

Divorce, Dissolution and Separation Bill [HL]

AMENDMENTS
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After Clause 5

BARONESS HOWE OF IDLICOTE

Insert the following new Clause—

“Report on the effect on children of divorce or dissolution in families with low conflict

- (1) The Secretary of State must publish a report on the impact of divorce or dissolution on children of a marriage or civil partnership ending when there is either no conflict or low conflict between the parties.
- (2) The Secretary of State must lay the report under subsection (1) before both Houses of Parliament.”

LORD FARMER

Insert the following new Clause—

“Report on impact of this Act

- (1) The Secretary of State must publish an annual report on the impact of this Act on divorce and dissolution proceedings, and marriage and civil partnership, with the first report to be published no later than 18 months after the day on which this section comes into force.
- (2) The report under subsection (1) must include, but is not limited to—
 - (a) the number of divorce and dissolution applications made under the provisions of this Act by the sex and income of the applicant and respondent, and
 - (b) the number of children in the relationships subject to the divorce and dissolution applications.
- (3) The report under subsection (1) must be laid before each House of Parliament.”

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