



**Thursday 14 January 2021 Order Paper No.159:
Part 1**

SUMMARY AGENDA: CHAMBER

9.30am	Prayers
Afterwards	Oral Questions: International Trade
10.30am	Urgent Questions, including on: <ul style="list-style-type: none">■ Consequences of the EU Trade and Cooperation Agreement as it applies to the fishing industry (Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs)
	Business Question
Afterwards	Ministerial Statements, including on: <ul style="list-style-type: none">■ Measures to tackle domestic abuse and hidden harms during lockdown (Minister for Safeguarding)
	Select Committee Statement on:

Until
5.00pm

■ Seventh Report of the International Development Committee: Progress on tackling the sexual exploitation and abuse of aid beneficiaries, HC 605

Backbench Business:

- **General debate: Long covid**
- **General debate: Effect of the covid-19 outbreak on dental services**

Until
5.30pm or
for half an
hour

Adjournment Debate: Vitamin D and covid-19 mitigation (Mr David Davis)

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Notes:

Item marked [R] indicates that a member has declared a relevant interest.

BUSINESS TODAY: CHAMBER

Virtual participation in proceedings will commence after Prayers.

9.30am Prayers

Followed by

QUESTIONS

1. International Trade

The call list for Members participating is available on the House of Commons business papers pages.

URGENT QUESTIONS AND STATEMENTS

- **Urgent Question: To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs if he will make a statement on the consequences of the EU Trade and Cooperation Agreement as it applies to the fishing industry (Alistair Carmichael)**

- **Business Question to the Leader of the House**
- **Ministerial Statements, including Minister for Safeguarding on measures to tackle domestic abuse and hidden harms during lockdown**
- **Select Committee statement on Seventh Report of the International Development Committee, Progress on tackling the sexual exploitation and abuse of aid beneficiaries, HC 605**

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BUSINESS OF THE DAY

1. BACKBENCH BUSINESS

Until 5.00pm (Standing Order No. 9(3))

■ Long covid

Layla Moran

Andrew Gwynne

Dr Dan Poulter

That this House has considered long covid.

■ Effect of the covid-19 outbreak on dental services

Fleur Anderson

Barry Gardiner

That this House has considered the effect of the covid-19 outbreak on dental services.

Notes:

The subjects for these debates were determined by the Backbench Business Committee.

The call list for Members participating is available on the House of Commons business papers pages.

ADJOURNMENT DEBATE

Until 5.30pm or for half an hour (whichever is later) (Standing Order No. 9(7))

- **Vitamin D and covid-19 mitigation: Mr David Davis**

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**SITTINGS IN WESTMINSTER HALL HAVE BEEN
SUSPENDED (ORDER 13 JANUARY)**

WRITTEN STATEMENTS

STATEMENTS TO BE MADE TODAY

Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office

1. Indemnity for Police Area Returning Officers and Local Returning Officers at the 2021 Police and Crime Commissioner elections
2. Indemnity for Returning Officers and Acting Returning Officers at UK Parliamentary elections (including by-elections)

Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy

3. Support in the workplace for domestic abuse victims

The Chancellor of the Exchequer

4. Application of the second-hand margin scheme in Northern Ireland in respect of motor vehicles sourced from Great Britain

WRITTEN STATEMENTS

Secretary of State for the Home Department

5. Reforming pre-charge bail

Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government

6. Contingencies Fund Advance

Secretary of State for Justice

7. Independent Review of Criminal Legal Aid

Notes:

Texts of Written Statements are available from the Vote Office and on the internet at <https://questions-statements.parliament.uk/> .

COMMITTEES MEETING TODAY

Broadcasts of proceedings can be found at <https://www.parliamentlive.tv/Commons>

Some committee members and witnesses might now physically attend meetings, however, there is no public access at present.

SELECT COMMITTEES

■ Public Accounts Committee

Subject: Managing flood risks

Witnesses: 10.00am: Tamara Finkelstein, Permanent Secretary, and Sally Randall, Director, Flooding and Emergencies, Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs; Sir James Bevan, Chief Executive, and Catherine Wright, Executive Director, Flood and Coastal Risk Management, Environment Agency

The Wilson Room, Portcullis House
9.15am (private), 10.00am (public)

■ **Committee on the Future Relationship with the European Union**

Subject: The shape of future parliamentary scrutiny of UK-EU relations

Virtual meeting
9.30am (private)

■ **Welsh Affairs Committee**

Subject: Responsibilities of the Secretary of State for Wales

Witnesses: 2.30pm: Rt Hon Simon Hart MP, Secretary of State for Wales, and David TC Davies MP, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State, Office of the Secretary of State for Wales

Virtual meeting
1.40pm (private), 2.30pm (public)

