

# Birmingham Commonwealth Games Bill [HL]

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MARSHALLED  
LIST OF AMENDMENTS  
TO BE MOVED  
IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE HOUSE

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*[Amendments marked ★ are new or have been altered]*

Amendment  
No.

**Clause 1**

LORD ROOKER  
LORD HUNT OF KINGS HEATH  
LORD GRIFFITHS OF BURRY PORT

1 Page 1, line 6, after “Games” insert “and their legacy”

LORD MOYNIHAN

2★ Page 1, line 6, at end insert—

“( ) for the purpose of ensuring access for disabled people at all facilities  
and in the vicinity of all facilities at the Games, or”

3★ Page 1, line 6, at end insert—

“( ) for the administration of betting licensing, or”

LORD HUNT OF KINGS HEATH

4★ Page 1, line 11, at end insert—

“( ) The Secretary of State may provide by regulations for Birmingham City  
Council to raise a hotel occupancy levy and to provide financial assistance  
equivalent to the proceeds of the levy, after costs of administration, to the  
Organising Committee for the purpose of delivering the Games.”

**After Clause 1**

LORD ROOKER  
LORD HUNT OF KINGS HEATH  
LORD GRIFFITHS OF BURRY PORT

5 Insert the following new Clause—

**“Games Legacy Plan**

- (1) The Secretary of State must direct the Organising Committee to prepare a legacy plan.
- (2) A Games Legacy Plan may address legacy matters relating to the Games in relation to—
  - (a) environmental issues;
  - (b) regeneration issues;
  - (c) housing issues;
  - (d) health, well-being and physical activity issues; and
  - (e) such other matters as may be directed by regulations made by the Secretary of State.
- (3) A Games Legacy Plan must include a budget and funding plan.
- (4) Before making regulations under subsection (2)(e), the Secretary of State must consult—
  - (a) the Organising Committee;
  - (b) the relevant local authority or authorities for an area that includes any place where the regulations would have effect; and
  - (c) any other persons whom the Secretary of State considers appropriate.
- (5) The Organising Committee must—
  - (a) publish a Games Legacy Plan within 3 months of receiving a direction under subsection (1);
  - (b) keep the Games Legacy Plan under review; and
  - (c) if it considers it appropriate, revise and republish the plan.
- (6) A Games Legacy Plan must specify that at least 50% of the housing units built as Games legacy shall be designated social or affordable.”

LORD ADDINGTON

*As an amendment to Amendment 5*

6 In subsection (2), after paragraph (c) insert—

“(ca) issues relating to disability access;”

LORD MOYNIHAN

*As an amendment to Amendment 5*

7★ In subsection (2), after paragraph (c) insert—

“(ca) sporting legacy plan;  
(cb) urban regeneration;  
(cc) future of Games facilities;”

**After Clause 1 - continued**

*As an amendment to Amendment 5*

8★ After subsection (6) insert—

“(7) The Secretary of State must lay the published Games Legacy Plan and each revision before both Houses of Parliament.”

LORD ROOKER  
LORD HUNT OF KINGS HEATH  
LORD GRIFFITHS OF BURRY PORT

9 Insert the following new Clause—

**“Organising Committee reports**

- (1) The Organising Committee must publish a report on its activities within a year of this section coming into force and annually thereafter.
- (2) The Organising Committee or, if the Committee is wound up, its successor body or another appropriate body nominated by the Secretary of State, must publish a post-Games report 2 years after the end of the Games.
- (3) The Organising Committee must publish within 3 months of this section coming into force its policy for communicating with relevant third parties, including—
  - (a) businesses;
  - (b) residents;
  - (c) environmental groups; and
  - (d) local authorities.”

LORD ADDINGTON

10 Insert the following new Clause—

**“Future Games Success Strategy**

- (1) Before 1 January 2024 the Secretary of State must lay before Parliament a report entitled “Future Games Success Strategy: lessons from Birmingham”.
- (2) The report must consider the successes and failures of the planning, coordination and execution of the Games and lessons from the Games for those coordinating future international multi-sport events.
- (3) The report must consider, but is not limited to—
  - (a) the impact of the Games on the local community in which it was held; and
  - (b) the success of any legacy measures put in place after the event.
- (4) The report may also refer to examples of successes or failures of past international multi-sport events that were considered when planning the Games.”

