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## Noticeboard

### Weekly Information Bulletin

The next Bulletin will be published on Saturday 9 December 2006

### Pre-Budget Report

The Chancellor will present his pre-Budget speech on Wednesday 6 December 2006.

### Result of the Private Members' Bill Ballot

1.	Mr Nick Hurd	11.	Mr Roger Godsiff
2.	Mr Tim Yeo	12.	Mr Shailesh Vara
3.	Mrs Caroline Spelman	13.	Mr Alan Duncan
4.	Mr Gary Streeter	14.	Mr John Hayes
5.	Graham Stringer	15.	Mr Barry Sheerman
6.	Mr Robert Walter	16.	John McDonnell
7.	Sir John Butterfill	17.	Sarah McCarthy-Fry
8.	Paul Farrelly	18.	Mr Michael Meacher
9.	Mr Martin Caton	19.	Emily Thornberry
10.	Richard Ottaway	20.	Mr Francis Maude

### Private Members' Bill Fridays

The Leader of the House has announced that the following Fridays have been allocated for the consideration of Private Members' Bills during the 2006/07 session:

2007: 19<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup> January, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> February, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> March, 20<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> April, 18<sup>th</sup> May, 15<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup> June, 19<sup>th</sup> October.

### General Committees

There has been a substantial change to committees in the House. Standing Committees now come under the heading of General Committees. Standing Committees that would have considered public bills are now a form of General Committee called Public Bill Committees. They will be named after the Bill that they consider, e.g., the Welfare Reform Bill Committee. These committees will have the power to take evidence from bodies outside of Parliament.

These changes will require some changes to the pages formerly titled Standing Committees. We will try to make these changes as clear as possible. Please let us know if you encounter any difficulty in following the information provided.

### House of Commons Calendar for 2006/2007 session

The Leader of the House has announced the following provisional recess dates for the 2006/2007 session:

#### Christmas recess 2006

The House will rise on Tuesday 19 December 2006 and return on Monday 8 January 2007

#### Spring half term recess 2007

The House will rise on Thursday 8 February 2007 and return on Monday 19 February 2007

#### Easter recess 2007

The House will rise on Thursday 29 March 2007 and return on Monday 16 April 2007

#### Whitsun recess 2007

The House will rise on Thursday 24 May 2007 and return on Monday 4 June 2007

#### Summer recess 2007

The House will rise on Thursday 26 July 2007 and return on Monday 8 October 2007

<http://www.parliament.uk>

The Parliament website provides information on parliamentary proceedings, membership of both Houses and general information on a wide range of parliamentary matters. See index for material available on the website.

## The Week Ahead: 4 – 8 December 2006

Date	Commons Chamber	General Committees	Select Committees	Lords Chamber	Lords Select Committees
<b>Mon 4 Dec</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>OPQ - Home Office</li> <li>Leg - Corporate Manslaughter and Corporate Homicide Bill – Remaining stages</li> <li>Adj - Yorkshire film archive</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1<sup>st</sup> DLC - Draft Association of Law Costs Draftsmen Order 2006</li> <li>2<sup>nd</sup> DLC - Draft Compensation Act 2006... Regulations 2006</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Welsh Affairs</li> <li>Northern Ireland Affairs</li> <li>Public Accounts</li> <li>Communities and Local Govt. Environment, Food and Rural Affairs</li> <li>Joint Committee on Human Rights</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Oral questions</li> <li>Leg – Consumers, Estate Agents and Redress Bill – Second reading</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Joint Committee on Human Rights</li> </ul>
<b>Tues 5 Dec</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>OPQ - Foreign and Commonwealth Office</li> <li>Deb - Opposition day - i) “Government failures on public health” ii) “Failure of Government transport strategy and mounting capacity crisis on British roads and railways”</li> <li>Adj - Doorstep lending and interest rates</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>ESC – EU Document... relating to Waste Prevention and Recycling</li> <li>3<sup>rd</sup> DLC - Draft Compensation Orders 2006</li> <li>4<sup>th</sup> DLC - Draft Taxation of Securitisation Companies Regulations 2006</li> <li>5<sup>th</sup> DLC - Draft Oil Taxation... Regulations and the draft Petroleum Revenue Tax... Regulations 2006</li> <li>6<sup>th</sup> DLC - Draft Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974... Order</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>International Development</li> <li>Northern Ireland Affairs</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Oral questions</li> <li>Deb – On developments in the Middle East and Afghanistan</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>EU Sub-Comm A</li> <li>Economic Affairs</li> <li>Merits of Statutory Instruments</li> </ul>
<b>Wed 6 Dec</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>OPQ - International Development; Prime Minister</li> <li>Deb - On European Affairs on a motion for the adjournment of the House</li> <li>Adj - Draft Surrey waste plan</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>7<sup>th</sup> DLC - Draft Representation of the People... Regulations</li> <li>8<sup>th</sup> DLC - Draft Animal Health and Welfare (Scotland) Act 2006... Order 2006 and the draft Scotland Act 1998... Order 2006</li> <li>9<sup>th</sup> DLC - Draft National Assembly for Wales... Order</li> <li>10<sup>th</sup> DLC - Draft Financial Assistance Scheme... Regulations 2006</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Education and Skills</li> <li>Science and Technology</li> <li>European Scrutiny</li> <li>Transport</li> <li>Environmental Audit</li> <li>Foreign Affairs</li> <li>Northern Ireland Affairs</li> <li>Procedure</li> <li>Public Accounts</li> <li>Environment, Food and Rural Affairs: Rural Payments Agency Sub-Committee</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Oral questions</li> <li>Leg – Legal Services Bill – Second reading</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Constitution Committee</li> <li>EU Sub-Comm D</li> <li>Science and Technology</li> <li>EU Sub-Comm E</li> </ul>
<b>Thurs 7 Dec</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>OPQ – Treasury</li> <li>Deb – Estimates (1<sup>st</sup> allotted day) - i) The provision of affordable housing ii) Occupational pensions</li> <li>Adj - Internet gambling</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>11<sup>th</sup> DLC - Draft Extradition Act 2003... Order 2006</li> <li>12<sup>th</sup> DLC - Draft Housing... (Northern Ireland) Order 2006</li> <li>13<sup>th</sup> DLC - Draft Asylum... Order and draft Accession... Regulations 2006</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Home Affairs and European Scrutiny</li> <li>Public Administration</li> <li>Quadripartite</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Oral questions</li> <li>Deb – National Health Service; funding of adult social services</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>None</li> </ul>
<b>Fri 8 Dec</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The House will not be sitting</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>None</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>None</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The House will not be sitting</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>None</li> </ul>

**Order of Oral Questions**  
(N.B. All dates are provisional)

**Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> November – Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> December 2006**

	<b>Tues. 21 Nov.</b>	<b>Wed. 22 Nov.</b>	<b>Thurs. 23 Nov.</b>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Transport</li> <li>• Constitutional Affairs</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Northern Ireland</li> <li>• Prime Minister</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Education and Skills</li> <li>• Solicitor General</li> </ul>
<b>Mon. 27 Nov.</b>	<b>Tues. 28 Nov.</b>	<b>Wed. 29 Nov.</b>	<b>Thurs. 30 Nov.</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Work and Pensions</li> <li>• Leader of the House</li> <li>• House of Commons Commission</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Health</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Wales</li> <li>• Prime Minister</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Trade and Industry</li> <li>• Minister for Women and Equality</li> </ul>
<b>Mon. 4 Dec.</b>	<b>Tues. 5 Dec.</b>	<b>Wed. 6 Dec.</b>	<b>Thurs. 7 Dec.</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Home Office</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Foreign and Commonwealth Office</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• International Development</li> <li>• Prime Minister</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Treasury</li> </ul>
<b>Mon. 11 Dec.</b>	<b>Tues. 12 Dec.</b>	<b>Wed. 13 Dec.</b>	<b>Thurs. 14 Dec.</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Defence</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Scotland;</li> <li>• Communities and Local Government</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Deputy Prime Minister</li> <li>• Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster</li> <li>• Prime Minister</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Environment, Food and Rural Affairs</li> </ul>
<b>Mon. 18 Dec.</b>	<b>Tues. 19 Dec.</b>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Culture, Media and Sport</li> <li>• Church Commissioners;</li> <li>• Public Accounts Commission;</li> <li>• Speaker's Committee on the Electoral Commission</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Transport</li> <li>• Constitutional Affairs</li> </ul>		

**Order of Oral Questions**  
(N.B. All dates are provisional)

**Monday 8<sup>th</sup> January – Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> February 2007**

<b>Mon. 8 Jan.</b>	<b>Tues. 9 Jan.</b>	<b>Wed. 10 Jan.</b>	<b>Thurs. 11 Jan.</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Work and Pensions</li> <li>• Leader of the House</li> <li>• House of Commons Commission</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Health</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Northern Ireland</li> <li>• Prime Minister</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Education and Skills</li> <li>• Solicitor General</li> </ul>
<b>Mon. 15 Jan.</b>	<b>Tues. 16 Jan.</b>	<b>Wed. 17 Jan.</b>	<b>Thurs. 18 Jan.</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Home Office</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Foreign and Commonwealth Office</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Wales</li> <li>• Prime Minister</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Trade and Industry</li> <li>• Minister for Women and Equality</li> </ul>
<b>Mon. 22 Jan.</b>	<b>Tues. 23 Jan.</b>	<b>Wed. 24 Jan.</b>	<b>Thurs. 25 Jan.</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Defence</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Scotland;</li> <li>• Communities and Local Government</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• International Development</li> <li>• Prime Minister</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Treasury</li> </ul>
<b>Mon. 29 Jan.</b>	<b>Tues. 30 Jan.</b>	<b>Wed. 31 Jan.</b>	<b>Thurs. 1 Feb.</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Culture, Media and Sport</li> <li>• Church Commissioners;</li> <li>• Public Accounts Commission;</li> <li>• Speaker's Committee on the Electoral Commission</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Transport</li> <li>• Constitutional Affairs</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Deputy Prime Minister</li> <li>• Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster</li> <li>• Prime Minister</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Environment, Food and Rural Affairs</li> </ul>
<b>Mon. 5 Feb.</b>	<b>Tues. 6 Feb.</b>	<b>Wed. 7 Feb.</b>	<b>Thurs. 8 Feb.</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Work and Pensions</li> <li>• Leader of the House</li> <li>• House of Commons Commission</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Health</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Northern Ireland</li> <li>• Prime Minister</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Education and Skills</li> <li>• Solicitor General</li> </ul>

## Business of the House of Commons 27 November – 1 December

### Monday 27 November

*The House sat at 2.30pm*

**Oral Questions** – Work and Pensions; Leader of the House; House of Commons Commission

**Urgent Question** – Alexander Litvinenko – John Reid

**Presentation of Bill** – Justice and Security (Northern Ireland) Bill – Peter Hain

**Debate on the Address** – Treasury; Work and Pensions

**Adjournment** – Christians in Pakistan and the case of the Karims - Mr Gordon Prentice

*The House rose at 11.14pm*

### Tuesday 28 November

*The House sat in Westminster Hall between 9.30am-2.00pm*

#### Westminster Hall Private Members' Debates –

09.30-11.00	Speech and language therapy for children - John Bercow
11.00-12.30	Situation in Darfur - Mr David Drew
12.30-13.00	Licensing of driving instructors - Willie Rennie
13.00-13.30	Community support officers and neighbourhood policing - Ian Lucas
13.30-14.00	International arrest warrants - Mr Andrew Turner

*The House sat at 2.30pm*

**Oral Questions** – Health

**Statement** – Local Government Finance Settlement – Phil Woolas

**Presentation of Bill** – Greater London Authority Bill – Ruth Kelly

**Presentation of Bill** – Pensions Bill – John Hutton

**Legislation** – Investment Exchanges and Clearing Houses Bill – Allocation of Time Motion (Agreed)

**Legislation** – Investment Exchanges and Clearing Houses Bill – All stages (Bill read a second time; Bill considered in Committee of the Whole House; Bill read a third time)

**Adjournment** – Local government reorganisation in Somerset - Mr David Heathcoat-Amory

*The House rose at 9.33pm*

### Wednesday 29 November

*The House sat in Westminster Hall between 9.30am-11.30am and 2.30-5.00pm*

#### Westminster Hall Private Members' Debates –

09.30-11.00	Lebanon and the Middle East - Andrew Love
11.00-11.30	Government relations with Russia - Chris Bryant
14.30-16.00	Rail franchises - Dr Vincent Cable
16.00-16.30	Reorganisation of HM Revenue and Customs offices in Wales – Mr Stephen Crabb
16.30-17.00	Funding Derbyshire's police - Mr Mark Todd

*The House sat at 11.30am*

**Oral Questions** – Wales; Prime Minister

**Legislation** – Fraud (Trials without a Jury) Bill – Second reading (Agreed on division)

**Programme Motion** – Fraud (Trials without a Jury) Bill (Agreed)

**Motion** – To take note of EU Documents relating to European Union Agency for Fundamental Rights and Fundamental Rights and Citizenship Programme (Agreed on division)

**Adjournment** – Pathways to work in Wirral - Angela Eagle

*The House rose at 7.26pm*

### **Thursday 30 November**

*The House sat at 10.30am*

**Oral Questions** – Trade and Industry; Minister for Women and Equality

**Business Statement** – Leader of the House

**Statement** – Alexander Litvinenko – John Reid

**Statement** – NATO Summit – Des Browne

**Motion** – To take note of a European Document relating to the Hague Programme (Agreed on division)

**Motion** – Relating to the House of Commons Members' Fund (Agreed)

**Debate** – On rail performance on a motion for the adjournment of the House

**Adjournment** – Government contribution to World AIDS Day - Mr Nigel Evans

*The House sat in Westminster Hall between 2.30pm and 5.30pm*

**Westminster Hall** – Debate on the report from the Northern Ireland Affairs Committee on “Organised Crime in Northern Ireland”

