

## **General Debate on COVID-19 on Tuesday 12 January: Relevant documents**

The documents below from select committees are relevant to Tuesday's General Debate on COVID-19. Documents are listed by committee name and include reports, oral evidence and correspondence.

### **Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy Committee:**

Oral evidence taken on [17 March, 30 April, 14 May, 4 June, 18 June and 17 November](#), on the impact of coronavirus on businesses and workers (HC 219)

Oral evidence taken on [25 June](#), on post-pandemic economic growth (HC 393)

Oral evidence taken on [24 September and 8 October](#) on post-pandemic economic growth: industrial strategy (HC 674)

Oral evidence taken on [1 October, 22 October and 24 November](#), on post-pandemic economic growth: levelling up - local and regional structures and the delivery of economic growth (HC 675)

Oral evidence taken on [9 July](#), on the work of the Department and the Government's response to coronavirus (HC 142)

Correspondence with the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, dated [24 March](#), [8 April](#), [20 April](#), [17 May](#), [27 July](#), [25 September](#) and [20 November](#)

### **Defence Committee:**

Oral evidence taken on [22 April](#), on introductory session with the Defence Secretary (HC 295), on [7 July](#), on work of the Chief of the Defence Staff (HC 594), and on [14 July](#) and [24 November](#), on Defence contribution to the UK's pandemic response (HC 357).

Written evidence from the Ministry of Defence on Defence contribution to the UK's pandemic response (HC 357), published on [13 October](#).

### **Digital, Culture, Media and Sport Committee:**

Oral evidence taken by the sub-committee on Online Harms and Disinformation on [17 December 2020](#), on anti-vaccination disinformation (HC 1049)

Correspondence with the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, dated [23 September](#)

Oral evidence on [8 September 2020](#), on Re-opening venues at capacity (HC 748)

Correspondence with the Chancellor of the Exchequer, dated [3 September](#)

First Report of Session 2019-21, [Covid-19 and Charities](#) (HC 281)

Second Report of Session 2019-21, [Misinformation in the COVID-19 Infodemic](#) (HC234)

Third Report of Session 2019-21, [Impact of COVID-19 on DCMS sectors: First Report](#) (HC 291)

### **Education Committee:**

Oral evidence taken on [22 April, 29 April, 12 May, 18 May, 27 May, 3 June, 10 June, 17 June, 24 June, 1 July, 8 July, 22 July, 2 September](#), on the impact of Covid-19 on education and children's services (HC 254)

First Report of Session 2019-21, [Getting the grades they've earned: Covid-19: the cancellation of exams and 'calculated' grades](#) (HC 617).

### **Environmental Audit Committee:**

Oral Evidence taken on [21 May, 23 July, and 24 September](#), and [written evidence](#) on greening the post-COVID recovery (HC 347)

Correspondence with the Chief Executive of NHS England dated [24 July](#)

## **Environment, Food and Rural Affairs Committee:**

First Report of Session 2019-21, [COVID-19 and food supply](#) (HC 263), and the [Government response](#) (HC 841)

## **European Scrutiny Committee:**

Second Report of Session 2019–21, [COVID-19 pandemic: the EU’s policy response and its implications for the UK](#) (HC 275)

Seventh Report of Session 2019-21, [Documents considered by the Committee on 7 May 2020](#) (HC 229-iv)

[COVID-19: European Scrutiny Committee consideration of the EU’s policy response](#)

## **Foreign Affairs Committee:**

First Report of Session 2019–21, [Viral Immunity—The FCO’s role in building a coalition against COVID-19](#) (HC 239), and the [Government response](#) (HC 449)

Third Report of Session 2019-21, [Flying Home: The FCO’s consular response to the COVID-19 pandemic](#) (HC 643) and the [Government response](#) (HC 859)

## **Health and Social Care Committee:**

Oral evidence taken on [5, 17 and 26 March, 17 April, 5 and 19 May, 3 June, and 21 July](#) on Management of the coronavirus outbreak (HC 36)