■ **Digital, Culture, Media and Sport Committee**

Subject: Pre-appointment hearing for Chair of the BBC

Witnesses: 2.30pm: Richard Sharp, Government's preferred candidate for the position of Chair of the BBC

Virtual meeting

2.00pm (private), 2.30pm (public)

■ **Justice Committee**

Subject: Pre-appointment hearing: Chief Inspector of CPS Inspectorate

Witnesses: 2.30pm: Andrew Cayley CMG QC, Government's preferred candidate for the position of Chief Inspector of CPS Inspectorate

Room 8

2.00pm (private), 2.30pm (public), 3.30pm (private)

JOINT COMMITTEES

■ Joint Committee on the Fixed-Term Parliaments Act

Subject: Fixed-Term Parliaments Act

Witnesses: 11.00am: Sir Oliver Letwin

11.45am: The Rt Hon. the Lord Butler of Brockwell KG GCB CVO

Virtual meeting

10.45am (private), 11.00am (public)

PUBLIC BILL COMMITTEES

■ Telecommunications (Security) Bill

To Consider the Bill

The Boothroyd Room, Portcullis House

11.30am (public)

■ **Telecommunications (Security) Bill**

Further to Consider the Bill

The Boothroyd Room, Portcullis House

2.00pm (public)

COMMITTEE REPORTS PUBLISHED TODAY

INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- **7th Report: Progress on tackling the sexual exploitation and abuse of aid beneficiaries HC 605**
Time of publication: **00.01am**

DIGITAL, CULTURE, MEDIA AND SPORT

- **5th Report: Pre-Appointment hearing for Chair of the BBC HC 1119**
Time of publication: **11.00am**

HUMAN RIGHTS (JOINT)

- **3rd Special Report: Legislative scrutiny: Overseas Operations (Service Personnel and Veterans) Bill: Government Response to the Committee's Ninth Report of Session 2019-21 HC 1120**
Time of publication: **11.00am**

ANNOUNCEMENTS**FORTHCOMING END OF DAY ADJOURNMENT
DEBATES****■ Tuesday 19 January to Monday 25 January
(deadline 13 January) (ballot closed)**

The deadline for applications for end of day Adjournment debates for Tuesday 19 January to Monday 25 January has closed. The ballot will take place today.

**■ Tuesday 26 January to Monday 1 February
(deadline 20 January 7.00pm or the rise of the
House, whichever is earlier)**

Applications should be made in writing to the Table Office. Members must submit their application from their own email account. Application forms are available on the Table Office page on the Parliamentary intranet.

The ballot will take place on Thursday 21 January.

- **Tuesday 2 February to Monday 8 February
(deadline 27 January 7.00pm or the rise of the
House, whichever is earlier)**

Applications should be made in writing to the Table Office. Members must submit their application from their own email account. Application forms are available on the Table Office page on the Parliamentary intranet.

The ballot will take place on Thursday 28 January.

FORTHCOMING WESTMINSTER HALL DEBATES

- **Sittings in Westminster Hall are currently suspended (Order of 13 January).**

DEADLINE FOR CALL LISTS FOR SUBSTANTIVE PROCEEDINGS

Deadline	Date of proceeding	Proceeding
1.00pm Friday 15 January	Monday 18 January	Opposition Day: subject(s) to be announced

Members wishing to speak in substantive proceedings should apply to the Speaker's Office by emailing speakersoffice@parliament.uk from their parliamentary email address.

FURTHER INFORMATION

MEMBERS' GUIDE TO CHAMBER PROCEEDINGS

The Members' Guide to Chamber proceedings are available on the Parliamentary website

BUSINESS OF THE DAY

Documents and reports relating to the business being held in the Chamber are available on the Commons Business Briefings webpage: www.parliament.uk/business/publications/research/commons-business-briefings/

WRITTEN STATEMENTS

Text of today's Written Statements: <https://questions-statements.parliament.uk/>

SELECT COMMITTEES

Select Committees Webpage: <https://committees.parliament.uk/>

Recent Select Committee Reports: <https://committees.parliament.uk/>

STANDING ORDERS RELATING TO PUBLIC BUSINESS

Text of Standing Orders relating to public business: www.parliament.uk/business/publications.parliament.uk/pa/cm201919/cmstords/341/body.html

EUROPEAN BUSINESS

European Business Referrals and Motion documents for consideration by European Committees or on the Floor of the House are available on the European Business webpage: <https://old.parliament.uk/business/publications/business-papers/commons/european-business11/>

DIGITAL ENGAGEMENT

Information about digital engagement opportunities for debates is available on the parliamentary website: <https://www.parliament.uk/get-involved/have-your-say-on-laws/digital-engagement/>.

