



Wednesday 24 March 2021 Order Paper No.195: Part 1

SUMMARY AGENDA: CHAMBER

11.30am	Prayers
Afterwards	Oral Questions: Women and Equalities
12 noon	Oral Questions: Prime Minister
12.30pm	Ministerial Statements, including on: <ul style="list-style-type: none">■ New Plan for Immigration (Minister for Immigration Compliance and Justice)■ Liverpool City Council (Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government)
No debate	Presentation of Bills
Up to 20 minutes	Ten Minute Rule Motion: Gaming Hardware (Automated Purchase and Resale) (Douglas Chapman)
Until 7.00pm	Backbench Business: <ul style="list-style-type: none">■ General Debate: Online anonymity and anonymous abuse■ General Debate: Support for the hospitality industry throughout the covid-19 pandemic
No debate	Statutory Instrument (Motion for approval)
No debate	Presentation of Public Petitions
Until 7.30pm or for half an hour	Adjournment Debate: Waste incinerators (Robbie Moore)

WESTMINSTER HALL

9.25am	NHS pay
11.00am	The planned expansion of Luton Airport (The sitting will be suspended from 11.30am to 2.30pm)
2.30pm	Science and Discovery Centres' support for education in science and careers in STEM subjects
4.05pm	Government funding for the Bakerloo Line extension
4.50pm	Implementation of the UK Rare Diseases Framework

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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.

11.30am Prayers

Followed by

QUESTIONS

1. Women and Equalities
2. Prime Minister

The [call list](#) for Members participating is available on the House of Commons business papers pages.

URGENT QUESTIONS AND STATEMENTS

- **Ministerial Statements, including Minister for Immigration Compliance and Justice on New Plan for Immigration, and Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government on Liverpool City Council**

The [call lists](#) for Members participating are available on the House of Commons business papers pages.

PRESENTATION OF BILLS

No debate ([Standing Order No. 57](#))

- **Coronavirus (No. 2)**

Dawn Butler

Bill to make provision in connection with coronavirus; and for connected purposes.

BUSINESS OF THE DAY

1. GAMING HARDWARE (AUTOMATED PURCHASE AND RESALE): TEN MINUTE RULE MOTION

Up to 20 minutes ([Standing Order No. 23](#))

Douglas Chapman

That leave be given to bring in a Bill to prohibit the automated purchase and resale of games consoles and computer components; and for connected purposes.

Notes:

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

2. BACKBENCH BUSINESS

Until 7.00pm ([Standing Order No. 9\(3\)](#))

■ Online anonymity and anonymous abuse

Siobhan Baillie

Damian Hinds

Debbie Abrahams

That this House has considered online anonymity and anonymous abuse.

Relevant Documents:

e-petition [575833](#), Make verified ID a requirement for opening a social media account, and e-petition [332315](#), Ban anonymous accounts on social media

Oral evidence taken before the Petitions Committee on [21 May](#) and [2 July 2020](#), on Tackling Online Abuse, HC 364

■ Support for the hospitality industry throughout the covid-19 pandemic

Selaine Saxby

Ruth Cadbury

That this House has considered support for the hospitality industry throughout the covid-19 pandemic.

Relevant Documents:

First Report of the Environment, Food and Rural Affairs Committee, Covid-19 and food supply, [HC 263](#), and the Government Response, [HC 841](#), and oral evidence taken before the Environment, Food and Rural Affairs Committee on [9](#) and [23 February 2021](#), on Covid-19 and food supply: follow up, HC 1156 e-petition [552201](#), Create a Minister for Hospitality in the UK Government, e-petition [329985](#), Give further financial support to the Events and Hospitality industry, and e-petition [572283](#), Extend the VAT at 5% for hospitality until at least March 2022

Notes:

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

The [call lists](#) for Members participating are available on the House of Commons business papers pages.

3. INSOLVENCY

No debate ([Standing Order No. 118\(6\)](#))

Secretary Kwasi Kwarteng

That the draft [Administration \(Restrictions on Disposal etc. to Connected Persons\) Regulations 2021](#), which were laid before this House on 24 February, be approved.

Notes:

If this item is opposed after 7.00pm, the division will be deferred.

PRESENTATION OF PUBLIC PETITIONS

No debate or decision ([Standing Order No. 153](#))

■ Privatisation of York Hospital's Emergency Department: **Rachael Maskell**

ADJOURNMENT DEBATE

Until 7.30pm or for half an hour (whichever is later) ([Standing Order No. 9\(7\)](#))

- Waste incinerators: **Robbie Moore**

BUSINESS TODAY: WESTMINSTER HALL

ORDER OF BUSINESS

The morning sitting will start at 9.25am and finish at 11.30am with a five minute suspension at 10.55am. The afternoon sitting will start at 2.30pm and finish at 5.50pm with a five minute suspension at 4.00pm and a 15 minute suspension at 4.35pm. ([Standing Order No. 10\(1\)](#) and [Order of 25 February](#)).

