



# House of Commons

## NOTICES OF AMENDMENTS

given up to and including

**Thursday 11 June 2020**

*New Amendments handed in are marked thus ★*

☆ *Amendments which will comply with the required notice period at their next appearance*

*Amendments tabled since the last publication: 1-3 and NC1 to NC4*

### PUBLIC BILL COMMITTEE

### TRADE BILL

#### NOTE

**This document includes all amendments tabled to date and includes any withdrawn amendments at the end. The amendments have been arranged in the order in which they relate to the Bill.**

Bill Esterson  
Gareth Thomas  
Matt Western  
Charlotte Nichols  
Fleur Anderson

NC1

★ To move the following Clause—

**“Regulations: review of social impact**

- (1) The Secretary of State must conduct reviews of the social impact of any regulations made under section 1(1).
- (2) “Social impact” shall include but not be limited to the impact upon—
  - (a) the exercise of any right for workers under the Employment Rights Act 1996,
  - (b) the exercise of any right for consumers under the Consumer Rights Act 2015,
  - (c) the exercise of any right under the Trade Union Act 2016, and

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- (d) the fulfilment of any obligation held by the United Kingdom by virtue of its membership of the International Labour Organisation.
  - (3) A review under subsection (1) must be laid before both Houses of Parliament.
  - (4) The first review under subsection (1) shall be laid by 31 December 2021, and subsequent reviews shall be laid at least once in each calendar year.”
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Bill Esterson  
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NC2

★ To move the following Clause—

**“Regulations: review of climate and environmental impact**

- (1) The Secretary of State must conduct reviews of the environmental impact of any regulations made under section 1(1).
  - (2) “Environmental impact” shall mean the impact upon—
    - (a) progress toward meeting the UK’s Net Zero targets,
    - (b) global emissions,
    - (c) producer responsibility,
    - (d) resource efficiency,
    - (e) management of waste,
    - (f) regulation and enforcement of waste management,
    - (g) air quality,
    - (h) the recall of motor vehicles for the purpose of protecting the environment,
    - (i) regulation of water and sewerage undertakers,
    - (j) water abstraction,
    - (k) water quality,
    - (l) land drainage,
    - (m) biodiversity gain in planning,
    - (n) biodiversity objectives and reporting,
    - (o) local nature recovery strategies,
    - (p) tree felling and planting,
    - (q) creation of conservation covenants, and
    - (r) the effect of conservation covenants.
  - (3) A review under subsection (1) must be laid before both Houses of Parliament.
  - (4) The first review under subsection (1) shall be laid by 31 December 2021, and subsequent reviews shall be laid at least once in each calendar year.”
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NC3

★ To move the following Clause—

**“Regulations: review of impact on public health**

- (1) The Secretary of State must conduct reviews of the impact in England of any regulations made under section 1(1) upon—
  - (a) food safety,
  - (b) standards in food production, including the treatment of animals and impact on consumer choice, and
  - (c) any public health outcome within the definition used by Public Health England.
- (2) A review under subsection (1) must be laid before both Houses of Parliament.
- (3) The first review under subsection (1) shall be laid by 31 December 2021, and subsequent reviews shall be laid at least once in each calendar year.”

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Bill Esterson  
Gareth Thomas  
Matt Western  
Charlotte Nichols  
Fleur Anderson

NC4

★ To move the following Clause—

**“Regulations: review of economic impact**

- (1) The Secretary of State must conduct reviews of the economic impact of any regulations made under section 1(1).
  - (2) A review under subsection (1) must be laid before both Houses of Parliament.
  - (3) The first review under subsection (1) shall be laid by 31 December 2021, and subsequent reviews shall be laid at least once in each calendar year.”
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Bill Esterson  
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★ Schedule 4, page 15, leave out line 14 and insert—

“(a) a member to chair it, appointed by the Secretary of State with the consent of the International Trade Committee of the House of Commons,”

***Member’s explanatory statement***

*This amendment would establish the requirement for Parliament, through the relevant committee, to give its consent to the Secretary of State’s recommendation for appointment to the Chair of the Trade Remedies Authority.*

Bill Esterson  
 Gareth Thomas  
 Matt Western  
 Charlotte Nichols  
 Fleur Anderson

2

★ Schedule 4, page 19, line 26, at end insert—

“no later than 1 August of the calendar year in which the last day of the financial year covered by the report falls”.

***Member’s explanatory statement***

*This amendment would ensure that the Secretary of State must lay the annual report of the Trade Remedies Authority before Parliament within a reasonable time frame.*

Bill Esterson  
 Gareth Thomas  
 Matt Western  
 Charlotte Nichols  
 Fleur Anderson

3

★ Schedule 4, page 19, line 26, at end insert—

*“Recommendation reports*

“31A(1) The TRA must prepare a report on each of the individual recommendations it makes to the Secretary of State in connection with the conduct of an international trade dispute.

(2) The report must accompany the recommendation submitted to the Secretary of State.

(3) The Secretary of State must lay the report before Parliament as soon as reasonably practicable, and not later than five days from the time it is submitted to the Secretary of State by the TRA.”

***Member’s explanatory statement***

*This amendment would ensure that Parliament is kept informed, in a timely fashion, of the individual recommendations made by the Trade Remedies Authority to the Secretary of State in connection with cases of dumping, foreign subsidies and import increases causing injury to UK producers.*

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**Trade Bill, *continued***

ORDER OF THE HOUSE [20 MAY 2020]

That the following provisions shall apply to the Trade Bill:

*Committal*

1. The Bill shall be committed to a Public Bill Committee.

*Proceedings in Public Bill Committee*

2. Proceedings in the Public Bill Committee shall (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to a conclusion on Thursday 25 June 2020.
3. The Public Bill Committee shall have leave to sit twice on the first day on which it meets.

*Proceedings on Consideration and up to and including Third Reading*

4. Proceedings on Consideration and any proceedings in legislative grand committee shall (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to a conclusion one hour before the moment of interruption on the day on which proceedings on Consideration are commenced.
5. Proceedings on Third Reading shall (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to a conclusion at the moment of interruption on that day.
6. Standing Order No. 83B (Programming committees) shall not apply to proceedings on Consideration and up to and including Third Reading.

*Other proceedings*

7. Any other proceedings on the Bill may be programmed.
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