Oral evidence taken on [1 and 14 May, and 16 and 30 June](#) on Delivering core NHS and care services during the pandemic and beyond; and [written evidence](#) (HC 320)

Correspondence with the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, dated [8 April and 16 April](#)

Correspondence with Yvonne Doyle and Baroness Harding, dated [15 June](#)

Correspondence with the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care and the Chief Executive of NHS England and NHS Improvement, dated [21 July](#)

Letter from Paul Nurse, Director of the Francis Crick Institute, dated [22 July](#)

## **Home Affairs Committee:**

First Report of Session 2019–21, [Home Office preparedness for Covid-19 \(Coronavirus\): Policing](#) (HC 232)

Second Report of Session 2019–21, [Home Office preparedness for Covid-19 \(Coronavirus\):](#)

Domestic abuse and risks of harm within the home  
(HC 321)

Third Report of Session 2019–21, Home Office preparedness for Covid-19 (Coronavirus): immigration and visas (HC 362)

Fourth Report of Session 2019–21, Home Office preparedness for Covid-19 (Coronavirus): institutional accommodation (HC 562)

Fifth Report of Session 2019–21, Home Office preparedness for Covid-19 (Coronavirus): management of the borders (HC 563)

Oral evidence taken on 3 June and 15 July, on Home Office preparedness for Covid-19 (Coronavirus).

## **Housing, Communities and Local Government Committee:**

First Report of Session 2019–21, Protecting rough sleepers and renters: Interim Report (HC 309), and the Government response, CP 248

Oral evidence taken on 17 December on the impact of Covid-19 on homelessness, including evidence from people with lived experience of homelessness.

Third Report of Session 2019–21, [Building more social housing](#) (HC 173), and the Government response, [CP 299](#),

[Correspondence of 20 October to SoS asking for further response](#) to above report and the [government's reply of 11 November](#).

Oral evidence taken on [29 June](#), on the impact of COVID-19 on the private rented sector (after the publication of the report) (HC 309)

[Correspondence of 20th March 2020 to the Secretary of State](#), Robert Jenrick, on local authority challenges during coronavirus (including adult social care funding).

[Correspondence of 19 November 2020 to the Secretary of State](#), Robert Jenrick, on the same issues.

## **International Development Committee**

Fifth Report of Session 2019-21, [Humanitarian crises monitoring: impact of coronavirus on developing countries \(interim findings\)](#) (HC 292)

Evidence taken on the [secondary impacts of coronavirus on developing countries](#) (HC 292)

## **International Trade Committee:**

First Report of Session 2019-21, [The COVID-19 pandemic and international trade](#), 29 July 2020 (HC 286)

First Special Report of Session 2019-21, [The COVID-19 pandemic and international trade: Government Response to the Committee's First Report](#), 7 October 2020 (HC 815)

## **Joint Committee on Human Rights:**

Seventh Report of the Joint Committee on Human Rights, Session 2019–21, [The Government's response to COVID-19: human rights implications](#) (HC 265 / HL 125)

## **Joint Committee on the National Security Strategy:**

First Report of the Joint Committee on the National Security Strategy, Session 2019–21, [Biosecurity and national security](#) (HC 611 / HL 195)

## **Justice Committee:**

Third Report of Session 2019–21: [Coronavirus \(COVID-19\): The impact on probation systems](#) (HC 461)



Fourth Special Report of Session 2019–21: Coronavirus (COVID-19): The impact on probation systems: Government Response to the Committee’s Third Report (HC 826)

Fourth Report of Session 2019–21: [Coronavirus \(COVID-19\): The impact on prisons](#) (HC 299)

Sixth Report of Session 2019–21: [Coronavirus \(COVID-19\): The impact on courts](#) (HC 519)

Seventh Report of Session 2019–21: [Coronavirus \(COVID-19\): The impact on the legal professions in England and Wales](#) (HC 520)

### **Liaison Committee:**

Oral evidence from the Prime Minister taken on [27 May 2020](#) (HC 322) and [16 September 2020](#) (HC 744)

Correspondence with the Prime Minister regarding test and trace operations, and Parliamentary scrutiny and control over Covid emergency measures, dated [29 September 2020](#).