The [call list](#) for Members participating is available on the House of Commons business papers pages.

9.25am

- That this House has considered NHS pay: **Paula Barker**

Notes:

The debate at 9.25am will last for up to 90 minutes.

Relevant Documents:

e-petition [300073](#), Increase pay for NHS healthcare workers and recognise their work, e-petition [316307](#), Award all Nursing Staff in the NHS a pay rise of 10% backdated to 1 April 2020, and e-petition [560253](#), Recognise all members of NHS nursing profession by giving them a 12.5% pay rise

11.00am

- That this House has considered the planned expansion of Luton Airport: **Daisy Cooper**

Notes:

The debate at 11.00am will last for up to 30 minutes.
The sitting will be suspended from 11.30am to 2.30pm.

2.30pm

- That this House has considered the Science and Discovery Centres' support for education in science and careers in STEM subjects: **Dr Ben Spencer**

Notes:

The debate at 2.30pm will last for up to 90 minutes.

4.05pm

- That this House has considered Government funding for the Bakerloo Line extension: **Neil Coyle**

Notes:

The debate at 4.05pm will last for up to 30 minutes.

4.50pm

- That this House has considered the implementation of the UK Rare Diseases Framework: **Liz Twist**

Relevant Documents:

e-petition [330174](#), Improve care, support and treatment for children with rare diseases

Notes:

The debate at 4.50pm will last for up to an hour.

The sitting will be suspended and time added if divisions take place in the main Chamber ([Standing Order No. 10\(3\)](#)).

WRITTEN STATEMENTS

STATEMENTS TO BE MADE TODAY

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

1. Update on UK Government's Work to Strengthen the Union and Intergovernmental Relations

Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy

2. Energy Policy update 1
3. Energy Policy update 2

The Chancellor of the Exchequer

4. Public Spending

Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport

5. Departmental update on flags

Secretary of State for Health and Social Care

6. DHSC update
7. Sale of a Credit Guarantee Finance loan by the Department of Health and Social Care
8. Specialty and Associate Specialist doctors' contract agreement

Secretary of State for the Home Department

9. New Plan for Immigration

Secretary of State for Transport

10. Roads update

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

■ Work and Pensions Committee

Subject: Disability employment gap

Witnesses: 9.30am: Lord Shinkwin, Chair, The Centre for Social Justice Disability Commission; Angela Matthews, Head of Policy and Research, Business Disability Forum; Matthew Oakley, Director, WPI Economics

10.30am: Matthew Ainsworth, Assistant Director of Education, Skills and Work, Greater Manchester Combined Authority; Clare Gray, Organisational Lead for Disability Advocacy, Shaw Trust; Huw Davies, Chief Executive, British Association for Supported Employment

Virtual meeting

8.30am (private), 9.30am (public)

■ Northern Ireland Affairs Committee

Subject: William Shawcross

Witnesses: 9.30am: William Shawcross CVO, Independent Reviewer of Prevent and former Special Representative on UK victims of Qadhafi-sponsored IRA terrorism, Foreign and Commonwealth Office

Virtual meeting

8.45am (private), 9.30am (public)

■ Science and Technology Committee

Subject: The role of hydrogen in achieving Net Zero

Witnesses: 9.30am: Professor Marcus Newborough, Development Director, ITM Power; Tim Dumenil, Acorn Hydrogen Project Manager, Pale Blue Dot

10.30am: Paul Booth, Chair, Tees Valley Local Enterprise Partnership; Dr Martin Pei, Executive Vice President and Chief Technical Officer, SSAB; Dr Richard Leese, Director for Industrial Policy, Energy and Climate Change, Mineral Products Association

The Wilson Room, Portcullis House

9.00am (private), 9.30am (public)

■ Select Committee on the Armed Forces Bill

Subject: Armed Forces Bill

Witnesses: 9.30am: Nadine Dorries MP, Minister of State, and William Vineall, Director and Chair of the Armed Forces Partnership Board, Department of Health and Social Care; Kate Davies CBE, Director of Health and Justice, Armed Forces and Sexual Assault Referral Centres, and Dr Jonathan Leach, Armed Forces Clinical Lead, NHS England; Professor Jason Leitch, National Clinical Director, Scottish Government; Dr Fiona Jenkins, Veterans Lead and Executive Director for Therapies and Health Science, Cardiff and Vale University Health Board

10.15am: Lieutenant General James Swift, Chief of Defence People, Helen Helliwell, Director Armed Forces People Policy, Caron Tassel, Head People Secretariat, David Howarth, Head Service Complaints and Justice Transformation, and Ben Bridge, Head of Legal Advice, Ministry of Defence

