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Noticeboard

Weekly Information Bulletin

The next Bulletin will be published on Saturday 3 February 2007

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: 19th & 26th January, 2nd and 23rd February, 2nd, 9th and 23rd March, 20th and 27th April, 18th May, 15th and 29th June, 19th 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 have required some changes to the pages formerly titled Standing Committees. We have tried 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

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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: 29 January – 2 February 2007

Date	Commons Chamber	General Committees	Select Committees	Lords Chamber	Lords Select Committees
Mon 29 Jan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> OPQ – Culture, Media and Sport; Church Commissioners; Public Accounts Commission; Speaker’s Comm. on the Electoral Commission Leg - Digital Switchover (Disclosure of Information) Bill – remaining stages Adj - Impact of single status and equal pay on local government 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1st DLC - Draft Sexual Offences Act 2003...2007 2nd DLC - Draft Northern Ireland Assembly (Elections) (Amendment) Order 2007 3rd DLC - Draft National Assembly for Wales (Representation of the People) Order 2007 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Education and Skills Public Accounts 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Oral questions Leg – Euro, Union (Information, etc.) Bill [HL] Committee; Concessionary Bus Travel Bill [HL] (Report stage); Welfare Reform Bill (second reading); Mental Health Bill [HL] Comm; Further Education and Training Bill [HL] Grand Committee 3rd day 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Science and Technology
Tues 30 Jan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> OPQ – Transport; Constitutional Affair Deb – Opposition Day Adj – UK relations with Australia and New Zealand 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PBC - Pensions Bill PBC - Planning... Bill PBC - Local Govt... Health Bill Esc - EU Document 14871/06 ...European Institute of Tech 4th DLC - Draft Pharmacists ...Order 2007 5th DLC - Draft Road Traffic (Northern Ireland) Order 2007 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Crossrail Treasury Defence Trade and Industry Welsh Affairs Science and Technology Constitutional Affairs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Oral questions Leg - Consumers, Estate Agents and Redress Bill [HL] (Report stage); Further Education and Training Bill [HL] (Grand Committee stage 4th day) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> EU Sub-Comm A Economic Affairs EU Select Committee on Regulators
Weds 31 Jan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> OPQ - Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster; Deputy Prime Minister; Prime Minister Motion –relating to the Police Grant and Local Government Finance Reports Adj - Armed forces pensions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ESC - EU Documents 14381/06 and 14823/06 relating to the EU-China Relationship 2nd DLC - Draft Northern Ireland Assembly (Elections) (Amendment) Order 2007 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Education and Skills Science and Technology Crossrail Env., Food and Rural Affairs Environmental Audit Foreign Affairs Northern Ireland Affairs Public Accounts 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Oral questions Leg - Cluster Munitions (Prohibitions) Bill [HL] (Committee stage); Tribunals, Courts and Enforcement Bill [HL] (Report stage); Legal Services Bill [HL] (Committee stage 4th day). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Science and Technology Sub (I) & (II)
Thurs 1 Feb	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> OPQ – Environment, Food and Rural Affairs Deb -- on Defence in the World on a motion for the adjournment of the House Adj - Operation Stack on the M20 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PBC - Pensions Bill PBC - Planning-gain Supplement (Preparations) Bill PBC - Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Bill 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Crossrail Health Treasury 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Oral questions Deb - On the case for the United Kingdom ...measures to combat corrupt practices domestically and in international trade; ... the effectiveness of alternatives to custody. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> EU Sub-Comm C
Fri 2 Feb	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Private Members Bills Adj - School closures in North East Lincolnshire 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> None 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> None 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The House will not be sitting 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> None

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

Monday 8th January – Thursday 8th February 2007

Mon. 8 Jan.	Tues. 9 Jan.	Wed. 10 Jan.	Thurs. 11 Jan.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Work and Pensions • Leader of the House • House of Commons Commission 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Northern Ireland • Prime Minister 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Education and Skills • Solicitor General

Mon. 15 Jan.	Tues. 16 Jan.	Wed. 17 Jan.	Thurs. 18 Jan.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Home Office 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Foreign and Commonwealth Office 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wales • Prime Minister 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Trade and Industry • Minister for Women and Equality

Mon. 22 Jan.	Tues. 23 Jan.	Wed. 24 Jan.	Thurs. 25 Jan.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Defence 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Scotland; • Communities and Local Government 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • International Development • Prime Minister 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Treasury

Mon. 29 Jan.	Tues. 30 Jan.	Wed. 31 Jan.	Thurs. 1 Feb.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Culture, Media and Sport • Church Commissioners; • Public Accounts Commission; • Speaker's Committee on the Electoral Commission 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Transport • Constitutional Affairs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Deputy Prime Minister • Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster • Prime Minister 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Environment, Food and Rural Affairs

Mon. 5 Feb.	Tues. 6 Feb.	Wed. 7 Feb.	Thurs. 8 Feb.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Work and Pensions • Leader of the House • House of Commons Commission 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Northern Ireland • Prime Minister 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Education and Skills • Solicitor General

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

Monday 19th February – Thursday 29th March 2007

Mon. 19 Feb.	Tues. 20 Feb	Wed. 21 Feb	Thurs. 22 Feb
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Home Office 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Foreign and Commonwealth Office 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wales • Prime Minister 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Trade and Industry • Minister for Women and Equality

Mon. 26 Feb	Tues. 27 Feb	Wed. 28 Feb	Thurs. 1 March
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Defence 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Scotland; • Communities and Local Government 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • International Development • Prime Minister 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Treasury

Mon. 5 March.	Tues. 6 March	Wed. 7 March	Thurs. 8 March
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Culture, Media and Sport • Church Commissioners; • Public Accounts Commission; • Speaker's Committee on the Electoral Commission 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Transport • Constitutional Affairs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster • Deputy Prime Minister • Prime Minister 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Environment, Food and Rural Affairs

Mon. 12 March	Tues. 13 March	Wed. 14 March	Thurs. 15 March
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Work and Pensions • Leader of the House • House of Commons Commission 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Northern Ireland • Prime Minister 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Education and Skills • Solicitor General

Mon. 19 March.	Tues. 20 March	Wed. 21 March	Thurs. 22 March
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Home Office 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Foreign and Commonwealth Office 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wales • Prime Minister 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Trade and Industry • Minister for Women and Equality

Mon. 26 March	Tues. 27 March	Wed. 28 March	Thurs. 29 March
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Defence 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Scotland; • Communities and Local Government 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • International Development • Prime Minister 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Treasury

Business of the House of Commons 19 – 26 January

Friday 19 January

The House sat at 9.30am

Private Members Bills – Sustainable Communities Bill – Mr Nick Hurd (Bill read a second time); Local Planning Authorities (Energy and Energy Efficiency) Bill – Mr Martin Caton (Deb. adj; Order for 2R: 23.2.2007); Freedom of Information (Amendment) Bill – David Maclean (Bill read a second time); Provision of Palliative Care – Jim Dobbin (Order for 2R: 23.2.2007)

Adjournment – Child Support Agency – John Bercow

The House rose at 2.58pm

Monday 22 January

The House sat at 2.30pm

Oral Questions – Defence

Legislation – Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Bill – Second reading (Agreed on division)

Legislation – Income Tax Bill – Second reading (Agreed)

Adjournment – Future of Healthcare in the London Borough of Sutton - Mr Paul Burstow

The House rose at 11.09pm

Tuesday 23 January

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

Westminster Hall Private Members' Debates –

09.30-11.00	Energy costs for consumers -- Mr Tom Clarke
11.00-12.30	Funding of Greater Manchester Police -- Mr John Leech
12.30-13.00	Royal Warrants of Appointment -- Chris Bryant
13.00-13.30	Collapse of the Gerrards Cross railway tunnel -- Mr Dominic Grieve
13.30-14.00	Northern Uganda peace talks -- Eric Joyce

The House sat at 2.30pm

Oral Questions – Scotland; Communities and Local Government

Ten Minute Rule Bill – Intergovernmental Contracts (Provision of Information) – Dr John Pugh (Agreed)

Legislation – Opposition Day (3rd allotted day).i) Healthcare acquired infections (Motion, as amended agreed, to);
ii) Life chances of disabled children (Motion, as amended, agreed to)

Adjournment – Effect of European legislation on the financial contribution of gambling companies to football - Jim Sheridan

The House rose at 10.41 pm

Wednesday 24 January

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 First Great Western commuter services --Mr Edward Vaizey
11.00-11.30 Exports from British arms companies -- Andrew George
14.30-16.00 Department of Trade and Industry policy on innovation -- Dr Ian Gibson
16.00-16.30 Network Rail's proposal to close Reddish South and Denton stations -- Andrew Gwynne
16.30-17.00 Locally produced food in Somerset -- Mr Ian Liddell-Grainger

The House sat at 11.30am

Oral Questions – International Development; Prime Minister

Ten Minute Rule Bill – Access to Inland Waterways – Dr Desmond Turner (Agreed)

Debate – on Iraq and the Middle East on a motion for the adjournment of the House

Adjournment – Compensation for workers with asbestosis in Northern Ireland - Mr Nigel Dodds

The House rose at 7.29pm

Thursday 25 January

The House sat at 10.30am

Oral Questions – Treasury

Business Statement – Leader of the House

Bill Presented – UK Borders Bill – John Reid

Legislation – Fraud (Trials without a Jury) Bill – remaining stages (Agreed as amended)

Adjournment – Armed forces cadets in maintained schools - Siobhain McDonagh

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

Westminster Hall – Debate on the Third Report from the Culture, Media and Sport Committee, Session 2005-06, Protecting and Preserving Our Heritage, HC 912; and the Government response thereto, Cm 6947.

