private sector to part-fund infrastructure improvements
- Topical oral question

## **Main business**

**Bus Services Bill:** Third Reading

Children and Social Work Bill: Third Reading

Wales Bill: Committee Stage (day 3.5 of 3.5)

Intellectual Property (Unjustified Threats) Bill [HL]: Report Stage

## **Lords Committees**

## High Speed Rail (London-West Midlands) Bill (10:00am, room 4)

Witnesses: tbc

## Constitution Committee (10:15am, room 1)

Legislative Process

Witnesses: (at 10:25 am) Mr Daniel Greenberg, Former Parliamentary Counsel; (at 10:50 am) Mr Michael Clancy, Law Society of Scotland; Mr Robert Khan, Law Society; Mr Andrew Walker QC, Bar Council of England and Wales; (at 11:30 am) Sir Stephen Laws, Former Parliamentary Counsel

## International Relations Committee (10:30am, Room 3A)

Transformation of power in the Middle East and implications for UK policy

Witnesses: (at 10:30 am) The Lord Williams of Baglan, UN Special Coordinator for Lebanon; former UN Special Coordinator for the Middle East Peace Process; and former UNSG Special Advisor on the Middle East; (at 11:30 am) Ayham Kamel, Director, Middle East and North Africa, Eurasia Group and Jane Kinninmont, Deputy Head and Senior Research Fellow, Middle East and North Africa Programme, Chatham House

## EU Energy and Environment Sub-Committee (11:00am, room 2)

Brexit: Environment and climate change

Witnesses: (at 11:00 am) Mr Matthew Bell, Chief Executive, Committee on Climate Change

10:00 W2	APPG ON HUMAN RIGHTS. A meeting with two Women Human Rights Defenders from Mexico, to talk about their work documenting human rights abuses related to mining activities in the area and supporting affected communities, as well as threats they have faced as a consequence.
12:30 Dining Rm A	APPG ON JAPAN.

15:00 FCO	<b>APPG ON VIETNAM.</b> Meeting with Alok Sharma MP, Minister for Asia and the Pacific.
16:00 CR17 POW (Upper Corridor)	APPG FOR THE AHMADIYYA MUSLIM COMMUNITY.AGM.
I6:00 Terrace Dining Rm A	APPG ON MOTORCYCLING GROUP. Launch of a new edition of "Realising the Motorcycle Opportunity", published jointly by the Motor Cycle Industry Association (MCIA) and the National Police Chiefs Council (NPCC). Guest speakers: Mr Steve Kenward, CEO Motor Cycle Industry Association, Mr Tim Madgwick, Deputy Chief Constable, North Yorkshire Police. Afternoon Tea will be served.
16:00 ₩1	APPG ON OVERSEAS TERRITORIES. Speakers: First, Stewart McPherson who has published "Britain's Treasure Islands" - a spectacular book that includes everything about rich wildlife and culture of all of the UK's Overseas Territories. Second, will be The Hon. Andre' Knobbs, former Chief Minister of Norfolk Island, who will brief members on the current issues facing Norfolk Island, which is an External Territory of Australia.
16:00 Macmillan Rm	APPG ON VISITOR ECONOMY. Apprentice Report Launch.
17:00 Rm R PCH	APPG FOR ENERGY INTENSIVE INDUSTRIES.
17:00 ₩1	APPG ON HUMAN RIGHTS. a roundtable discussion Assessing the role of the Ombudsman and the Special Investigations Unit in protecting human rights in Bahrain. Speakers: Fahad A. Al Binali - First Secretary, Embassy of the Kingdom of Bahrain; Ariel Plotkin - Campaigner on Bahrain, MENA team, Amnesty International Secretariat, and author of a newly published Al report on Bahrain; Neil Bush – Head, Arabian Peninsula and Iran Department, Foreign & Commonwealth Office; Tom Brake MP – Foreign Affairs Spokesperson, Liberal Democrat Party. Chair: Ann Clwyd MP. Please note the Chatham House rule will apply.
17:00 W2, Off Westminster Hall	APPG ON POVERTY. AGM & Living Wage Foundation guest speaker Tess Lanning, Head of Business Development at the Living Wage Foundation. Tess will present the Living Wage Foundation's Good Jobs Toolkit, drawing on lessons from leading Living Wage employers, including Ikea and BrewDog. Followed by a discussion
	on practical ways businesses can improve the quality of their employees' experience whilst linking this to positive business returns.

