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Noticeboard

Weekly Information Bulletin

The next Bulletin will be published on Saturday 22 June 2007.

Announcement

Piara Khabra MP, Member for Ealing Southall, died on the 19.6.2007. Mr Khabra was a Member of the House of Commons since 9.4.1992.

Information relating to the By-Election for Ealing Southall will be included on the Noticeboard of a future Weekly Information Bulletin

Private Members' Bill:

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.

Summer Opening of Parliament 2007

The Houses of Parliament will open this summer from July 31st to October 3rd (inclusive), with tours operating Monday to Saturday; there are no tours on Sundays or Bank Holidays

To pre-book tickets, telephone the Keith Prowse ticketing company on 0870 906 3773. Alternatively, tickets can be purchased on the day from a ticket office located adjacent to the Jewel Tower, opposite the Houses of Parliament. The ticket office opens from late July onwards.

Prices

Adults £12.00

Concessions £8.00 (for over 60s and students in possession of a NUS card)

Children £5.00 (5 - 15yrs)

Family ticket £30.00 (maximum 2 adults)

Admission is free for children under 5 (although the tour is not really suitable for the very young)

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 rose on Tuesday 19 December 2006 and returned on Monday 8 January 2007

Spring half term recess 2007

The House rose on Thursday 8 February 2007 and returned on Monday 19 February 2007

Easter recess 2007

The House rose on Thursday 29 March 2007 and returned on Monday 16 April 2007

Whitsun recess 2007

The House rose on Thursday 24 May 2007 and returned on Monday 4 June 2007

Summer recess 2007

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

Party Conferences 2007

Labour: 23rd September to 27th of September

Conservative: 30th September to 3rd of October

Liberal Democrat: 15th September to 20th September 2007

<http://www.parliament.uk>

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

The Week Ahead: 25 – 29 June 2007

Date	Commons Chamber	General Committees	Select Committees	Lords Chamber	Lords Select Committees
<p>Mon 18 June</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • OPQ – Culture, Media and Sport; Church Commissioners; Public Accounts Commission and Speakers Committee on the Electoral Commission • Leg – Finance Bill – Remaining Stages • Adj – Strategic routes in the South West – Mr David Heath 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ESC – Fisheries: By-catches and Discards • ESC – Water Policy: Environmental Quality Standards • 1st DLC – Draft Extradition Act 2003 (Amendment to Designations) Order 2007 • 2nd DLC – Draft Working Time (Amendment) Regulations 2007 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Education and Skills • Public Accounts • Joint Comm on Human Rights 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Oral Questions • Leg – European Union (Implications of Withdrawal) Bill [HL] (Committee stage); Statistics and Registration Service Bill (Third reading); Corporate Manslaughter and Corporate Homicide Bill (Consideration of Commons Amendments stage) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Joint Comm on Human Rights • EU Sub Comm B
<p>Tues 19 June</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • OPQ – Health • Leg – Energy Markets (Carbon Reduction and Warm Homes) – Alan Simpson • Leg – Finance Bill – Conclusion of Remaining Stages • Adj – 25p age addition to pensioners over eighty years old – Jeff Ennis 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PBC – Legal Services Bill [HL] • PBC – Serious Crime Bill [HL] • 3rd DLC – Alterations in the provisions to the Highway Code • 4th DLC – Draft Railway Pensions (Transfer of Pensions Schemes) Order 2007 • 5th DLC – Draft European Communities... (Agreement amending the Cotonou Agreement) Order 2007 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Home Affairs • Environmental Audit • Culture, Media and Sport • Defence • Welsh Affairs • Foreign Affairs • Constitutional Affairs • Joint Comm on Human Rights • Joint Comm on Draft Human Tissues and Embryos Bill 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Oral Questions • Leg – Greater London Authority Bill (Report stage, 2nd day); Rating Empty Properties) Bill (Second reading) • Del Leg – Trade Marks (Relative Grounds) Order 2007... Child Support (Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2007 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Joint Comm on Human Rights • Science and Technology • Joint Comm on Draft Human Tissues and Embryos Bill
<p>Weds 20 June</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • OPQ – Northern Ireland; Prime Minister • Leg – Animals Act (Amendment) Bill – Stephen Crabb • Leg – Tribunals, Courts and Enforcement [HL] – Remaining Stages • Adj – Kosovo – Mark Pritchard 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • None 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Constitutional Affairs • Work and Pensions • Foreign Affairs • Transport • Northern Ireland Affairs • Public Accounts • Joint Comm on Draft Human Tissues and Embryos Bill 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Oral Questions • Leg – Offender Management Bill (Report stage, 1st day) • Del Leg – European Communities (Definition of Treaties) (Agreement amending the Cotonou Agreement) Order 2007; European Communities (Definition of Treaties) (Amended Cotonou Agreement) (Community Aid Internal Agreement) Order 2007 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Joint Comm on Draft Human Tissues and Embryos Bill
<p>Thurs 21 June</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • OPQ – Education and Skills; Solicitor General • Consideration of Lords amendments [HL] Bill – Remaining Stages • Adj – Burial law reform – Rosie Cooper 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PBC – Legal Services Bill [HL] • PBC – Serious Crime Bill [HL] 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Treasury • Health 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Oral Questions • Leg – Vehicle Registration Marks Bill (Committee stage) • Deb – Labour debates 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • None
<p>Fri 22 June</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Private Members Bills 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • None 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • None 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • None 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • None