The House rose at 6.40pm

Friday 26 January

The House will sit at 9.30am

Private Members Bills – Energy Saving (Daylight) Bill – Mr Tim Yeo (2R); Infrastructure Audit (Housing Development) Bill – Mr Francis Maude (2R); Cluster Munitions (Prohibition of Development and Acquisition) Bill – Nick Harvey (2R)

Adjournment – Unemployment in North Northamptonshire - Mr Peter Bone

The Weekly Information Bulletin went to press before the House rose on Friday

**Written Ministerial Statements
19 – 26 January 2007**

- 19.1.2007 Governance Arrangement (Stoke on Trent) – Mr Phil Woolas
- 19.1.2007 Informal Meeting of Education Ministers – Alan Johnson
- 19.1.2007 European Union – Mr Geoffrey Hoon
- 19.1.2007 Hospital Travel Costs Scheme – Andy Burham
- 22.1.2007 Anti- Money Laundering Measures – Ed Balls
- 22.1.2007 UK Gulf Veterans (Mortality Data) – Derek Twigg
- 22.1.2007 New Build Decommissioning and Waste Management – Mr Alistair Darling
- 22.1.2007 Farepak – Mr Ian McCartney
- 23.1.2007 Government Procurement – John Healey
- 23.1.2007 Alcohol Education and Research Council – Tessa Jowell
- 23.1.2007 Education (Strategy Review) – Mr. Peter Hain
- 23.1.2007 Council of Europe and Western European Union – Mr. Tony Blair
- 23.1.2007 Organisation for Security and Co-operation in Europe – Mr. Tony Blair
- 23.1.2007 Arbuthnot Report (Government Response) – Mr. Douglas Alexander
- 24.1.2007 Tax Credits – Dawn Primarolo
- 24.1.2007 Benefits System (Tackling Error) – Mr. James Plaskitt
- 25.1.2007 Independent Licensing Fees – Mr Shaun Woodward
- 25.1.2007 Implementation Plan for Africa – Hilary Benn
- 25.1.2007 Criminal Cases Guidance – Mr Mike O'Brien
- 25.1.2007 MSC Napoli – Dr Stephen Ladyman

**Forthcoming Business of the House of Commons
29 January – 2 February**

Monday 29 January

The House will sit at 2.30pm

Oral Questions -- Culture, Media and Sport; Church Commissioners; Public Accounts Commission; Speaker's Committee on the Electoral Commission

Legislation – Digital Switchover (Disclosure of Information) Bill – remaining stages

Adjournment – Impact of single status and equal pay on local government - Mr Chris Mullin

Tuesday 30 January

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

Westminster Hall Private Members' Debates –

09.30-11.00	Hertfordshire housing target -- Mr Peter Lilley
11.00-12.30	Future of the British Army -- Mrs Claire Curtis-Thomas
12.30-13.00	Support for young carers -- Annette Brooke
13.00-13.30	Water projects in Nigeria -- John Robertson
13.30-14.00	Homelessness amongst A8 nationals in England -- Mr Mark Field

The House will sit at 2.30pm

Oral Questions – Transport; Constitutional Affair

Ten Minute Rule Bill – Climate change effects – Rob Marris

Legislation – Opposition Day (4th allotted day). i) Educational provision for children with special education needs; ii) 'the Government decision on the sale of a radar system to Tanzania

Adjournment – UK relations with Australia and New Zealand -- Andrew Rosindell

Wednesday 31 January

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	Fit for Future plan and health services in North East London including King George and Whipps Cross hospitals -- Harry Cohen
11.00-11.30	Northampton travellers site -- Ms Sally Keeble
14.30-16.00	Infertility treatment -- Sandra Gidley
16.00-16.30	Case of Abu Hamza and government attempts to freeze terrorist assets -- Mr Greg Hands
16.30-17.00	Role of health visitors in preventative work with 0-2 year olds and their parents -- Mr Graham Allen

The House will sit at 11.30am

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

Ten Minute Rule Bill – Historic Counties, Towns and Villages (Traffic Signs and Mapping) – Andrew Rosindell

Motions –relating to the Police Grant and Local Government Finance Reports

Adjournment – Armed forces pensions -- Colin Challen

Thursday 1 February

The House will sit at 10.30am

Oral Questions – Environment, Food and Rural Affairs

Debate – on Defence in the World on a motion for the adjournment of the House

Adjournment – Operation Stack on the M20 -- Damian Green

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

Westminster Hall – Debate on the seventh report from the Foreign Affairs Committee, Session 2005-06, East Asia, HC 860; and the Government response thereto, C, 6944

Friday 2 February

The House will sit at 9.30am

Private Members Bills – Land Use (Gardens Protection ETC) Bill – Mrs Caroline Spelman (2R); Electric Shock Training Devices Bill – Sarah McCarthy-Fry (2R); Waging War (Parliament's Role and Responsibility) Bill – Mr Michael Meacher (2R); Protection of Listed Vehicles Bill – Mr John Randall (2R)

Adjournment -- School closures in North East Lincolnshire -- Shona McIsaac

Provisional Forthcoming Business of the House of Commons 5 – 9 February

Monday 5 February

The House will sit at 2.30pm

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

Legislation – UK Borders Bill – second reading

Adjournment – Mental health services in South London -- Simon Hughes

Tuesday 6 February

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 – Health

Ten Minute Rule Bill – Access to contraceptive services – Natascha Engel

Legislation – Justice and security (Northern Ireland) Bill – remaining stages

Adjournment --*

Wednesday 7 February

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 – Northern Ireland; Prime Minister

Ten Minute Rule Bill – Statutory Instruments Acts 1946 (Amendment) – Greg Clark

Legislation – Opposition Day (5th allotted day). There will be a debate on a Liberal Democrat motion. Subject to be announced.

Adjournment – *

Thursday 8 February

The House will sit at 10.30am

Oral Questions – Education and Skills; Solicitor General

Debate – a debate on a motion for the adjournment of the House. Subject to be announced

Adjournment – *

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

Westminster Hall – A debate on World Class Skills for 2020 – equipping the UK to compete in the global economy

Friday 9 February

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
29 January – 1 February 2007**

Monday 29 January (2.30pm)

Oral questions – Baroness Miller of Hendon to ask Her Majesty's Government what conclusions they draw from the report of the Office for National Statistics that there are 37,000 more unemployed 16 to 24 year-olds than there were in May 1997, and that 75 per cent more 18 to 24 year-olds have been out of work for over six months compared with five years ago; Lord Soley to ask Her Majesty's Government, further to the Information Commissioner's Report What Price Privacy Now, whether the individuals who had their communications intercepted have a legal right to be so informed by the relevant news agencies; Baroness Stern to ask Her Majesty's Government what changes they have made to the treatment of children in custody since the report by Lord Carlile of Berriew into physical restraint, forcible strip searching and solitary confinement in custodial institutions for children, published in February 2006; Lord Blaker to ask Her Majesty's Government what progress they have made in assisting the government of Afghanistan to control the cultivation of opium poppies.

Legislation – European Union (Information, etc.) Bill [HL] (Committee stage); Concessionary Bus Travel Bill [HL] (Report stage); Welfare Reform Bill (second reading); Mental Health Bill [HL] (Committee stage 5th day) Further Education and Training Bill [HL] (Grand Committee stage 3rd day – Moses Room 3.30pm).

Tuesday 30 January (2.30pm)

Oral questions – Lord Trimble to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they are under an obligation by European law or European directives to grant European Union nationals access to posts in the United Kingdom Civil Service; and whether they have any plans to do so; Lord Teverson to ask Her Majesty's Government what view they are taking in the Council of Ministers concerning the proposal by Commissioner Reding to reduce the costs of mobile phone calls across European borders; Lord Trefgarne to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they have made a recent assessment of the implementation of section 295 and Schedule 23 (road user charging) of the Greater London Authority Act 1999.

Legislation – Consumers, Estate Agents and Redress Bill [HL] (Report stage); Further Education and Training Bill [HL] (Grand Committee stage 4th day – Moses Room 3.30pm).

Question for short debate – Darfur (L. Alton of Liverpool).

Wednesday 31 January (3.00pm)

Oral questions – Lord Bishop of Winchester to ask Her Majesty's Government what information is given to asylum adjudicators regarding conditions in those countries subject to or emerging from conflict whose nationals are seeking asylum; Lord Hylton to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they will repeat Operation Pentameter, concerning trafficked women, in the near future; Lord Steel of Aikwood to ask Her Majesty's Government what representations they have made to the government of Kenya following the appointment of members of the Electoral Commission without consultation with opposition parties.

Legislation – Cluster Munitions (Prohibitions) Bill [HL] (Committee stage); Tribunals, Courts and Enforcement Bill [HL] (Report stage); Legal Services Bill [HL] (Committee stage 4th day).

Question for short debate – Palliative care services (B. Jay of Paddington).

Thursday 1 February (11.00am)

Oral questions – Lord Dykes to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their response to the ratification of the draft Constitutional Treaty by 18 member states of the European Union; Baroness Whitaker to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they will take to ensure that the new European Union Rules of Origin will not

prejudice developing countries' trade; Countess of Mar to ask Her Majesty's Government how many qualified virologists are directly employed by the Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs.

Debates – On the case for the United Kingdom to maintain and strengthen effective measures to combat corrupt practices domestically and in international trade (B. Williams of Crosby); the challenges that high re-offending rates cause to society and to the effectiveness of alternatives to custody (B. Linklater of Butterstone).

Delegated legislation – Common Agricultural Policy Single Payment and Support Schemes (Cross-compliance) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2006; Social Security (Claims and Payments) Amendment (No. 2) Regulations 2006 – Motions to annul.

Question for short debate – what plans there are for the future of inheritance tax (L. Burnett).

Provisional Future Business 5 - 8 February 2007

Monday 5 February (2.30pm)

Oral questions – Baroness Gardner of Parkes to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they will introduce screening for hepatitis B; Earl of Shrewsbury to ask Her Majesty's Government how much rubbish collected in the United Kingdom for recycling is recycled; Lord Rotherwick to ask Her Majesty's Government whether the footnote in Planning Policy Guidance 3 which states that it is inappropriate to develop land being used for airfields applies to Planning Policy Statement 3; Baroness Walmsley to ask Her Majesty's Government when they will report to Parliament on the results of their review of section 58 of the Children Act 2004 due to take place in January 2007

Legislation – Concessionary Bus Travel Bill [HL] (third reading); Corporate Manslaughter and Corporate Homicide Bill (report stage).

Question for short debate – What progress has been made in the statutory regulation of the professions of psychology, psychotherapy, and counselling in the past six years (L. Alderdice).

Tuesday 6 February (2.30pm)

Oral questions – Lord Campbell-Savours to ask Her Majesty's Government to what extent DNA and other forms of personal identification could be retained and of assistance in the identification of false accusers in rape investigations; Lord Roberts of Conwy to ask Her Majesty's Government what steps they are taking to ensure that the United Kingdom's corporate tax regime is sufficiently competitive to persuade multi-national companies based in the United Kingdom to remain; Lord Willoughby de Broke to ask Her Majesty's Government what will be the direct and indirect costs to the United Kingdom's financial services industry of implementing the European Commission's proposed Financial Services Action Plan.

Legislation – Consumers, Estate Agents and Redress Bill [HL] (third reading); Legal Services Bill [HL] (Committee stage 5th day).