11.00am: Johnny Mercer MP, Minister for Defence People and Veterans, Ministry of Defence and Minister for Veterans' Affairs, Cabinet Office; Damian Paterson, Deputy Director, Office for Veterans' Affairs

Room 8

9.00am (private), 9.30am (public)

■ Digital, Culture, Media and Sport Committee

Subject: The future of UK music festivals

Witnesses: 10.00am: Caroline Dinenage MP, Minister for Digital and Culture, and Victoria MacCallum, Head of Policy for the Creative Industries, Department for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport

Virtual meeting

9.30am (private), 10.00am (public)

■ Education Committee

Virtual meeting

9.30am (private)

■ Home Affairs Committee

Subject: Policing and organisation of vigils relating to the safety of women in public places

Witnesses: 10.00am: Anna Birley, Reclaim These Streets; Griff Ferris, Legal Observer, Black Protest Legal Support; Bell Ribeiro-Addy MP

11.00am: Craig Guildford, Chief Constable, Nottinghamshire Police

Virtual meeting

9.30am (private), 10.00am (public)

■ Justice Committee

Subject: Court Capacity, and the Future of Legal Aid

Witnesses: 9.30am: Lord Wolfson of Tredegar QC, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State, Ministry of Justice; Kevin Sadler, Acting Chief Executive, HM Courts and Tribunals Service; Jane Harbottle, Chief Executive, Legal Aid Agency; Jelena Lentzos, Deputy Director, Legal Aid Policy, Ministry of Justice

Virtual meeting

9.30am (public)

■ Transport Committee

Subject: The impact of the coronavirus pandemic on the coach sector

Witnesses: 9.30am: Graham Vidler, Chief Executive Officer, Confederation of Passenger Transport; Nigel Skill, Managing Director, Skills Holidays; Candice Mason, Director of Business, Masons Minibus and Coach Hire; Michael Pearson, Transport Manager, TM Travel

10.45am: Baroness Vere of Norbiton, Minister for Roads, Department for Transport; Nigel Huddleston MP, Minister for Tourism, Department for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport

The Thatcher Room, Portcullis House

9.30am (public)

■ Environmental Audit Committee

Subject: Next steps for deposit return schemes

Witnesses: 2.30pm: James Lowman, Chief Executive, Association of Convenience Stores; Maddy Haughton-Boakes, Campaigns Manager, Campaign to Protect Rural England; Jim Fox, Head of Public Affairs, Coca Cola Partners GB

3.30pm: Rebecca Pow MP, Parliamentary Under Secretary, and Chris Preston, Deputy Director for Waste and Resources, Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs

Virtual meeting

1.45pm (private), 2.30pm (public)

■ European Scrutiny Committee

Virtual meeting

1.45pm (private)

■ Liaison Committee

Virtual meeting

2.00pm (private)

■ Women and Equalities Committee

Virtual meeting

2.30pm (private), 3.30pm (private)

■ Liaison Committee**Subject: Oral evidence from the Prime Minister****Witnesses:** 3.30pm: Rt Hon Boris Johnson MP, Prime Minister

The Thatcher Room, Portcullis House

3.30pm (public)

■ Committee of Selection

Virtual meeting

4.30pm (private)

JOINT COMMITTEES**■ Human Rights****Subject: The Government's Independent Human Rights Act Review****Witnesses:** 3.00pm: Joshua Rozenberg QC; Helen Mountfield QC, and Richard Hermer QC, Matrix Chambers; Graham Gee, Professor of Public Law, University of Sheffield

Virtual meeting

2.40pm (private), 3.00pm (public)

■ Parliamentary Works Estimates Commission**Subject: Parliamentary Works Sponsor Body Main Supply Estimate 2021-22****Witnesses:** 3.00pm: Sarah Johnson, Chief Executive, and Gurdip Juty, Finance and Corporate Services Director, Parliamentary Works Sponsor Body; David Goldstone CBE, Chief Executive, and Tanya Coff, Chief Financial Officer, Parliamentary Works Delivery Authority

Virtual meeting

2.45pm (private), 3.00pm (public)

■ Statutory Instruments

Virtual meeting

3.40pm (private)

COMMITTEE REPORTS PUBLISHED TODAY

FIXED-TERM PARLIAMENTS ACT (JOINT)

- **1st Report: Draft Fixed-term Parliaments Act 2011 (Repeal) Bill HC 1046**
Time of publication: 00.01am

PUBLIC ACCOUNTS

- **52nd Report: Key Challenges facing the Ministry of Justice HC 1190**
Time of publication: 00.01am

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FORTHCOMING END OF DAY ADJOURNMENT DEBATES

■ **Tuesday 13 April to Monday 19 April (deadline 24 March 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 25 March.

■ **Tuesday 20 April to Monday 26 April (deadline 14 April 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 15 April.