# **Thursday 24 November**

## **Commons Chamber**

9:30am: Environment, Food and Rural Affairs questions (Topicals at 10:05am)

10:15am: Questions to the Church Commissioners, the House of Commons Commission, the Public Accounts Commission and the Speaker's Committee on the Electoral Commission

10:30am: Business statement

#### **Main business**

Debates on i. reform of support arrangements for contaminated blood victims ii. Reducing health inequalities Adjournment debate on HS2 phase 2 consultation and Stone constituency (Sir William Cash, Con, Stone)

#### **Westminster Hall**

1:30pm: First Report from the International Development Committee of Session 2016-17, on UK implementation of the Sustainable Development Goals, HC 103, and the Government response, HC 673 (Stephen Twigg, Lab, Liverpool, West Derby)

## **Commons Committees**

#### **Public Bill Committees**

Criminal Finances Bill Committee (11:30am, 2:00pm, room 14)

To further consider the bill

Technical and Further Education Bill (11:30am, 2:00pm, room 12)

To further consider the bill

### **Lords Chamber**

11:00am Oral questions, to ask the Government:

- Baroness Nye (Lab) to ask Her Majesty's Government whether there are plans to include serial stalkers and domestic violence offenders on the Violent and Sex Offenders Register so that they are identified, risk assessed and managed like sex offenders
- Baroness Gale (Lab) to ask Her Majesty's Government why they have not yet ratified the Council of Europe's Istanbul Convention, and when they intend to do so
- Baroness Donaghy (Lab) to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they plan to make sex and relationship education part of the national curriculum
- Topical oral question

#### Main business

Debate on the case for limiting the number and nature of claims against the Ministry of Defence and United Kingdom armed services personnel arising out of future armed conflict abroad (Lord Brown of Eaton-under-Heywood, Crossbench)

Question for short debate: Sustainability of rural communities in the light of research published by the Local Government Association showing that subsidised bus services in England have reduced by more than 12% in the past year (Bishop of St Albans, Bishops) (I hour)

Debate on implications for the health and social care workforce of the result of the referendum on the United Kingdom's membership of the European Union (Baroness Finlay of Llandaff, Crossbench)

Terrorism Prevention and Investigation Measures Act 2011 (Continuation) Order 2016: Motion to approve

## **Lords Committees**

High Speed Rail (London-West Midlands) Bill (10:00am, room 4)

Further consideration to the Bill

Witnesses: tbc

# Friday 25 November

## **Commons Chamber**

## Second reading of Private Members' Bills:

Awards for Valour (Protection) Bill

Parking Places (Variation of Charges) Bill

Local Audit (Public Access to Documents) Bill

Protection of Family Homes (Enforcement and Permitted Development) Bill

Harbours, Docks and Piers Clauses Act 1847 (Amendment) Bill

Adjournment debate on Paisley's cultural contribution to the world (Gavin Newlands, SNP, Paisley and Renfrewshire)

## **Lords Chamber**

The House of Lords is not expected to sit on this day

# **Monday 28 November**

## **Commons Chamber**

2:30pm: Communities and Local Government questions (Topicals at 3:15pm)

Digital Economy Bill: Remaining stages

Adjournment debate on children's funeral costs (Carolyn Harris, Lab, Swansea East)

### **Westminster Hall**

4:30pm E-Petition 162934 relating to child cancer (Ben Howlett, Con, Bath)

## **Lords Chamber**

2:30pm: Oral questions, to ask the Government

- Baroness Miller of Chilthorne Domer (Lib Dem) to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they intend to oppose the proposed United Nations resolution on taking forward multilateral nuclear disarmament; and, if so, what alternative measures they consider could lead to progress being made on multilateral disarmament negotiations
- Lord Hannay of Chiswick (Crossbench) to ask Her Majesty's Government whether the recent statement in Kenya by the Secretary of State for International Development that she envisaged using the aid budget to promote the United Kingdom's bilateral trade agreements following its departure from the European Union is consistent with the International Development Act 2002
- Lord Forsyth of Drumlean (Con) to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they intend to amend the terms of reference of the House of Lords Appointments Commission to ensure that recommendations by the leaders of political parties are treated in the same way as appointments to the Crossbenches and assessed for suitability as well as propriety
- Lord Haskel (Lab) to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they have given undertakings to different sectors of industry regarding trade with the European Union; and, if so, whether these will be incorporated in their industrial strategy