**Order of Oral Questions
(Last Sitting period)**

Monday 16th April – Thursday 24th May 2007

Mon.16 April	Tues.17 April	Wed. 18 April	Thurs. 19 April
<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.23 April	Tues. 24 April	Wed. 25 April	Thurs. 26 April
<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. 30 April	Tues. 1 May	Wed. 2 May	Thurs.3 May
<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. 7 May	Tues.8 May	Wed. 9 May	Thurs.10 May
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • (Bank Holiday) 	<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.14 May	Tues. 15 May	Wed. 16 May	Thurs. 17 May
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Defence 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Transport • Justice * 	<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. 21 May	Tues.22 May	Wed.23 May	Thurs. 24 May
<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"> • Health 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Northern Ireland • Prime Minister 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Education and Skills • Solicitor General *

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The hon. Member representing the House of Commons commission also answers on behalf of the Finance and Services Committee.

The Minister of State for Justice, also answers on behalf of the Lord Chancellor and the Privy Council office

The Secretary of State for Scotland also answers on behalf of the Advocate General.

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

Monday 4 June – Thursday 26th July 2007

Mon. 4 June	Tues. 5 June	Wed. 6 June	Thurs. 7 June
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Work and Pensions • Leader of the House • House of Commons Commission 	<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. 11 June	Tues. 12 June	Wed. 13 June	Thurs. 14 June
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Home Office 	<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. 18 June	Tues. 19 June	Wed. 20 June	Thurs. 21 June
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Defence 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Transport • Justice* 	<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. 25 June	Tues. 26 June	Wed. 27 June	Thurs. 28 June
<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"> • Health 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Northern Ireland • Prime Minister 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Education and Skills • Solicitor General *
Mon. 2 July	Tues. 3 July	Wed. 4 July	Thurs. 5 July
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Work and Pensions • Leader of the House • House of Commons Commission* 	<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. 9 July	Tues. 10 July	Wed. 11 July	Thurs. 12 July
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Home Office 	<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. 16 July	Tues. 17 July	Wed. 18 July	Thurs. 19 July
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Defence 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Transport • Justice* 	<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. 23 July	Tues. 24 July	Wed. 25 July	Thurs. 26 July
<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"> • Health 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Northern Ireland • Prime Minister 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Education and Skills • Solicitor General *

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**Business of the House of Commons
15 – 22 June 2007**

Friday 15 June

The House sat at 9.30am

Private Members Bills –

Sustainable Communities Bill – Mr Nick Herd – As amended in Public Bill Committee, to be considered (Agreed; Bill read a third time)
Human Rights Act 1998 (Meaning of Public Authority) Bill – Mr Andrew Dismore (2R) (Deb adj; Order for 2R: 29.6.2007)
Land Use (Gardens Protection etc) Bill – Mrs Caroline Spelman (2R) (Order for 2R: 19.10.2007)
Provision of Palliative Care Bill – Jim Dobbin (2R) (Order for 2R: 19.10.2007)
Retail Packaging Recycling Bill – Andrew Stunell (2R) (Order for 2R: 29.6.2007)
Disabled Persons (Independent Living) Bill [HL] – Roger Berry (2R) (Order for 2R: 19.10.2007)
Housing Association (Rights and Representation of Residents) Bill – Emily Thornberry (2R) (Dropped)
Members of Parliament (Employment Disqualification) Bill – Martin Salter (2R) (Order for 2R: 19.10.2007)
Drugs (Reclassification and Roadside Testing) Bill – Christopher Chope (2R) (Dropped)
Health and Safety (Offences) Bill – Mr Wayne David (2R) (Dropped)
Freedom of Information (Amendment) (No. 2) – Tom Brake (2R) (Order for 2R: 29.6.2007)
Victims of Overseas Terrorism Bill [HL] – Charles Walker (2R) (Dropped)

