

# European Union (Withdrawal) Bill

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**After Clause 3**

LORD JUDD

Insert the following new Clause—

**“Statement of protected legislative areas**

- (1) Following the day on which this Act is passed, no modification may be made to retained EU law except by primary legislation or by subordinate legislation made under this Act which meets the requirements in subsections (2) and (3).
- (2) The Secretary of State must by regulations establish a schedule listing technical provisions of retained EU law that may be amended by subordinate legislation.
- (3) Subordinate legislation may be used only to modify provisions of retained EU law listed in any schedule made under subsection (2) to the extent that such modification will not limit the scope of or weaken—
  - (a) human rights and equality,
  - (b) privacy and data protection,
  - (c) immigration and asylum protections,
  - (d) criminal justice protections,
  - (e) employment protections,
  - (f) environment and public health protections,
  - (g) consumer protection,
  - (h) access to housing, education and health and social care.”

**Clause 7**

BARONESS DRAKE

Page 6, line 20, at end insert—

- “( ) limit the scope of or weaken rights relating to maternity, paternity or adoption, parental rights, or the rights of pregnant or breastfeeding women,”

**Clause 8**

BARONESS DRAKE

Page 6, line 43, at end insert—

“( ) limit the scope of or weaken rights relating to maternity, paternity or adoption, parental rights, or the rights of pregnant or breastfeeding women,”

**Clause 9**

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Page 7, line 15, at end insert—

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