#### **Main Business**

Pension Schemes Bill [HL]: Committee Stage (Day 2 of 2)

#### **Lords Committees**

#### **Joint Committee**

National Security Strategy (4:00pm, room 4A) Conflict, stability and security fund

Witnesses: tbc

15:00 FCO	APPG ON THAI. Meeting with Minister for Asia and the Pacific.
17:00 CR9	APPG ON ALCOHOL HARM. Lee Mack and Alisdair Campbell, speaking on the
	topic of Alcohol and sponsorship.

# **Tuesday 29 November**

## **Commons Chamber**

11:30am: Treasury questions (Topicals at 12:15pm)

#### **Main Business**

Ten minute rule motion: Statutory Nuisance (Aircraft Noise) (Dr Tania Mathias, Con, Twickenham)

Commonwealth Development Corporation Bill: Second reading

## **Lords Chamber**

2:30pm: Oral questions, to ask the Government

- Lord Naseby (Con) to ask Her Majesty's Government, in the light of this year's Global Corruption Report by Transparency International, what action they are taking to tackle corruption in sport
- Baroness Barker (Lib Dem) to ask Her Majesty's Government, in the light of the report by the UK Lesbian and Gay Immigration Group and Stonewall published on 27 October No Safe Refuge, what plans they have to make detention centres safer for LGBT asylum seekers
- Lord Greaves (Lib Dem) to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the case for moving Parliament and central departments to the north of England
- Topical oral question

## **Main Business**

Debate on the economy in light of the Autumn Statement (Lord Young of Cookham, Con)

#### **Lords Committees**

#### **Select Committee**

Economic Affairs Committee (3:30pm, room 1)

The economics of UK energy policy

Witnesses: (at 3:35 pm) Mr Ashley Ibbett, Director of Clean Electricity, Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy; Mr Dan Monzani, Head of Energy Security, Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy and Ms Paro Konar-Thakkar, Head of Energy Economics and Analysis, Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy

# Wednesday 30 November

#### **Commons Chamber**

I1:30am: Wales Office questionsI2noon: Prime Minister's questions

**Main Business** 

Ten minute rule motion: Football Supporters (Access) (Justin Madders, Lab, Ellesmere Port and Neston)

SNP opposition day debate: Tbc

## **Commons Committees**

#### **Public Bill Committees**

Homelessness Reduction Bill Committee (9:30am, room 11)

To further consider the bill

#### **Lords Chamber**

3:00pm: Oral questions, to ask the Government

- Lord Green of Deddington (Crossbench) to ask Her Majesty's Government when they plan to outline their objectives for the negotiations concerning the immigration regime for European Union citizens, following the United Kingdom's withdrawal from the European Union
- Baroness Lister of Burtersett (Lab) to ask Her Majesty's Government whether, in the light of the public debate around the film I, Daniel Blake, they plan to set up a review of the treatment of claimants in the social security system
- Baroness Deech (Crossbench) to ask Her Majesty's Government, in the light of the Work, Health and Disability Green Paper, what steps they are taking to ensure that local authorities use their powers to remove the barriers that stop disabled people getting to work
- Topical oral question

#### **Main Business**

<u>Policing and Crime Bill</u>: Report Stage (Day 1 of 2.5) <u>National Citizen Service Bill [HL]</u>: Report Stage

## **Lords Committees**

## **Select Committee**

International Relations Committee (10:30am, room 3A)

Transformation of power in the Middle East and implications for UK policy

Witnesses: (at 11:30 am) Mr Henry Wilkinson, Head of Intelligence and Analysis, Risk Advisory Group and Professor Kerry Brown, Director, Lau Institute, Kings College London

# Thursday I December

## **Commons Chamber**

9:30am: Exiting the European Union questions (Topicals at 10:15am)