Adjournment – Supporting local trading – Mr Charles Walker

The House rose at 2.57pm

Monday 18 June

The House sat at 2.30pm

Oral Questions – Defence

Urgent Question – Gaza Strip – Kim Howells

Legislation – Mental Health Bill [HL] – Remaining Stages (As amended, considered)

Adjournment – Housing policy in Hartlepool – Mr Iain Wright

The House rose at 10.52pm

Tuesday 19 June

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

Westminster Hall Private Members' Debates –

09.30-11.00	Enforcement of planning conditions – Steve Webb
11.00-12.30	Sugar and Obesity – Dr Ashok Kumar
12.30-13.00	Village hall licensing – Sir Paul Beresford
13.00-13.30	Modern apprenticeships for women – Ms Sally Keeble
13.30-14.00	Health service in West Dorset – Mr Oliver Letwin

The House sat at 2.30pm

Oral Questions – Transport; Justice

Statement – Prison Population – Mr David Hanson

Statement – on the Fulton and Hall reports

Ten Minute Rule Bill – Council Housing Direct Investment Bill – David Taylor (Agreed)

Legislation – Mental Health [HL] Bill – Conclusion of Remaining Stages (As amended, considered; Bill read a third time)

Adjournment – Proposed move to W H Smith of Chelmsford Crown Post Office – Mr Simon Burns

The House rose at 10.41pm

Wednesday 20 June

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	Registration of migrant workers – Jon Cruddas
11.00-11.30	Regulation of lending to developing nations – Ann McKechnin
14.30-16.00	Provision of gypsy and traveller sites in Hertfordshire – Anne Main
16.00-16.30	Future of revenue and customs offices in Cornwall – Mr Dan Rogerson
16.30-17.00	Fryer report on learning amongst healthcare staff – Helen Jones

The House sat at 11.30am

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

Ten Minute Rule Bill – Disability Benefits (Single Assessment) Bill – Mr Jeremy Hunt (Agreed)

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

Adjournment – Regulation of the disposal of local authority assets: case of Hull City Council – Ms Diana R Johnson

Motion – Road Traffic (Motion, on a deferred division, agreed to)

The House rose at 7.18pm

Thursday 21 June

The House sat at 10.30am

Oral Questions – Environment, Food and Rural Affairs

Business Statement – Leader of the House

Debate – Armed Forces Personnel on a motion for the adjournment of the House

Adjournment – Murder of Kirsty Jones in Thailand, 2000 – Mr Roger Williams

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

Westminster Hall – a debate on the Shipman Inquiry

The House rose at 5.50pm

Friday 22 June

The House did not sit

* Details known previous Thursday after 1.00pm

** Details known previous Wednesday after 1.00pm

**Written Ministerial Statements
15 – 22 June 2007**

- 15.6.07 Local Government Pension Scheme – Mr Phil Woolas
- 15.6.07 Children Act 2004 (Section 58 Review) – Beverley Hughes
- 15.6.07 Veterinary Medicines Directorate – Mr Ben Bradshaw
- 15.6.07 Consular Fees – Dr Kim Howells
- 15.6.07 General Affairs and External Relations Council – Mr Geoffrey Hoon
- 15.6.07 Health and Safety Framework Directive – Mrs Anne McGuire
- 18.6.07 Independent Scientific Group on Cattle TB – David Miliband
- 18.6.07 Veterinary Laboratories Agency Annual Report – Mr Ben Bradshaw
- 18.6.07 Hybrid and Chimera Embryos – Caroline Flint
- 18.6.07 ‘Managing Global Migration’ Strategy – Mr Liam Byrne
- 18.6.07 Strategic Export Controls – Malcolm Wicks
- 19.6.07 Cash Machines (Low-Income Areas) – Ed Balls
- 19.6.07 Gift Aid – Mr Stephen Timms
- 19.6.07 Home Loss Payments – Meg Munn
- 19.6.07 Housing – Ruth Kelly
- 19.6.07 Veterinary Laboratories Agency – Mr Ben Bradshaw
- 19.6.07 Local Government (National Parks) – Barry Gardiner
- 19.6.07 Independent Monitor for Entry Clearance Refusals with Limited right of Appeal – Margaret Beckett
- 19.6.07 NHS Choices Information Service – Andy Burnham
- 19.6.07 Police Authority Capital Grant – Mr Tony McNulty
- 19.6.07 Proceeds of Crime Act – Mr Vernon Coaker
- 19.6.07 Gatwick Express and Southern Franchises – Mr Tom Harris
- 20.6.07 “Supporting People” Strategy Document – Mr Phil Woolas
- 20.6.07 Agriculture and Fisheries Council – David Miliband
- 20.6.07 Local Authority Fees and Charges Scheme – Mr Ben Bradshaw
- 20.6.07 Diplomatic Missions/International Organisations (Unpaid Parking/Minor Traffic Violation Fines) – Margaret Beckett
- 20.6.07 Diplomatic Missions (Non Domestic Rates Bills) – Margaret Beckett