FORTHCOMING WESTMINSTER HALL DEBATES

Applications for 90, 60 and 30-minute debates should be made to the Table Office by 10.00pm or rise of the House, whichever is the earlier, on the deadline dates listed below. 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 takes place on the day following the deadline. Members will be informed of the outcome by the Speaker's Office.

■ **Tuesday 20 and Wednesday 21 April (deadline 13 April)**

The following Departments will answer:

Attorney General; Defence; Digital, Culture, Media and Sport; Education; Health and Social Care; International Trade; Scotland; Transport; Treasury; Work and Pensions

■ **Tuesday 27 and Wednesday 28 April (deadline 19 April)**

The following Departments will answer:

Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy; Cabinet Office; Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office; Home Office; Housing, Communities and Local Government; Justice; Northern Ireland; Wales; Women and Equalities

PARTICIPATION IN WESTMINSTER HALL

On 24 February, the House agreed a motion to resume sittings in Westminster Hall on Monday 8 March. The sittings will take place in the Boothroyd Room in Portcullis House to allow Members to participate virtually.

Applying to speak

Applications to speak should be made via email to the Speaker's Office (speakersoffice@parliament.uk).

The deadlines are as follows:

1.00 pm on the previous Friday for debates on a Monday; and

1.00 pm on the previous day for debates on a Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

Call lists will be published at around 12.30 pm on a Monday for debates that day and 6.30 pm the previous day for debates on a Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

Participation

Members are able to participate physically or virtually, but should note Mr Speaker's request for Members to participate virtually in proceedings wherever possible. Members who wish to participate physically should note this when they contact the Speaker's office.

For 60-minute and 90-minute debates, and debates scheduled by the Petitions Committee, only Members who are on the call list are permitted to attend. Members are not permitted to attend only to intervene or to observe.

Members will be called in the order they appear on the call list, unless there are technical problems which prevent this.

For 30-minute debates, there will not be a call list. Members wishing to contribute should follow existing conventions about contacting the Member in charge of the debate, the Speaker's Office and the Minister.

Arrangements for social distancing

On the horseshoe in the Boothroyd Room, there are a maximum of eleven seats.

Of these seats, there are four available from which backbenchers can speak (others are reserved for the frontbenchers, the PPS or whip, the Member in charge, the Chair and the Clerk).

There are seven additional seats in the public gallery for Members in the latter part of the call list from which they can listen to debates and move onto the horseshoe when spaces become available.

Members should clean the microphone and the desk around them before and after use. Cleaning materials will be available for this purpose.

Guidance for Members on hybrid arrangements in Westminster Hall can be found on the [intranet](#).

DEADLINE FOR CALL LISTS FOR SUBSTANTIVE PROCEEDINGS

Deadline	Date of proceeding	Proceeding
1.00pm Wednesday 24 March	Thursday 25 March	Coronavirus: motions to approve the Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (Steps) (England) Regulations, 2021 (SI, 2021, No. 364) Regulations, to approve the non-expiry of temporary provisions of the Coronavirus Act 2020, to consider the one-year status report under the Coronavirus Act 2020, and to extend temporary orders applying to parliamentary proceedings during the pandemic
1.00pm Monday 12 April	Tuesday 13 April	Finance (No. 2) Bill: Second Reading

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

EASTER ADJOURNMENT - TABLING OF PARLIAMENTARY QUESTIONS

The following arrangements will apply for the tabling of Questions for oral and written answer during the Easter Adjournment.

■ **Questions for oral answer**

Under [Standing Order No. 22\(6\)](#), the Speaker has made the following arrangements for tabling Questions for oral answer when the House returns:

Last date of tabling*	Date for answer	Departments etc.
Thursday 25 March	Tuesday 13 April	Health and Social Care (T)***
Thursday 25 March	Wednesday 14 April	COP26 (T)
Thursday 25 March	Wednesday 14 April	Prime Minister
Thursday 25 March	Thursday 15 April	International Trade (T)
Tuesday 13 April **	Monday 19 April	Housing, Communities and Local Government (T)

Tuesday 13 April **

Wednesday 21 April

Northern Ireland

The results of the shuffles on 25 March will be published on 26 March. They will be available on the internet at <http://www.publications.parliament.uk/pa/cm/cmfuture/futural.pdf>

For further details of last tabling days for other departments and answering bodies, see the Order of Questions rota available on the internet at <http://www.parliament.uk/documents/commons-table-office/Oral-questions-rota.pdf>

Notes:

* The latest time for tabling is 12.30pm on each of these days.