*The House rose at 6.29pm*

### **Friday 1 December**

*The House did not sit*



**Written Ministerial Statements  
27 November – 1 December 2006**

- 27.11.2006 ECOFIN – Mr. Gordon Brown
- 27.11.2006 Community Justice – Ms Harriet Harman
- 27.11.2006 Royal Commission on Environmental Pollution – Ian Pearson
- 27.11.2006 System Management and Reform – Ms Patricia Hewitt
- 27.11.2006 Local Policing – Mr. Tony McNulty
- 28.11.2006 Publications – John Healy
- 28.11.2006 Costing Parliamentary Questions – John Healy
- 28.11.2006 Legal Aid Procurement (Government Response) – Vera Baird
- 28.11.2006 Operational Allowance – Derek Twigg
- 28.11.2006 Agriculture and Fisheries Council – Mr Ben Bradshaw
- 28.11.2006 EU Agriculture Informal Council: 24-26 September 2006 – David Miliband
- 28.11.2006 Diplomatic Immunity (Serious Offences)- Margaret Beckett
- 28.11.2006 Unpaid Parking and Minor Traffic Violation Fines – Margaret Beckett
- 28.11.2006 Non-Domestic Rates (Diplomatic Missions) – Margaret Beckett
- 28.11.2006 Police Authorities' Grant (England and Wales for 2007-08) – Mr Tony McNulty
- 28.11.2006 Justice and Home Affairs Council – Joan Ryan
- 28.11.2006 Horn of Africa (Flooding) – Hilary Benn
- 28.11.2006 Abolition of the Slave Trade (Bicentenary) – Mr Tony Blair
- 29.11.2006 Duty (Cigarettes) – John Healey
- 29.11.2006 Planning – Yvette Cooper
- 29.11.2006 Army Regional Command Structure – Mr. Adam Ingram
- 29.11.2006 Migration Advisory Committee – Mr. Liam Byrne
- 29.11.2006 EU Energy Council – Malcolm Wicks
- 29.11.2006 Social Fund Commissioner – Mr. John Hutton
- 29.11.2006 The Rent Service – Mr. John Hutton
- 29.11.2006 Social Policy, Health and Consumer Affairs Council – Mr James Plaskitt
- 30.11.2006 Military Flying Training – Derek Twigg
- 30.11.2006 Marine Climate Impact Partnership – Ian Pearson

- 30.11.2006 Nirex – Ian Pearson
- 30.11.2006 Diplomatic Service and Home Service Regulations – Margaret Beckett
- 30.11.2006 Harmondsworth Immigration Removal Centre – John Reid
- 30.11.2006 EU Competitiveness Council – Malcolm Wicks
- 30.11.2006 Farepak – Mr. Ian McCartney
- 30.11.2006 Transport Strategy – Mr. Douglas Alexander

**Forthcoming Business of the House of Commons  
4 December – 8 December**

**Monday 4 December**

*The House will sit at 2.30pm*

**Oral Questions** – Home Office

**Legislation** – Corporate Manslaughter and Corporate Homicide – Remaining Stages

**Adjournment** – Yorkshire film archive - Mr Phil Willis

**Tuesday 5 December**

*The House will sit in Westminster Hall between 9.30am-2.00pm*

**Westminster Hall Private Members' Debates –**

09.30-11.00	Punjabi community in Britain - John McDonnell
11.00-12.30	Equipment and medicine available to Staffordshire Ambulance Service - Michael Fabricant
12.30-13.00	Standards of care at Tameside General Hospital - David Heyes
13.00-13.30	Future of sub post offices in Northamptonshire - Mr Philip Hollobone
13.30-14.00	Future of Portsmouth Naval Base - Sarah McCarthy-Fry

*The House will sit at 2.30pm*

**Oral Questions** – Foreign and Commonwealth Office

**Debates** – Opposition day (1<sup>st</sup> allotted day) – i) “Government failures on public health” ii) “Failure of Government transport strategy and mounting capacity crisis on British roads and railways”

**Adjournment** – Doorstep lending and interest rates - Dr Alan Whitehead

**Wednesday 6 December**

*The House will sit in Westminster Hall between 9.30am-11.30am and 2.30-5.00pm*

**Westminster Hall Private Members' Debates –**

09.30-11.00	Coastal flooding - Mark Simmonds
11.00-11.30	Government support for Airbus - Steve Webb
14.30-16.00	Impact of grant reductions on the work of British Waterways - Sir Peter Soulsby
16.00-16.30	Health and Safety Executive and Rupert Burr - Mr Michael Wills
16.30-17.00	Security of short term employment contracts - Lorely Burt

*The House will sit at 11.30am*

**Oral Questions** – International Development; Prime Minister

**Debate** – On European Affairs on a motion for the adjournment of the House

**Adjournment** – Draft Surrey Waste Plan - Sir Paul Beresford

**Thursday 7 December**

*The House will sit at 10.30am*

**Oral Questions** – Treasury

**Debate** - Estimates (1<sup>st</sup> allotted day) – i) The provision of affordable housing ii) Occupational pensions

**Adjournment** – Internet gambling - Ben Chapman

*At 6pm the House will be asked to agree all outstanding Estimates*

*The House will sit in Westminster Hall between 2.30pm and 5.30pm*

**Westminster Hall** – Debate on reports from the Home Affairs Committee on “Terrorism Detention Powers” and the Joint Committee on Human Rights on “Counter-Terrorism Policy and Human Rights: Prosecution and Pre-Charge Detention”.

**Friday 8 December**

*The House will not be sitting*

**Provisional Forthcoming Business of the House of Commons  
11 December – 15 December**

**Monday 11 December**

*The House will sit at 2.30pm*

**Oral Questions** – Defence

**Legislation** – Offender Management Bill – Second reading

**Legislation** – Consolidated Fund Bill – Proceedings

**Adjournment** – Review of maternity and paediatric services in Hartlepool and Teesside - Mr Iain Wright

**Tuesday 12 December**

*The House will sit in Westminster Hall between 9.30am-2.00pm*

**Westminster Hall Private Members' Debates** – \*\*

*The House will sit at 2.30pm*

**Oral Questions** – Scotland; Communities and Local Government

**Legislation** – Greater London Authority Bill – Second reading

**Adjournment** – \*

**Wednesday 13 December**

*The House will sit in Westminster Hall between 9.30am-11.30am and 2.30-5.00pm*

**Westminster Hall Private Members' Debates** – \*\*

*The House will sit at 11.30am*

**Oral Questions** – Deputy Prime Minister; Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster; Prime Minister

**Legislation** – Justice and Security (Northern Ireland) Bill – Second reading

**Adjournment** – \*

**Thursday 14 December**

*The House will sit at 10.30am*

**Oral Questions** – Environment; Food and Rural Affairs

**Debate** – On fisheries on a motion for the adjournment of the House

**Adjournment** – \*

*The House will sit in Westminster Hall between 2.30pm and 5.30pm*

**Westminster Hall** – A debate on changes in medical and clinical practice

**Friday 15 December**

*The House will not be sitting*

\* Details known previous Thursday after 1.00pm

\*\* Details known previous Wednesday after 1.00pm

## Forthcoming Business of the House of Lords 4 – 7 December

### Monday 4 December (2.30pm)

**Oral questions** – Baroness Perry of Southwark to ask Her Majesty’s Government whether, in view of the number of vacancies for the post of head teacher, particularly in primary schools, they will take urgent action to encourage more well-qualified applicants for these posts; Lord Astor of Hever to ask Her Majesty’s Government what is their response to the fatal attack on a British Armed Forces patrol boat near Basra on 12 November; Baroness Sharp of Guildford to ask Her Majesty’s Government whether the results of the 2005-06 evaluation of the “Every Child a Reader” initiative are yet available; and whether extra support is now being given to primary schools to help pupils catch up before the transition to secondary school; Baroness Rawlings to ask Her Majesty’s Government what percentage of projects funded by the Department for International Development address climate change concerns in developing countries.

**Legislation** – Consumers, Estate Agents and Redress Bill [HL] (second reading).

**Delegated legislation** – Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 (Exceptions) (Amendment No. 2) (England and Wales) Order 2006; Asylum (First List of Safe Countries) (Amendment) Order 2006; Accession (Immigration and Worker Authorisation) Regulations 2006; Compensation Act 2006 (Contribution for Mesothelioma Claims) Regulations 2006 – Motions for approval.

**Question for Short Debate** – What response is there to the United Nations resolution on diabetes (L. Harrison)

### Tuesday 5 December (2.30pm)

**Oral questions** – Lord Harrison to ask Her Majesty’s Government what actions they will take to ensure that the gas industry improves the United Kingdom public’s awareness of gas safety issues and in particular awareness of carbon monoxide poisoning; Baroness Wilcox to ask Her Majesty’s Government what proportion of passenger trains in the United Kingdom continue to discharge raw sewage on the tracks; and when they expect the practice to end; Lord Barnett to ask Her Majesty’s Government whether they consider it appropriate to use the Parliament Acts to enact legislation on House of Lords reform.

**Debate** – On developments in the Middle East and Afghanistan (L. Triesman)

**Delegated legislation** – Compensation (Claims Management Services) Regulations 2006; Compensation (Specification of Benefits) Order 2006; Compensation (Regulated Claims Management Services) Order 2006; Association of Law Costs Draftsmen Order 2006; Representation of the people (Combination of Polls) (England and Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2006; - Motions for approval; Environmental Impact Assessment (Agriculture) (England) Regulations 2006; Environmental Impact Assessment (Agriculture) (England) (No. 2) Regulations 2006 – Motions to consider; Personal Injuries (NHS Charges) (Amounts) Regulations 2006; Animal Health and Welfare (Scotland) Act 2006 (Consequential Provisions) (England and Wales) Order 2006; Scotland Act 1998 (Transfer of Functions to the Scottish Ministers etc.) (No. 3) Order 2006 – Motions for approval (Moses Room 3.30pm).

**Wednesday 6 December (3.00pm)**

**Oral questions** – Lord Faulkner of Worcester to ask Her Majesty’s Government what steps they are taking to protect the wrecks of HMS Prince of Wales and HMS Repulse from the activities of foreign nationals undertaking penetration dives and disturbing the human remains which lie there; Lord Razzall to ask Her Majesty’s Government whether, in light of the ongoing Serious Fraud Office investigation, they have reassessed their view of the granting of an export licence for the sale of an air traffic control system from BAE to the government of Tanzania; Lord Bradshaw to ask Her Majesty’s Government what plans they have for the development of rail freight through the Channel Tunnel.

**Legislation** – Legal Services Bill [HL] (second reading).

**Delegated legislation** – Curd Cheese (Restriction on Placing on the Market) (England) Regulations 2006 – Motion to revoke.

**Question for Short Debate** – Whether legislation will be brought forward to reform the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 (L. Dholakia).

**Thursday 7 December (11.00am)**

**Oral questions** – Lord Berkeley to ask the Chairman of Committees what progress has been made in the World Squares project for Parliament Square and Old Palace Yard and the consequent impact on security; Lord Livsey of Talgarth to ask Her Majesty’s Government what consideration they have given to extending the period for Hill Farming Allowance payments for a further three years after 2006-07; Baroness Cox to ask Her Majesty’s Government whether they will make representations to the State Peace and Development Council of Myanmar (Burma) over reports of continuing offensives against ethnic national groups.

**Debates** – On the current situation in the National Health Service (L. Colwyn); the funding of local authority adult social services and the consequences for the rising numbers of elderly people (L. Bruce-Lockhart).

**Delegated legislation** – Financial Assistance Scheme (Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2006 – Motion for approval.

**Question for Short Debate** – What plans there are to increase support for the conservation of historic places of worship (L. Howarth of Newport).

**Provisional Forthcoming Business of the House of Lords  
11 – 15 December**

**Monday 11 December (2.30pm)**

**Oral questions –**

**Legislation** – Investment Exchanges and Clearing Houses Bill (second reading).

**Delegated legislation** – Housing (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) Order 2006; Water and Sewerage Services (Northern Ireland) Order 2006 – Motions for approval.

**Question for Short Debate** – to ask Her Majesty’s Government what proposals they have for the future status of Kosovo (L. Anderson of Swansea).

**Tuesday 12 December (2.30pm)**

**Oral questions –**

**Legislation** – Concessionary Bus Travel Bill [HL] (second reading).

**Delegated legislation** – Draft Extradition Act 2003 (Amendment to Designations) Order 2006 – Motion for approval.

**Question for Short Debate** – Whether the indirect social costs of clinical decisions are being met by Government departments other than the Department of Health (B. Greengross).

**Wednesday 13 December (3.00pm)**

**Oral questions –**

**Legislation** – Further Education and Training Bill [HL] (second reading); Tribunals, Courts and Enforcement Bill [HL] (Committee stage 1st day – Moses Room 3.45pm).

**Thursday 14 December (11.00am)**

**Oral questions –**

**Legislation** – Tribunals, Courts and Enforcement Bill [HL] (Committee stage 2nd day – Moses Room 2pm).

**Delegated Legislation** – Petroleum Act 1998 (Third Party Access) Order 2007; Science and Technology Facilities Council Order 2007; Technology Strategy Board Order 2007; Employment Act 2002 (Amendment of Schedules 3, 4 and 5) Order 2006 – Motions for approval.

