

LORDS AMENDMENTS TO THE
EUROPEAN UNION (WITHDRAWAL) (NO. 5) BILL

[The page and line references are to HL Bill 172, the bill as first printed for the Lords]

Clause 1

- 1 Page 1, line 2, leave out “after the day”
- 2 Page 1, line 2, after “Assent” insert “or on the day after that day”
- 3 Page 1, line 2, leave out “the Prime Minister” and insert “a Minister of the Crown”
- 4 Page 1, line 21, leave out subsections (6) and (7)
- 5 Page 2, line 3, at end insert—
- “(8) Nothing in this section prevents a Minister of the Crown from seeking, or agreeing to, an extension of the period specified in Article 50(3) of the Treaty on European Union otherwise than in accordance with this section provided that the extension cannot end earlier than 22 May 2019.
- (9) In deciding for the purposes of subsection (8) whether an extension cannot end earlier than 22 May 2019, the earlier ending of the extension as a result of the entry into force of the withdrawal agreement (as provided for in Article 50(3) of the Treaty on European Union) is to be ignored.”