Question for short debate – What assessment has been made of the level of Chinese investment in Africa (L. Holme of Cheltenham).

Wednesday 7 February (3.00pm)

Oral questions – Lord Bramall to ask Her Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the quality of British Armed Forces accommodation; and whether any further action is necessary; Lord Barnett to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they have any plans to revise their instructions to the Monetary Policy Committee of the Bank of England on the issue of inflation; Lord Goodlad to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they will hold further discussions on the role of Parliament in the future deployment of British Forces overseas.

Legislation – Serious Crime Bill [HL] (second reading).

Motions – Procedure of the House Committee Reports - Motions for approval

Delegated legislation – Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment (Waste Management Licensing) (England and Wales) Regulations 2006; Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment Regulations 2006 – Motions to annul.

Thursday 8 February (11.00am)

Oral questions – Baroness Hooper to ask Her Majesty's Government what part they intend to play in the government of Colombia's Shared Responsibility initiative to pursue international solutions to the global

cocaine problem; Baroness Masham of Ilton to ask Her Majesty's Government what research and monitoring are being undertaken on the Panton-Valentine leukocidin form of methicillin resistant staphylococcus aureus (Community Associated-CA-MRSA); Lord Rogan to ask Her Majesty's Government whether they have given any consideration to purchasing the poppy crop in Afghanistan.

Debates – On issues facing the electricity supply industry and to the case for a strategic decision mechanism (L. Tombs); the present financial situation of the Channel Tunnel (L. Dykes); the European Union Committee on Europe in the World (L. Bowness).

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:

G	Government Bills
C	Consolidation Bills
B	Private Members' Bills (under the ballot procedure). The number after refers to position in ballot
P	Private Members' Bills (under SO No 57)
T	Private Members' Bills (under the Ten Minute Rule, SO No 23)
L	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 negatived. (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 negatived
<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 2nd 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

ACCESS TO INLAND WATERWAYS (T) Commons: (52) 1R: 24.1.2007 <i>Prov 2R: 23.2.2007 (7)</i>	Dr Desmond Turner
AGE-RELATED MACULAR DEGENERATION (P) Commons: (45) 1R: 16.1.2007 <i>Prov 2R: 9.3.2007 (4)</i>	Mrs Linda Riordan
BAILIFFS (LICENSING) [HL] (L) Lords: (16) 1R: 28.11.2006 <i>Prov 2R: No date</i>	Lord Lucas
BILINGUAL JURIES (WALES) (T) Commons: (46) 1R: 16.1.2007 <i>Prov 2R: 2.3.2007 (5)</i>	Hywel Williams
CLUSTER MUNITIONS (PROHIBITION) [HL] (L) Lords: (10) 1R: 23.11.2006 2R: 15.12.2006 <i>Prov Comm: 31.1.2007</i>	Lord Dubs
CLUSTER MUNITIONS (PROHIBITION OF DEVELOPMENT AND ACQUISITION) (P) Commons: (42) 1R: 19.12.2006 <i>Prov 2R: 26.1.2007 (3)</i>	Nick Harvey
CONCESSIONARY BUS TRAVEL [HL] (G) Lords: (13) 1R: 27.11.2006 2R: 12.12.2006 Comm**: 8.1.2007	Lord Davies of Oldham <i>Prov Rep: 29.1.2007</i>
CONSUMERS, ESTATE AGENTS AND REDRESS [HL] (G) Lords: (2, 25) 1R: 16.11.2006 2R: 4.12.2006 Comm**: 18.12.2006 <i>Prov Rep: 30.1.2007</i>	Lord Truscott Comm**: 9 & 10.1.2007
CONSOLIDATED FUND (G) Commons: (15) 1R: 7.12.2006 *2R: 11.12.2006 *3R: 11.12.2006 Lords: (-) 1R: 12.12.2006 *2R: 18.12.2006 *3R: 18.12.2006 Royal Assent: 19.12.2006 (Ch. 54)	John Healey/Baroness Amos
CONSOLIDATED FUND ACT 2006	
CORPORATE MANSLAUGHTER AND CORPORATE HOMICIDE (G) (introduced in session 2005-06 and carried over to session 2006-07) Commons: (220, 236, 2005-06) 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: (5, 2006-07) 1R: 16.11.2006 *2R: 16.11.2006 RS: 4.12.2006 3R: 4.12.2006 Lords: (19, 28) 1R: 5.12.2006 2R: 19.12.2006 Comm**: 11, 15, 17 & 18.1.2007 <i>Prov Rep: 5.2.2007</i>	John Reid/Baroness Scotland
CORRUPTION [HL] (L) Lords: (18) 1R: 29.11.2006 <i>Prov 2R: No date</i>	Lord Chidgey
CRIMINAL LAW (AMENDMENT) (PROTECTION OF PROPERTY) (B12) Commons: (28) 1R: 13.12.2006 (not printed) <i>Prov 2R: 9.3.2007 (2)</i>	Mr Shailesh Vara
CROSSRAIL (HYBRID BILL) (G) (introduced in session 2004-05, carried over to session 2005-06, carried over to session 2006-07) Commons: (62, 2004-05) 1R: 22.2.2005 CO: 7.4.2005 Commons: (1, 2005-06) 1R: 18.5.2005 2R: 19.7.2005 MR: 19.7.2005 SelCom: 17.1 - 26.10.2006 CO: 31.10.2006 Commons: (2, 2006-07) 1R: 16.11.2006 *2R: 16.11.2006 SelCom: 16, 17, 18 & 25.1.2007 <i>Prov SelCom: 30 & 31.1 & 1.2.2007</i>	Douglas Alexander
CROWN EMPLOYMENT (NATIONALITY) (P) Commons: (38) 1R: 18.12.2006 <i>Prov 2R: 29.6.2007 (1)</i>	Andrew Dismore

<p>CYSTIC FIBROSIS (EXEMPTION FROM PRESCRIPTION CHARGES) (B14) Commons: (30) 1R: 13.12.2006 (not printed) <i>Prov 2R: 23.3.2007 (3)</i></p>	<p>Mr John Hayes</p>
<p>DIGITAL SWITCHOVER (DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION) (G) Commons: (3) 1R: 16.11.2006 2R: 18.12.2006 Prog: 18.12.2006 <i>Prov rep: 29.1.2007</i></p>	<p>Tessa Jowell PBC: 16.1.2007</p>
<p>DISABLED CHILDREN (FAMILY SUPPORT) (B4) Commons: (20) 1R: 13.12.2006 (not printed) <i>Prov 2R: 23.2.2007 (1)</i></p>	<p>Mr Gary Streeter</p>
<p>DISABLED PERSONS (INDEPENDENT LIVING) [HL] (L) Lords: (14) 1R: 27.11.2006 2R: 15.12.2006 <i>Prov Comm: No date</i></p>	<p>Lord Ashley of Stoke</p>
<p>ELECTRIC SHOCK TRAINING DEVICES (B17) Commons: (33) 1R: 13.12.2006 <i>Prov 2R: 2.2.2007 (2)</i></p>	<p>Sarah McCarthy-Fry</p>
<p>ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND MICROGENERATION [HL] (L) Lords: (21) 1R: 13.12.2006 <i>Prov 2R: No date</i></p>	<p>Lord Redesdale</p>
<p>ENERGY SAVING (DAYLIGHT) (B2) Commons: (18) 1R: 13.12.2006 <i>Prov 2R: 26.1.2007 (1)</i></p>	<p>Mr Tim Yeo</p>
<p>EUROPEAN UNION (IMPLICATIONS OF WITHDRAWAL) [HL] (L) Lords: (7) 1R: 20.11.2006 <i>Prov 2R: No date</i></p>	<p>Lord Pearson of Rannoch</p>
<p>EUROPEAN UNION (INFORMATION, etc.) [HL] (L) Lords: (15) 1R: 28.11.2006 2R: 15.12.2006 <i>Prov Comm: 29.1.2007</i></p>	<p>Lord Dykes</p>
<p>FINANCIAL MUTUALS ARRANGEMENTS (B7) Commons: (23) 1R: 13.12.2006 (not printed) <i>Prov 2R: 23.3.2007 (1)</i></p>	<p>Sir John Butterfill</p>
<p>FORCED MARRIAGE (CIVIL PROTECTION) [HL] (L) Lords: (3) 1R: 16.11.2006 <i>Prov 2R: 26.1.2007</i></p>	<p>Lord Lester of Herne Hill</p>
<p>FRAUD (TRIALS WITHOUT A JURY) (G) Commons: (6) 1R: 16.11.2006 2R: 29.11.2006 Prog: 29.11.2006 PBC: 12.12.2006 RS: 25.1...2007 3R: 25.1.2007</p>	<p>John Reid</p>
<p>FREEDOM OF INFORMATION (AMENDMENT) (P) Commons: (39) 1R: 18.12.2006 2R: 19.1.2007 (3) <i>Prov PBC: No date</i></p>	<p>David Maclean</p>
<p>FURTHER EDUCATION AND TRAINING [HL] (G) Lords: (6, 30) 1R: 20.11.2006 2R: 13.12.2006 <i>Prov Comm**: 25.1.2007</i></p>	<p>Lord Adonis</p>
<p>GOVERNMENT SPENDING (WEBSITE) [HL] (L) Lords: (20) 1R: 11.12.2006 <i>Prov 2R: 26.1.2007</i></p>	<p>Baroness Noakes</p>
<p>GREATER LONDON AUTHORITY (G) Commons: (11) 1R: 28.11.2006 2R: 12.12.2006 Prog: 12.12.2006 MR: 12.12.2006 PBC: 9, 11, 16, 18 & 23.1.2007 <i>Prov Rep: No date</i></p>	<p>Ruth Kelly</p>
<p>HOUSE OF COMMONS (PARTICIPATION) (B6) Commons: (22) 1R: 13.12.2006 (not printed) <i>Prov 2R: 9.3.2007 (1)</i></p>	<p>Mr Robert Walter</p>
<p>HOUSING ASSOCIATION (RIGHTS AND REPRESENTATION OF RESIDENTS) (B19) Commons: (35) 1R: 13.12.2006 (not printed) <i>Prov 2R: 2.3.2007(4)</i></p>	<p>Emily Thornberry</p>
<p>HUMAN RIGHTS ACT 1998 (MEANING OF PUBLIC AUTHORITY) (T) Commons: (43) 1R: 9.1.2007 <i>Prov 2R: 15.6.2007 (1)</i></p>	<p>Mr Andrew Dismore</p>
<p>INCOME TAX (G) Commons: (14, 48) 1R: 7.12.2006 SRC: 17.1.2007 2R: 22.1.2007 MR: 22.1.2007 JC TLRB: 24.1.2007 <i>Prov Comm: No date</i></p>	<p>Gordon Brown</p>
<p>INFRASTRUCTURE AUDIT (HOUSING DEVELOPMENT) (B20) Commons: (36) 1R: 13.12.2006 <i>Prov 2R: 26.1.2007 (2)</i></p>	<p>Mr Francis Maude</p>