** First sitting day after adjournment

*** (T) denotes that there are Topical questions for this Department.

■ **Questions for written answer on a named day**

Time of tabling**Earliest date for named day answer**

From 6.30pm on Monday 22 March until 5.30pm or rise of House on Thursday 25 March

Tuesday 13 April

From 5.30pm or rise of House on Thursday 25 March until 2.30pm on Monday 12 April

Thursday 15 April (each Member may table up to five named day questions during this period)

Tuesday 13 April

Monday 19 April

EASTER ADJOURNMENT - TABLING OF AMENDMENTS TO PUBLIC BILLS

During the Recess, amendments should be submitted by email to pbohoc@parliament.uk. Amendments can be accepted from a Member's Parliamentary network account, or from the network account of a member of staff who has been introduced by their Member to clerks in the Public Bill Office and has been specifically authorised to act on the Member's behalf.

Amendments received by 4.30pm on Monday 12 April will be published on Tuesday 13 April and will be eligible for selection in any proceedings on bills on Thursday 15 April.

It is not expected that any public bill committee will meet to consider amendments to bills on Tuesday 13 or Wednesday 14 April, or that there will be proceedings in Committee of the whole House or on consideration on report in relation to any bill on Tuesday 13 or Wednesday 14 April. The Public Bill Office will issue revised arrangements for tabling amendments to public bills if there is any change in that expectation.

FURTHER INFORMATION

MEMBERS' GUIDE TO CHAMBER PROCEEDINGS

The [Members' Guide](#) to Chamber proceedings is 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/>

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



Wednesday 24 March 2021 Order Paper No.195: Part 2

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.

B. REMAINING ORDERS AND NOTICES

Business in this section has not yet been scheduled for a specific date. It has been nominally set down for today but is not expected to be taken today.

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.

THURSDAY 25 MARCH

CHAMBER

QUESTIONS

- 9.30am [Questions to the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office](#)
- 10.15am [Topical Questions to the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office](#)

Afterwards

BUSINESS OF THE HOUSE (TODAY)

Mr Jacob Rees-Mogg

That, at this day sitting, notwithstanding the provisions of [Standing Order No. 16\(1\)](#) (Proceedings under an Act or on European Union documents), the Speaker shall put the Questions necessary to dispose of proceedings on

- (a) the Motions in the name of Secretary Matt Hancock relating to
 - (i) the [Health Protection \(Coronavirus, Restrictions\) \(Steps\) \(England\) Regulations 2021 \(SI, 2021, No. 364\)](#),
 - (ii) the Coronavirus Act 2020 (Review of temporary provisions) (No. 2), and
 - (iii) the Coronavirus Act 2020 (One-year status report), and

(b) the Motion in the name of Mr Jacob Rees-Mogg relating to Proceedings during the pandemic (No. 6)

not later than 5.00 pm; such Questions shall include the Questions on any Amendments to the Motion referred to in (b) above selected by the Speaker which may then be moved; and [Standing Order No. 41A](#) (deferred divisions) shall not apply.

CORONAVIRUS ACT 2020 (REVIEW OF TEMPORARY PROVISIONS) (NO.2)

Secretary Matt Hancock

That the temporary provisions of the Coronavirus Act 2020 should not yet expire.

Relevant Documents:

e-petition [313310](#), Repeal the Coronavirus Act 2020, and e-petition [561995](#), Repeal Coronavirus Act and end all Covid-19 restrictions.

Oral evidence taken before the Science and Technology Committee on [17 February](#) and [9 March](#), on UK science, research and technology capability and influence in global disease outbreaks, HC 136.

CORONAVIRUS ACT 2020 (ONE-YEAR STATUS REPORT)

Secretary Matt Hancock

That this House has considered the one-year report on the status on the non-devolved provisions of the Coronavirus Act 2020.

Relevant Documents:

e-petition [313310](#), Repeal the Coronavirus Act 2020, and e-petition [561995](#), Repeal Coronavirus Act and end all Covid-19 restrictions.

Oral evidence taken before the Science and Technology Committee on [17 February](#) and [9 March](#), on UK science, research and technology capability and influence in global disease outbreaks, HC 136.

PROCEEDINGS DURING THE PANDEMIC (NO. 6)

Mr Jacob Rees-Mogg

That the [Order of 2 June 2020](#) (Proceedings during the pandemic (No. 2)), as amended on [1 July](#) and [22 October 2020](#), the [Order of 4 June 2020](#) (Virtual participation in proceedings during the pandemic), as amended on [1 July](#), [2 September](#), [22 October](#) and [30 December 2020](#), the [Order of 3 November 2020](#) (Proxy voting during the pandemic (No. 2)) and the [Order of 25 February](#) (Sittings in Westminster Hall during the pandemic) shall have effect until 21 June.

Relevant Documents:

Eighth Report of the Procedure Committee, Back to the future? Procedure after coronavirus restrictions, [HC 1282](#).

ADJOURNMENT DEBATE

- Conflict in the Tigray region of Ethiopia: **Helen Hayes**

WESTMINSTER HALL

- **1.30pm** That this House has considered immigration and nationality application fees: **Meg Hillier**
- **3.15pm** That this House has considered Government support for non-governmental organisations and churches in developing nations during the covid-19 pandemic: **Jim Shannon**

Notes:

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

The sitting will be suspended and time added if divisions take place in the main Chamber ([Standing Order No. 10\(3\)](#)).

