
Committee Stage: Wednesday 29 June 2022

Northern Ireland Protocol Bill (Amendment Paper)

This document lists all amendments tabled to the Northern Ireland Protocol Bill. Any withdrawn amendments are listed at the end of the document. The amendments are arranged in the order in which it is expected they will be decided.

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

CLAUSES 1 TO 3, 15 AND 16; NEW CLAUSES AND NEW SCHEDULES RELATING TO THE SUBJECT MATTER OF THOSE CLAUSES

Sir Robert Neill

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☆ Clause 1, page 1, line 3, at end insert—

“(za) comes into effect only in accordance with section 26(2A) to (2D);”

Member’s explanatory statement

This amendment is linked to Amendment 2 to clause 26, which would require parliamentary approval for bringing into force any provisions of this Act.

CLAUSES 19, 21 TO 23, 25 AND 26; NEW CLAUSES AND NEW SCHEDULES RELATING TO THE SUBJECT MATTER OF THOSE CLAUSES; REMAINING PROCEEDINGS ON THE BILL

Sir Robert Neill

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☆ Clause 26, page 15, line 41, leave out subsections (2) to (5) and insert—

“(2A) This section comes into force on the day on which this Act is passed.

(2B) The other provisions of this Act come into force on such day as the Secretary of State may by regulations made by statutory instrument appoint.

(2C) A statutory instrument containing regulations under subsection (2B) may not appoint a day for the commencement of any section unless—

- (a) a Minister of the Crown has moved a motion in the House of Commons to the effect that a section or sections be commenced on or after a day specified in the motion (“the specified day”),
- (b) the motion has been approved by a resolution of that House,

- (c) a motion to the effect that the House of Lords takes note of the specified day (or the day which is proposed to be the specified day) has been tabled in the House of Lords by a Minister of the Crown, and
 - (d) the day appointed by the regulations is the same as or is after the specified day.
- (2D) Regulations under subsection (2B) may—
- (a) appoint different days for different purposes;
 - (b) make transitional or saving provision in connection with the coming into force of any provision of this Act.”

Member’s explanatory statement

The intention of this amendment, linked to Amendment 1 to clause 1, is to require parliamentary approval for bringing into force any provisions of this Act.

Order of the House

[27 June 2022]

That the following provisions shall apply to the Northern Ireland Protocol Bill:

Committal

1. The Bill shall be committed to a Committee of the whole House.

Proceedings in Committee

2. Proceedings in Committee of the whole House shall be completed in three days.
3. The proceedings—
 - (a) shall be taken in the order shown in the first column of the following Table, and
 - (b) shall (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to a conclusion at the times specified in the second column of the Table.

Proceedings

Clauses 1 to 3, 15 and 16; new Clauses and new Schedules relating to the subject matter of those clauses

Clauses 4 to 6 and 24; new Clauses and new Schedules relating to the subject matter of those clauses

Clauses 7 to 11; new Clauses and new Schedules relating to the subject matter of those clauses

Clauses 12 and 17; new Clauses and new Schedules relating to the subject matter of those clauses

Time for conclusion of proceedings

Three hours after the commencement of proceedings on the Bill on the first day

Six hours after the commencement of proceedings on the Bill on the first day

Three hours after the commencement of proceedings on the Bill on the second day

Six hours after the commencement of proceedings on the Bill on the second day

Proceedings

Clauses 13, 14, 18 and 20; new Clauses and new Schedules relating to the subject matter of those clauses

Clauses 19, 21 to 23, 25 and 26; new Clauses and new Schedules relating to the subject matter of those clauses; remaining proceedings on the Bill

Time for conclusion of proceedings

Three hours after the commencement of proceedings on the Bill on the third day

Six hours after the commencement of proceedings on the Bill on the third day

Proceedings on Consideration and on Third Reading

4. Any proceedings on Consideration shall (so far as not previously concluded) be brought to a conclusion one hour before the moment of interruption on the day on which those proceedings 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.

Programming committee

6. Standing Order No. 83B (Programming committees) shall not apply to proceedings in Committee of the whole House, to any proceedings on Consideration or to proceedings on Third Reading.

Other proceedings

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