



House of Commons

Thursday 18 June 2020

PUBLIC BILL COMMITTEE PROCEEDINGS

TRADE BILL

[THIRD AND FOURTH SITTINGS]

GLOSSARY

This document shows the fate of each clause, schedule, amendment and new clause.

The following terms are used:

Agreed to: agreed without a vote.

Agreed to on division: agreed following a vote.

Negatived: rejected without a vote.

Negatived on division: rejected following a vote.

Not called: debated in a group of amendments, but not put to a decision.

Not moved: not debated or put to a decision.

Question proposed: debate underway but not concluded.

Withdrawn after debate: moved and debated but then withdrawn, so not put to a decision.

Not selected: not chosen for debate by the Chair.

Greg Hands

That, the Order of the Committee of 16 June be varied so as to omit the final three rows in the table and substitute the following—

Thursday 18 June	Until no later than 12.10 pm	Client Earth The Trade Justice Movement
Thursday 18 June	Until no later than 12.35pm	Sam Lowe, Senior Research Fellow, Centre for European Reform and member of the Strategic Trade Advisory Group

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Until no later than
1.00pmNick Ashton-Hart, Geneva
Representative, Digital Trade
Network*Agreed to*

*The following witnesses gave oral evidence:**David Lawrence, Senior Political Adviser, Trade Justice Movement; Tom West, IJK Environment Lead, Client Earth.**Sam Lowe, Senior Research Fellow, Centre for European Reform (also a member of the Strategic Trade Advisory Group).**Nick Ashton Hart, Geneva Representative, Digital Trade Network*

Stewart Hosie
Drew Hendry*Withdrawn after debate 29*

Clause 1, page 1, line 4, leave out “may” and insert “must”

Bill Esterson
Gareth Thomas
Matt Western
Charlotte Nichols
Fleur Anderson*Negated on division 24*

Clause 1, page 1, line 16, at end insert—

“(1A) No regulations under subsection (1) may be made until the Secretary of State has entered into negotiations with other parties to the GPA with the objective of enabling greater labour market interventions and compliance with ILO standards in any UK procurement contract to which the GPA applies, and

- (a) the Secretary of State has made a statement to the House of Commons that the objective has been achieved either in full or in part, or
- (b) the Secretary of State has made a statement to the House of Commons that the objective has not been achieved.”

Bill Esterson
Gareth Thomas
Matt Western
Charlotte Nichols
Fleur Anderson*Not called 25*

Clause 1, page 1, line 16, at end insert—

“(1A) No regulations under subsection (1) may be made until the Secretary of State has entered into negotiations with other parties to the GPA with the objective of securing greater environmental exceptions and carbon considerations in any UK procurement contract to which the GPA applies, and

- (a) the Secretary of State has made a statement to the House of Commons that the objective has been achieved either in full or in part, or
- (b) the Secretary of State has made a statement to the House of Commons that the objective has not been achieved.”

Trade Bill, continued

Bill Esterson
 Gareth Thomas
 Matt Western
 Charlotte Nichols
 Fleur Anderson

Not called 26

Clause 1, page 1, line 16, at end insert—

- “(1A) No regulations under subsection (1) may be made until the Secretary of State has entered into negotiations with other parties to the GPA with the objective of securing greater scope for UK small and medium-sized enterprises in any UK procurement contract to which the GPA applies, and
- (a) the Secretary of State has made a statement to the House of Commons that the objective has been achieved either in full or in part, or
 - (b) the Secretary of State has made a statement to the House of Commons that the objective has not been achieved.”

Bill Esterson
 Gareth Thomas
 Matt Western
 Charlotte Nichols
 Fleur Anderson

Not called 27

Clause 1, page 1, line 16, at end insert—

- “(1A) No regulations under subsection (1) may be made until the Secretary of State has entered into negotiations with other parties to the GPA with the objective of securing improvements to public health as a consequence of any UK procurement contract to which the GPA applies, and
- (a) the Secretary of State has made a statement to the House of Commons that the objective has been achieved either in full or in part, or
 - (b) the Secretary of State has made a statement to the House of Commons that the objective has not been achieved.”

Clause agreed to.

Stewart Hosie
 Drew Hendry

Withdrawn after debate 30

Clause 2, page 2, line 9, leave out “appropriate” and insert “necessary”

Stewart Hosie
 Drew Hendry

Withdrawn after debate 31

Clause 2, page 2, leave out lines 13 and 14 and insert—

- “(b) an agreement between two or more countries aimed at reducing the barriers to trade in goods or services between them”

[Adjourned until Tuesday 23 June at 9.25 am