TUESDAY 13 APRIL**CHAMBER****QUESTIONS**

- **2.30pm** **Questions to the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care**
- **3.15pm** **Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care**

Afterwards

ROAD USER CHARGING (OUTER LONDON): TEN MINUTE RULE MOTION**Gareth Johnson**

That leave be given to bring in a Bill to provide that the Mayor of London may not impose charges for driving in Outer London; and for connected purposes.

Notes:

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

FINANCE (NO.2) BILL: SECOND READING**WESTMINSTER HALL**

- **11.25am** That this House has considered global human security: **Wera Hobhouse**

Notes:

The Chairman of Ways and Means appointed this debate on the recommendation of the Backbench Business Committee. The debate at 11.25am will last for up to 90 minutes.

- **1.00pm** That this House has considered a proposal for the Bay local authority in North Lancashire and South Cumbria: **Cat Smith**

Notes:

The debate at 1.00pm will last for up to half an hour. The sitting will be suspended from 1.30pm to 4.30pm.

- **4.30pm** That this House has considered repealing and replacing the Vagrancy Act 1824: **Nickie Aiken**

Notes:

The debate at 4.30pm will last for up to 90 minutes.

- **6.05pm** That this House has considered strengthening the Criminal Cases Review Commission: **Mr Barry Sheerman**

Notes:

The debate at 6.05pm will last for up to half an hour.

- **6.50pm** That this House has considered the UK asylum system and asylum seekers' mental health: **Carol Monaghan**

Notes:

The debate at 6.50pm will last for up to an hour. The sitting will be suspended and time added if divisions take place in the main Chamber ([Standing Order No. 10\(3\)](#)).

WEDNESDAY 14 APRIL

CHAMBER

QUESTIONS

- **11.30am** Questions to the President of COP26
- **11.53am** Topical Questions to the President of COP26
- **12 noon** Questions to the Prime Minister

Afterwards

NHS PAY AWARD (REPORT): TEN MINUTE RULE MOTION

Carolyn Harris

That leave be given to bring in a Bill to require the Secretary of State to lay before Parliament a report on any proposal to award NHS staff a pay rise for 2021/22 below 2.1%; to require the Secretary of State to move a motion in the House of Commons to approve any such report; and for connected purposes.

Notes:

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

WESTMINSTER HALL

No Westminster Hall debates have been scheduled for 14 April ([Order 25 February](#)) as the Public Bill Committee for the Advanced Research and Invention Agency Bill is expected to be sitting.

THURSDAY 15 APRIL

CHAMBER

QUESTIONS

- **9.30am** Questions to the Secretary of State for International Trade
- **10.15am** Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for International Trade

MONDAY 19 APRIL**CHAMBER****QUESTIONS**

- 2.30pm Questions to the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government
- 3.15pm Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government

TUESDAY 20 APRIL**CHAMBER****QUESTIONS**

- 11.30am Questions to the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs
- 12.15pm Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs

Afterwards

TEN MINUTE RULE MOTION**Virginia Crosbie**

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

Notes:

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

WEDNESDAY 21 APRIL**CHAMBER****QUESTIONS**

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

Afterwards

TEN MINUTE RULE MOTION**Taiwo Owatemi**

That leave be given to bring in a Bill under SO 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 22 APRIL**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 26 APRIL**CHAMBER****QUESTIONS**

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

TUESDAY 27 APRIL**CHAMBER****QUESTIONS**

- 11.30am Questions to the Chancellor of the Exchequer
- 12.15pm Topical Questions to the Chancellor of the Exchequer

Afterwards

TOOL THEFT (PREVENTION): TEN MINUTE RULE MOTION**Greg Smith**

That leave be given to bring in a Bill to require persons selling second hand tools online to show the serial numbers of those tools in searchable advertisement text; and for connected purposes.

Notes:

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

WEDNESDAY 28 APRIL**CHAMBER****QUESTIONS**

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

Afterwards

TEN MINUTE RULE MOTION**Wendy Chamberlain**

That leave be given to bring in a Bill under SO 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 29 APRIL**CHAMBER****QUESTIONS**

- 9.30am Questions to the Secretary of State for Transport
- 10.15am Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Transport

B. REMAINING ORDERS AND NOTICES

Business in this section has not yet been scheduled for a specific date. It has therefore been set down formally to be taken in the Chamber today but is not expected to be taken today.

1. CRIMINAL LAW

Secretary Robert Buckland

That the draft [Criminal Justice Act 2003 \(Early Release on Licence\) Order 2020](#), which was laid before this House on 16 March, be approved.

Notes:

The Speaker has certified that the Instrument relates exclusively to England and Wales and is within devolved legislative competence ([Standing Order No. 83P](#)).