**Debate** – On the Government’s policy on HIV/AIDS and sexual health (L. Fowler); the human consequences of current immigration and asylum law and practice and to possible improvements in the systems of assessment, care and support (L. Hylton).

**Friday 15 December (11.00am)**

**Legislation** – Cluster Munitions (Prohibition) Bill [HL] (second reading).



## Legislation – General Notes

In the list of Bills which follows, the type of Bill is shown at the left-hand margin below the title by the following codes:

<b>G</b>	Government Bills
<b>C</b>	Consolidation Bills
<b>B</b>	Private Members' Bills (under the ballot procedure). The number after refers to position in ballot
<b>P</b>	Private Members' Bills (under SO No 57)
<b>T</b>	Private Members' Bills (under the Ten Minute Rule, SO No 23)
<b>L</b>	Private Members' Bills starting in the House of Lords

### Abbreviations:

1R	First Reading: date of presentation (no debate at this stage except for Class T Bills, which have short introductory speeches)
2R	Second Reading (the debate on the principle of the Bill)
MR	Money Resolution (normally taken after 2R: shown below only if taken at another time)
SRC	Second Reading Committee (2R taken in Committee: formal 2R in whole House next day unless otherwise stated)
SGC/WGC	Scottish or Welsh Grand Committee consideration of principle (equates with SRC)
PC	Programming Committee (sits in private)
PSC	Programming Sub-Committee (sits in private)
Comm	Committee Stage (the detailed examination of the Bill). If no committee is named (eg SC A) a committee of the whole House is indicated
Comm**	House of Lords Grand Committee, taken in a committee room
JCCB	Joint Committee on Consolidation Bills
JC TLRB	Joint Committee on Tax Law Re-write Bills (the date indicates the date on which the Bill was committed to the Joint Committee). After proceedings in JC TLRB, a motion may be moved by a Minister to discharge the Committee of the Whole House from considering the bill. If this is agreed the bill is automatically ordered to be read a third time.
LPBC	House of Lords Public Bill Committee (committee Stage in the House of Lords, when the consideration is not undertaken by a committee of the whole House)
SPBC	Special Public Bill Committee (committee Stage in the House of Lords, when the consideration is not undertaken by a committee of the whole House. Public evidence is taken)
PBC	Public Bill Committee in the House of Commons
SSC/SSSC	Special Standing Committee (Special Scottish Standing Committee) on a Bill, where public evidence is taken
SC A, (B, etc)	Standing Committee A, B, etc
CN	Committee negated. (Indicates that there was no debate at committee stage in the House of Lords)
OCD	Order of Commitment discharged (no debate at committee stage in the House of Lords)
Rep	Report Stage (detailed review of the Bill as amended in committee)
3R	Third Reading (final debate on the Bill)
RS	Remaining Stages (Report Stage and Third Reading taken on the same day)
LA	Lords' Amendments considered in the House of Commons
CA	Commons' Amendments considered in the House of Lords
1st (2nd) Scot SC	1st (2nd) Scottish Standing Committee
CO	Carry-over Motion
RC	Re-committal to Standing Committee, or to Committee stage in House of Lords
EP	Extension of period for proceedings
GM	Allocation of Time Motion (Guillotine motion)
Prog	Programme Motion
ATM	Allocation of Time Motion
SelCom:	Bill referred to a Select Committee
[HL]	Indicates a Bill which started in the House of Lords
HYBRID BILL	A Public Bill which affects the private interests of particular persons or corporate bodies as distinct from the private interests of all persons or bodies
PROPOSED BILL	Indicates that a motion for leave to bring in a Bill under the Ten Minute Rule (SO No 23) was negated
<i>Prov 2R (Rep, 3R)</i>	<i>Provisional date for 2nd Reading of a Bill etc. For Private Members' Bills (if set down for a Private Members Bill Friday) this is followed, by the position of the Bill in the order of business for that day, thus giving some indication of the likelihood of debate.</i>
Pri	Private

Asterisk means that proceedings were formal, with no debate

**Dropped** - a day for the next reading has not been named or time has run out for the Bill to be considered

**[Prorogued]** - the House prorogued before the Bill could proceed any further (does not apply to Bills with Carry-over Motions)

**Order for 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading lapsed** - the Bill has not been printed, therefore does not appear on the order paper on the named day

**Withdrawn** - Member in charge has withdrawn the Bill

**#** - Member in charge has named a date for consideration which is not a Private Members' Bill Friday, therefore the Bill will not be debated.

## Complete list of Public Bills before Parliament this Session

The following is a list of Public Bills which are before Parliament this session, with the exception of Order Confirmation Bills.

To save space, the list is abbreviated. The title of the Bill is followed by the name of the Member and/or Peer sponsoring it. The letter denotes the type of Bill (see Legislation – General Notes). This is followed by the Bill number(s) with full bill reprints indicated by the use of bold. Then follow the dates of the various stages (eg 8.11 – 8 November). All forthcoming, and therefore provisional, dates are italicised. Government Bills are listed in bold type.

For an explanation of Parliamentary consideration of Public Bills see HCIO Factsheets L1 and L2

<b>BAILIFFS (LICENSING) [HL] (L)</b> Lords: <b>(16)</b> 1R: 28.11.2006 <i>Prov 2R: No date</i>	Lord Lucas
<b>CLUSTER MUNITIONS (PROHIBITION) [HL] (L)</b> Lords: <b>(10)</b> 1R: 23.11.2006 <i>Prov 2R: 15.12.2006</i>	Lord Dubs
<b>CONCESSIONARY BUS TRAVEL [HL] (G)</b> Lords: <b>(13)</b> 1R: 27.11.2006 <i>Prov 2R: 12.12.2006</i>	Lord Davies of Oldham
<b>CONSUMERS, ESTATE AGENTS AND REDRESS [HL] (G)</b> Lords: <b>(2)</b> 1R: 16.11.2006 <i>Prov 2R: 4.12.2006</i>	Lord Truscott
<b>CORPORATE MANSLAUGHTER AND CORPORATE HOMICIDE (G)</b> (introduced in session 2005-06 and carried over to session 2006-07) Commons: <b>(220, 236, 2005-06)</b> 1R: 20.7.2006      2R: 10.10.2006      Prog: 10.10.2006      CO: 10.10.2006 Comm (SC B): 19, 24, 26 & 31.10.2006 Commons: <b>(5, 2006-07)</b> 1R: 16.11.2006      *2R: 16.11.2006 <i>Prov RS: 4.12.2006</i>	John Reid
<b>CORRUPTION [HL] (L)</b> Lords: <b>(18)</b> 1R: 29.11.2006 <i>Prov 2R: No date</i>	Lord Chidgey
<b>CROSSRAIL (HYBRID BILL) (G)</b> (introduced in session 2004-05, carried over to session 2005-06, carried over to session 2006-07) Commons: <b>(62, 2004-05)</b> 1R: 22.2.2005      CO: 7.4.2005 Commons: <b>(1, 2005-06)</b> 1R: 18.5.2005      2R: 19.7.2005      MR: 19.7.2005      SelCom: 17.1 - 26.10.2006 CO: 31.10.2006 Commons: <b>(2, 2006-07)</b> 1R: 16.11.2006      *2R: 16.11.2006 <i>Prov SelCom: No date</i>	Douglas Alexander
<b>DIGITAL SWITCHOVER (DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION) (G)</b> Commons: <b>(3)</b> 1R: 16.11.2006 <i>Prov 2R: No date</i>	Tessa Jowell
<b>DISABLED PERSONS (INDEPENDENT LIVING) [HL] (L)</b> Lords: <b>(14)</b> 1R: 27.11.2006 <i>Prov 2R: No date</i>	Lord Ashley of Stoke
<b>EUROPEAN UNION (IMPLICATIONS OF WITHDRAWAL) [HL] (L)</b> Lords: <b>(7)</b> 1R: 20.11.2006 <i>Prov 2R: No date</i>	Lord Pearson of Rannoch
<b>EUROPEAN UNION (INFORMATION, etc.) [HL] (L)</b> Lords: <b>(15)</b> 1R: 28.11.2006 <i>Prov 2R: No date</i>	Lord Dykes
<b>FORCED MARRIAGE (CIVIL PROTECTION) [HL] (L)</b> Lords: <b>(3)</b> 1R: 16.11.2006 <i>Prov 2R: No date</i>	Lord Lester of Herne Hill
<b>FRAUD (TRIALS WITHOUT A JURY) (G)</b> Commons: <b>(6)</b> 1R: 16.11.2006      2R: 29.11.2006      Prog: 29.11.2006 <i>Prov Comm: No date</i>	John Reid
<b>FURTHER EDUCATION AND TRAINING [HL] (G)</b> Lords: <b>(6)</b> 1R: 20.11.2006 <i>Prov 2R: 13.12.2006</i>	Lord Adonis
<b>GREATER LONDON AUTHORITY (G)</b> Commons: <b>(11)</b> 1R: 28.11.2006 <i>Prov 2R: 12.12.2006</i>	Ruth Kelly
<b>INTERCEPTION OF COMMUNICATIONS (ADMISSIBILITY OF EVIDENCE) [HL] (L)</b> Lords: <b>(11)</b> 1R: 23.11.2006 <i>Prov 2R: No date</i>	Lord Lloyd of Berwick

**INVESTMENT EXCHANGES AND CLEARING HOUSES (G)**

Commons: (4) 1R: 16.11.2006 GM: 28.11.2006 2R: 28.11.2006 Comm: 28.11.2006  
 3R: 28.11.2006  
 Lords: (17) 1R: 29.11.2006 *Prov 2R: 11.12.2006*

Gordon Brown

**JUSTICE AND SECURITY (NORTHERN IRELAND) (G)**

Commons: (10) 1R: 27.11.2006 *Prov 2R: 13.12.2006*

Peter Hain

**LEGAL SERVICES [HL] (G)**

Lords: (9) 1R: 23.11.2006 *Prov 2R: 6.12.2006*

Lord Falconer of Thoroton

**MENTAL HEALTH [HL] (G)**

Lords: (1) 1R: 16.11.2006 2R: 28.11.2006 *Prov Comm: No date*

Lord Warner

**NORTHERN IRELAND (ST ANDREWS AGREEMENT) (G)**

Commons: (7) 1R: 16.11.2006 GM: 21.11.2006 2R: 21.11.2006 Comm: 21.11.2006  
 3R: 21.11.2006

Peter Hain

Lords: (8) 1R: 21.11.2006 2R: 22.11.2006 Comm: 22.11.2006 3R: 22.11.2006

Royal Assent: 22.11.2006 (Ch. 53)

**NORTHERN IRELAND (ST ANDREWS AGREEMENT) ACT 2006**

**OFFENDER MANAGEMENT (G)**

Commons: (9) 1R: 22.11.2006 *Prov 2R: 11.12.2006*

John Reid

**PALLIATIVE CARE [HL] (L)**

Lords: (4) 1R: 16.11.2006 *Prov 2R: No date*

Baroness Finlay of Llandaff

**PENSIONS (G)**

Commons: (12) 1R: 28.11.2006 *Prov 2R: No date*

John Hutton

**PUBLIC DEMONSTRATIONS (REPEALS) [HL] (L)**

Lords: (12) 1R: 23.11.2006 *Prov 2R: No date*

Baroness Miller of Chilthorne Domer

**STATISTICS AND REGISTRATION SERVICE (G)**

Commons: (8) 1R: 21.11.2006 *Prov 2R: No date*

Gordon Brown

**TRIBUNALS, COURTS AND ENFORCEMENT [HL] (G)**

Lords: (5) 1R: 16.11.2006 2R: 29.11.2006 *Prov Comm\*\*: 13.12.2006*

Baroness Ashton of Upholland

**WELFARE REFORM (G)**

(introduced in session 2005-06 and carried over to session 2006-07)

Commons: (208, 2005-06) 1R: 4.7.2006 2R: 24.7.2006 Prog: 24.7.2006 CO: 24.7.2006

Comm (SC A): 17, 19, 24, 26 & 31.10 & 2.11.2006

Commons: (1, 13 2006-07) 1R: 16.11.2006 \*2R: 16.11.2006 PBC: 28 & 30.11.2006 *Prov Rep: No date*

Mr John Hutton

**Presentation and Publication of Bills and Acts  
27 November – 1 December 2006**

**Presentation and publication of Bills in Parliament**

Date	Title and type of Bill	Bill No.	ISBN	Price £
27.11	Concessionary Bus Travel Bill [HL] (G)	HL 13	010 843558X	3.50
27.11	Disabled Persons (Independent Living) Bill [HL] (L)	HL 14	010 8435598	5.00
27.11	Justice and Security (Northern Ireland) Bill (G)	10	0215 707958	7.00
28.11	European Union (Information, etc) Bill [HL] (L)	HL 15	010 8435601	1.50
28.11	Bailiffs (Licensing) Bill [HL] (L)	HL 16	010 843561X	3.00
28.11	Greater London Authority Bill (G)	11	0215 707966	7.00
28.11	Pensions Bill (G)	12	0215 707974	8.00
29.11	Investment Exchanges and Clearing Houses Bill [HL] (G)	HL 17	010 8435628	2.00
29.11	Corruption Bill [HL] (L)	HL 18	010 8435636	3.00

**Bills published after presentation**

Date	Title and type of Bill	Bill No.	ISBN	Price £
None				

**Bills receiving Royal Assent and Acts published**

Date	Title	Ch No.	ISBN	Price £
None				

**Acts published after Royal Assent date**

Date	Title	Ch No.	ISBN	Price £
None				

**Public and General Acts 2006-07**

Date	Title	Ch No.	ISBN	Price £
22.11	Northern Ireland (St Andrews Agreement) Act 2006	53		

**Church of England Measures**

Date	Title	Paper No.	ISBN	Price £
None				

**Publication of Bills and Acts on the Internet**

**Public Bills before Parliament**

<http://www.publications.parliament.uk/pa/pabills.htm>

**Full text of Public General Acts since 1988**

<http://www.opsi.gov.uk/acts.htm>

**Private Bills before Parliament**

<http://www.publications.parliament.uk/pa/privbill.htm>

**Full text of Local Acts since 1991**

<http://www.opsi.gov.uk/acts.htm>

### Draft Bills under consideration or published during 2006/07 Session

As part of the reforms to the legislative process initiated by the Modernisation Committee, the government now publishes a number of bills each session in draft form, before they are introduced into parliament as formal bills. This enables consultation and pre-legislative scrutiny before a bill is issued formally.