- 20.6.07 Diplomatic Immunity (Alleged Serious Offences) – Margaret Beckett
- 20.6.07 Freedom of Information Act 2000 – Vera Baird
- 20.6.07 “Confidence and confidentiality: Openness in family courts – a new approach” – Ms Harriet Harman
- 20.6.07 Inquests into the Deaths of Servicemen – Ms Harriet Harman
- 20.6.07 Regulatory Impact Assessment – Mr Pat McFadden
- 20.6.07 Competitiveness Council – Malcolm Wicks
- 20.6.07 General Affairs and External Relations Council – Mr Alistair Darling
- 20.6.07 Bevin Boys Badge – Malcolm Wicks
- 20.6.07 Construction Industry (Payment Practices) – Margaret Hodge
- 21.6.07 Financial Services Authority – Ed Balls
- 21.6.07 London Insurance Market Reform – Ed Balls
- 21.6.07 Companies’ Foreign Profits – Dawn Primarolo
- 21.6.07 Credit Unions – Ed Balls
- 21.6.07 Credit Union – Ed Balls
- 21.6.07 Hot Water Safety – Angela E. Smith
- 21.6.07 Social Housing – Yvette Cooper
- 21.6.07 Care Matters: Time for Change – Alan Johnson
- 21.6.07 Government Decontamination Service – Ian Pearson
- 21.6.07 Control Orders – Mr Tony McNulty
- 21.6.07 Counter-terrorism – Mr Tony McNulty
- 21.6.07 Criminal Injuries Compensation – Joan Ryan
- 21.6.07 Public Guardian Board – Vera Baird
- 21.6.07 Secure Training Centres – Bridget Prentice
- 21.6.07 Public Sector Bureaucracy – Hilary Armstrong
- 21.6.07 Business Support – Margaret Hodge
- 21.6.07 Low Pay Commission – Jim Fitzpatrick
- 21.6.07 Royal Mail and Post Office Ltd – Jim Fitzpatrick
- 21.6.07 Biofuels – Mr Douglas Alexander
- 21.6.07 Rail Franchising (West Midlands) – Mr Tom Harris

**Forthcoming Business of the House of Commons
25 – 29 June 2007**

Monday 25 June

The House will sit at 2.30pm

Oral Questions – Culture, Media and Sport; Church Commissioners; Public Accounts Commission and Speakers Committee on the Electoral Commission

Statement – EU Council – Prime Minister

Motion – Finance Bill – Ways & Means resolution

Legislation – Finance Bill – Remaining Stages

Adjournment – Strategic routes in the South West – Mr David Heath

Tuesday 26 June

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

Westminster Hall Private Members' Debates –

09.30-11.00	Social mobility – Mr Alan Milburn
11.00-12.30	Extraordinary rendition – Mr Andrew Tyrie
12.30-13.00	Channel Islands and Protocol 3 to the Act of Accession 1972 – Dr Ian Gibson
13.00-13.30	Proposed closure of Christchurch Jobcentre Plus – Mr Christopher Chope
13.30-14.00	Middle East peace process – Clare Short

The House will sit at 2.30pm

Oral Questions – Health

Ten Minute Rule Bill – Energy Markets (Carbon Reduction and Warm Homes) – Alan Simpson

Legislation – Finance Bill – Conclusion of Remaining Stages

Motion – to approve a Money Resolution on the Off Road Vehicles (Registration) Bill