**After Clause 1 - continued**

LORD MCNICOL OF WEST KILBRIDE

11★ Insert the following new Clause—

**“UN Sustainable Development Goals**

- (1) In exercising their powers under this Act—
  - (a) the Secretary of State, and
  - (b) the Organising Committee,

must have due regard to the UN Sustainable Development Goals insofar as they relate to realising the vision of the Commonwealth Games Federation.

- (2) Within 6 months of the date on which this section enters into force, the Secretary of State must prepare a report outlining how Her Majesty’s Government consider the Games can promote the UN Sustainable Development Goals among Commonwealth nations.
- (3) In this section, “vision of the Commonwealth Games Federation” means building peaceful, sustainable and prosperous communities globally by inspiring Commonwealth athletes to drive the impact and ambition of all Commonwealth citizens through sport, as set out in the Constitutional Documents of the Commonwealth Games Federation, section D *Code of Conduct*.”

LORD MOYNIHAN

12★ Insert the following new Clause—

**“Accessibility**

The Secretary of State must make such regulations in relation to the access of disabled athletes and spectators to Games sport venues and sporting events as he or she thinks fit, including in relation to technical specifications, training for accessibility and events requirements, so as to ensure that all venue design and planning as well as sporting events’ operations satisfy the principles of equity, dignity and functionality as further specified in *Accessibility Guide - An Inclusive Approach to the Olympic & Paralympic Games*, issued by the International Paralympic Committee in June 2013.”

13★ Insert the following new Clause—

**“Match-fixing**

- (1) The Secretary of State must direct the Organising Committee to prepare a match-fixing prevention plan within 3 months of this section coming into force.
- (2) The Organising Committee must publish this plan within 3 months of receiving a direction under subsection (1).”

14★ Insert the following new Clause—

**“Anti-doping provisions**

- (1) The Secretary of State must direct the Organising Committee to codify and publish the anti-doping rules for the Games.

**After Clause 1 - continued**

- (2) The Games' anti-doping rules must adopt the *UK Anti-Doping Rules*, published by UK Anti-Doping in January 2015, in addition to the World Anti-Doping Code 2015.
- (3) The Games' anti-doping rules are to apply to—
  - (a) all eligible athletes participating in the Games; and
  - (b) any person belonging to the entourage of an athlete, whether or not such person is a citizen of, or resident in, the United Kingdom.
- (4) The Games' anti-doping rules must set out that an athlete is guilty of an offence if he or she knowingly takes a prohibited substance with the intention of enhancing his or her performance.
- (5) A person belonging to the entourage of an athlete is guilty of an offence if he or she encourages or assists or hides awareness of the relevant athlete taking a prohibited substance with the intention of enhancing that athlete's performance.
- (6) Any person found to have broken these rules is liable to—
  - (a) disqualification from the Games; and
  - (b) criminal prosecution.
- (7) For the purposes of paragraph (b) of subsection (6), a person found guilty of such an offence is liable—
  - (a) on summary conviction, to a fine not exceeding the statutory maximum or imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months, or to both; or
  - (b) on conviction on indictment, to a fine not exceeding the statutory maximum or imprisonment for a term not exceeding two years, or to both."