Increasingly, it had become the practice in recent sessions for the House to refer these to a joint committee of the Commons and Lords appointed for the specific purpose of examining and reporting on a named draft bill. On occasions a draft bill may be referred to one of the departmental select committees or a select committee appointed for that specific purpose.

Listed below are draft bills that are currently under consideration or that have been published during the 2006/07 Session of Parliament. Further information on draft bills, including those from previous sessions can be viewed on the Parliament website at <http://www.parliament.uk/bills/draftbills.cfm>. This page links to electronic copies of the draft bills and related publications including select committee reports on the draft bills.

<b>Title</b>	<b>Date Published</b>	<b>Committee</b>	<b>Committee Reports</b>	<b>Government Response</b>
None				

## Private Legislation: General Notes

### Abbreviations

1R	First Reading
2R	Second Reading
BC	Bill committed (as yet the type of Committee is not known)
UBC	Bill committed to an unopposed committee (If two dates are given the last is the date on which the committee reported)
OBC	Bill committed to an opposed committee (If two dates are given the last is the date on which the committee reported)
BAC	Bill as amended by the Committee considered (Report stage) (House of Commons only)
3R	Third Reading
CA	Commons' amendments considered by the House of Lords
LA	Lords' amendments considered by the House of Commons
Susp	Motion to suspend the Bill to subsequent Sessions. Related formal proceedings in the new session are marked with an asterisk (*)
Deb	Bill debated, otherwise the stages are taken formally. In the House of Commons this will be at 7 pm
Deb adj	Debate adjourned
Rev	Motion to revive the Bill from previous Sessions debated on the date given
<i>Prov</i>	Provisional date for next stage - date supplied where known, ie <i>prov 2R: 27.1.2004</i> - provisional second reading 27 January 2004
*	an instruction to the committee will be moved at the same time
#	<i>Bills with petitions outstanding</i>

Copies of Private Bills can be obtained from the appropriate Agent, details listed below

Rees & Freres, 1 The Sanctuary, London, SW1P 3JT, 020-7222 5381  
E-mail: [enquiries@1thesanctuary.com](mailto:enquiries@1thesanctuary.com)

Sharpe Pritchard, Elizabeth House, Fulwood Place, London, WC1V 6HG, 020-7405 4600  
E-mail: [parliamentary@sharpepritchard.co.uk](mailto:parliamentary@sharpepritchard.co.uk)

Bircham Dyson Bell, 50 Broadway, Westminster, London, SW1H 0BL, 020-7227 7000  
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Winckworth Sherwood, 35 Great Peter Street, London, SW1P 3LR, 020-7593 5000  
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Members of Parliament may obtain copies of Private Bills from the Vote Office.

**Complete List of Private bills before Parliament this Session**

The following is a list of Private Bills before Parliament. Private Bills originate outside Parliament and are promoted by bodies seeking special powers not available under the general law. Each Bill starts with a petition to Parliament from the promoter for leave to bring in a Bill; this must be deposited on or before 27 November. Any such petitions will be noted below until they gain a 1<sup>st</sup> Reading.

Parties affected by a Bill may present a petition against it, clearly stating the grounds of their objection. The petitioning period will be shown beneath the Bill until the deadline has expired.

House of Commons Private Bill Office: Sian Jones (Tel: 020 7219 3250 e-mail: prbohoc@parliament.uk)

House of Lords Private Bill Office: Chris Bolton (Tel: 020 7219 3231 e-mail: prboloh@parliament.uk)

For an explanation of parliamentary consideration of Private Bills see **HCIO Factsheet L4**

**LONDON LOCAL AUTHORITIES [HL] 04/05** (Sharpe Pritchard)

Lords:	1R: 24.1.2005			
	HL Rev: 19.5.2005	HC Rev: 14.6.2005		
Lords:	1R: 15.6.2005	2R Deb: 5.7.2005	OBC: 13.3.2006	UBC: 12 & 13.6.2006
	Susp: 31.10.2006			
Lords:	1R: 16.11.2006	*2R: 16.11.2006	<i>Prov 3R: No date</i>	

**LONDON LOCAL AUTHORITIES AND TRANSPORT FOR LONDON 04/05** (Sharpe Pritchard)

Commons:	1R: 25.1.2005			
HC Rev: 19.5.2005	HL Rev: 24.5.2005			
Commons:	1R: 25.5.2005	2R: 21.6.2005	OBC: 1, 2 & 3.11.2005*	BAC: 8.12.2005
3R: 15.12.2005				
Commons:	1R: 22.11.2006	*2R: 22.11.2006	*3R: 22.11.2006	
Lords:	1R: 15.12.2005	2R: 1.2.2006		
Lords:	1R: 22.11.2006	*2R: 22.11.2006	*3R: 22.11.2006 <i>Prov UBC: 5.12.2006</i>	

**TRANSPORT FOR LONDON [HL] 05/06** (Rees & Freres) (the bill is opposed; 4 petitions outstanding against the bill)

Lords:	1R: 23.1.2006	2R: 8.2.2006	OBC: 9.10.2006	OBC: 23.10.2006
	Susp: 31.10.2006			
Lords:	1R: 16.11.2006	*2R: 16.11.2006	<i>Prov UBC: No date</i>	

**WHITEHAVEN HARBOUR [HL] 05/06** (Rees & Freres)

Lords:	1R: 23.1.2006	2R: 8.2.2006	Susp: 31.10.2006
Lords:	1R: 16.11.2006	*2R: 16.11.2006	<i>Prov UBC: No date</i>

**N.B. Five petitions for Bills were deposited on 27 November 2006:**

Bournemouth Borough Council Bill

Broads Authority Bill

Manchester City Council Bill

National Trust (Northern Ireland) Bill

Transport for London (Supplemental Toll Provisions) Bill

**The examination of these Bills will be on Monday 18 December.**

## Delegated Legislation

### Statutory Instruments

The most common form of delegated legislation, or secondary legislation, is Statutory Instruments. Those requiring parliamentary approval are subject to either the affirmative or negative procedure: this is explained in HCIO Factsheet L7.

The laying of Orders before the House of Commons is recorded in the Statutory Instrument List published by the Journal Office: <http://www.publications.parliament.uk/pa/cm/cmsilist/cmsilist.htm>. This list records when Orders were laid and in the case of affirmative instruments, whether a motion for their approval has been tabled. In the case of Negative Instruments, the number of praying days left (in which a motion calling for the instrument to be annulled may be laid) is noted.

### Regulatory Reform Proposals and Orders: Proceedings as at 24 November 2006

Under the Regulatory Reform Act 2001 (s 6(1)) the Government is able to make Orders to amend or repeal provisions in primary legislation, which are considered to impose a burden on businesses or others, which could be reduced or removed without removing any necessary protection.

For an explanation of Parliamentary consideration of Regulatory Reform Orders, see **HCIO Factsheet No L7**

Committee recommendation:

- a) a draft order in the same terms as the proposal should be laid before the House
- b) proposal should be amended before a draft order is laid before the House
- c) the order-making power should not be used in respect of the proposals
- d) draft order should be approved † indicates Committee's recommendation was agreed after a division
- e) draft order should not be approved
- \* indicates stage taken formally, no debate
- # indicates report issued following amendments to draft order

### Draft Proposals

Date Laid	Title	Lords Committee Report & Recommendation	Commons Committee Report & Recommendation
10.5.2004	Regulatory Reform (Fire Safety Order) 2004	HL 153 (b)	HC 684 (b)
1.7.2004	Regulatory Reform (Execution of Deeds and Documents) Order 2004	HL 203 (a)	HC 1271 (a)
22.7.2004	Regulatory Reform (Registration of Births and Deaths) (England and Wales) Order 2004	HL 14 (c)	HC 118 (c)
19.7.2005	Regulatory Reform (Forestry) Order 2006	HL 74 (a)	HC 729 (a)
21.11.2005	Regulatory Reform (Public Services Vehicles) Order 2005	HL 112 (a)	HC 879 (b)
13.3.2006	Regulatory Reform (Registered Designs) Order 2006	HL 160 (a)	HC 1142 (b)
30.3.2006	Regulatory Reform (Agricultural Tenancies) (England and Wales) Order 2006	HL 193 (a)	HC 1309 (a)



**Draft Orders**

<b>Date Laid</b>	<b>Title and SI Number</b>	<b>Lords Committee Report &amp; Recommendation</b>	<b>Commons Report Committee &amp; Recommendation</b>	<b>Consideration L (Lords), C (Commons)</b>
21.2.2005	Regulatory Reform (Execution of Deeds and Documents) Order 2005	HL 81 (d)	HC 429 (d)	7.6.2005 (L) 8.6.2005 (C)
17.3.2005	Regulatory Reform (Fire Safety) Order 2005	HL 91 (d)	HC 495 (d)	24.5.2005 (C) 7.6.2005 (L)
23.1.2006	Regulatory Reform (Forestry) Order 2006	HL 112 (d)	HC 880 (d)	9.2.2006 (C) 6.3.2006 (L)
19.6.2006	Regulatory Reform (Registered Designs) Order 2006	HL 217 (d)	HC 1439 (d)	18.7.2006 (C) 20.7.2006 (L)
5.7.2006	Regulatory Reform (Agricultural Tenancies) (England and Wales) Order 2006	HL 226 (d)	HC 1555 (d)	16.10.2006 (L) 17.10.2006 (C)

**Remedial Orders, Draft Remedial Orders and Urgent Procedure Remedial Orders:  
Proceedings as at 1 December 2006**

Under the Human Rights Act 1998 (s10), if a court makes a declaration of incompatibility with the European Convention on Human Rights in relation to a statute, the Government is able to propose draft Orders or make Orders to amend primary legislation in order to remove any incompatibility. The Joint Committee on Human Rights is required, in accordance with Schedule 2 to the Act, to report to each House its opinion on any such proposal, draft Order or urgent procedure Order within a specified period after it has been laid before Parliament.

Committee recommendation:

- a) a draft order in the same terms as the proposal should be laid before the House
- b) the proposal should be amended before a draft order is laid before the House
- c) the order or draft order should be approved
- d) the order should be replaced by a modified order
- e) the order or draft order should not be approved

**Proposals for Draft Orders**

<b>Date Laid</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Jnt Cttee on Human Rights: Report &amp; Recommendation</b>
16.2	Draft Marriage Act 1949 (Remedial) Order 2006	HL Paper 154 / HC 1022 (a)

**Draft Orders**

<b>Date Laid</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Jnt Cttee on Human Rights: Report &amp; Recommendation</b>	<b>Lords Consideration</b>	<b>Commons Consideration</b>
3.7	Draft Marriage Act 1949 (Remedial) Order 2006	HL Paper 248 / HC 1627 (c)		

**Urgent Orders**

<b>Date Laid</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Jnt Cttee on Human Rights: Report &amp; Recommendation</b>	<b>Lords Consideration</b>	<b>Commons Consideration</b>
None				

## Northern Ireland Legislation: proceedings as at 24 November 2006

The Northern Ireland Assembly was suspended from midnight on 14 October 2002. During suspension, legislation, which would otherwise have come within the competence of the Assembly, may be made by Order in Council under Schedule 1 to the Northern Ireland Act 2000. The 2000 Act is also currently being used to make Orders in Council which, while the Assembly was active, would have been made under section 85 of the Northern Ireland Act 1998 (Orders making provision for certain reserved matters, for example the criminal law).

Unless made without Parliamentary Approval by reason of urgency, draft Orders in Council must be approved by a resolution of both Houses before being made (affirmative procedure). Orders in Council made before Parliamentary approval by reason of urgency (**U**), must be approved by both Houses within 40 days of being made.

Some UK Acts, for example dealing with social security or pensions, provide for corresponding provisions to be made for Northern Ireland by means of an Order in Council under the 2000 Act, subject to annulment in pursuance of a resolution of either House (negative procedure (**N**)), rather than by the normal affirmative procedure.

Where appropriate, proposals for draft Orders in Council are issued for public consultation and on occasions may be considered by the Northern Ireland Grand Committee (**G**), before the draft Order is laid. Prior to formal approval being sought on the floor of the Commons, draft Orders are normally considered in a Delegated Legislation Committee (**D**) or, less frequently, by the Northern Ireland Grand Committee. The Northern Ireland Orders Grand Committee (**O**) would also, from time to time, consider a draft Order before formal approval is sought on the floor of the Lords.