Adjournment – 25p age addition to pensioners over eighty years old – Jeff Ennis

Wednesday 27 June

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	Government efforts to secure the release of abducted Israeli soldiers – Mr Shailesh Vara
11.00-11.30	Sentencing policy and retail crime – Ann Coffey
14.30-16.00	Government funding for the East London Line extension phase 2 – Martin Linton
16.00-16.30	Transformational government – Margaret Moran
16.30-17.00	Rail services in Devon – Richard Younger-Ross

The House will sit at 11.30am

Oral Questions – Northern Ireland; Prime Minister

Ten Minute Rule Bill – Animals Act (Amendment) Bill – Stephen Crabb

Legislation – Tribunals, Courts and Enforcement [HL] – Remaining Stages

Adjournment – Kosovo – Mark Pritchard

Thursday 28 June

The House will sit at 10.30am

Oral Questions – Education and Skills; Solicitor General

Consideration of Lords amendments

Legislation – Concessionary Bus Travel [HL] Bill – Remaining Stages

Adjournment – Burial law reform – Rosie Cooper

Westminster Hall – Debate on the India Country Assistance Plan

Friday 29 June

The House will sit at 9.30am

Private Members Bills

Crown Employment (Nationality) Bill – Mr Andrew Dismore (2R)
Historic Counties, Towns and Villages (Traffic Signs and Mapping) Bill – Andrew Rosindell (2R)
Disabled Children (Family Support) Bill – Gary Streeter (2R)
Polling Stations (Regulation) Bill – Mr Roger Godsiff (2R)
Speed Limits (Amendment) Bill – Mr John Leech (2R)
Government Spending (Website) Bill [HL] – Mr Mark Francois (2R)
Telecommunications Masts (Planning Control) Bill – Andrew Stunell (2R)
Criminal Law (Amendment) (Protection of Property) Bill – Mr Shailesh Vara (2R)
Infrastructure Audit (Housing Development) Bill – Mr Francis Maude (2R)
Pedlars (Street Trading Regulations) Bill – Dr Brian Iddon (2R)
Copyright Term for Performers and Producers Bill – Mr Michael Connarty (2R)
Employment Retention Bill – John Robertson (2R)
Post-16 Education and Training Bill – Mr Barry Sheerman (2R)
Bilingual Juries (Wales) Bill – Hywel Williams (2R)
Access to Inland Waterways – Dr Desmond Turner (2R)
Protection of Adults in Care (Prevention of Harm and Exploitation) Bill – Mr Paul Burstow (2R)
Gangmasters (Licensing) Act 2004 – Jim Sheriden (2R)
Corruption Bill [HL] – David Heath (2R)
Human Rights Act 1998 (Meaning of Public Authority) Bill – Mr Andrew Dismore (2R)
Retail Packaging Recycling Bill – Andrew Stunell (2R)
Freedom of Information (Amendment) (No.2) Bill – Tom Brake (2R)

Adjournment – Work of the equality challenge unit to tackle racism in universities – Brooks Newmark

* Details known previous Thursday after 1.00pm

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**Provisional Forthcoming Business of the House of Commons
2 – 6 July 2007**

Monday 2 July

The House will sit at 2.30pm

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

Debate – Opposition Day (15th allotted day) – there will be a debate on an Opposition Motion, subject to be announced

Adjournment – Provision of hearing loops in shops – Tom Levitt

Tuesday 3 July

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 – Foreign and Commonwealth Office

Ten Minute Rule Bill – Pre-Nuptial Agreements Bill – Mr Quentin Davies

Legislation – Statistics and Registration Service Bill – consideration of Lords amendments

Consideration of Lords amendments

Adjournment – *

Wednesday 4 July

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 – Wales: Prime Minister

Legislation – Child Maintenance and Other Payments Bill – Second Reading

Adjournment – *

Thursday 5 July

The House will sit at 10.30am

Oral Questions – Trade and Industry; Women and Equality

Legislation – Consumers, Estate Agents and Redress [HL] Bill – Remaining Stages

Motion – to approve a European document to Global Navigation Systems

Adjournment – *

Westminster Hall – Development Assistance and the Occupied Palestinian Territories – 4th Report from the International Development Committee, Session 2006-07, HC 114, and the Government's response thereto, 5th Special Report, Session 2006-07, HC 430.