INTERCEPTION OF COMMUNICATIONS (ADMISSIBILITY OF EVIDENCE) [HL] (L)	Lord Lloyd of Berwick
Lords: (11) 1R: 23.11.2006 Prov 2R: No date	
INTERGOVERNMENTAL CONTRACTS (PROVISION OF INFORMATION) (T)	Dr John Pugh
Commons: (49) 1R: 23.1.2007 Prov 2R: 23.3.2007 (5)	
INVESTMENT EXCHANGES AND CLEARING HOUSES (G)	Gordon Brown/Lord McKensie
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 11.12.2006	Comm: 18.12.2006 3R: 19.12.2006
Royal Assent: 19.12.2006 (Ch.55)	
	INVESTMENT EXCHANGES AND CLEARING HOUSES ACT 2006
JUSTICE AND SECURITY (NORTHERN IRELAND) (G)	Peter Hain
Commons: (10) 1R: 27.11.2006 2R: 13.12.2006	Prog: 13.12.2006 MR: 13.12.2006
PBC: 16 & 18.1.2007 Prov rep: 6.2.2007	
LAND USE (GARDENS PROTECTION ETC) (B3)	Mrs Caroline Spelman
Commons: (19) 1R: 13.12.2006 (not printed) Prov 2R: 2.2.2007 (1)	
LEGAL SERVICES [HL] (G)	Lord Falconer of Thoroton
Lords: (9) 1R: 23.11.2006 2R: 6.12.2006	Comm: 9, 22 & 23.1.2007 Prov Comm: 31.1.2007
LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT IN HEALTH (G)	Ruth Kelly
Commons: (16) 1R: 12.12.2006 2R: 22.1.2007	Prog: 22.1.2007 MR: 22.1.2007
Prov PBC: 30 & 31.1.2007	
LOCAL PLANNING AUTHORITIES (ENERGY AND ENERGY EFFICIENCY) (B9)	Mr Martin Caton
Commons: (25) 1R: 13.12.2006 2R: 19.1.2007 (deb. adj) Prov 2R: 23.2.2007 (5)	
MENTAL HEALTH [HL] (G)	Lord Warner
Lords: (1) 1R: 16.11.2006 2R: 28.11.2006	Comm: 8, 10, 15 & 17.1.2007 Prov Comm: 29.1.2007
NORTHERN IRELAND (ST ANDREWS AGREEMENT) (G)	Peter Hain/Lord Rooker
Commons: (7) 1R: 16.11.2006 GM: 21.11.2006 2R: 21.11.2006	Comm: 21.11.2006
3R: 21.11.2006	
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)	John Reid
Commons: (9, 50) 1R: 22.11.2006 11.12.2006	Prog: 11.12.2006 MR: 11.12.2006
PBC: 11, 16, 18 & 23.1.2007 Prov Rep: No date	
OFF-ROAD VEHICLES (REGISTRATION) (B5)	Graham Stringer
Commons: (21) 1R: 13.12.2006 (not printed) Prov 2R: 2.3.2007 (1)	
PALLIATIVE CARE [HL] (L)	Baroness Finlay of Llandaff
Lords: (4) 1R: 16.11.2006 (not printed) Prov 2R: No date	
PARLIAMENT (JOINT DEPARTMENTS) [HL] (G)	Baroness Amos
Lords: (29) 1R: 23.1.2007 Prov 2R: No date	
PENSIONS (G)	John Hutton
Commons: (12) 1R: 28.11.2006 2R: 16.1.2007	Prog: 16.1.2007 MR: 16.1.2007
PBC: 23 & 25.1.2007 Prov PBC: 30 & 31.1.2007	
PIPED MUSIC etc. (HOSPITALS) [HL] (L)	Lord Beaumont of Whitley
Lords: (26) 1R: 15.1.2007 Prov 2R: No date	
PLANNING-GAIN SUPPLEMENT (PREPARATIONS) (G)	Gordon Brown
Commons: (37) 1R: 12.12.2006 2R: 15.1.2007	Prog: 15.1.2007 MR: 15.1.2007
Prov PBC: 30 & 31.1.2007	
POLLING STATIONS (REGULATION) (B11)	Mr Roger Godsiff
Commons: (27) 1R: 13.12.2006 (not printed) Prov 2R: 23.2.2007 (2)	

POST-16 EDUCATION AND TRAINING (B15) Commons: (31) 1R: 13.12.2006 (not printed) <i>Prov 2R: 18.5.2007 (1)</i>	Mr Barry Sheerman
PROTECTION OF LISTED VEHICLES (T) Commons: (44) 1R: 10.1.2007 <i>Prov 2R: 2.2.2007 (4)</i>	Mr John Randall
PROVISION OF PALLIATIVE CARE (P) Commons: (40) 1R: 18.12.2006 <i>Prov 2R: 23.2.2007 (6)</i>	Jim Dobbin
PUBLIC DEMONSTRATIONS (REPEALS) [HL] (L) Lords: (12) 1R: 23.11.2006 <i>Prov 2R: 26.1.2007</i>	Baroness Miller of Chilthorne Domer
SAFEGAURDING RUNAWAY AND MISSING CHILDREN (T) Commons: (47) 1R: 17.1.2007 <i>Prov 2R: 23.2.2007 (4)</i>	Helen Southworth
SERIOUS CRIME [HL] (G) Lords: (27) 1R: 16.1.2007 <i>Prov 2R: 7.2.2007</i>	Baroness Scotland of Asthal
STATISTICS AND REGISTRATION SERVICE (G) Commons: (8, 51) 1R: 21.11.2006 2R: 8.1.2007 Prog: 8.1.2007 MR: 8.1.2007 PBC: 23 & 25.1.2007 <i>Prov rep: No date</i>	Gordon Brown PBC: 16 & 18.1.2007
STREETSCAPE AND HIGHWAYS DESIGN (B13) Commons: (29) 1R: 13.12.2006 (not printed) <i>Prov 2R: 9.3.2007 (3)</i>	Mr Alan Duncan
SUSTAINABLE COMMUNITIES (B1) Commons: (17) 1R: 13.12.2006 2R: 19.1.2007 (1) <i>Prov PBC: No date</i>	Mr Nick Hurd
TEMPORARY AND AGENCY WORKERS (PREVENTION OF LESS FAVOURABLE TREATMENT) (B8) Commons: (24) 1R: 13.12.2006 (not printed) <i>Prov 2R: 2.3.2007 (2)</i>	Paul Farrelly
TERMINATION OF PREGNANCY (P) Commons: (41) 1R: 18.12.2006 (not printed) <i>Prov 2R: 23.3.2007 (4)</i>	Mrs Nadine Dorries
TRADE UNION RIGHTS AND FREEDOMS (B16) Commons: (32) 1R: 13.12.2006 (not printed) <i>Prov 2R: 2.3.2007 (3)</i>	John McDonnell
TRIBUNALS, COURTS AND ENFORCEMENT [HL] (G) Lords: (5, 22) 1R: 16.11.2006 2R: 29.11.2006 Comm**: 14.12.2006	Baroness Ashton of Upholland <i>Prov Rep: 31.1.2007</i>
UK BORDERS BILL (G) Commons: (53) 1R: 25.1.2007 <i>Prov 2R: 5.2.2007</i>	John Reid
VEHICLE REGISTRATION MARKS (B10) Commons: (26) 1R: 13.12.2006 (not printed) <i>Prov 2R: 23.3.2007 (2)</i>	Richard Ottaway
VICTIMS OF OVERSEAS TERRORISM [HL] (L) Lords: (23) 1R: 19.12.2006 <i>Prov 2R: No date</i>	Lord Brennan
WAGING WAR (PARLIAMENT'S ROLE AND RESPONSIBILITY) (B18) Commons: (34) 1R: 13.12.2006 (not printed) <i>Prov 2R: 2.2.2007 (3)</i>	Mr Michael Meacher
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 Rep: 9.1.2007 3R: 9.1.2007 Lords: (24) 1R: 10.1.2007 <i>Prov 2R: 29.1.2007</i>	Mr John Hutton/Lord McKenzie of Luton

**Presentation and Publication of Bills and Acts
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Presentation and publication of Bills in Parliament

Date	Title and type of Bill	Bill No.	ISBN	Price £
23.1	Intergovernmental Contracts (Provision of Information) Bill (T)	49		
23.1	Parliament (Joint Departments) Bill [HL] (G)	HL 29	010 8435744	2.00
24.1.	Access to Inland Waterways Bill (T)	52		
25.1	UK Borders Bill (G)	53		

Bills published after presentation

Date	Title and type of Bill	Bill No.	ISBN	Price £
8.1	Sustainable Communities Bill (B1)	17	0215 708038	2.50
9.1	Local Planning Authorities (Energy and Energy Efficiency) Bill (B9)	25	0215 708052	1.50
17.1	Freedom of Information (Amendment) Bill (P)	39	0215 78076	1.50
17.1	Provision of Palliative Care Bill (P)	40	0215 708090	1.50
24.1	Cluster Munitions (Prohibition of Development and Acquisition) Bill (P)	42	0215 708113	1.50
25.1	Electric Shock Training Devices Bill (T)	33	0215 708120	1.50

Bills receiving Royal Assent and Acts published

Date	Title	Ch No.	ISBN	Price £
19.12	Consolidated Act 2006	54		
19.12	Investment Exchanges and Clearing Houses	55		

Acts published after Royal Assent date

Date	Title	Ch No.	ISBN	Price £
20.12	Companies Act 2006	46	010 5446068	60.50

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.