2. EXITING THE EUROPEAN UNION (TRADE)

Secretary Elizabeth Truss

That the draft [Cat and Dog Fur \(Control of Movement etc.\) \(EU Exit\) Regulations 2021](#), which were laid before this House on 12 January, be approved.

Notes:

The Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments has drawn the special attention of both Houses to the Instrument in its Forty-Third report of 2019-21 (HC 75-xliii).

The Speaker has not yet considered this instrument for certification ([Standing Order No. 83P](#)).

3. TELECOMMUNICATIONS (SECURITY) BILL: REMAINING STAGES

As amended in Public Bill Committee, to be considered.

Notes:

Proceedings will be taken in accordance with the Programme Order agreed to by the House on 30 November: proceedings on Consideration shall (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to a conclusion no later than one hour before moment of interruption; and proceedings on Third Reading shall (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to a conclusion no later than the moment of interruption.

4. ENVIRONMENT BILL: REMAINING STAGES (DAY 2)

As amended on consideration on 26 January, to be further considered.

Notes:

Under the Programme (No. 5) motion agreed to on [26 January](#), proceedings relating to Parts 6 and 7 and clauses 132 to 139 of the Bill shall (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to a conclusion three hours after the commencement of proceedings on Consideration on the second day and remaining proceedings on Consideration shall (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to a conclusion five hours after the commencement of proceedings on Consideration on the second day. Proceedings on Third Reading shall (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to a conclusion six hours after the commencement of proceedings on Consideration on the second day.

Queen's and Prince of Wales' consent to be signified on Third Reading.

The Scottish Parliament and the Northern Ireland Assembly have approved Legislative Consent Resolutions relating to this Bill. Copies of the Resolutions are available in the Vote Office (also available on the [documents webpage](#) for the Bill).

For amendments, see [documents webpage](#) for the Bill.

5. EXITING THE EUROPEAN UNION (COMPANIES)

Secretary Kwasi Kwarteng

That the draft [International Accounting Standards \(Delegation of Functions\) \(EU Exit\) Regulations 2021](#), which were laid before this House on 1 February, be approved.

Notes:

The Speaker has not yet considered this instrument for certification ([Standing Order No. 83P](#)).

6. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

Secretary George Eustice

That the draft [Single Use Carrier Bags Charges \(England\) \(Amendment\) Order 2021](#), which was laid before this House on 4 February, be approved.

Notes:

The Instrument has not yet been considered by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments.
The Speaker has not yet considered this instrument for certification ([Standing Order No. 83P](#)).

7. CLIMATE CHANGE

Mrs Kemi Badenoch

That the draft [Greenhouse Gas Emissions Trading Scheme Auctioning Regulations 2021](#), which were laid before this House on 11 February, be approved.

Notes:

The Speaker has not yet considered this instrument for certification ([Standing Order No. 83P](#)).

8. EXITING THE EUROPEAN UNION (CUSTOMS)

Secretary George Eustice

That the draft [International Waste Shipments \(Amendment\) \(EU Exit\) Regulations 2021](#), which were laid before this House on 17 December, be approved.

Notes:

The Speaker has not yet considered this instrument for certification ([Standing Order No. 83P](#)).

9. EXITING THE EUROPEAN UNION (CLIMATE CHANGE)

Secretary Kwasi Kwarteng

That the draft [Greenhouse Gas Emissions \(Kyoto Protocol Registry\) Regulations 2021](#), which were laid before this House on 25 February, be approved.

Notes:

The Speaker has not yet considered this instrument for certification ([Standing Order No. 83P](#)).

10. EXITING THE EUROPEAN UNION (NUCLEAR SAFEGUARDS)

Secretary Kwasi Kwarteng

That the draft [Nuclear Safeguards \(Fissionable Material and Relevant International Agreements\) \(EU Exit\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2021](#), which were laid before this House on 25 February, be approved.

Notes:

The Speaker has not yet considered this instrument for certification ([Standing Order No. 83P](#)).

11. FOOD

Secretary George Eustice

That the draft [Food and Drink \(Miscellaneous Amendments Relating to Food and Wine Composition, Information and Labelling\) Regulations 2021](#), which were laid before this House on 25 February, be approved.

Notes:

The Speaker has not yet considered this instrument for certification ([Standing Order No. 83P](#)).

12. ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATIONS

Mr John Whittingdale

That the draft [Audiovisual Media Services \(Amendment\) Regulations 2021](#), which were laid before this House on 25 February, be approved.

Notes:

The Speaker has not yet considered this instrument for certification ([Standing Order No. 83P](#)).

13. DAMAGES

Secretary Robert Buckland

That the draft [Whiplash Injury Regulations 2021](#), which were laid before this House on 25 February, be approved.