### Abbreviations:

<b>U</b>	Urgent Procedure	<b>D</b>	Delegated Legislation Committee
<b>G</b>	Northern Ireland Grand committee	<b>O</b>	Northern Ireland Order Grand Committee
<b>A</b>	Approved	<b>N</b>	Negative Procedure

Title and SI No.	Consultation on Proposal	NIGC	(Draft) Order Laid	Commons	Lords	Privy Council
Unauthorised Encampments (Northern Ireland) Order 2005 SI No. 1961	11.10.2004		21.2.2005	22.6.2005 ( <i>D</i> ) 27.6.2005 ( <i>A</i> )	20.6.2005 ( <i>A</i> )	19.7.2005
	31.12.2004					
Local Government (Northern Ireland) Order 2005 SI No. 1968	19.10.2004		2.3.2005	5.7.2005 ( <i>D</i> ) 11.7.2005 ( <i>A</i> )	14.6.2005 ( <i>A</i> )	19.7.2005
	- 10.1.2005					
Law Reform (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Northern Ireland) Order 2004	30.9.2004		7.2.2005	28.2.2005 ( <i>D</i> ) 2.3.2005 ( <i>A</i> )	26.5.2005 ( <i>A</i> )	7.6.2005
	- 23.12.2004					
Drainage (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) Order 2004	6.9.2004		26.1.2005	24.2.2005 ( <i>D</i> ) 28.2.2005 ( <i>A</i> )	26.5.2005 ( <i>A</i> )	7.6.2005
	- 26.11.2004					
Company Directors Disqualification (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) Order 2005	03.08.04		20.1.2005	1.3.2005 ( <i>D</i> ) 3.3.2005 ( <i>A</i> )	26.5.2005 ( <i>A</i> )	7.6.2005
	- 29.10.04					
Insolvency (Northern Ireland) Order 2005	03.08.04		24.1.2005	1.3.2005 ( <i>D</i> ) 3.3.2005 ( <i>A</i> )	26.5.2005 ( <i>A</i> )	7.6.2005
	- 29.10.04					
Firearms (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) Order 2005 SI No. 1966	22.11.04		21.2.2005	23.6.2005 ( <i>D</i> )	14.6.2005 ( <i>A</i> )	19.7.2005
	- 17.02.05					

<b>Title and SI No.</b>	<b>Consultation on Proposal</b>	<b>NIGC</b>	<b>(Draft) Order Laid</b>	<b>Commons</b>	<b>Lords</b>	<b>Privy Council</b>
The Northern Ireland Act 2000 (Modification) (No.2) Order 2005			25.5.2005	14.7.2005 (D) 19.7.2005 (A)	7.7.2005 (O) 11.7.2005 (A)	
Draft Budget (No.2) (Northern Ireland) Order 2005 SI No. 1962	N/A	29.6.2005	9.6.2005	4.7.2005 (A)	4.7.2005 (O) 7.7.2005 (A)	19.7.2005
Local Elections (Northern Ireland) (Amendment) Order 2005			9.6.2005	12.7.2005 (D) 14.7.2005 (A)	7.7.2005 (O) 11.7.2005 (A)	19.7.2005
Traffic Management (Northern Ireland) Order 2005 SI No. 1964	01.03.05 - 10.05.05		16.6.2005	7.7.2005 (D) 12.7.2005 (A)	4.7.2005 (O) 7.7.2005 (A)	19.7.2005
Criminal Procedure and Investigations Act 1996 (Code of Practice) (Northern Ireland) Order 2005			16.6.2005	12.7.2005 (D) 14.7.2005 (A)	7.7.2005 (O) 11.7.2005 (A)	
The Companies (Audit, Investigations and Community Enterprise) (Northern Ireland) Order 2005 SI No. 1967	15.03.05 - 27.05.05		27.6.2005	5.7.2005 (D) 11.7.2005 (A)	4.7.2005 (O) 7.7.2005 (A)	19.7.2005
The Colleges of Education (Northern Ireland) Order 2005 SI No. 1963	22.03.05 - 19.05.05		28.6.2005	4.7.2005 (D) 6.7.2005 (A)	4.7.2005 (O) 7.7.2005 (A)	19.7.2005
The Criminal Justice (Northern Ireland) Order 2005 SI No. 1965	24.03.05 - 17.06.05		28.6.2005	6.7.2005 (D) 11.7.2005 (A)	4.7.2005 (O) 7.7.2005 (A)	19.7.2005
The Northern Ireland (Sentences) Act 1998 (Specified Organisations) Order 2005 (U)			14.9.2005	9.11.2005 (D) 14.11.2005 (A)	24.10.2005 (O) 31.10.2005 (A)	
The Employment (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Northern Ireland) Order 2005 SI No. 3424	22.06.05 - 12.09.05		24.10.2005	15.11.2005 (D) 21.11.2005 (A)	23.11.2005 (A)	14.12.2005
The Industrial and Provident Societies (Northern Ireland) Order 2005 SI No. 314	30.03.05 - 24.06.05		14.11.2005	19.12.2005 (D) 9.1.2006 (A)	1.12.2005 (A)	14.2.2006
The Legal Aid (Northern Ireland) Order 2005 SI No. 3423			15.11.2005	29.11.2005 (D) 1.12.2005 (A)	5.12.2005 (A)	14.12.2005

<b>Title and SI No.</b>	<b>Consultation on Proposal</b>	<b>NIGC</b>	<b>(Draft) Order Laid</b>	<b>Commons</b>	<b>Lords</b>	<b>Privy Council</b>
The Safety of Sports Grounds (Northern Ireland) Order 2005 SI No. 313	06.06.05 - 02.09.05		21.11.2005	7.12.2005 (D) 12.12.2005 (A)	14.12.2005 (A)	14.2.2006
Criminal Justice (International Co-operation) Act 1990 (Enforcement of Overseas Forfeiture Orders) (Northern Ireland) Order 2005 (N) SI No. 3179			25.11.2005			
Disability Discrimination (Northern Ireland) Order 2005 SI No. 312	31.01.05 - 25.04.05		7.12.2005	19.1.2006 (D) 23.1.2006 (A)	25.1.2006 (A)	14.2.2006
Education (Northern Ireland) Order 2006	06.12.05 - 07.03.06		12.6.2006	28.6.2006 (D) 5.7.2006 (A)		19.7.2006
Northern Ireland Arms Decommissioning Act 1997 (Amnesty Period) Order 2006			17.1.2006	6.2.2006 (D) 9.2.2006 (A)	10.2.2006 (A)	
The Stormont Estate (Northern Ireland) Order 2006			23.1.2006	13.2.2006 (D) 15.2.2006 (A)	10.2.2006 (A)	8.3.2006
Draft Budget (Northern Ireland) Order 2006		7.2.2006	25.1.2006	9.2.2006 (A)	2.3.2006 (O) 6.3.2006 (A)	8.3.2006
Draft Rates (Capital Values etc) (Northern Ireland) Order 2006			26.1.2006	9.2.2006 (D)	2.3.2006 (O) 6.3.2006 (A)	8.3.2006
Guardian's Allowance Up-rating (Northern Ireland) Order 2006			13.2.2006	27.3.2006 (D) 28.3.2006 (A)	24.3.2006 (A)	
The Northern Ireland Act 2000 (Modification) Order 2006			27.2.2006	21.3.2006 (D) 28.3.2006 (A)	22.3.2006 (O) 29.3.2006 (A)	
The Terrorism Act 2000 (Revised Code of Practice for the Identification of Persons by Police Officers) (Northern Ireland) Order 2006			15.3.2006	8.5.2006 (D) 9.5.2006 (A)	18.4.2006 (O) 26.4.2006 (A)	
The Planning Reform (Northern Ireland) Order 2006			8.3.2006	2.5.2006 (D)	18.4.2006 (O) 26.4.2006 (A)	9.5.2006
The Fire and Rescue Services (Northern Ireland) Order 2006			13.3.2006	24.4.2006 (D)	18.4.2006 (O) 26.4.2006 (A)	9.5.2006

<b>Title and SI No.</b>	<b>Consultation on Proposal</b>	<b>NIGC</b>	<b>(Draft) Order Laid</b>	<b>Commons</b>	<b>Lords</b>	<b>Privy Council</b>
Local Government (Boundaries) (Northern Ireland) Order 2006			22.3.2006	18.4.2006 (D)	18.4.2006 (O)	9.5.2006
Private Tenancies (Northern Ireland) Order 2006			24.4.2006	10.5.2006 (D) 16.5.2006 (A)	17.5.2006 (A)	7.6.2006
Northern Ireland Act 2000 (Modification) (No.2) Order 2006			24.5.2006	20.7.2006 (D) 24.7.2006 (A)	19.6.2006 (O) 28.6.2006 (A)	
Recovery of Health Services Charges (Northern Ireland) Order 2006			24.5.2006	21.6.2006 (D) 26.6.2006 (A)	19.6.2006 (O) 28.6.2006 (A)	19.7.2006
Water and Sewerage Services (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Northern Ireland) Order 2006	01.06.06 - 24.08.06		5.6.2006	13.6.2006 (D) 19.6.2006 (A)	4.7.2006 (O) 12.7.2006 (A)	19.7.2006
Budget (No.2) (Northern Ireland) Order 2006		20.6.2006	6.6.2006	26.6.2006 (A)	4.7.2006 (O) 12.7.2006 (A)	19.7.2006
The Law Reform (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Northern Ireland) Order 2006			12.6.2006	5.7.2006 (D) 10.7.2006 (A)	4.7.2006 (O) 12.7.2006 (A)	19.7.2006
Draft Smoking (Northern Ireland) Order 2006			4.7.2006	20.7.2006 (D) 9.10.2006 (A)	9.10.2006 (A)	14.11.2006
Work and Families (Northern Ireland) Order 2006			26.7.2006			19.7.2006
Draft Electricity Consents (Planning) (Northern Ireland) Order 2006		25.10.2006	9.10.2006	31.10.2006 (D) 6.11.2006 (A)	7.11.2006 (A)	14.11.2006
Draft Victims and Survivors (Northern Ireland) Order 2006		25.10.2006	9.10.2006	1.11.2006 (D) 6.11.2006 (A)	7.11.2006 (A)	14.11.2006
Draft Water and Sewerage Services (Northern Ireland) Order 2006			9.10.2006	28.11.2006 (D)		
Draft Rates (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) Order 2006		25.10.2006	9.10.2006	25.10.2006 (D) 1.11.2006 (A)	7.11.2006 (A)	14.11.2006
Draft Housing (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) Order 2006			20.11.2006	7.12.2006 (D)		
Draft District Electoral Commissioner (Northern Ireland) (Amendment) Order 2006			30.11.2006			

## Transport and Works Act 1992 Orders

This Act replaces Private Bill procedure for the authorisation of transport works projects  
 A - Application, made to the TWA Orders Unit at the Department for Transport, date refers to when the application was received in the House  
 O - Final order, printed as Statutory Instrument, published by The Stationery Office.  
 Agent - See **Private Legislation—General Notes** for contact details

### Applications for Orders under the Transport and Works Act 1992

Title of Order	A:	Agent	Final Order
Borough of Poole (Poole Harbour Opening Bridges) Order	13.12.2004	Rees and Freres	
Cambridgeshire Guided Busway Order	19.2.2004	Bircham Dyson Bell	2005/No.3523 Made 21.12.05
Cirrus Energy Shell Flat Offshore Wind Farm	28.8.2003	Winckworth Sherwood	
Docklands Light Railway (Capacity Enhancement) Order	29.6.2004	Rees and Freres	2005/No.3105 Made 4.11.05
Docklands Light Railway (Stratford International Extension) Order	21.9.2005	Bircham Dyson Bell	
East Kent Railway Order	28.2.2006	Winckworth Sherwood	
East Somerset Railway Order	6.5.2005	Chubb Bulleid, 6 Farm Road, Street, Somerset, BA16 0EL, Tel: 01749 836100	2005/No.3143 Made 10.11.05
Environment Agency (Inland Waterways) Order	18.10.2005	Bircham Dyson Bell	
Felixstowe Dock and Railway (Land Acquisition) Order	15.6.2004	Rees and Freres	
Felixstowe Branch Line and Ipswich Yard Improvement Order	14.12.2005 5.5.2006 (revised)	DLA Piper Rudnick Gray Cary UK LLP, 3 Noble Street, London, EC2V 7EE, Tel: 020 7153 7205	
Greater Manchester (Light Rapid Transit System) Order	8.1.2003	Bircham Dyson Bell	2006/No.405 Made 20.2.06
Leicestershire County Council (Ashby de la Zouch Extension) Order	13.2.2004	Leicestershire County Council	2005/No.2786 Made 7.10.05
London Gateway Logistics and Commercial Centre	14.2.2002	Macfarlanes, 10 Norwich St, London EC4A 1BD Tel: 020 7831 9222	
Luton Dunstable Translink Order	18.12.2003	Rees and Freres	
Ouseburn Barrage Order	11.11.2004 27.1.2006 (revised)	Newcastle City Council	
Pontypool and Blaenavon (Phase 1) Railway Order	15.8.2005	Winckworth Sherwood	
Port of Blyth (Battleship Wharf Railway) Order	10.2.2006	Rees & Freres	2006/No.1518 Made 12.6.06
Railtrack (Thameslink 2000)*	21.11.1997	Rees & Freres	
Railtrack (Thameslink 2000) Variation*	29.9.1999	Rees & Freres	
Teesport (Land Acquisition) Order	26.5.2006	Rees & Freres	
Docklands Light Railway (Capacity Enhancement and 2012 Games Preparation) Order	2.8.2006	Rees & Freres	

\*These two proposed Orders have since been consolidated into one which if made, would be entitled “The Network Rail (Thameslink 2000) Order”

## General Committees

Factsheets on the Parliament website: <http://www.parliament.uk/commons/lib/fact.htm>  
 Public Bill Committee debates on the Parliament website: <http://www.publications.parliament.uk/pa/cm/stand.htm>  
 Other General Committee debates: <http://www.publications.parliament.uk/pa/cm/othstn.htm>