## **Northern Ireland Affairs Committee**

Correspondence from the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, relating to matters to be raised at the cancelled oral evidence session on Wednesday 25 March, dated [20 April](#).

## **Petitions Committee:**

The impact of Covid-19 on maternity and parental leave, First Report of Session 2019–21, [HC 526](#), and The impact of COVID-19 on maternity and parental leave: Government Response to the Committee's First Report, Second Special Report of Session 2019–21, [HC 770](#)

The impact of Covid-19 on university students Second Report of Session 2019–21, [HC 527](#), The impact of Covid-19 on university students: Government Response to the Committee's Second Report Third Special Report of Session 2019–21, [HC 780](#)

e-petition [300336](#), entitled Include self-employed in statutory sick pay during Coronavirus, e-petition [300403](#), entitled Close Schools/Colleges down for an appropriate amount of time amidst COVID19, e-petition [301397](#), entitled Implement UK lockdown for preventing spread of COVID19, e-petition [302855](#), entitled Reimburse all students of this

year's fees due to strikes and COVID-19, e-petition [306691](#), entitled Extend maternity leave by 3 months with pay in light of COVID-19, e-petition [324762](#), entitled Require universities to partially refund tuition fees for 20/21 due to Covid-19, e-petition [320711](#), entitled Offer more support to the arts (particularly Theatres and Music) amidst COVID-19, e-petition [306845](#), entitled Give all key workers a 100% tax and Nat. Ins. holiday through COVID-19 crisis, e-petition [323442](#), entitled Prevent any restrictions on those who refuse a Covid-19 vaccination, e-petition [308733](#), entitled Provide financial help to zoos, aquariums, & rescue centres during the pandemic., e-petition [307146](#), entitled Allow gyms and leisure centres to reopen, e-petition [323881](#), entitled Allow Zoos and Wildlife attractions to reopen with social distancing in place, e-petition [302256](#), entitled Encourage lenders, landlords and utilities to freeze payments during lockdown, e-petition [300628](#), entitled Close all universities down for an appropriate amount of time amidst COVID-19, e-petition [302284](#), entitled Implement Universal Basic Income to give home & food security through Covid-19, e-petition [306494](#), entitled Refund university students for 3rd Semester Tuition 2020, e-petition [303274](#), entitled Require councils to suspend council tax payments

during the coronavirus outbreak, e-petition [303081](#), entitled Support the British aviation industry during the COVID-19 outbreak, e-petition [310515](#), entitled Coronavirus Support Package for Directors / Shareholders of small Limited Co's., e-petition [300399](#), entitled No prosecution for parents that remove child from school during a pandemic, e-petition [552036](#), entitled Allow football fans to attend matches at all levels, e-petition [332789](#), entitled Let Us Dance - Support nightclubs, dance music events and festivals, e-petition [329339](#), entitled Increase Number of Guests Permitted at Weddings, according to Venue Capacity, e-petition [301186](#), entitled Government to offer economic assistance to the events industry during COVID-19, e-petition [300412](#), entitled Extend the transition; delay negotiations until after the coronavirus outbreak, e-petition [301836](#), entitled Give UK nurseries emergency funding if they have to close down amid COVID-19, e-petition [33869](#), entitled Prevent gyms closing due to a spike in Covid 19 cases, e-petition [552911](#), entitled Lower university tuition fees for students until online teaching ends, e-petition [326066](#), entitled Cancel GCSEs and A Levels in 2021, e-petition [3320772](#), entitled Reduce curriculum content for year 10 & 12 students who will sit exams in 2021, e-petition [309851](#), entitled