**15★** Insert the following new Clause—

**“Sporting event betting licensing**

- (1) The Secretary of State must direct the Organising Committee to administer a Games sporting event betting licensing scheme.
- (2) A sporting event betting licence must—
  - (a) provide for the sharing of information between the Organising Committee and the betting provider for the purpose of protecting and supporting integrity in sports and betting services; and
  - (b) state any fee payable by the betting provider to the Organising Committee in respect of the betting services in relation to the Games or Games events.
- (3) A sporting event betting licence may—
  - (a) prohibit betting on a particular contingency or class of contingencies in relation to a Games sporting event if the Organising Committee considers that betting on the contingency may expose the relevant sporting event or class of sporting events to unmanageable integrity risks;

**After Clause 1 - continued**

- (b) contain such additional measures as the Organising Committee, acting reasonably, considers necessary or desirable in controlling integrity risks in relation to the Games sporting and related events; and
  - (c) contain any other matters which the Organising Committee and the licensee consider appropriate.
- (4) It is an offence for a person or entity to provide a betting service on the Games unless they hold a valid sporting event betting licence granted by the Organising Committee.
  - (5) An offence under subsection (4) is actionable by the Organising Committee which shall have available to it relief by way of damages, injunctions or otherwise.
  - (6) The Organising Committee may grant a sporting event betting licence to any betting provider it deems appropriate.
  - (7) A sporting event betting licence takes effect, and may be terminated, in accordance with its terms.”

**16★** Insert the following new Clause –

**“Visa and immigration rules**

The Secretary of State must provide by regulations for an expedited process for the administration of visas for –

- (a) spectators holding tickets to any Games sporting events; and
- (b) athletes participating in any sporting events, competitions and other activities organised, convened, authorised or recognised by the Organising Committee.”

**17★** Insert the following new Clause –

**“Charter for the Games**

- (1) The Secretary of State must direct the Organising Committee to prepare a Charter for the Games (“the Charter”).
- (2) The Charter must address matters including –
  - (a) human rights protections;
  - (b) anti-corruption protections;
  - (c) sustainable development standards;
 and what policies the Organising Committee will adopt in relation to these matters.
- (3) The Charter must set out how the matters in subsection (2) will be addressed throughout the cycle of hosting the Games, including how these matters will be addressed in –
  - (a) organisation;
  - (b) planning and design;
  - (c) construction;
  - (d) income generation;
  - (e) sustainable sourcing;

**After Clause 1 - continued**

- (f) delivery and operations;
  - (g) hosting and completion; and
  - (h) legacy;
- of the Games.”

**After Clause 11**

LORD GRIFFITHS OF BURRY PORT  
LORD HUNT OF KINGS HEATH

18 Insert the following new Clause –

**“Organising Committee reports: ticket applications**

- (1) Within six months of the date on which this section enters into force, the Secretary of State must direct the Organising Committee to prepare a report outlining its progress in determining the process by which members of the public may apply for Games tickets.
- (2) The Organising Committee must –
  - (a) comply with the direction within a period of twelve months beginning on the day on which the direction is issued, and
  - (b) upon completion of the report, send it to the Secretary of State and publish it in such a way as it deems appropriate.
- (3) Upon receiving the report from the Organising Committee, the Secretary of State must lay it before both Houses of Parliament.”

19 Insert the following new Clause –

**“Organising Committee reports: ticket pricing**

- (1) Within six months of the date on which this section enters into force, the Secretary of State must direct the Organising Committee to prepare a report outlining its progress in determining the pricing structures that shall apply to Games tickets.
- (2) The Organising Committee must –
  - (a) comply with the direction within a period of twelve months beginning on the day on which the direction is issued, and
  - (b) upon completion of the report, send it to the Secretary of State and publish it in such a way as it deems appropriate.
- (3) Upon receiving the report from the Organising Committee, the Secretary of State must lay it before both Houses of Parliament.”

20 Insert the following new Clause –

**“Organising Committee reports: anti-touting measures**

- (1) Within six months of the date on which this section enters into force, the Secretary of State must direct the Organising Committee to prepare a report outlining its progress in determining the anti-touting measures that shall apply to Games tickets.

**After Clause 11 - continued**

- (2) The Organising Committee must –
  - (a) comply with the direction within a period of twelve months beginning on the day on which the direction is issued, and
  - (b) upon completion of the report, send it to the Secretary of State and publish it in such a way as it deems appropriate.
- (3) Upon receiving the report from the Organising Committee, the Secretary of State must lay it before both Houses of Parliament.”

