

WEDNESDAY 17 JUNE 2020

DIVORCE, DISSOLUTION AND SEPARATION BILL [LORDS]

Committee of the whole House

Provisional grouping and selection of Amendments
by Chairman of Ways and Means

Divorce removal of requirement to establish facts etc; judicial separation removal of factual grounds; civil partnership dissolution and separation; dissolution removal of requirement to establish facts; dissolution orders time limits; separation removal of factual grounds; minor and consequential amendments, extent, commencement, transitional provision and short title; increased support for marriage and civil partnerships; report on the impact on divorce applications and marriage support; divorce after one year separation with consent; legal aid; Act's impact on children's financial status; marriage support services

1[Bruce] + 2[Bruce] + 3[Bruce] + Clause 1 stand part + Clause 2 stand part
+ Clause 3 stand part + 4[Bruce] + 5[Bruce] + Clause 4 stand part
+ Clauses 5 to 8 stand part + Govt6 + Clause 9 stand part + NC1[Bruce]
+ NC2[Bruce] + NC3[Leigh] + NC4[Opposition] + NC5[Opposition]
+ NC6[Opposition] + NC9[Creasy] + 7[Selous] + Schedule stand part

[6.00pm

15 June 2020

By order of the Chairman of Ways and Means

 #DivorceBill

Not selected: NC7 [Opposition] bereavement support payments (out of scope), NC8 [Opposition] lone parent payment report (out of scope)

Note: if Clause 1 is agreed to, New Clause NC3 falls

If the Bill is reported from the Committee of the whole House as amended, there could be a report (consideration) stage, but Mr Speaker is unlikely to select for report stage any New Clauses or Amendments which have been (or could have been) tabled for Committee of the whole House.

Proceedings on Third Reading may continue up to 7.00pm.