Exempt golf courses from the list of venues required to close due to Covid-19, e-petition [550846](#), entitled Reclose schools and colleges due to increase in COVID-19 cases, e-petition [313310](#), entitled Repeal the Coronavirus Act 2020, e-petition [328408](#), entitled Hold a public inquiry into Government contracts granted during Covid-19, e-petition [549015](#), entitled Implement a two week school lockdown before 24 December to save Christmas, e-petition [554316](#), entitled Prioritise teachers, school and childcare staff for Covid-19 vaccination, e-petition [563904](#), entitled Keep gyms open during Tier 4 lockdown, e-petition [564209](#), entitled Close schools in Tier 4 areas, e-petition [564696](#), entitled Cancel GCSE and A-levels in 2021 replace with Course Work and Teacher Assessment, e-petition [548778](#), entitled Allow teacher predicted grades for BTEC students, e-petition [316404](#), entitled Keep schools closed until Covid 19 is no longer a threat

## **Procedure Committee**

First Report of Session 2019–21, [\*Procedure under coronavirus restrictions: proposals for remote participation\*](#) (HC 300)

Second Report of Session 2019–21, *Procedure under coronavirus restrictions: remote voting in divisions* (HC 335)

Third Report of Session 2019–21, *Procedure under coronavirus restrictions: the Government's proposals to discontinue remote participation* (HC 392)

First Special Report of Session 2019–21, *Procedure under coronavirus restrictions: the Government's proposals for proxy voting for shielding Members* (HC 429)

Second Special Report of Session 2019–21, *Procedure under coronavirus restrictions: Government Responses to the Committee's First, Second and Third Reports* (HC 565)

Fourth Report of Session 2019–21, *Proxy voting: review of pilot arrangements* (HC 10)

Third Special Report of Session 2019–21, *Proxy voting: review of pilot arrangements: Government Response to the Committee's Fourth Report* (HC 836)

Sixth Report of Session 2019–21, *Procedure under coronavirus restrictions: virtual participation in debate* (HC 905)

Seventh Report of Session 2019–21, *Procedure under coronavirus restrictions: call lists and time limits on speeches in debates* (HC 1031)

Oral evidence taken on 1 and 8 June, 1, 8 and 15 July and 5, 7 and 12 October, on Procedure under coronavirus restrictions (HC 300).

## **Public Accounts Committee**

Oral evidence taken on 18 March, on the Get Ready for Brexit Campaign (also covered the Covid-19 public health communications campaign) (HC 131)

Oral evidence taken on 16 March, on University Technical Colleges (also covered school closures due to Covid-19) (HC 87)

Oral evidence taken on 17 September, on Digital transformation in the NHS (also covered Covid-19 health spending) (HC 680)

Oral evidence taken on 12 October, on COVID-19: Supply of ventilators (HC 685)

*Eighth Report of Session 2019-21, NHS capital expenditure and financial management* (HC 344)

Thirteenth Report of Session 2019-21, *Whole of Government Response to COVID-19* (HC 404)

Fourteenth Report of Session 2019-21, [Readying the NHS and social care for the COVID-19 peak](#) (HC 405)

Eighteenth Report of Session 2019-21, [NHS nursing workforce](#) (HC 408)

Twenty-Seventh Report of Session 2019-21, [Covid-19: Supply of ventilators](#) (HC 685)

Twenty-Ninth Report Report of Session 2019-21, [Whitehall preparations for EU Exit](#) (HC 682)

## **Public Administration and Constitutional Affairs Committee:**

Fourth Report of Session 2019-21, [Parliamentary Scrutiny of the Government's handling of Covid-19](#) (HC 377) and Fifth Special Report of Session 2019-21 [Government response](#) (HC 1078)

Fifth Report of Session 2019-21, [A Public Inquiry into the Government's response to the Covid-19 pandemic](#) (HC 541) and Fourth Special Report of Session 2019-21 [Government response](#) (HC 995)

Oral evidence taken on [22 September, 5 November, 24 November and 16 December](#) on Data Transparency and Accountability: Covid 19 (HC 803)



## **Science and Technology Committee:**

First Report of Session 2019–21, [\*The UK response to covid-19: use of scientific advice\*](#), (HC 136)

Oral evidence taken before the Health and Social Care Committee and the Science and Technology Committee on [13 and 21 October, 4, 10 and 24 November and 1, 2 and 9 December](#) on Coronavirus: lessons learnt (HC 877).