10:30am: Business statement

#### **Main business**

Debates on i. transgender equality ii. the future of the UK fishing industry

## **Lords Chamber**

11:00am: Oral questions, to ask the Government

- Baroness Gould (Lab) of Potternewton to ask Her Majesty's Government, in the light of the forthcoming review of testing guidelines in 2017, what steps they are taking to ensure new national clinical guidance is adopted by the National Health Service and local authorities to reach people in the United Kingdom still living with undiagnosed HIV
- Lord Collins of Highbury (Lab) to ask Her Majesty's Government how they plan to tackle the global HIV epidemic amongst adolescents and young people from key populations
- Lord Cashman (Lab) to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of barriers to accessing treatment to prevent the spread of HIV; and what steps they are taking to address those
- Topical oral question

#### **Main Business**

Debate on the best options for the United Kingdom's future relationship with the European Union following the referendum vote to leave (Lord Liddle, Lab)

Debate on challenges in the current system of social care, proposals for reviewing and longer-term reform (Baroness Pitkeathley, Lab)

# Friday 2 December

## **Commons Chamber**

## Second reading of Private Members' Bills

Benefit Claimants Sanctions (Required Assessment) Bill

Vehicle Noise Limits (Enforcement) Bill

Income Tax (Non-Military Expenditure) Bill

Perinatal Mental Illness (NHS Family Services) Bill

Laser Pens (Regulation of Sale, Ownership and Usage) Bill

Health Services Commissioning (Equality and Accountability) Bill

UK Environmental Protection (Maintenance of EU Standards) Bill

UK International Trade and Investment Agreements (Ratification) Bill

Health and Social Care (National Data Guardian) Bill

## **Lords Chamber**

#### **Main business**

10:00am: Debate on the shared values underpinning our national life and their role inshaping public policy priorities (Archbishop of Canterbury, Bishops)

# Order of oral questions

Mon 21 November	Tues 22 November	Wed 23 November	Thurs 24 November	
Work and Pensions	Foreign and Commonwealth Office	Scotland Prime Minister	Environment, Food and Rural Affairs	
		Time Time	Church Commissioners and House of Commons Commission and Public Accounts Commission and Speaker's Committee on the Electoral Commission	
Mon 28 November	Tues 29 November	Wed 30 November	Thurs 31 November	
Communities and Local Government	Treasury	Wales Prime Minister	Exiting the European Union	
Mon 5 December	Tues 6 December	Wed 7 December	Thurs 8 December	
Home Office	Justice	Northern Ireland and Prime Minister	Attorney General and Women and Equalities and Leader of the House	
Mon 12 December	Tues I3 December	Wed I4 December	Thurs I5 December	
Defence	Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy	Cabinet Office and Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Prime Minister	Culture, Media and Sport and International Trade	
Mon 19 December	Tues 20 December	Wed 21 December	Thurs 22 December	
Education	Health	The House will not be sitting	The House will not be sitting	
Mon 9 January	Tues 10 January	Wed II January	Thurs 12 January	
Work and Pensions	Foreign and Commonwealth	International Development Prime Minister	Transport	

The full list, including tabling deadlines is available here: <a href="http://bit.ly/2eRrncO">http://bit.ly/2eRrncO</a>

# **Key dates**

House of Commons	House of Lords	
	Christmas recess	
Christmas recess	21 December – 9 January	
20 December – 9 January		
	February recess	
February recess	9 February – 20 February	
9 February – 20 February		

Sitting Fridays in the House of Commons	Sitting Fridays in the House of Lords	
25 November	21 October	
2 December	18 November	
I6 December	2 December	
13 January	9 December	
20 January	Further dates will be announced in due course	
27 January		
3 February		
24 February		
24 March		