### Current Public Bill Committees, details of membership

Bill	Status	Membership
Fraud (Trials Without a Jury) Bill (G)	<i>14.12.2006</i>	To be announced
Welfare Reform Bill (G)	30.11.2006	Issue 2 p29

Dates in italics denote expected reporting date of Public Bill Committee as stated in the Programme Motion if made

### General Committee Meetings 27 November – 30 November

#### Monday 27 November

None

#### Tuesday 28 November

PBC	Welfare Reform Bill Committee, (13 <sup>th</sup> & 14 <sup>th</sup> sittings; Clauses 36, 40-44, 47-52 agreed; Clauses 45 & 46 as amended, agreed)
ESC	EU Document No. 9898/06 relating to Consultation on Fisheries Management Proposals
ESC	EU Document No. 10755/06 relating to the European Union agency for Fundamental Rights and EU Document No. 13104/06 relating to Fundamental Rights and Citizenship Programme
1 <sup>st</sup> DLC	Draft Non-Domestic Rating (Chargeable Amounts) (Amendment) (England) Regulations 2006
5 <sup>th</sup> DLC	Draft Water and Sewerage Services (Northern Ireland) Order 2006

#### Wednesday 29 November

3 <sup>rd</sup> DLC	Draft Double Taxation Relief (Taxes on Income) (Poland) Order 2006
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#### Thursday 30 November

PBC	Welfare Reform Bill Committee, (15 <sup>th</sup> sitting; Clauses 58-66, 68 & 69 and Schedule 7 agreed; Clause 67 and Schedule 8 as amended, agreed)
4 <sup>th</sup> DLC	Statement of Changes in Immigration Rules (CM 6918)



**Forthcoming General Committee Meetings  
4 – 7 December**

**Monday 4 December**

- 1<sup>st</sup> DLC Draft Association of Law Costs Draftsmen Order 2006, 4.30pm, Room 9
- 2<sup>nd</sup> DLC Draft Compensation Act 2006 (Contribution for Mesothelioma Claims) Regulations 2006, 4.30pm, Room 11

**Tuesday 5 December**

- ESC EU Document 5047/06 and Addendum 1, and 5050/06 and Addendum 1 relating to Waste Prevention and Recycling, 4.30pm, Room 10
- 3<sup>rd</sup> DLC Draft Compensation (Claims Management Services) Regulations 2006, draft Compensation (Regulated Claims Management Services) Order 2006, draft Compensation (Specification of Benefits) Order 2006, 10.30am, Room 9
- 4<sup>th</sup> DLC Draft Taxation of Securitisation Companies Regulations 2006, 10.30am, Room 11
- 5<sup>th</sup> DLC Draft Oil Taxation (Market Value of Oil) Regulations 2006 and the draft Petroleum Revenue Tax (Attribution of Blended Crude Oil) Regulations 2006, 4.30pm, Room 9
- 6<sup>th</sup> DLC Draft Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 (Exceptions) (Amendment No.2) (England and Wales) Order 2006, 4.30pm, Room 11

**Wednesday 6 December**

- 7<sup>th</sup> DLC Draft Representation of the People (Combination of Polls) (England and Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2006, 2.30pm, Room 9
- 8<sup>th</sup> DLC Draft Animal Health and Welfare (Scotland) Act 2006 (Consequential Provisions) (England and Wales) Order 2006 and the draft Scotland Act 1998 (Transfer of Functions to the Scottish Ministers etc.) (No.3) Order 2006, 2.30pm, Room 10
- 9<sup>th</sup> DLC Draft National Assembly for Wales (Transfer of Functions) (No. 2) Order 2006, 2.30pm, Room 11
- 10<sup>th</sup> DLC Draft Financial Assistance Scheme (Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2006, 2.30pm, Room 12

**Thursday 7 December**

- 11<sup>th</sup> DLC Draft Extradition Act 2003 (Amendment to Designations) Order 2006, 8.55am, Room 9
- 12<sup>th</sup> DLC Draft Housing (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) Order 2006, 2.30pm, Room 9
- 13<sup>th</sup> DLC Draft Asylum (First List of Safe Countries) (Amendment) Order 2006 and draft Accession (Immigration and Worker Authorisation) Regulations 2006, 2.30pm, Room 11

Please note: The time and location of general committee meetings may be changed at short notice. This list is correct as at press (12 noon Friday). Recorded information about forthcoming select and general committee meetings over the next two sitting days is available on Tel: 020 7219 2033. Further enquiries may be made to the Committee Office general enquiry lines, Tel: 020 7219 3267/4300/0284

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### Membership

#### Defence

Mr Mark Lancaster discharged; Mr Bernard Jenkin added

#### Foreign Affairs

Mr John Maples discharged; Mr Malcolm Moss added

#### Science and Technology

Margaret Moran discharged; Mr Graham Stringer added

## Select Committee Meetings 27 – 30 November 2006

### Monday 27 November

#### PUBLIC ACCOUNTS

Subject: Delivering successful IT-enabled business change

Witnesses: Mr Ian Watmore, Head, e-Government Unit, and Mr John Oughton, Chief Executive, Office of Government Commerce

#### COMMUNITIES AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Subject: DCLG Annual Report 2006

Witnesses: Peter Housden, Permanent Secretary, Peter Unwin, Director General, Corporate Delivery, Joe Montgomery, Director General, Places and Communities, and Christina Bienkowska CBE, Director General, Strategy and Performance, Department for Communities and Local Government

#### ENVIRONMENT, FOOD AND RURAL AFFAIRS: RURAL PAYMENTS AGENCY SUB-COMMITTEE

Subject: Rural Payments Agency

Witnesses: Tony Cooper, interim Chief Executive, Simon Vry, interim Chief Operating Officer and Ian Hewett, Operations Director, Rural Payments Agency

### Tuesday 28 November

#### ENVIRONMENTAL AUDIT

Subject: The EU ETS: Lessons from phase I

Witnesses: Association of Electricity Producers; Engineering Employers' Federation and TUC ; and Climate Change Capital

#### CULTURE, MEDIA AND SPORT

Subject: Call TV quiz shows

Witnesses: Graham Meacham, Citizens' Advice, and Shari Vahl, You and Yours, BBC Radio 4; BSKyB ; Big Game TV Ltd, Optimistic Entertainment plc, and Ostrich Media Ltd ; Channel 4, Five, and ITV; The Gambling Commission, Ofcom, and Independent Committee for the Supervision of Standards of Telephone Information Services (ICSTIS); Shaun Woodward MP, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State, Department for Culture, Media and Sport

**DEFENCE**

Subject: The work of the Defence Science and Technology Laboratory  
Witnesses: Frances Saunders, Acting Chief Executive, and officials, Defence Science and Technology Laboratory; Professor Sir Roy Anderson, Chief Scientific Adviser, and officials, Ministry of Defence

**INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT**

Subject: Development Assistance and the Occupied Palestinian Territories  
Witnesses: Mr Alan Seatter, Head of Near East Unit, Directorate General for External Relations, European Commission and David Shearer, Head, UN OCHA – Occupied Palestinian Territories

**WELSH AFFAIRS**

Subject: Welsh Prisoners in the Prison Estate  
Witnesses: Prison Governors Association; Youth Justice Board; Victim Support Wales ; and Campaign for Real Justice

**HOME AFFAIRS**

Subject: Justice and Home Affairs Issues at European Union Level  
Witnesses: Jonathan Faull, Director-General, DG Freedom, Security and Justice, European Commission; Michael Cashman MEP, Timothy Kirkhope MEP, Jean Lambert MEP and Graham Watson MEP

**Wednesday 29 November**

**SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY**

Subject: Human enhancement technologies in sport  
Witnesses: Dr Richard Budgett, Chief Medical Officer, British Olympic Association, and Professor Arne Ljungqvist, Chairman, Medical Commission, International Olympic Committee (IOC)

**HEALTH**

Subject: Public Expenditure on Health and Personal Social Services 2006  
Witnesses: Rt Hon Patricia Hewitt MP, Secretary of State for Health; David Nicholson CBE, NHS Chief Executive, and Richard Douglas, Director of Finance, Department of Health

**TRANSPORT**

Subject: The Department for Transport Annual Report 2006  
Witnesses: Rt Hon Douglas Alexander MP, Secretary of State for Transport and Sir David Rowlands KCB, Permanent Secretary, Department for Transport

**NORTHERN IRELAND AFFAIRS**

Subject: Tourism in Northern Ireland and its Economic Impact and Benefits  
Witnesses: People 1<sup>st</sup>; Professor Stephen Boyd, Professor of Tourism, University of Ulster

**ENVIRONMENT, FOOD AND RURAL AFFAIRS**

Subject: Climate change: the “citizen’s agenda”  
Witnesses: B&Q and Micropower Council; Energy Retail Association

**PUBLIC ACCOUNTS**

Subject: BBC Outsourcing: The contract between the BBC and Siemens Business Services  
Witnesses: Mark Thompson, Director-General, Jeremy Peat, International Governor and Chair of Audit Committee, Zarin Patel, Group Finance Director, and Ashley Highfield, Director, New-Media, BBC

**Thursday 30 November**

**PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION**

Subject: Skills for Government

Witnesses: FDA, Prospect, and PCS

**TREASURY**

Subject: Bank of England November 2006 Inflation Report

Witnesses: Mervyn King, Governor of the Bank of England, and Sir John Gieve, Mr Charlie Bean, Professor Tim Besley, and Professor David Blanchflower, MPC members

**INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT**

Subject: Water and Sanitation

Witnesses: Water and Sanitation for the Urban Poor, International Institute for Environment and Development (IIED) and UNDP Human Development Report; Aquafed and Nepal Water for Health

**TREASURY**

Subject: Globalisation: its impact on the real economy

Witness: Professor Amartya Sen

**Forthcoming Select Committee Meetings  
4 – 7 December 2006**

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**Monday 4 December**

<b>WELSH AFFAIRS</b> Subject: Welsh Prisoners in the Prison Estate Witnesses: Ian Shannon, Assistant Chief Constable, North Wales Police and representative of ACPO Wales, and Carol Moore, Chief Officer, North Wales Probation Area and Chair, North Wales Criminal Justice Board	9.30 a.m.	Courtney Suite, Suites Hotel Knowsley, Prescot, Liverpool
<b>NORTHERN IRELAND AFFAIRS</b> Subject: Community Restorative Justice Witnesses: Northern Ireland Alternatives; Community Restorative Justice Ireland (at 3.00 p.m.)	2.00 p.m.	Confex room 2/3, Stormont Hotel, Belfast
<b>PUBLIC ACCOUNTS*</b> Subject: A foot on the ladder: Low cost home ownership Witnesses: Peter Housden, Permanent Secretary, Department for Communities and Local Government, and Mr Jon Rouse, Chief Executive, Housing Corporation	4.30 p.m.	15
<b>COMMUNITIES AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT</b> Subject: DCLG Annual Report 2006 Witnesses: Rt Hon Ruth Kelly MP, Secretary of State and Minister for Women, and Peter Unwin, Director-General, Corporate Delivery, Department for Communities and Local Government	4.40 p.m.	The Grimond Room, Portcullis House
<b>ENVIRONMENT, FOOD AND RURAL AFFAIRS</b> Subject: Defra's Departmental Report 2006 and Defra's budget Witnesses: Helen Ghosh, Permanent Secretary and Ian Grattidge, Director Finance, Planning and Resources, Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs	5.00 p.m.	The Thatcher Room, Portcullis House

**Joint Committee**

<b>HUMAN RIGHTS</b> Subject: The Treatment of Asylum Seekers Witnesses: Citizens' Advice, Inter-Agency Partnership, The Scottish Refugee Council and The Scottish Refugee Policy Forum; Medecins du Monde, Medact and The National Aids Trust (at 5.30 p.m.)	4.15 p.m.	4a
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**Tuesday 5 December**