Friday 6 July

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 25 – 29 June 2007

Monday 25 June (2.30pm)

Oral questions – Lord Wallace of Saltaire to ask Her Majesty's Government what assistance they are providing to the government of Spain, both bilaterally and through the European Union, to reduce people- smuggling through West Africa and Spain; Baroness Gardner of Parkes to ask Her Majesty's Government what is their estimate of the number of people resident for many years in the United Kingdom who are not listed in any official statistics; and what will be their status when identity cards are introduced; Baroness Oppenheim-Barnes to ask Her Majesty's Government what progress they are making in phasing out mixed-sex wards in National Health Service hospitals; Lord Astor of Hever to ask Her Majesty's Government how they intend to proceed with the Future Aircraft Carrier project.

Legislation – European Union (Implications of Withdrawal) Bill [HL] (Committee stage); Statistics and Registration Service Bill (Third reading); Corporate Manslaughter and Corporate Homicide Bill (Consideration of Commons Amendments stage).

Question for Short debate – on what action is being taken to promote the United Nations Convention on disability (L. Ashley of Stoke).

Tuesday 26 June (2.30pm)

Oral questions – Lord Pearson of Rannoch to ask Her Majesty's Government whether the recent, current and proposed legislation concerning Home Information Packs, waste disposal and the closure of post offices is required as a result of decisions made under European Union law; Lord Hoyle to ask Her Majesty's Government what role the charitable sector is playing in the mental health sector in the North West of England; Lord Hannay of Chiswick to ask Her Majesty's Government what recent discussions on Darfur they have had with the government of China; and whether they have raised the possible consequences for the Olympic Games in 2008 which may follow from international concern at its policies relating to Darfur.

Legislation – Greater London Authority Bill (Report stage, 2nd day); Rating (Empty Properties) Bill (Second reading).

Delegated Legislation – Trade Marks (Relative Grounds) Order 2007; National Minimum Wage Act 1998 (Amendment) Regulations 2007; National Minimum Wage Regulations 1999 (Amendment) Regulations 2007; Limited Liability Partnerships (Amendment) Regulations 2007; Local Authorities (Conduct of Referendums) (England) Regulations 2007; Vaccine Damage Payments Act 1979 Statutory Sum Order 2007; Child Support (Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2007 (All above in Grand Committee, Moses Room 3.30pm)

Wednesday 27 June (3.00pm)

Oral questions – Lord Bilimoria to ask Her Majesty’s Government whether they will extend the International Graduates Scheme to allow non-United Kingdom nationals graduating from recognised universities the right to work in the United Kingdom for two years, along the lines of the Fresh Talent Scheme currently operated in Scotland; Lord Goodlad to ask Her Majesty’s Government what recent discussions they have had with the government of China about the future of Hong Kong; Lord Blaker to ask Her Majesty’s Government what representations they are making to the Southern African Development Community about Zimbabwe.

Legislation – Offender Management Bill (Report stage, 1st day).

Delegated Legislation – European Communities (Definition of Treaties) (Agreement amending the Cotonou Agreement) Order 2007; European Communities (Definition of Treaties) (Amended Cotonou Agreement) (Community Aid Internal Agreement) Order 2007.

Thursday 28 June (11.00am)

Oral questions – Lord Bishop of Southwell and Nottingham to ask Her Majesty’s Government whether they intend to continue the Rural Social and Community Programme beyond March 2008. Lord Bishop of Liverpool to ask Her Majesty’s Government whether they have undertaken an audit of the total environmental impact, including carbon emissions, of the building of the new range of nuclear power stations; Lord Lee of Trafford to ask Her Majesty’s Government whether they will include tourism in the title of the Department for Culture, Media and Sport to acknowledge the place of the tourism industry in the United Kingdom economy.

Legislation – Vehicle Registration Marks Bill (Committee stage).

Debates – Labour debates.

Question for Short debate – on the action to be taken to address the causes and impact of human trafficking (L. Sheikh)

Provisional Future Business of the House of Lords 2 – 6 July 2007

Monday 2 July (2.30pm)

Oral questions – Lord Ezra to ask Her Majesty’s Government, in view of the increase in fossil fuel usage world-wide, why they are not proceeding faster with the application of carbon capture and storage technology; Lord Trefgarne to ask Her Majesty’s Government how much revenue was raised by speed cameras on major roads in the United Kingdom during the last convenient 12-month period; and for what purpose those funds were used; Lord Janner of Braunstone to ask the Chairman of Committees what progress has been made in the cleaning of the exterior of the Palace of Westminster; and when this work will be completed; Lord Watson of Richmond to ask Her Majesty’s Government whether, in view of recent developments in Madagascar, they will now consider re-opening the United Kingdom embassy in that country.

Legislation – Mental Health Bill [HL] (Consideration of Commons amendments); UK Borders Bill (Grand Committee, Moses room 3.30pm).