Title	Date Published	Committee	Committee Reports	Government Response
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

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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
E-mail: agorlov@winckworths.co.uk

Vizards Tweedie, 42 Bedford Row, London, WC1R 4JL, 020-7405 1234
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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 1st 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**

BOURNEMOUTH BOROUGH COUNCIL [HL] (Sharpe Pritchard)

Lords: 1R:22.1.2007 *Prov 2R: No date*

BROADS AUTHORITY (Winckworth Sherwood)

Commons: 1R:23.1.2007 *Prov 2R: 30.1.2007*

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 *Prov 3R: No date*

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 UBC: 5.12.2006 *Prov UBC: No date*

MANCHESTER CITY COUNCIL [HL] (Sharpe Pritchard)

Lords: 1R: 22.1.2007 *Prov 2R: No date*

NATIONAL TRUST (NORTHERN IRELAND) (Winckworth Sherwood)

Commons: 1R:23.1.2007 *Prov 2R: 30.1.2007*

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 *Prov UBC: No date*

TRANSPORT FOR LONDON (SUPPLEMENTAL TOLL PROVISIONS) [HL] (Rees & Freres)

Lords: 1R: 22.1.2007 *Prov 2R No date*

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 *Prov UBC: No date*

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 26 January 2007

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
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)
11.12.2006	Regulatory Reform (Game) Order 2006		
18.12.2006	Regulatory Reform (Collaboration etc Between Ombudsmen) Order 2007		
18.12.2006	Regulatory Reform (Deer) Order 2007		
18.12.2006	Regulatory Reform (Financial Services and Markets Act 2000) Order 2007		

Draft Orders

Date Laid	Title and SI Number	Lords Committee Report & Recommendation	Commons Report Committee & Recommendation	Consideration L (Lords), C (Commons)
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 26 January 2007**

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

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

Draft Orders

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

Urgent Orders

Date Laid	Title	Jnt Cttee on Human Rights: Report & Recommendation	Lords Consideration	Commons Consideration
None				

Northern Ireland Legislation: proceedings as at 26 January 2007

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:

U	Urgent Procedure	D	Delegated Legislation Committee
G	Northern Ireland Grand committee	O	Northern Ireland Order Grand Committee
A	Approved	N	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					

Title and SI No.	Consultation on Proposal	NIGC	(Draft) Order Laid	Commons	Lords	Privy Council
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

Title and SI No.	Consultation on Proposal	NIGC	(Draft) Order Laid	Commons	Lords	Privy Council
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

Title and SI No.	Consultation on Proposal	NIGC	(Draft) Order Laid	Commons	Lords	Privy Council
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			

Title and SI No.	Consultation on Proposal	NIGC	(Draft) Order Laid	Commons	Lords	Privy Council
Draft Police and Criminal Evidence (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) Order 2007			4.12.2006			
Draft Street Works (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) Order 2007			4.12.2006			
Draft Health (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Northern Ireland) Order 2007			11.12.2006			
The Waste (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) Order 2007			18.12.2006			
The Road Traffic (Northern Ireland) Order 2007			18.12.2006			
The Northern Ireland Assembly (Elections) (Amendment) Order 2007			9.1.2007			
The Taxis (Northern Ireland) Order 2007			9.1.2007			
Carriage of Explosives (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2006 (S.R. (N.I.), 2006, No. 520), Draft Budget (Northern Ireland) Order 2007			9.1.2007 25.1.2007			

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)	14.12.2006	Issue 4 p31
Welfare Reform Bill (G)	30.11.2006	Issue 2 p29
Greater London Authority Bill (G)	23.1.2007	Issue 5 p32
Offender Management Bill (G)	25.1.2007	Issue 5 p32
Digital Switchover (Disclosure of Information) Bill (G)	18.1.2007	Issue 6 p34
Income Tax Bill (G)		Issue 6 p34
Justice and Security (Northern Ireland) Bill (G)	25.1.2007	Issue 6 p34
Pensions Bill (G)	<i>8.2.2007</i>	Issue 7 p34
Statistics and Registration Service Bill (G)	25.1.2007	Issue 6 p34
Planning-gain Supplement (Preparations) Bill (G)	<i>1.2.2007</i>	This issue
Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Bill (G)	<i>8.3.2007</i>	This issue

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

Membership

Planning-gain Supplement (Preparations) Bill:

Mr Ian Austin	Mr Colin Breed	Kevin Brennan	Mr Simon Burns
Dr Vincent Cable	Michael Connarty	Mrs Nadine Dorries	Mr Mark Francois
Mr Greg Hands	John Healey	Ms Diana R. Johnson	Ian Lucas
Sarah McCarthy-Fry	Anne Main	Chris Ruane	John Walley
David Wright			

Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Bill:

Chairmen: Mr Joe Benton & Mr Christopher Chope

Tom Brake	Lyn Browne	Mr David Burrowes	Alistair Burt
Mr Philip Dunne	Michael Fabricant	Andrew Gwynne	Patrick Hall
Tom Levitt	Robert Neill	Dr John Pugh	Alison Seabeck
Jonathan Shaw	Angela E. Smith (Basildon)	Sir Peter Soulsby	Andrew Stunell
Mr Robert Syms	Mr Neil Turner	Lynda Waltho	Mr Phil Woolas
Dr Roberta Blackman-Woods			

General Committee Meetings 22 – 25 January

Monday 22 January

1 st DLC	Draft Compensation (Exemptions) Order 2006
2 nd DLC	The Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (Regulated Activities) (Amendment No. 3) Order 2006 (S.I., 2006, No. 3384), the Draft Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (Exemption) (Amendment) Order 2006, the Draft Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (Markets in Financial Instruments) Regulations 2006, and the Draft Uncertificated Securities (Amendment) Regulations 2007
3 rd DLC	Draft Waste (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) Order 2007

Tuesday 23 January

PBC	Offender Management Bill (7 th & 8 th sittings; Clauses 22-34 & Schedules 4 & 5 agreed; Schedule 3, as amended, agreed)
PBC	Greater London Authority Bill
PBC	Statistics and Registration Service Bill (5 th & 6 th sittings; Clauses 10, 12-24, 26-35 & Schedule 1 agreed; Clause 11 agreed on division; Clause 25, as amended, agreed)
PBC	Pensions Bill (1 st & 2 nd sittings; clauses 1, 2 & 4 agreed; Clause 3, as amended, agreed)
ESC	EU Document No. 13193/05 relating to Consumer Credit
4 th DLC	Draft Marriage Act 1949 (Remedial) Order 2006

Wednesday 24 January

5 th DLC	Draft Police and Criminal Evidence (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) Order 2007
6 th DLC	The Merchant Shipping (Inland Waterway and Limited Coastal Operations) (Boatmasters' Qualifications and Hours of Work) Regulations 2006 (S.I., 2006, No. 3223)

Thursday 25 January

PBC	Statistics and Registration Service Bill (7 th & 8 th Sittings; Clauses 36-73 and Schedules 2 & 4 agreed)
PBC	Pensions Bill

Forthcoming General Committee Meetings 29 January – 1 February

Monday 29 January

- 1st DLC Draft Sexual Offences Act 2003 (Amendment of Schedules 3 and 5) Order 2007, 4.30 p.m., Room 9
- 2nd DLC Draft Northern Ireland Assembly (Elections) (Amendment) Order 2007, 4.30 p.m., Room 11
- 3rd DLC Draft National Assembly for Wales (Representation of the People) Order 2007, 4.30 p.m., Room 12

Tuesday 30 January

- PBC Pensions Bill, 10.30 a.m. & 4.00 p.m., Room 14
- PBC Planning-gain Supplement (Preparations) Bill, 10.30 a.m. & 4.00 p.m., Room 9
- PBC Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Bill, 10.30 a.m. & 4.30 p.m, Boothroyd Room, PCH
- ESC EU Document 14871/06 and Addenda 1-2 relating to the European Institute of Technology, 4.30 p.m., Room 10
- 4th DLC Draft Pharmacists and Pharmacy Technicians Order 2007, 10.30 a.m., Room 11
- 5th DLC Draft Road Traffic (Northern Ireland) Order 2007, 4.30 p.m., Room 11

Wednesday 31 January

- ESC EU Documents 14381/06 and 14823/06 relating to the EU-China Relationship, 2.30 p.m., Room 10
- 2nd DLC Draft Northern Ireland Assembly (Elections) (Amendment) Order 2007, 2.30 p.m., Room 9

Thursday 1 February

- PBC Pensions Bill, 9.10 a.m & 1.30 p.m., Room 14
- PBC Planning-gain Supplement (Preparations) Bill, 9.00 a.m. & 1.00 p.m., Room 9
- PBC Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Bill, 9.30 a.m. & 2.00p.m., Boothroyd Room, PCH

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

Select Committees

A complete list of Select Committee membership and a Factsheet (P2) on the work of Select Committees is available on request from the House of Commons Information Office. The list and Factsheet are also on the Parliament website at: <http://www.parliament.uk/factsheets>

An index to the Select Committee home pages together with links to further pages containing information about their work and publications is on the Parliament website at: <http://www.parliament.uk/commons/selcom/cmsel.htm>

Membership:

Human Rights (Joint Committee)

Mary Creagh discharged; Mark Tami added

European Scrutiny

Michael Gove discharged; James Clappison added

Select Committee Meetings 22 – 25 January 2007

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Monday 22 January

TRADE AND INDUSTRY

Subject: Future of UK Manufacturing: Skill shortages

Witnesses: Skills for Business Network; Learning and Skills Council

EDUCATION AND SKILLS

Subject: 14-19 Diplomas

Witnesses: Elaine McMahon, Principal, Hull College, Paul Hafren, Principal, Warrington Collegiate, Lorraine McCarthy, Head, Moseley Park School, Wolverhampton, Godfrey Glyn, Principal, Barton Peveril Sixth Form College, Hampshire, Peter Hawthorne, Head of 14-19 Development, Wolverhampton City Council and John Bangs, Assistant Secretary, NUT

PUBLIC ACCOUNTS

Subject: Sure Start Children's Centres

Witnesses: David Bell, Permanent Secretary and Sheila Scales, Director, Sure Start, Extended Schools and Childcare Group, Department for Education and Skills and Hilary Samson-Barry, Programme Director, Partnerships for Children, Families and Maternity, Department of Health

COMMUNITIES AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Subject: The Supply of Rented Housing

Witnesses: Sheffield Council/Sheffield Homes; Sunderland Housing Group and Hounslow Homes; National Federation of Arms Length Management Organisations; Connaught plc

Joint Committee

HUMAN RIGHTS

Subject: The Treatment of Asylum Seekers

Witnesses: Mr Robin Esser, Executive Managing Editor, The Daily Mail, Mr Peter Hill, Editor, The Daily Express, Mr Alan Travis, Home Affairs Editor, The Guardian, and Sir Christopher Meyer, Chairman, Press Complaints Commission