All business papers are available via the HousePapers app on mobile devices



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FUTURE BUSINESS

A. CALENDAR OF BUSINESS

Business in either Chamber may be changed, and further business added, up to the rising of the House on the day before it is to be taken, and is therefore provisional.

Government items of business in this section have nominally been set down for today, but are expected to be taken on the dates stated.

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MONDAY 18 JANUARY

CHAMBER

QUESTIONS

- 2.30pm Questions to the Secretary of State for Education
- 3.15pm Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Education

Afterwards

**OPPOSITION DAY (14TH ALLOTTED DAY):
SUBJECT TO BE ANNOUNCED**

Notes:

The selection of the matters to be debated will be made by the Leader of the Opposition (Standing Order No. 14(2)).

BACKBENCH BUSINESS COMMITTEE

Bill Wiggin, on behalf of the Committee of Selection

That Fiona Bruce be discharged from the Backbench Business Committee and Imran Ahmad Khan be added.

ADJOURNMENT DEBATE

- Effect of the covid-19 outbreak on schools:
Derek Thomas

TUESDAY 19 JANUARY

CHAMBER

QUESTIONS

- 11.30am **Questions to the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs**

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- **12.15pm Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs**

Afterwards

FREEDOM OF SPEECH (UNIVERSITIES): TEN MINUTE RULE MOTION

Mr David Davis

That leave be given to bring in a Bill to place a duty on universities to promote freedom of speech; to make provision for fining universities that do not comply with that duty; and for connected purposes.

Notes:

The Member moving and a Member opposing this Motion may each speak for up to 10 minutes.

PRESENTATION OF PUBLIC PETITIONS

- **Reduction in VAT for home energy bills: David Linden**

WEDNESDAY 20 JANUARY

CHAMBER

QUESTIONS

■ 11.30am Questions to the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland

■ 12 noon Questions to the Prime Minister

Afterwards

INTERNET ACCESS: TEN MINUTE RULE MOTION

Darren Jones

That leave be given to bring in a Bill to extend the universal service obligation for internet providers to include mobile internet access; to make requirements regarding internet access for children eligible for free school meals; to require the Secretary of State to report to Parliament on

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progress in reducing digital inequalities; and for connected purposes.

Notes:

The Member moving and a Member opposing this Motion may each speak for up to 10 minutes.

THURSDAY 21 JANUARY

CHAMBER

QUESTIONS

- **9.30am** **Questions to the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs**

- **10.00am** **Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs**

- **10.10am** Questions to Church Commissioners, House of Commons Commission, Parliamentary Works Sponsor Body, Public Accounts Commission and Speaker's Committee on the Electoral Commission

MONDAY 25 JANUARY

CHAMBER

QUESTIONS

- **2.30pm** Questions to the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions
- **3.15pm** Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions

TUESDAY 26 JANUARY

CHAMBER

QUESTIONS

- **11.30am** **Questions to the Chancellor of the Exchequer**

- **12.15pm** **Topical Questions to the Chancellor of the Exchequer**

Afterwards

FOOTBALL (REGULATION): TEN MINUTE RULE MOTION

Mrs Helen Grant

That leave be given to bring in a Bill to establish an independent football regulator in England; to make provision for that regulator to license football clubs, distribute funds within football, review English Football League club finances, and reform the governance of the Football Association; to require the regulator to take steps

in connection with football supporters' groups;
and for connected purposes.

Notes:

The Member moving and a Member opposing this Motion may each speak for up to 10 minutes.

WEDNESDAY 27 JANUARY

CHAMBER

QUESTIONS

- 11.30am Questions to the Secretary of State for Scotland
- 12 noon Questions to the Prime Minister

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Afterwards

TEN MINUTE RULE MOTION

Patrick Grady

That leave be given to bring in a Bill under Standing Order No 23 [details to be provided].

Notes:

The Member moving and a Member opposing this Motion may each speak for up to 10 minutes.

THURSDAY 28 JANUARY

CHAMBER

QUESTIONS

- **9.30am** **Questions to the Secretary of State for Transport**

- **10.15am** **Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Transport**

MONDAY 1 FEBRUARY

CHAMBER

QUESTIONS

- 2.30pm Questions to the Secretary of State for Defence
- 3.15pm Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Defence

TUESDAY 2 FEBRUARY

CHAMBER

QUESTIONS

- 11.30am Questions to the Secretary of State for Justice
- 12.15pm Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Justice

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WEDNESDAY 3 FEBRUARY

CHAMBER

QUESTIONS

- **11.30am** **Questions to the Secretary of State for Wales**

- **12 noon** **Questions to the Prime Minister**

THURSDAY 4 FEBRUARY

CHAMBER

QUESTIONS

- **9.30am** **Questions to the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport**

- **10.00am** **Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport**

- **10.10am** **Questions to the Attorney General**