## **Scottish Affairs Committee**

First Report of Session 2019–21, [\*Coronavirus and Scotland: Interim Report on Intergovernmental Working\*](#), (HC314)

Second Report of Session 2019–21, [\*Coronavirus and Scotland\*](#), (HC895)

## **Transport Committee:**

Second Report of Session 2019-21, [\*The impact of the coronavirus pandemic on the aviation sector\*](#), (HC 268); and the Government Response, [HC 745](#)

Oral evidence taken on [16 December](#), on Coronavirus: transport network pressures over Christmas (HC 1076)

Oral evidence taken on [2 December](#), on Reforming public transport after the pandemic (HC 676)

Oral evidence taken on [18 November](#), on Coronavirus: emergency measures for railways (HC 918)

### **Treasury Committee:**

Second Report of Session 2019-21, [Economic impact of coronavirus: Gaps in support](#), (HC 454); and the Government Responses, [HC 662](#) and [HC 749](#)

Eighth Report of Session 2019-21, [Economic impact of coronavirus: the challenges of recovery](#), (HC 271)

Fifth Special Report of Session 2019-21: [Economic impact of coronavirus: the challenges of recovery: Government Response to the Committee's Eighth Report](#), (HC 999)

Oral evidence taken on [6 October](#), [21 October](#) and [2 December](#) on Economic impact of coronavirus (HC 882)

Oral evidence taken on [11 November](#) on Work of HM Treasury, (HC 969)

Oral evidence taken on [23 November](#) on Bank of England Monetary Policy Reports (HC 123)

Correspondence with the Chancellor of the Exchequer relating to publishing data on the various

Government backed loan guarantee schemes, dated [22 September](#)

Correspondence from the British Business Bank relating to reservation notices regarding Coronavirus Bounce Back Loans and the Coronavirus Future Fund, dated [30 September](#)

Correspondence from the Chancellor relating to the expansion of the Job Support Scheme, dated [9 October](#)

Correspondence from the Chancellor, relating to Expanded winter economic support package, dated [22 October](#)

Correspondence with the Chancellor relating to HM Treasury's analysis of the economic impacts and the associated harms of a further coronavirus lockdown, dated [3 November](#) and [4 November](#)

## **Welsh Affairs Committee**

Third Report of Session 2019-21, [\*The Welsh economy and Covid-19: Interim Report\*](#) (HC 324)

Oral evidence taken on [11 and 25 June](#), on The Welsh economy and Covid-19 (HC 324)

Oral evidence taken on [28 May and 10 September](#), on the Responsibilities of the Secretary of State for Wales (HC 96)

Written evidence from the [Welsh Government](#) and the [Secretary of State for Wales](#), received as part of The Welsh economy and Covid-19 inquiry (HC 324)

## **Women and Equalities Committee**

Oral evidence taken on [24 April](#), and 6 May on Unequal impact: Coronavirus (Covid-19) and the impact on people with protected characteristics (HC 276)

Correspondence with the Minister for Women and Equalities, dated [29 April](#) (HC 276)

Oral evidence taken on [17 June](#), [1 July](#), and [15 July](#) on Unequal Impact? Coronavirus and BAME people (HC 384)

Oral evidence taken on [8 July](#), [16 September](#), [14 October](#) and 4 November on Unequal Impact? Coronavirus and the Gendered Economic Impact (HC 385)

First Report, [\*Unequal Impact? Coronavirus, disability and access to services: interim Report on temporary provisions in the Coronavirus Act\*](#) (HC 386)

## **Work and Pensions Committee:**

First Report of Session 2019-21: [DWP's response to the coronavirus outbreak](#) (HC 178)

First Special Report of Session 2019-21: [DWP's response to the coronavirus outbreak: Government Response to the Committee's First Report of Session](#) (HC 732)

Correspondence with the Secretary of State, dated [7 September](#) and [29 September](#)

Oral evidence taken on [30 September](#), [18 November](#), [9 December](#) and [16 December](#) on DWP's response to the coronavirus outbreak (HC 178)