Notes:

The Speaker has not yet considered this instrument for certification ([Standing Order No. 83P](#)).

14. EMPLOYMENT

Secretary Kwasi Kwarteng

That the draft [Employment Rights Act 1996 \(Protection from Detriment in Health and Safety Cases\) \(Amendment\) Order 2021](#), which were laid before this House on 1 March, be approved.

Notes:

The Speaker has not yet considered this instrument for certification ([Standing Order No. 83P](#)).

15. ELECTRICITY

Secretary Kwasi Kwarteng

That the draft [Warm Home Discount \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) Regulations 2021](#), which were laid before this House on 3 March, be approved.

Notes:

The Speaker has not yet considered this instrument for certification ([Standing Order No. 83P](#)).

16. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

Secretary George Eustice

That the draft [Single Use Carrier Bags Charges \(England\) \(Amendment\) Order 2021](#), which was laid before this House on 4 March, be approved.

Notes:

The Instrument has not yet been considered by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments.
The Speaker has not yet considered this instrument for certification ([Standing Order No. 83P](#)).

17. SENIOR COURTS OF ENGLAND AND WALES

Secretary Robert Buckland

That the draft [Civil Proceedings Fees \(Amendment\) Order 2021](#), which was laid before this House on 8 March, be approved.

Notes:

The Speaker has not yet considered this instrument for certification ([Standing Order No. 83P](#)).

18. EXITING THE EUROPEAN UNION (FINANCIAL SERVICES)

John Glen

That the draft [Recognised Auction Platforms \(Amendment and Miscellaneous Provisions\) Regulations 2021](#), which were laid before this House on 8 March, be approved.

Notes:

The Speaker has not yet considered this instrument for certification ([Standing Order No. 83P](#)).

19. EXITING THE EUROPEAN UNION (AGRICULTURE)

Secretary George Eustice

That the [Common Organisation of the Markets in Agricultural Products \(Wine\) \(Amendment, etc.\) Regulations 2021 \(S.I., 2021, No. 279\)](#), dated 9 March 2021, a copy of which was laid before this House on 10 March, be approved.

Notes:

The Instrument has not yet been considered by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments.
The Speaker has not yet considered this instrument for certification ([Standing Order No. 83P](#)).

20. EXITING THE EUROPEAN UNION (PLANT HEALTH)

Secretary George Eustice

That the draft [Plant Health etc. \(Fees\) \(England\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2021](#), which were laid before this House on 11 March, be approved.

Notes:

The Instrument has not yet been considered by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments.
The Speaker has not yet considered this instrument for certification ([Standing Order No. 83P](#)).

21. CAPITAL GAINS TAX

Jesse Norman

That the draft [Double Taxation Relief \(Federal Republic of Germany\) Order 2021](#), which was laid before this House on 15 March, be approved.

Notes:

The Instrument has not yet been considered by the Select Committee on Statutory Instruments.
The Speaker has not yet considered this instrument for certification ([Standing Order No. 83P](#)).

22. CAPITAL GAINS TAX

Jesse Norman

That the draft [Double Taxation Relief \(Sweden\) Order 2021](#), which was laid before this House on 15 March, be approved.

Notes:

The Instrument has not yet been considered by the Select Committee on Statutory Instruments.
The Speaker has not yet considered this instrument for certification ([Standing Order No. 83P](#)).

23. EMPLOYMENT

Secretary Kwasi Kwarteng

That the draft [Employment Rights Act 1996 \(Protection from Detriment in Health and Safety Cases\) \(Amendment\) Order 2021](#), which was laid before this House on 17 March, be approved.

Notes:

The Instrument has not yet been considered by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments.
The Speaker has not yet considered this instrument for certification ([Standing Order No. 83P](#)).

24. FINANCIAL SERVICES AND MARKETS

John Glen

That the draft [Civil Liability Act 2018 \(Financial Conduct Authority\) \(Whiplash\) Regulations 2021](#), which were laid before this House on 18 March, be approved.

Notes:

The Instrument has not yet been considered by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments.
The Speaker has not yet considered this instrument for certification ([Standing Order No. 83P](#)).

25. ENERGY**Secretary Kwasi Kwarteng**

That the draft [Combined Heat and Power Quality Assurance \(Temporary Modifications\) Regulations 2021](#), which were laid before this House on 18 March, be approved.

Notes:

The Instrument has not yet been considered by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments.
The Speaker has not yet considered this instrument for certification ([Standing Order No. 83P](#)).

26. PARLIAMENTARY WORKS SPONSOR BODY**Mr Jacob Rees-Mogg**

That, under the provisions of Part 1 of Schedule 1 to the Parliamentary Buildings (Restoration and Renewal) Act 2019, Tommy Sheppard having resigned as a Parliamentary member of the Parliamentary Works Sponsor Body, Kirsty Blackman be appointed to the Body in his place.