# Government legislation in progress

**Bus Services Bill** 

HoL: 1R: 19/5/16 2R: 8/6/16 CS: 29/6/16, 4/7/16, 6/7/16, 20/7/16 RS: 12/10/16, 24/10/16 3R: 23/11/16

**Children and Social Work Bill** 

HoL: 1R: 19/5/16 2R: 14/6/16 CS: 27/6/2016, 29/6/16, 4/7/16, 6/7/16, 11/7/16, 13/7/16 RS: 18/10/16, 8/11/16

3R: 21/11/16

**Criminal Finances Bill** 

**HoC:** 1R: 13/10/16 2R: 25/10/16 CS: 15/11/16, 17/11/16, 22/11/16, 24/11/16

**Cultural Property (Armed Conflicts) Bill** 

HoL: 1R: 19/5/16 2R: 6/6/16 CS: 28/6/16 RS: 6/9/16 3R: 13/9/16

HoC: IR: 13/9/16 2R: 31/10/16 CS: 15/11/16, 17/11/16

**Digital Economy Bill** 

HoC: IR: 5/7/16 2R: 13/9/16 CS:20/10/16, 25/10/16, 27/10/16, 1/11/16 RS: 28/11/16

**Finance Bill** 

HoC: IR: 19/5/16 2R: 19/5/16 CS: 27/6/16, 28/6/16, RS: 5/9/2016, 6/9/16 3R and RS: 13/9/16

**Health Service Medical Supplies (Costs) Bill** 

HoC: IR: 15/9/16 2R: 24/10/16 CS: 8/11/16, 15/11/16, 17/11/16

**Higher Education and Research Bill** 

HoC: IR: 19/5/16 2R: 19/7/16 CS: 6/9/16, 8/9/16, 13/9/16, 15/9/16, 11/10/16, 13/10/16, 18/10/16 RS:

21/11/16

High Speed Rail (London - West Midlands) Bill

Carry-over: 19/5/16

Intellectual Property (Unjustified Threats) Bill

HoL: 1R: 19/5/16 2R: 27/6/16 CS: 9/11/16 RS: 23/11/16

**Investigatory Powers Bill** 

HoC: IR: 19/5/16 2R: 19/5/16 RS: 6 and 7/6/16 3R: 7/6/16 PP: 1/11/16, 15/11/16

HoL: 2R: 27/6/16 CS: 11/7/16,13/7/16,19/7/16,5/9/16,7/9/16 RS: 11,17,19/10/16 3R: 31/10/16 PP: 2/11/16

National Citizen Service Bill [HL]

HoL: IR: 11/10/16 2R: 25/10/16 CS: 16/11/16 RS: 30/11/16

**Neighbourhood Planning Bill** 

**HoC:** IR: 7/9/16 2R: 10/10/16 CS: 18/10/16, 20/10/16, 25/10/16, 27/10/16

**Policing and Crime Bill** 

HoC: IR: 19/5/2016 2R: 19/5/2016 RS: 13/6/16 3R: 13/6/16

HoL: 2R:18/7/16 CS: 14/9/16, 26/10/16, 2/11/16, 9/11/16, 16/11/16 RS: 30/11/16

**Savings (Government Contributions) Bill** 

**HoC:** IR: 6/9/16 2R: 17/10/16 CS: 25/10/16, 27/10/16, 1/11/2016

**Small Charitable Donations and Childcare Payments Bill** 

HoC: IR: 14/9/16 2R: 11/10/16 CS: 18/10/16 RS: 15/11/16 3R: 15/11/16

**Technical and Further Education Bill** 

HoC: IR: 27/10/16 2R: 14/11/16

**Wales Bill** 

HoC: IR: 7/6/2016 2R: 14/6/2016 CS: 5,11/6/2016 RS: 12/9/16 3R: 12/9/16 CS: 15/11/16

HoL: 2R: 10/10/2016 CS: 31/10/16, 7/11/2016, 23/11/2016

# New Bills (inc. Private Members' Bills)

**Commonwealth Development Corporation Bill** 

**HoC:** IR: 16/11/16 2R: 29/11/16

**Cosmetic Surgery (Standards of Practice) Bill** 

**HoC:** IR: 19/10/16 2R: 24/3/17

National Health Service Staff (Reporting and Registration) Bill

**HoC:** 1R: 18/10/16 2R: 24/3/17 **Pension Schemes Bill [HL]** 

HoL: IR: 19/10/16 2R: 1/11/16 CS: 21/11/16, 28/11/16

Housing Standards (Preparation and Storage of Food by Tenants in Receipt of Universal Credit

or Housing Benefit)
HoC: IR: 20/10/16

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