Tuesday 23 January

TREASURY

Subject: Climate change and the Stern review: implications for HM Treasury policy

Witnesses: Professor Paul Ekins, Policy Studies Institute; British Airways, EasyJet, Virgin Atlantic Airways and British Air Transport Association; Climate Change Capital and Centre for Sustainable Energy

HOME AFFAIRS

Subject: Justice and Home Affairs issues at European Union Level

Witnesses: Mike Kennedy, President, Eurojust, and Tim Workman, Chief District Magistrate, City of Westminster Magistrate Court; Professor Steve Peers, Human Rights Centre, University of Essex, David Smith, Deputy Information Commissioner, and Lee Taylor, Guidance and Promotion Manager, Information Commission, and Ms Belinda Lewis and Ms Harriet Nowell-Smith, Department for Constitutional Affairs

ENVIRONMENTAL AUDIT

Subject: The Pre-Budget Report 2006

Witnesses: Friends of the Earth and Greenpeace; National Industrial Symbiosis Programme and Biffa; and Green Alliance

CULTURE, MEDIA AND SPORT

Subject: Caring for our Collections

Witnesses: Museums, Libraries and Archives Council; David Lammy MP, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State, Department for Culture, Media and Sport, and Baroness Ashton of Upholland, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State, Department for Constitutional Affairs

DEFENCE

Subject: The Future of the UK's Strategic Nuclear Deterrent: the White Paper

Witnesses: Professor Richard L Garwin, US National Academy of Sciences, Dr Stephen Pullinger, International Security Information Service Europe, Dr Jeremy Stocker, International Institute for Strategic Studies, Dr Lee Willett, Royal United Services Institute, and Mr Paul Ingram, British American Security Information Council

WELSH AFFAIRS

Subject: Energy In Wales: A Follow-Up Inquiry

Witnesses: Opencast Coal Committee of Wales, and TGWU; Energybuild, Miller Argent, and Unity Power plc; Protecting and Conserving Together and The Woodland Trust

FOREIGN AFFAIRS

Subject: South Asia

Witnesses: Rt Hon Margaret Beckett MP, Secretary of State, Richard Codrington, Head of Afghan Group, and Antony Stokes, Head of South Asia Group, Foreign and Commonwealth Office

CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS

Subject: Implementation of the Carter Review of Legal Aid

Witnesses: Professor Ed Cape and Professor Judith Masson; Rt Hon Sir Anthony Clarke, Master of the Rolls, Rt Hon Sir Mark Potter, President of the Family Division, and Rt Hon Lord Justice Thomas

Wednesday 24 January

EDUCATION AND SKILLS

Subject: Sustainable Schools/Bullying

Witnesses: Jim Knight MP, Minister of State for Schools and Parmjit Dhanda MP, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State, Department for Education and Skills

FOREIGN AFFAIRS

Subject: Human Rights

Witnesses: Kate Allen, Director, Amnesty International UK, and Tom Porteus, London Director, Human Rights Watch

SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

Subject: (i) The Cooksey Report; (ii) Research Council Institutes

Witness: (i) Sir David Cooksey; Professor Malcolm Grant, CBE, President & Provost, & Professor Mike Spyers, Vice-Provost (Biomedicine), University College London (UCL)

WORK AND PENSIONS

Subject: Child Support Reform

Witnesses: Resolution, Child Poverty Action Group and Citizens Advice; Fathers Direct, One Parent Families and National Association for Child Support Action

EUROPEAN SCRUTINY

Subject: Fisheries

Witnesses: Ben Bradshaw MP, Minister of State, Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, and officials

TRADE AND INDUSTRY

Subject: Post Office Network

Witness: Rt Hon Alistair Darling MP, Secretary of State for Trade and Industry

TREASURY SUB-COMMITTEE

Subjects: (i) The merger of HM Customs and Excise and Inland Revenue (ii) The Valuation Office Agency Annual Report 2005-06

Witnesses: (i) HM Revenue and Customs Officials; Rt Hon Dawn Primarolo MP, Paymaster General (ii) Valuation Office Agency Officials

ENVIRONMENTAL AUDIT SUB-COMMITTEE ON TRADE, DEVELOPMENT AND ENVIRONMENT

Subject: The Role of the Foreign and Commonwealth Office

Witnesses: RSPB; Biodiplomacy

TRANSPORT

Subject: The Government's Motorcycle Strategy

Witnesses: Motorcycle Action Group, Motorcycle Industry Association; British Motorcyclists' Federation, and the RAC

ENVIRONMENT, FOOD AND RURAL AFFAIRS

Subject: Climate change: the "citizen's agenda"

Witnesses: Association for the Conservation of Energy; Centrica and EDF Energy

PUBLIC ACCOUNTS

Subject: Assessing the value for money of OGCBuying.Solutions

Witness: Alison Littley, Chief Executive, OGCBuying.Solutions

Thursday 25 January

CROSSRAIL BILL

HEALTH

Subject: Workforce Planning

Witness: Lord Hunt of Kings Heath OBE, Minister of State, Clare Chapman, Director General of Workforce, and Nic Greenfield, Deputy Director of Workforce, Department of Health

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

Subject: A Debt of Honour

Witness: Derek Twigg MP, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State, Ministry of Defence

CROSSRAIL BILL

**Forthcoming Select Committee Meetings
29 January – 1 February 2007**

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Monday 29 January

EDUCATION AND SKILLS 3.45 p.m. The Wilson Room,
Portcullis House
Subject: Higher Education
Witness: Professor David Eastwood, Chief Executive, Higher Education Funding Council for England

PUBLIC ACCOUNTS 4.30 p.m. 15
Subject: Meeting the demand for water
Witnesses: Philip Fletcher CBE, Chairman, Regina Finn, Chief Executive, and Dr Melinda Acutt, Director of Network Regulation, Ofwat

Tuesday 30 January

CROSSRAIL BILL 10.00 a.m. 5

TREASURY 10.00 a.m. The Thatcher Room,
Portcullis House
Subject: The Comprehensive Spending Review: emerging issues
Witnesses: Mr Stephen Timms MP, Chief Secretary to the Treasury and officials, HM Treasury

DEFENCE* 10.30 a.m. 8
Subject: The Future of the UK's Strategic Nuclear Deterrent: the White Paper
Witnesses: Professor Christopher Greenwood QC, London School of Economics, Professor Nick Grief, University of Bournemouth, Professor Steven Haines, Royal Holloway College, University of London, Professor Philippe Sands QC, University College London

TRADE AND INDUSTRY 11.00 a.m. The Wilson Room,
Portcullis House
Subject: The Future of UK Manufacturing
Witnesses: British Expertise; Forum of Private Business (at 12.00 noon)

WELSH AFFAIRS 11.30 a.m. 15
Subject: Globalisation and its impact on Wales: employment
Witnesses: David Rosser, Director, CBI Wales; Derek Walker, Head of Policy and Campaigns, and Andy Richards, Executive Member, Wales TUC (at 12.10 p.m.)

CROSSRAIL BILL 2.30 p.m. 5

SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY 3.00 p.m. Shuttle Suite,
National Space Centre,
Leicester
Subject: Space Policy
Witnesses: Department for Education and Skills, Particle Physics and Astronomy Research Council (PPARC), Space Connections, and National Space Centre

CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS 4.15 p.m. The Grimond Room,
Portcullis House
Subject: Implementation of the Carter Review of Legal Aid
Witnesses: Legal Action Group and Advice Services Alliance; Resolution, Mental Health Lawyers Association, Roy Morgan, Morgans Solicitors and David Jockelson, Miles and Partners (at 5.15 p.m.)

Wednesday 31 January

EDUCATION AND SKILLS Subject: The Bologna Process/14-19 Diplomas Witnesses: Rt Hon Bill Rammell MP, Minister for Lifelong Learning, Further and Higher Education, Department for Education and Skills; Rt Hon Jim Knight MP, Minister of State for Schools and 14 - 19 Learners, Department for Education and Skills	9.30 a.m.	The Wilson Room, Portcullis House
SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY* Subject: Government proposals for the regulation of hybrid and chimera embryos Witnesses: Dr Lyle Armstrong, Institute of Human Genetics, University of Newcastle-upon Tyne, Professor Chris Shaw, Professor of Neurology and Neurogenetics, Institute of Psychiatry, King's College London, and Professor Austin Smith, Director, Wellcome Trust Centre for Stem Cell Research, University of Cambridge; Human Fertilisation and Embryology Authority (HFEA) (at 10.30 a.m.)	9.30 a.m.	8
CROSSRAIL BILL	10.00 a.m.	5
ENVIRONMENT, FOOD AND RURAL AFFAIRS Subject: Climate change: the "citizen's agenda" Witnesses: Jon Cape, Garry Charnock, Roy Alexander, Jason Borthwick; John Riley, Laurence Matthews, Bill Butcher, Doug Hoffman (at 11.40 a.m.); Helen Deavin, Rev David Hares, Glen Buckingham, Belinda James (at 12.20 p.m.)	11.00 a.m.	Council Chamber, University of East Anglia, Norwich
ENVIRONMENT, FOOD AND RURAL AFFAIRS Subject: Climate change: the "citizen's agenda" Witness: Community Carbon Reduction Programme (CRed)	2.00 p.m.	Council Chamber, University of East Anglia, Norwich
CROSSRAIL BILL	2.30 p.m.	5
ENVIRONMENTAL AUDIT Subject: The Pre-Budget Report 2006 Witness: John Healey MP, Financial Secretary, HM Treasury	2.30 p.m.	The Wilson Room, Portcullis House
FOREIGN AFFAIRS Subject: South Asia Witnesses: Dr Matthew Nelson, School of Oriental and African Studies, University of London, Dr Gareth Price, Head of Asia Programme, Chatham House, and Michael Griffin, journalist	2.30 p.m.	The Grimond Room, Portcullis House
NORTHERN IRELAND AFFAIRS* Subject: Tourism in Northern Ireland and its Economic Impact and Benefits Witnesses: Armagh and Down Tourism Partnership, Belfast Visitor and Convention Bureau, Causeway Coast and Glens Tourism Partnership and the Western Regional Tourism Partnership; Northern Ireland Tourism Board (at 4.15 p.m.)	3.00 p.m.	The Thatcher Room, Portcullis House
PUBLIC ACCOUNTS* Subject: Ministry of Defence: Major Projects Report 2006 Witnesses: Sir Peter Spencer KCB, Chief of Defence Procurement and Chief Executive DPA, and Lt Gen Andrew Figgures CBE, Deputy Chief of the Defence Staff (Equipment Capability), Ministry of Defence	3.30 p.m.	15

Thursday 1 February

CROSSRAIL BILL	10.00 a.m.	5
HEALTH* Subject: Patient and Public Involvement in the NHS Witnesses: Professor Celia Davies, National Institute for Health Research, National Consumer Council, NHS Centre for Involvement; Department of Health Officials (at 11.00 a.m.)	10.00 a.m.	The Wilson Room, Portcullis House
TREASURY Subject: Financial stability: initial hearing Witnesses: Sir John Gieve, Deputy Governor Financial Stability, and officials, Bank of England, HM Treasury officials and FSA officials	10.00 a.m.	The Grimond Room, Portcullis House
CROSSRAIL BILL	2.30 p.m.	5

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House of Lords Committees: Forthcoming Public Meetings

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(Subject Matters are in brackets)

MONDAY 29 JANUARY

SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY SELECT COMMITTEE 2.00pm
(Radioactive waste management)

TUESDAY 30 JANUARY

EUROPEAN UNION SUB-COMMITTEE A 10.40am
(VAT & Carousel Fraud in the EU)

ECONOMIC AFFAIRS COMMITTEE 3.40pm
Evidence to be heard from Prof Lorna Unwin, University of London; Prof Alison Fuller, University of Southampton; & Mr John West.