<b>INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT</b> Subject: Water and Sanitation Witnesses: Officials from the Department for International Development; Representatives from the Directorate-General Development of the European Commission, the African Development Bank, and WaterAid (at 11.30 a.m.)	10.30 a.m.	16
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<p><b>NORTHERN IRELAND AFFAIRS</b>                  Subject: Community Restorative Justice                  Witnesses: Sir Hugh Orde, Chief Constable and Assistant Chief Constable Drew Harris,                  Police Service of Northern Ireland</p>	<p>10.50 a.m.</p>	<p>Confex room 2/3,                  Stormont Hotel,                  Belfast</p>
<b>Wednesday 6 December</b>		
<p><b>EDUCATION AND SKILLS</b>                  Subject: Sustainable Schools                  Witnesses: Sally Brooks, Divisional Manager, Schools Capital (Policy and Delivery),                  Department for Education and Skills, and Martin Lipson, Programme Director, 4ps</p>	<p>9.30 a.m.</p>	<p>The Wilson Room,                  Portcullis House</p>
<p><b>SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY*</b>                  Subjects: Space Policy                  Witnesses: Colin Paynter, EADS Astrium, Stuart Martin, Logica CMG, David Williams,                  Avanti, and Sir Martin Sweeting OBE, Surrey Satellite Technology Limited; Dr Trevor                  Cross, e2v, John Rootes, JRA Technology Ltd, UK, and Nathan Hill, Qi3 (at 10.30 a.m.)</p>	<p>9.30 a.m.</p>	<p>8</p>
<p><b>EUROPEAN SCRUTINY</b>                  Subject: Draft Regulation to impose a uniform format for residence permits for third                  country nationals                  Witnesses: Liam Byrne MP, Minister of State, Home Office and officials</p>	<p>2.30 p.m.</p>	<p>19</p>
<p><b>TRANSPORT*</b>                  Subjects: (i) The Ports Industry in England and Wales (ii) Transport Security: Travelling                  without fear                  Witnesses: (i) United Kingdom Major Ports Group, British Ports Association, Associated                  British Ports Holdings; (ii) Rt Hon Douglas Alexander MP, Secretary of State for                  Transport (at 3.45 p.m.)</p>	<p>2.45 p.m.</p>	<p>8</p>
<p><b>ENVIRONMENTAL AUDIT</b>                  Subject: The EU ETS: Lessons from phase I                  Witness: The Carbon Trust</p>	<p>2.50 p.m.</p>	<p>6</p>
<p><b>FOREIGN AFFAIRS</b>                  Subject: UK Trade &amp; Investment                  Witness: Andrew Cahn CMG, Chief Executive, Susan Haird, Deputy Chief Executive and                  Ian Fletcher, Director International Group, UK Trade &amp; Investment</p>	<p>3.00 p.m.</p>	<p>The Grimond Room,                  Portcullis House</p>
<p><b>NORTHERN IRELAND AFFAIRS</b>                  Subject: Community Restorative Justice                  Witnesses: David Hanson MP, Minister of State the Northern Ireland Office, and Officials</p>	<p>3.00 p.m.</p>	<p>The Wilson Room,                  Portcullis House</p>
<p><b>PROCEDURE</b>                  Subject: Early Day Motions                  Witnesses: Dr Malcolm Jack, Clerk of the House, and Mr David Natzler, Principal Clerk,                  Table Office, House of Commons</p>	<p>3.00 p.m.</p>	<p>20</p>
<p><b>PUBLIC ACCOUNTS</b>                  Subject: Improving the use of temporary staff in NHS acute and foundation trusts                  Witnesses: Mr David Nicholson, Permanent Secretary, Janice Sigsworth, Deputy Chief                  Nursing Officer, Mr David Moss, Programme Director, NHS Pay Reform, Department of                  Health and Ms Sian Thomas, Deputy Director, NHS Employers</p>	<p>3.30 p.m.</p>	<p>15</p>

**ENVIRONMENT, FOOD AND RURAL AFFAIRS:  
RURAL PAYMENTS AGENCY SUB-COMMITTEE** 4.15 p.m. The Thatcher Room,  
Portcullis House  
Subject: Rural Payments Agency  
Witness: Sir Brian Bender, KCB, former Permanent Secretary, Department for  
Environment, Food and Rural Affairs

**Thursday 7 December**

**HOME AFFAIRS AND EUROPEAN SCRUTINY\*** 10.15 a.m. The Boothroyd Room,  
Portcullis House  
Subject: Migration issues relating to the accession of Bulgaria and Romania to the EU  
Witnesses: Liam Byrne MP, Minister of State, Home Office and officials

**PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION** 10.30 a.m. The Grimond Room,  
Portcullis House  
Subject: Skills for Government  
Witnesses: Dr Colin Talbot, Professor of Public Policy, University of Nottingham and  
David Walker, Editor, Public magazine

**QUADRIPARTITE** 2.30 p.m. 16  
Subject: Strategic Export Controls  
Witnesses: Mr Oliver Sprague, Mr Simon Gray, and Mr Roy Isbister, UK Working Group  
on Arms; Mr David Hayes, Mr Brinley Salzmann, Mrs Susan Griffiths, and Mr Barry  
Fletcher, Export Group for Aerospace and Defence (EGAD) (at 3.15 p.m.)

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## House of Lords Committees: Forthcoming Public Meetings

Enquiries about Lords Committees may be put to the Lords Committee Office 020 7219 2940  
(Subject Matters are in brackets)

### Monday 4 December

**Human Rights Joint Committee** 4.00pm

### Tuesday 5 December

**European Union Sub Committee A** 10.30am  
(Economic and Financial Affairs and International Trade)

**Economic Affairs Select Committee** 3.30pm

**Merits of Statutory Instruments Select Committee** 3.30pm

### Wednesday 6 December

**Constitution Committee Select Committee** 10.30am

**European Union Sub-Committee D** 10.30am  
(Environment and Agriculture)

**Science and Technology Sub-Committee I** 11.00am  
(Allergy)

**Statutory Instruments Joint Committee** 4.00pm

**European Union Sub-Committee E** 4.15pm  
(Law and Institutions)



## Select Committees: Publications received since the last Bulletin

All publications are available from The Stationery Office.  
 HC numbers refer to House of Commons papers session 2006-07 unless otherwise stated.  
 Cm numbers refer to papers in the Command series.  
 HLP numbers refer to House of Lords papers.  
 Select Committee Reports (Section B) are also on the parliamentary website <http://www.parliament.uk>  
 NAO & NIAO Reports are the forerunner of Public Accounts Committee inquiries.

### (A) Select Committee Evidence

Date Received	Committee	Subject	Witnesses	Date Heard	Paper No and ISBN	Price £
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None

### (B) Select Committee Reports

Date Received	Committee	No of Report	Title	Paper No and ISBN	Price £
30.11	International Development	1 <sup>st</sup>	Department for International Development Departmental Report 2006	HC 71 0215 031520	14.50
1.12	International Development	2 <sup>nd</sup>	HIV/AIDS: Marginalised groups and emerging epidemics	HC 46-I 0215 031598	6.00
28.11	Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments	1 <sup>st</sup>	Various Instruments	HL Paper 5 HC 82-i 010 4009675	6.00
28.11	Treasury	1 <sup>st</sup>	Financial inclusion: the roles of the Government and the FSA, and financial capability	HC 53 0215 031512	11.00

### (C) Government Response to Select Committee Report

Date Received	Committee	Details of Original Report	HC Paper or Cm No of response	Price £
27.11	Defence	11 <sup>th</sup> , Educating Service Children [HC 1054, 2005-06]	HC 58 0215 031490	4.50
28.11	Treasury	6 <sup>th</sup> , The administration of tax credits [HL 811, 2005-06]	HC 49 0215 031547	6.00
28.11	Treasury	9 <sup>th</sup> , Globalisation: the role of the IMF [HC 875, 2005-06]	HC 52 0215 031539	4.50

**(D) National Audit Office (NAO): Northern Ireland Audit Office (NIAO)**

<b>Date Received</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Paper No and ISBN</b>	<b>Price £</b>
29.11	Delivering effective services through Personal Advisers	HC 24 010 2943796	13.50

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## Departmental Select Committees: Current Inquiries

Select Committee evidence is published as a House of Commons Paper; there is generally a delay of 4-6 weeks before the material is available. When published it is also made available on the Parliament website. All HC paper numbers shown are from the 2005-06 session unless otherwise stated. Select Committees may also publish uncorrected transcripts of Ministers' evidence on the website as soon as the transcript is available. Hard copies of Select Committee publications can be purchased from The Stationery Office, contact details are shown on the back page of this bulletin. The website address for Select Committee publications is:  
<http://www.parliament.the-stationery-office.co.uk/pa/cm/cmselect.htm>

<b>Committee</b>	<b>Inquiry</b>	<b>First Evidence Session/ HC Paper No.</b>
Communities and Local Government	Coastal Towns Is there a future for Regional Government? DCLG Annual Report 2006	HC 1023 HC 977 27.11.2006
Constitutional Affairs	Party Funding	HC 1060
Culture Media and Sport	New Media and the Creative Industries Caring for our Collections London 2012 Olympics Call TV quiz shows	HC 1091 HC 1624 HC 552 28.11.2006
Defence	Defence Procurement 2006 The Future of the Strategic Nuclear Deterrent: the UK manufacturing and skills base Defence Science and Technology Laboratory	HC 1339 HC 1705 28.11.2006
Education and Skills	Sustainable Schools Citizenship Education The Work of Ofsted Bullying	HC 1150 HC 581 13.12.2006 HC 1103
Environment, Food and Rural Affairs	Climate change: the citizen's agenda UK Government's "Vision for the CAP" Avian Influenza Rural Payments Agency	HC 1688 HC 1250 HC 682 HC 1071
Foreign Affairs	Active diplomacy for a changing world: The FCO's strategic priorities South Asia	HC 1720 HC 55, 2006-07
Health	NHS Deficits Workforce needs and planning for the health service	HC 1204 HC 1077
Home Affairs	Young black people and the criminal justice system Justice and Home Affairs issues at European Union level	HC 1675 21.11.2006
International Development	Development Assistance and the Occupied Palestinian Territories Water and Sanitation	HC 1683 30.11.2006
Northern Ireland Affairs	Tourism in Northern Ireland Community Restorative Justice	HC 1687 HC 1706
Scottish Affairs	The Potential Benefits for Scotland of the 2012 Olympics Effects of Tax Increases on the Oil Industry	HC 658 HC 1326
Trade and Industry	The Work of the Advisory, Conciliation and Arbitration Service The Government's Energy Review Reasons for success and failure in the UK automotive sector Trade and Investment Opportunities with Brazil	HC 852 HC 897 HC 1075 HC 1719

<b>Committee</b>	<b>Inquiry</b>	<b>First Evidence Session/ HC Paper No.</b>
Transport	Travelling without fear UK Ports Industry	HC 1085 HC 1700
Treasury	Globalisation: its impact on the real economy FSA insurance regulation	HC 1218 HC 50, 2006-07
Welsh Affairs	Welsh Prisoners in the Prison Estate	HC 1658
Work and Pensions	Effectiveness of the Government's employment strategy	HC 1649

### Forthcoming Departmental Select Committee Inquiries

<b>Committee</b>	<b>Inquiry</b>	<b>Timetable</b>
Communities and Local Government	The Supply of Rented Housing	Inquiry announced 20.6.2006 Written evidence by 9.10.2006
Constitutional Affairs	Implementation of the Carter Review	Inquiry announced 26.7.2006 Written evidence by 2.10.2006
Culture, Media and Sport	Public service media content	Inquiry announced 26.10.2006 Written evidence by 18.1.2007
Defence	Future Rapid Effect System (FRES)	Inquiry announced 26.10.2006 Written evidence by 24.11.2006
Education and Skills	The future sustainability of the higher education sector: purpose, funding and structures The Bologna Process Post -16 Skills Training	Inquiry announced 3.11.2006 Written evidence by 18.12.2006 Inquiry announced 3.11.2006 Written evidence by 18.12.2006 Inquiry announced 30.11.2006 Written evidence by 8.1.2007
Environment, Food and Rural Affairs	The potential of England's rural economy	Inquiry announced 27.7.2006 Written evidence by 30.10.2006
Health	Public and Patient Involvement in the NHS	Inquiry announced 2.11.2006 Written evidence by 10.1.2007
Scottish Affairs	Poverty in Scotland	Inquiry announced 22.5.2006 Written evidence by 6.10.2006
Trade and Industry	Implementation of the report of the Women and Work Commission The future of the manufacturing industry in the UK Recent developments with Airbus	Inquiry announced 26.5.2006 Written evidence by 22.6.2006 Inquiry announced 24.7.2006 Written evidence by 29.9.2006 Inquiry announced 30.11.2006 Written evidence by 9.1.2007
Transport	Driver and Vehicle Registration and Licensing in Northern Ireland The Government's Motorcycling Strategy Novice Drivers	Inquiry announced 2.10.2006 Written evidence by 8.11.2006 Inquiry announced 2.11.2006 Written evidence by 18.12.2006 Inquiry announced 2.11.2006 Written evidence by 18.12.2006
Treasury	The Comprehensive Spending Review: emerging issues	Inquiry announced 24.7.2006 Written evidence by 11.10.2006

<b>Committee</b>	<b>Inquiry</b>	<b>Timetable</b>
	The Monetary Policy Committee of the Bank of England Climate Change and the Stern Review	Inquiry announced 21.11.2006 Written evidence by 24.1.2007 Inquiry announced 22.11.2006 Written evidence by: TBC
Welsh Affairs	Globalisation and its impact on Wales	Inquiry announced 17.11.2006 Written evidence by 8.1.2006

## White Papers and Green Papers received since last Bulletin

**WHITE PAPERS** are issued by the Government as statements of policy, and often set out proposals for legislative changes, which may be debated before a Bill is introduced. Some White Papers may invite comments.

**GREEN PAPERS** set out for discussion, proposals which are still at a formative stage.

All CONSULTATIVE and DISCUSSION documents which reach the House of Commons Information Office are included in this section. Inclusion in the Bulletin is for record purposes.

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Papers to which an ISBN and price are appended are normally available through The Stationery Office. For others, application should be made to the department concerned. External links provided in this section are correct as at the time of going to press, however they are not updated after that date.