Debate – on the EU Committee report on VAT carousel fraud (B. Cohen of Pimlico).

Question for short debate – on the impact of the provisions of the 8th Company Law Directive on the competitive position of the city of London (L. Hodgson of Astley Abbotts).

Tuesday 3 July (2.30pm)

Oral questions – Lord Higgins to ask Her Majesty’s Government why individuals born after 1961 to a British mother and a father who is not a British national are entitled to British citizenship but those born before 1961 are not; Countess of Mar to ask Her Majesty’s Government whether the document Homeopathic Services which was sent to Primary Care Trusts during May 2007 was issued with the knowledge and approval of the Department of Health; and, if not, what authority the document has; Lord Hylton to ask Her Majesty’s Government whether they will assist the development of regional autonomy for the Kurds of Eastern Turkey and Western Iran, similar to current arrangements in Northern Iraq.

Legislation – Rating (Empty Properties) Bill (Third reading); Offender Management Bill (Report stage, 2nd day).

Delegated Legislation – Working Time (Amendment) Regulations 2007; Companies (Political Expenditure Exemption) Order 2007; Regulatory Reform (Game) Order 2007; Regulatory Reform (Financial Services and Markets Act 2000) Order 2007; Criminal Justice and Court Services Act 2000 (Amendment) Order 2007; Official Secrets Act 1989 (Prescription) (Amendment) Order 2007; National Assembly for Wales (Legislative Competence) (Amendment of Schedule 7 to the Government of Wales Act 2006) Order 2007.
Question for short debate- on Palestine (L. Dykes).

Wednesday 4 July (3.00pm)

Oral question – Lord Barnett to ask the Leader of the House whether she will support a proposal to the Liaison Committee for the appointment of a select committee on a review of the Barnett Formula; Lord Northbourne to ask Her Majesty’s Government whether they have any plans to improve the academic performance of boys at GCSE; Baroness Massey of Darwen to ask Her Majesty’s Government whether they have any plans to increase the number of grammar schools in England.

Legislation – Pensions Bill (Report stage).

Thursday 5 July (11.00am)

Oral questions – Lord Faulkner of Worcester to ask Her Majesty’s Government what plans they have to achieve consistency in combating ticket touts and the exploitation of sport and arts supporters; Baroness Masham of Ilton to ask Her Majesty’s Government how they plan to deliver their assurance of continued employment for junior doctors after 1 August while the doctors progress through the second round of recruitment to speciality medical and training posts; Lord Harrison to ask Her Majesty’s Government whether they support initiatives to safeguard and promote the development, production and distribution of films and television programmes for children which reflect the lives of children in the United Kingdom as well as in other countries.

Legislation – Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Bill (Committee stage, day one); Concessionary Bus Travel Bill [HL] (Consideration of Commons Amendments); UK Borders Bill (Grand Committee, Moses room 2pm).

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Legislation – General Notes

In the list of Bills which follows, the type of Bill is shown at the left-hand margin next to 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
[HL]	Bill starting in the House of Lords
HYBRID	Public Bill which affects private interests of particular persons or corporate bodies as distinct from the private interests of all persons or bodies

Abbreviations:

1R	First reading: date of presentation (formal, no debate)
2R	Second reading (debate on the principle(s) of the Bill)
MR	Money resolution (normally taken after 2R only shown in the list 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 principles (equates with SRC)
PBC	Public Bill Committee in the House of Commons
Comm	Committee of the Whole House
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).
SSC/SSSC	Special Standing Committee/Special Scottish Standing Committee on a Bill, where public evidence is taken
CN	Committee negated. (Indicates that there was no debate at committee stage in the House of Lords)
OCD	Order of Commitment discharged (no debate at committee stage in the House of Lords)
Rep	Report stage (detailed review of the Bill as amended in committee)
3R	Third reading (final debate on the Bill)
RS	Remaining stages of a bill on the same day (usually report stage and third reading)
LA	Lords' amendments considered in the House of Commons
CA	Commons' amendments considered in the House of Lords
Royal Assent	Bill formerly becomes an Act of Parliament
CH	Chapter number
CO	Carry-over Motion
RC	Re-committal to a Public Bill Committee, or to Committee stage in House of Lords
Prog	Programme Motion
ATM	Allocation of Time Motion
SelCom	Bill referred to a Select Committee
<i>Prov 2R (Rep,3R)</i>	Provisional date for 2R 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.
Pri	Private sitting (can occur at any stage)
*	Indicates proceedings were formal with no debate
#	Member in charge has named a date for consideration which is not a Private Members' Bill Friday, therefore the Bill will not be debated.
Deb adj	Debate adjourned
Order for 2nd Reading lapsed	Bill has not been printed, therefore does not appear on the order paper on the named day
Dropped	Day for the next reading has not been named or time has run out for the Bill to be considered
Withdrawn	Member in charge has withdrawn the Bill
Stood over	Fewer than 40 Members present at a division, question not decided and business under consideration stood over until next sitting of the House
Prorogued	the House prorogued before the Bill could proceed any further (does not apply to Bills with Carry-over Motions)