EUROPEAN UNION SELECT COMMITTEE 4.15pm
Evidence will be heard from the German Ambassador, HE Mr Wolfgang Freidrich Ischinger.

COMMITTEE ON REGULATORS (a) 4.15pm (b) 5.00pm
(UK Economic Regulators)

WEDNESDAY 31 JANUARY

SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY SUB-COMMITTEE (I) (a) 11.15am (b) 12.15pm
(Allergy)

SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY SUB-COMMITTEE II 3.40pm
(Personal Internet Security)

THURSDAY 1 FEBRUARY

EUROPEAN UNION SUB-COMMITTEE C 10.45am
Evidence will be heard from Mr John Sawers, Political Director, & David Quarrey, Deputy Director, Middle East & North Africa Department, FCO.

Select Committees: Publications received since the last Bulletin

All publications are available from The Stationery Office.
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 Cm numbers refer to papers in the Command series.
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 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 £
19.1	Joint Committee on Human Rights	The Work of the Children's Commissioners	Professor Sir Al Aynsley – Green Ms Sara Reid Mr Barney McNeany Professor Kathleen Marshall	23.10	HC 1672- i 2005-06 HL Paper 24 2006-07 010 4010075	11.50
22.1	Treasury	Financial Services Authority	Mr Richard Lambert Mr Peter Vicary-Smith Mr Keith Satchell Mr John Howard Mr Stephen Haddrill	10.10	HC 1594-i &ii 2005-06 HC 193 0215 032096	13.00
			Sir Callum McCarthy Mr John Tiner	24.10		

(B) Select Committee Reports

Date Received	Committee	No of Report	Title	Paper No and ISBN	Price £
19.1	Constitutional Affairs	1 st	Party Funding – Oral evidence from the Lord Chancellor on the role of the Attorney General	HC 222 0215 032188	4.50
24.1	Culture, Media and Sport	1 st	Work of the Committee in 2005-06	HC 234 0215 032102	5.00
24.1	Culture, Media and Sport	2 nd	London 2012 Olympic Games and Paralympic Games: funding and legacy Volume 1: Report	HC69-1 0215 032140	13.50
			Volume II: Oral and written evidence	HC69-II 0215 032157	16.50
25.1	Culture, Media and Sport	3 rd	Call TV quiz shows	HC 72 0215 032249	17.50
22.1	Defence	5 th	The Work of the Committee in 2005 and 2006	HC 233 0215 032119	10.00
19.1	European Scrutiny	5 th	Various Documents	HC 41-v 0215 032027	13.50

22.1	Foreign Affairs	2 nd	Visit to Guantánamo Bay	HC 44 0215 032010	14.50
24.1	International Development	3 rd	Work of the Committee in 2005-06	HC 228 0215 032256	8.50
22.1	Joint Committee on Human Rights	1 st	The Council of Europe Convention on the Prevention of Terrorism	HL Paper 26 HC 247 010 4010068	10.00
24.1	Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments	5 th	Various Instruments	HC 82-v HL Paper 30 010 4010082	5.00
25.1	Northern Ireland Affairs	1 st	Draft Protocol for Community-based Restorative Justice Schemes	HC 1706-i (2005-06) & HC 87 0215 032195	17.50
24.1	Public Accounts	7 th	Department for Work and Pensions: Using leaflets to communicate with the public about services and entitlements	HC 133 0215 032003	10.00
25.1	Public Accounts	8 th	Tackling Child Obesity – First Steps	HC 1108-i (2005-06) & HC 157 0215 032065	12.00
24.1	Science and Technology	1 st	Work of the Committee in 2005-06	HC 202 0215 032171	10.00
19.1	Transport	1 st	Work of the Committee in 2005-06	HC 226 0215 032072	4.50
24.1	Transport	2 nd	The Ports Industry in England and Wales Volume 1: Report	HC 1700-i (2005-06) & HC 61-I 0215 032201	12.00
			Volume II: Oral & Written Evidence	HC 1700-i (2005-06) & HC 61-II 0215 032218	23.00
25.1	Treasury	2 nd	The 2006 Pre-Budget Report	HC 115 0215 032126	20.00
19.1	Work and Pensions	2 nd	Work of the Committee in 2005-06	HC 215 0215 032058	6.50

(C) Government Response to Select Committee Report

Date Received	Committee	Details of Original Report	HC Paper or Cm No of response	Price £
25.1	Environmental Audit	3 rd , Trade, Development and Environment: The role of DFID [HC 1014]	HC 197 0215 032164	10.00
24.1	Foreign Affairs	8 th , Foreign and Commonwealth Office Annual Report 2005-06 [HC 1371]	Cm 7008 010 1700825	9.00
22.1	International Development	7 th , Humanitarian response to natural disasters: [HC 1188]	HC 229 0215 032133	6.00

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

Date Received	Title	Paper No and ISBN	Price £
19.1	Ofwat – Meeting the demand for water	HC 150 010 2944181	13.50
22.1	Big science: Public investment in large scientific facilities	HC 153 010 2944198	13.50

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Select Committees: Current Inquiries

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http://www.parliament.uk/what_s_on/hoc_news4.cfm

COMMITTEE	INQUIRY	STAGE & NOTES
Administration Communities & Local Government (Formerly ODPM)	ICT	Written evidence invited
	DCLG Annual Report 2006	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	The Supply of Rented Housing	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 5 February
	Coastal Towns Is there a future for Regional Government?	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
Constitutional Affairs	Implementation of the Carter Review of Legal Aid	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 17 January
	Attorney General	Inquiry announced
Crossrail Bill	Crossrail Bill	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence sessions 30, 31 January & 1 February
Culture, Media & Sport	Tourism	Inquiry announced: written evidence invited Deadline for submissions 16 March
	Call TV Quiz Shows	Report published 25 January
	Public Service Media Content	Written evidence invited
	Caring for our collections	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	New media and the creative industries	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	London 2012 Olympics	Report published 24 January
Defence	The Future of NATO and European Defence	Written evidence invited Submissions due by 12 March
	The Future of the UK's Strategic Nuclear Deterrent: The White Paper	Oral evidence in progress Next oral evidence session 30 January
	Defence Industrial Strategy update	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	The Army's requirement for armoured vehicles: the FRES programme	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	Defence Science and Technology Laboratory	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
Education & Skills	14-19 Specialised Diplomas	Oral evidence in progress Evidence session 31 January
	Post-16 Skills Training	Written evidence invited
	The Work of Ofsted	Oral evidence in progress
	The Bologna Process	Oral evidence in progress Evidence session 31 January
	The future sustainability of the higher education sector: purpose, funding and structures	Oral evidence in progress Evidence session 29 January
	Bullying	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	Sustainable Schools	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	Citizenship Education	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation

Environmental Audit	The Voluntary Carbon Offset Market	Written evidence invited Deadline for submissions 29 January
	Pre-Budget 2006	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 31 January
	Policy Appraisal & Regulatory Impact Assessments	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
Environmental Audit Sub-committee	The EU Emissions Trading Scheme: Lessons from phase I	Oral evidence in progress
	Trade, Development and Environment: The Role of FCO	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 30 January
Environment, Food & Rural Affairs	Trade, Development and Environment: The Role of DfID	Government response published 25 January
	The potential of England's rural economy	Written evidence invited
	Climate Change: citizen's agenda	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 31 January
Environment, Food & Rural Affairs Sub-committee	UK Government's "Vision for the CAP"	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	Defra's Departmental Report 2006 and Defra's Budget	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	British Waterways	Written evidence invited
Environment, Food & Rural Affairs Sub-committee	Rural Payments Agency (Sub-committee)	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	Migration issues relating to the accession of Bulgaria & Romania to the EU	One-off oral evidence session concluded Joint inquiry with Home Affairs Committee
European Scrutiny	Human Rights Annual Report 2006	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 7 February
	Developments in the European Union	Oral evidence in progress
	South Asia	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 31 January
Health	Audiology Services in England	Written evidence invited Deadline for submissions 8 February
	Patient and Public Involvement in the NHS	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 1 February
	Public Expenditure on Health and Personal Social Services 2006	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
Home Affairs	Workforce planning	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	Justice and Home Affairs Issues at European Union Level	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 20 February
	Young Black People and the Criminal Justice System	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 6 February
Joint Committee on Human Rights	The human rights of older persons in healthcare	Written evidence invited Deadline for submissions 16 February
	Counter-terrorism policy and human rights: the Council of Europe Convention on the Prevention of Terrorism	Report published: awaiting Government response Report published 22 January
	Counter-terrorism policy and human rights: intercept evidence	Written evidence invited Deadline for submissions end of January
International Development	Meaning of "public authority" under the Human Rights Act	Written evidence invited
	Treatment of Asylum Seekers	Oral evidence in progress
	Fair trade and Development	Inquiry announced: written evidence invited Deadline for submissions 2 February
	Water and Sanitation	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 20 February
	Development assistance and the Occupied Palestinian Territories	Report in preparation Report to be published 31 January
	Work of the Committee 2005-06	Report published Report published 24 January
	Humanitarian Response to Natural Disasters	Government response published 22 January