### White Papers

#### Constitutional Affairs

LEGAL AID	Legal Aid Reform: the Way Ahead Copies from: <a href="http://www.dca.gov.uk">www.dca.gov.uk</a>	28.11
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#### Green Papers

None

### Regulatory Impact Assessments received since the last Bulletin

Date	Title	Contact
28.11	Pensions Bill	Pensions Reform Team Department for Work and Pensions Level 3, The Adelphi 1-11 John Adam Street London WC2N 6HT Tel: 0207 7962 8973 Email: <a href="mailto:adelphi.pensionsbillteam@dwp.gsi.gov.uk">adelphi.pensionsbillteam@dwp.gsi.gov.uk</a>
30.11	The Employment Act 2002 (Amendment of Schedules 3, 4 and 5) Order 2006	Ben Marriott Employment Relations Directorate Department of Trade and Industry 1 Victoria Street London SW1H 0ET Tel: 020 7215 5975 Email: <a href="mailto:benjamin.marriott@dti.gsi.gov.uk">benjamin.marriott@dti.gsi.gov.uk</a>
30.11	Proposed conversion of the advisory NDPB, The Technology Strategy Board, into an executive NDPB	Rufus Rottenberg Technology Strategy Board Transition Team Technology and Innovation Group Office of Science and Innovation Department of Trade and Industry Bay 202 151 Buckingham Palace Road London SW1W 9SS Tel: 020 7215 5384 Fax: 020 7215 3601 Email: <a href="mailto:rufus.rottenberg@dti.gsi.gov.uk">rufus.rottenberg@dti.gsi.gov.uk</a>

**Other Papers**

The Annual Report of Her Majesty's Chief Inspector of Schools, ISBN: 010 2943451, £18.00

Davidson Review, Final Report, ISBN: 011 840484, £25.00

Implementing Hampton from enforcement to compliance, ISBN: 1 845322207 (Copies from: [www.hm-treasury.gov.uk](http://www.hm-treasury.gov.uk)).

Long-Term opportunities and challenges for the UK: analysis for the 2007 Comprehensive Spending Review, ISBN: 1 845322150 (Copies from: [www.hm-treasury.gov.uk](http://www.hm-treasury.gov.uk))

The Law Commission, Murder, Manslaughter and Infanticide, HC 30, ISBN: 010 2943680, £32.50

The Electoral Commission: Annual Report 2005-06, HC 1613, ISBN: 010 2943540, £13.50

## European Communities Documents to be considered

*EU documents recommended for debate by the European Scrutiny Committee*

Progress of documents to be considered by the House is noted in the “European Union Documents” list, in the Vote Bundle, and on the parliament website at: <http://www.publications.parliament.uk/pa/cm/cmeudoc/cmeudoc.htm>.

Members, and others with access to the European Scrutiny Database, can check the status and progress of EU documentation at: <http://esd.hclibrary.parliament.uk:8051/ESDHTML/esd.html>.

**Enquiries can be directed to the European Scrutiny Select Committee office on 020 7219 5467/1548.**

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This includes draft Regulations and Directives, Decisions of the Council and Budgetary documents. The Committee examine the documents for political and legal implications, and decides whether it should be considered further in European Standing Committee, or for the most important documents, on the floor of the House. Recommendations for further consideration are noted in the list of “Memoranda” in the days Votes and Proceedings. Reports of the European Scrutiny Committee are available from TSO or on the parliament website at:

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### European Standing Committee A

Waste Prevention and Recycling (5047/06 and Addendum 1 and 5050/06 and Addendum 1) – 5 December 2006

The electronic recording and reporting of fishing activities and means of remote sensing (14181/04) – 12 December 2006

Sustainable use of pesticides (11902/06 and Addendum 1 and 11896/06 and Addenda 1-2)

Maritime policy (11510/06 and Addenda 1-13) – 19 March 2007

Authorisation of plant protection products (11755/06 and Addenda 1-12)

### European Standing Committee B

EU Enlargement: Bulgaria and Romania (13347/06) – 15 January 2007

Financial Management (11399/06, 11660/06 and Addenda 1-2, and unnumbered Explanatory Memorandum dated 10 October 2006 submitted by HM Treasury)

The EU-China relationship (Unnumbered Explanatory Memorandum dated 2 November 2006, submitted by Foreign and Commonwealth Office)

European enforcement order and the transfer of sentenced persons (13080/06)



**European Standing Committee C**

An EU strategy on the rights of the child (12107/06 and Addenda 1-2) – *18 December 2006*

EC action on health services (SEC(06) 1195/4) – *16 January 2007*

Marketing of pyrotechnic articles (13568/05)

Consumer credit (131934/05)

European Institute of technology (14871/06 and Addenda 1-2)

**Early Day Motions tabled between  
27 November – 1 December 2006**

Early Day Motion is a colloquial term for a notice given by a Member for which no date has been fixed for debate. This section records the date, number, primary sponsor and title of EDMs tabled in the last week. For information about the text and signatories see 'Notices of Motions' section of the Vote Bundle, the EDM Database at <http://www.parliament.uk> or contact the House of Commons Information Office (Tel: 020 7219 4272) who will advise. For Information on Early Day Motions see HCIO Factsheet P3 (<http://www.parliament.uk/factsheets>)

<b>Date</b>	<b>EDM</b>	<b>Primary Sponsor</b>	<b>Title</b>
27.11.06	287	Mrs Sharon Hodgson	BREAKTHROUGH BREAST CANCER'S SCREENING SAVES LIVES CAMPAIGN
27.11.06	288	Mrs Nadine Dorries	HOUSING PROVISION FOR FORMER MEMBERS OF THE UNITED KINGDOM'S ARMED FORCES
27.11.06	289	Robert Key	HER MAJESTY'S REVENUE AND CUSTOMS CHANGE PROGRAMME
27.11.06	290	Mr James Paice	TARGETS FOR MICROGENERATION
27.11.06	291	Julia Goldsworthy	IFS SCHOOL OF FINANCE
27.11.06	292	Hugh Bayley	CHILD ABDUCTION AND THE SEX OFFENDERS' REGISTER
27.11.06	293	Anna Main	SCRUTINY OF THE COST OF THE 2012 OLYMPICS
27.11.06	294	Mr Edward O'Hara	NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF CHILD CONTACT CENTRES
27.11.06	295	Ms Diane Abbott	TURKISH RESORT SAFETY
27.11.06	296	Mr Angus MacNeil	ENGLISH INDEPENDENCE
27.11.06	297	John McDonnell	PRIVATISATION OF DEFENCE TRAINING
27.11.06	298	Mr Douglas Hogg	SEXUAL ORIENTATION DISCRIMINATION IN GOODS AND SERVICES REGULATIONS
27.11.06	299	Mr Douglas Hogg	ENGLISH / WELSH ONLY BUSINESS
27.11.06	300	Graham Stringer	APOLOGIES BY GOVERNMENT
27.11.06	301	Graham Stringer	TEACHING OF CREATIONISM IN SCHOOLS
27.11.06	302	Pete Wishart	FAREPAK RESPONSE FUND
27.11.06	303	Mr John Leech	MANCHESTER METRONET AND THE WIRELESS NETWORK
27.11.06	304	Colin Burgon	ELECTIONS IN ECUADOR
27.11.06	305	Mr Andrew Love	VAT ON CDS AND DVDS
27.11.06	306	Mr Elliot Morley	BLUEPRINT FOR WATER CAMPAIGN
27.11.06	307	Keith Vaz	CLOSURE OF GE LIGHTING FACTORY IN LEICESTER
27.11.06	308	Mr Paul Burstow	RUNAWAY CHILDREN
27.11.06	309	Mr John Grogan	ATTEMPTED TAKEOVER OF ITV BY SKY
27.11.06	310	Mr Lindsay Hoyle	POULTRY FARMING
27.11.06	311	Kerry McCarthy	FIRST GREAT WESTERN TRAIN SERVICE CUTS IN BRISTOL AND WEST OF ENGLAND
27.11.06	312	Mr Andrew Lansley	PHYSIOTHERAPY GRADUATE UNEMPLOYMENT
27.11.06	313	Mr Andrew Lansley	FUTURE OF PATIENT AND PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT IN HEALTH
27.11.06	314	Mr Andrew Dismore	RESTITUTION OF ART LOOTED BY THE NAZIS
27.11.06	315	Ian Stewart	MINIMUM WAGE AND TIPS IN THE SERVICE INDUSTRIES
28.11.06	316	Mr David Crausby	WINTER FUEL ALLOWANCE
28.11.06	317	The Reverend Ian Paisley	SEXUAL ORIENTATION DISCRIMINATION (S.R. (N.I.), 2006, No. 439)

28.11.06	318	Lynda Waltho	35 <sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF REFUGE
28.11.06	319	Paul Flynn	GOVERNMENT POLICIES
28.11.06	320	Paul Flynn	ZOMBIE FUNDS LOSSES
28.11.06	321	Mr Brooks Newmark	EVERY DISABLED CHILD MATTERS CAMPAIGN
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28.11.06	333	Andrew Rosindell	GLASS SLIPPER APPEAL
28.11.06	334	Danny Alexander	DISABLED PERSONS (INDEPENDENT LIVING) BILL
28.11.06	335	John McDonnell	IMMEDIATE WITHDRAWAL FROM IRAQ
29.11.06	336	Mr Douglas Hogg	PASSPORT
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29.11.06	338	Jessica Morden	REDUCTION OF RAIL SERVICES STOPPING AT SEVERN TUNNEL JUNCTION
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29.11.06	341	Mrs Ann Cryer	CRIMINAL OFFENCE OF FORCING TO MARRY
29.11.06	342	Jeremy Corbyn	WORK OF PEACE BRIGADES INTERNATIONAL
29.11.06	343	Jeremy Corbyn	SUSPENSION OF EU AID TO PALESTINE
29.11.06	344	Nia Griffith	TURKISH BLOCKADE OF ARMENIA
29.11.06	345	Albert Owen	CONNECTING COMMUNITIES TO THE GAS MAINS NETWORK
29.11.06	346	Mr Jeffrey M. Donaldson	CHRISTIAN CONCERNS ABOUT THE SEXUAL ORIENTATION REGULATIONS
29.11.06	347	Mr Andrew Dismore	COUNCIL OF EUROPE CONVENTION ON THE PREVENTION OF TERRORISM
29.11.06	348	Paul Rowen	EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT REPORT ON KASHMIR
29.11.06	349	Helen Goodman	LABOUR STUDENTS' MAKE CHILD POVERTY HISTORY CAMPAIGN
29.11.06	350	Mr Frank Field	INQUIRY INTO FAREPAK
29.11.06	351	Mr Elliot Morley	NATURAL ENVIRONMENT AND CLIMATE CHANGE
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29.11.06	353	Mr Lindsay Hoyle	RELIGIOUS INTOLERANCE
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29.11.06	355	Dr Roberta Blackman-Woods	125 <sup>th</sup> DURHAM MINERS' GALA COMMEMORATIVE STAMPS

29.11.06	356	Mr Don Touhig	PINJAT JASA MALAYSIA MEDAL
29.11.06	357	Bob Spink	ARMENIA
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29.11.06	360	Tony Lloyd	LIVING WAGE FOR CLEANERS
29.11.06	361	Dr Liam Fox	TRIDENT
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30.11.06	371	Jim Cousins	GNER
30.11.06	372	John McDonnell	TREATMENT OF MANSOUR OSSANLOU AND TEHRAN BUS DRIVERS
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30.11.06	374	Mr John Leech	CRITICAL CARE AT THE CHRISTIE HOSPITAL
30.11.06	375	Mr Michael Mates	PINGAT JASA MALAYSIA MEDAL
30.11.06	376	Martin Salter	STERLING STAMP DUTY TO FUND DEVELOPMENT FINANCING AND CLIMATE CHANGE RESEARCH

### State of the Parties in the House of Commons as at 1 December 2006

<b>Labour</b>	352	<b>Social Democratic Labour Party</b> (Messrs Durkan, McDonnell, McGrady)	3
<b>Conservative</b>	196	<b>Independent Labour</b> Clare Short	1
<b>Liberal Democrat</b>	63	<b>Independent</b> Dr Richard Taylor Dai Davies	2
<b>Scottish National Party / Plaid Cymru</b> (SNP - Messrs Robertson, Salmond, Weir, Wishart, MacNeil & Hosie / PC - Messrs Llwyd, Price, H Williams)	9	<b>Respect</b> George Galloway	1
<b>Democratic Unionist Party</b> (Messrs Campbell, Dodds, Donaldson, McCrea, Paisley, P Robinson, Ms Iris Robinson, Simpson, Wilson)	9	<b>The Speaker and 3 Deputies</b> (Sir Alan Haselhurst, CWM; Mrs Sylvia Heal, 1 <sup>st</sup> DCWM; Sir Michael Lord, 2 <sup>nd</sup> DCWM) †	4 (Do not normally vote)
<b>Ulster Unionist</b> (Lady Hermon)	1	<b>Vacant seats</b>	0
<b>Sinn Fein</b> (Messrs Adams, Doherty, McGuinness, Murphy & Ms Gildernew)*	5 (Have not taken their seats and cannot vote)		
		Total number of seats	646
		<b>Current working Government Majority</b> (352 Labour MPs less 285 of all other parties – excludes Speaker & Deputies and Sinn Fein)	67

The total number of women MPs is 126  
(Lab 95; Con 17, LD 9; DU 1; SF 1; UU 1; DCWM 1; Ind Lab 1)

\* have not taken their seats

† Do not normally vote

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<b>Vacancy</b>	<b>Cause</b>	<b>By - Election</b>	<b>New Member</b>	<b>Date of introduction</b>	<b>Maiden Speech</b>
Cheadle	Death of Patsy Calton (LD) (29.5.2005)	14.7.2005	Mark Hunter (LD)	19.7.2005	21.7.2005
Livingston	Death of Robin Cook (Lab) (6.8.2005)	29.9.2005	Jim Devine (Lab)	10.10.2005	25.10.2005
Dunfermline and West Fife	Death of Rachel Squire (Lab) (5.1.2006)	9.2.2006	Willie Rennie (LD)	13.2.2006	1.3.2006
Blaenau Gwent	Death of Peter Law (Ind) (25.4.2006)	29.6.2006	Dai Davies (Ind)	4.7.2006	20.7.2006
Bromley & Chislehurst	Death of Eric Forth (Con) (18.5.2006)	29.6.2006	Bob Neill (Con)	3.7.2006	19.7.2006

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