**21** Insert the following new Clause –

**“Organising Committee reports: authorised re-sale of tickets**

- (1) Within six months of the date on which this section enters into force, the Secretary of State must direct the Organising Committee to prepare a report outlining its progress in determining the process through which Games tickets can be re-sold through an authorised platform.
- (2) The Organising Committee must –
  - (a) comply with the direction within a period of twelve months beginning on the day on which the direction is issued, and
  - (b) upon completion of the report, send it to the Secretary of State and publish it in such a way as it deems appropriate.
- (3) Upon receiving the report from the Organising Committee, the Secretary of State must lay it before both Houses of Parliament.”

**22** Insert the following new Clause –

**“Organising Committee reports: discounted or complimentary tickets**

- (1) Within six months of the date on which this section enters into force, the Secretary of State must direct the Organising Committee to prepare a report outlining its progress in determining its policy for providing discounted or complimentary tickets to –
  - (a) members of the Armed Forces,
  - (b) pupils studying at schools within the Birmingham area,
  - (c) individuals in the care of local authorities within the Birmingham area, and
  - (d) any other groups that the Secretary of State deems appropriate.
- (2) The Organising Committee must –
  - (a) comply with the direction within a period of twelve months beginning on the day on which the direction is issued, and
  - (b) upon completion of the report, send it to the Secretary of State and publish it in such a way as it deems appropriate.
- (3) Upon receiving the report from the Organising Committee, the Secretary of State must lay it before both Houses of Parliament.”

**After Clause 11 - continued**

LORD ADDINGTON

23 Insert the following new Clause—

**“Report on the impact of sections 9 to 11**

- (1) Before 1 January 2024 the Secretary of State must lay before both Houses of Parliament a report on the impact of the provisions in sections 9 to 11 of this Act.
- (2) The report must consider—
  - (a) the impact of the provisions on access to the Games;
  - (b) the impact of the provisions on the revenue deriving from the Games; and
  - (c) how the impact of the provisions in this Act can shape Government policy on ticket touting going forward.”

**Clause 24**

LORD ADDINGTON

LORD MOYNIHAN

*The above-named Lords give notice of their intention to oppose the Question that Clause 24 stand part of the Bill.*

**After Clause 27**

LORD ADDINGTON

24 Insert the following new Clause—

**“Assessment of Part 4 of this Act**

- Any Government-led assessment or reporting of the outcome of the Games as a whole, under this Act or otherwise, must include an evaluation of the effectiveness of the Games transport plan, with reference to—
- (a) the effectiveness of moving athletes and spectators to and from the Games; and
  - (b) the effectiveness of the plan in minimising the disruption to the local area and people.”

**Clause 30**

LORD GRIFFITHS OF BURRY PORT

LORD HUNT OF KINGS HEATH

25 Page 19, line 3, leave out subsection (3) and insert—

- “(3) A statutory instrument containing regulations under—
- (a) section 12,
  - (b) section 15, or
  - (c) paragraph 16 of Schedule 2,

may not be made unless a draft has been laid before and approved by a resolution of each House of Parliament.

**Clause 30 - continued**

- (4) Any other statutory instrument containing regulations under this Act is subject to annulment in pursuance of a resolution of either House of Parliament.”

LORD ADDINGTON  
LORD MOYNIHAN

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Page 19, line 3, leave out subsection (3) and insert –

“(3) A statutory instrument containing regulations under –

- (a) section 12,
- (b) section 15, or
- (c) paragraph 16 of Schedule 2,

may not be made unless a draft of the instrument has been laid before and approved by a resolution of each House of Parliament.

- (4) But if, in relation to regulations under section 12 or section 15, the Secretary of State considers that by reason of urgency it is necessary that they be made without being approved in draft –
- (a) subsection (3) does not apply to the regulations, and
  - (b) the regulations are instead subject to annulment in pursuance of a resolution of either House of Parliament.
- (5) Any other statutory instrument containing regulations under this Act is subject to annulment in pursuance of a resolution of either House of Parliament.”

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