Liaison	Oral evidence from the Prime Minister-6 February 2007	One-off oral evidence session announced Evidence session 6 February
Modernisation of the House of Commons	Strengthening the role of the backbencher Making better use of non-legislative time	Written evidence invited Written evidence invited
Northern Ireland Affairs	Community Restorative Justice Tourism in Northern Ireland and its Economic Impact and Benefits	Report published 25 January: awaiting Government response Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 31 January
Procedure	Written Parliamentary Questions Public Petitions Early Day Motions	Written evidence invited Deadline for submissions 31 January Report in preparation Report in preparation
Public Accounts	Sure Start Children's Centres Office of Government and Commerce buying solutions OFWAT – Meeting the demand for water Clinical Governance in Primary Care Trusts Central Government's use of consultants Ensuring the effectiveness of personal advisors Progress update on the efficiency Programme Tackling childhood obesity – first steps The Provision of Out-of- hours care in England Collapse of the Paddington Health Campus scheme Dept for Work & Pensions Using leaflets to communicate with the public about services and entitlements Department for Constitutional Affairs: Fines Collection Support for small businesses National programme for IT Ministry of Defence: Reserve forces Ministry of Defence: Major Projects Report 2005 Foreign and Commonwealth Office Resource Accounts 2004–05 Progress in combat identification The restructuring of British Energy Patient choice at the point of GP referral HM Treasury: Update on PFI debt refinancing and the PFI equity market Progress in tackling pensioner poverty ASPIRE — the re-competition of outsourced IT services	Oral evidence concluded Oral evidence concluded Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 29 January Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 5 February Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 6 February Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 7 February Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 26 February Report in Preparation Report to be published 25 January Report in Preparation Report in Preparation Report published 23 January Report in preparation Report in preparation Report in preparation Report in preparation Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 31 January Report in preparation Report in preparation Report in preparation Report in preparation One-off oral evidence session announced One-off oral evidence session announced One-off oral evidence session announced
Public Administration	The Work of the Cabinet Office 2006-07 Review of Government Communications A Debt of Honour Public Services: Putting People First Skills for Government Ethics and Standards	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 6 February Oral evidence in progress Oral evidence in progress Oral evidence in progress Oral evidence in progress Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation

	Governing the Future	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	Politics and Administration: Ministers & Civil Servants	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
Regulatory Reform	Proposal for the Regulatory Reform (Financial Services and Markets Act 2000) Order 2007	Proposal laid on 18 December
	Proposal for the Regulatory Reform (Deer) (England and Wales) Order 2007	Proposal laid on 18 December
	Proposal for the Regulatory Reform (Collaboration etc Between Ombudsmen) Order 2007	Proposal laid on 18 December
	Proposal for the Regulatory Reform (Game) Order 2007	Proposal laid on 11 December
	Proposal for the Regulatory Reform (Public Service Vehicles) Order 2006	Report published on 7 February Awaiting Draft Order to be laid
Science & Technology	Government proposals for the regulation of hybrid and chimera embryos	Oral evidence in progress
	Cooksey Review	Oral evidence concluded
	Investigating the Oceans	Inquiry announced Deadline for submissions 27 January
	Space policy	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 30 January
	Research Council Institutes	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	Human Enhancement Technologies in Sport	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	OSI Scrutiny 2006	Report in preparation
	Science Question Time	Oral evidence in progress This session takes place every 3 months
	Scientific advice, risk and evidence: how Government handles them: general	Report published: awaiting Government response Report published on 8 November
Scottish Affairs	Poverty in Scotland	Oral evidence in progress
	The Potential Benefits for Scotland of the 2012 Olympics	Oral evidence concluded
	Effects Tax increases on the oil industry	Oral evidence concluded
Statutory Instruments (Joint Committee)	Business under Standing Order No 151, followed as necessary by meetings of the Select Committee on Statutory Instruments for business under Standing Order No 151(10)	Continuing scrutiny: Report in preparation 6th Report 2006-07 to be published 31 January
Quadripartite Committee on Strategic Export Controls	The UK 2005 Annual Report on Strategic Export Controls	Oral evidence in progress
Joint Committee on the Tax Law Rewrite Bills	Income Tax Bill	Report in preparation
Trade & Industry	Post Office Network	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 24 January
	Trade and Investment with Mercosur (the common Market of the Southern Cone)	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 20 February
	Recent developments with Airbus	Written evidence invited
	The Future of UK Manufacturing Industry: Public Procurement	Oral evidence in progress
	The Future of UK Manufacturing Industry: Skills Shortages	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 22 January
	The Future of UK Manufacturing Industry: Marketing UK Plc	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 30 January
	The Government's Energy Review: UK dependence on gas and coal imports	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation

	Reasons for success & failure in the UK automotive industry	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	Local Energy- turning consumers into producers	Report in preparation Report to be published 30 January
Trade & Industry Sub-committee	Implementation of the report of the Women and Work Commission	Oral evidence in Progress
Transport	The new National Boatmasters' Licence	Written evidence invited Deadline for submissions 12 February
	Department for Transport Annual Report 2006	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	The Government's Motorcycling Strategy	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence 7 February
	Novice Drivers	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 28 February
	Driver and Vehicle Registration and Licensing in Northern Ireland	Oral evidence concluded
	The Ports Industry in England & Wales	Report published: awaiting Government response Report published 24 January
	Transport Security: Travelling without Fear	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	Passenger Rail Franchising	Awaiting Government response Government response to be published 29 January
Treasury	Financial Stability	Oral evidence in progress Evidence session on 1 February
	Unclaimed assets within the financial system	Written evidence invited Deadline for submissions 20 February
	Work of the Committee in 2005–06	Report published 26 January
	Pre-Budget Report 2006	Report published 25 January: awaiting Government response
	The Monetary Policy Committee of the Bank of England: ten years on	Oral evidence in progress
	Climate change and the Stern review	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 6 & 7 February
	The scope of FSA insurance regulation	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	Financial Services Authority annual report scrutiny	Evidence published 22 January
	The Comprehensive Spending Review: emerging issues	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 30 January
	Globalisation: its impact on the real economy	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
Treasury Sub-committee	Preparations for the 2011 Census	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 21 February
	National Savings and Investments Annual Report and Accounts 2005-06	Inquiry announced: written evidence invited Deadline for submissions 16 February
	The merger of HM Customs and Excise and Inland Revenue	Oral evidence concluded
	Valuation Office Annual Report 2005–06	Oral evidence concluded
Welsh Affairs	Globalisation and its Impact on Wales	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 30 January
	Energy in Wales: Follow-up	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	Orders in Council	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	Welsh Prisoners in the Prison Estate	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
Work & Pensions	Personal Accounts	Written evidence invited
	Child Support Reform	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 5 February
	Jobcentre Plus	One-off oral evidence session concluded
	Employment Strategy	One-off oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation

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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White Papers

None.

Green Papers

None

Regulatory Impact Assessments received since the last Bulletin

Date	Title	Contact
19.1	Northern Ireland Charities Bill	Northern Ireland Office Tel: 020 7210 3000 (London) 028 9052 0700 (Belfast) Website: www.nio.gov.uk
22.1	The Rural Development (Enforcement) (England) Regulations 2007	Defra Nobel House 17 Smith Square London SW1P 3JR Tel: 020 7238 6000 Website: www.defra.gov.uk
19.1	Serious Crime Bill	Zilla Boswell Organised and Financial Crime Unit Home Office 2 Marsham Street SW1P 4DF
23.1	Implementation of Directive 2004/107/EC (Fourth Daughter Directive) relating to arsenic, cadmium, mercury, nickel and polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons in ambient air	Kay Sadanand Policy Advisor Air and Environment Quality Division Defra Ashdown House, 123 Victoria Street London SW1E 6DE Tel: 020 7082 8406 Fax: 020 7082 8379 e-mail: kay.sadanand@defra.gsi.gov.uk

Other Papers

National Audit Office: House of Commons Members' Fund Account 2004-2005, HC 138, ISBN: 010 3287164, £5.00

Communities and Local Government: The Limitation of Council Tax and Precepts (Alternative Notional Amounts) Report (England) 2007/08, HC 232, ISBN: 010 2944242, £5.00

Communities and Local Government: The local Government Finance report (England) 2007/08, HC231, ISBN: 010 2944259, £12.50

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>.

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European Standing Committee A

Consultation on Fisheries Management Proposals (9898/06) – 28 November 2006

Waste Prevention and Recycling (5047/06 and Addenda 1 & 2, 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

Authorisation of plant protection products (11755/06 and Addenda 1-12) – 9 January 2007

Sustainable use of pesticides (11902/06 and Addendum 1 and 11896/06 and Addenda 1-2) – 9 January 2007

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

European Standing Committee B

European Union Agency for Fundamental Rights (10755/06) – 28 November 2006

The Fundamental Rights and citizenship programme (13104/06) – 28 November 2006

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

EU-China: Closer partners, growing responsibilities (14381/06) and Competition and Partnership (14823/06) – 31 January 2007

European enforcement order and the transfer of sentenced persons (13080/06) – 20 February 2007

Financial Management (11399/06, 11660/06 and Addenda 1-2, and unnumbered Explanatory Memorandum dated

10 October 2006 submitted by HM Treasury) – *26 February 2007*

Financial Management (14431/06 and Addendum 1 and 14430/06 and Addendum 1) – *26 February 2007*

Unnumbered Explanatory Memorandum dated 28 November 2006 – *26 February 2007*

European Standing Committee C

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

Relating to marketing of pyrotechnic articles (13568/05) – *27 February 2007*

Consumer credit (131934/05) – *23 February 2007*

European Institute of Technology (14871/06 and Addenda 1-2) – *30 January 2007*

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19.1.2007	682	Andrew Rosindell	AUSTRALIA DAY – 26 th JANUARY 2007
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19.1.2007	685	Mr Andrew Pelling	RICK STEIN
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19.1.2007	687	Mr Alistair Campbell	(Withdrawn) ACCESSIBLE TAXIS
19.1.2007	688	Mr David Amess	B AWARE CAMPAIGN
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22.1.2007	694	Anne Main	THAMES WHALE ANNIVERSARY AND INTERNATIONAL WHALING COMMISSION
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22.1.2007	697	Mr Andrew Dismore	TERENCE GAVAGHAN AND THE KENYAN EMERGENCY
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22.1.2007	707	Mr Andrew Pelling	HRANT DINK
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25.1.2007	755	Mr Lindsay Hoyle	CIRCUS BEARS

State of the Parties in the House of Commons as at 26 January 2007

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