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. 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 CONTRACEPTIVE SERVICES (T) Commons: (57) 1R: 6.2.2007 (not printed) <i>Prov 2R: 15.6.2007 (Dropped)</i>	Natascha Engel
ACCESS TO INLAND WATERWAYS (T) Commons: (52) 1R: 24.1.2007 <i>Prov 2R: 29.6.2007 (15)</i>	Dr Desmond Turner
AGE-RELATED MACULAR DEGENERATION (P) Commons: (45) 1R: 16.1.2007 <i>Prov 2R: 19.10.2007 (5)</i>	Mrs Linda Riordan
ALCOHOL LABELLING [HL] (L) Lords: (32) 1R: 29.1.2007 2R: 20.4.2007 <i>Prov Comm**: No date</i>	Lord Mitchell
ARMED FORCES (FEDERATION) BILL (T) Commons: (117) 1R: 6.6.2007 (not printed) <i>Prov 2R: 19.10.2007 (22)</i>	Mr Kevan Jones
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: 29.6.2007 (14)</i>	Hywel Williams
BUILDING SOCIETIES (FUNDING) AND MUTUAL SOCIETIES (TRANSFERS) BILL (FORMALLY KNOWN AS FINANCIAL MUTUAL ARRANGEMENTS (B7) BILL) Commons: (23) (95) 1R: 13.12.2006 2R: 23.3.2007 PBC: 25.4.2007 Rep: 27.4.2007 3R: 27.4.2007 Lords: (65) 1R: 30.4.2007 2R: 14.6.2007 <i>Prov Comm: 10.7.2007</i>	Sir John Butterfill
CARERS (IDENTIFICATION SUPPORT) (T) Commons: (92) 1R: 24.4.2007 <i>Prov 2R: 19.10.2007 (13)</i>	Barbara Keeley
CATHOLICS (PREVENTION OF DISCRIMINATION) (T) Commons: (63) 1R: 20.2.2007 (not printed) <i>Prov 2R: 19.10.2007 (24)</i>	Mr John Gummer
CHILD MAINTENANCE AND OTHER PAYMENTS (G) Commons: (118) 1R: 5.6.2007 <i>Prov 2R: 4.7.2007</i>	John Hutton
CHILDCARE PROVISION (WALES) (T) Commons: (91) 1R: 18.4.2007 (not printed) <i>Prov 2R: 19.10.2007 (12)</i>	Chris Bryant
CLIMATE CHANGE (EFFECTS) (T) Commons: (54) 1R: 30.1.2007 2R: 20.3.2007 (Withdrawn)	Rob Marris
CLUSTER MUNITIONS (PROHIBITION) [HL] (L) Lords: (10) 1R: 23.11.2006 2R: 15.12.2006 OCD: 31.1.2007 3R: 20.2.2007 Commons: (68) 1R: 27.2.2007 2R: 27.4.2007 (Dropped)	Lord Dubs/Martin Caton
CLUSTER MUNITIONS (PROHIBITION OF DEVELOPMENT AND ACQUISITION) (P) Commons: (42) 1R: 19.12.2006 2R: 18.5.2007 (Dropped)	Nick Harvey
CONCESSIONARY BUS TRAVEL [HL] (G) Lords: (13, 33) 1R: 27.11.2006 2R: 12.12.2006 Comm**: 8.1.2007 Rep: 29.1.2007 3R: 5.2.2007 Commons: (60) 1R: 6.2.2007 2R: 14.5.2007 Prog: 14.5.2007 MR: 14.5.2007 PBC: 5.6.2007 <i>Prov PBC: 28.6.2007</i>	Lord Davies of Oldham/Douglas Alexander

CONSOLIDATED FUND (G)		John Healey/Baroness Amos
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)		CONSOLIDATED FUND ACT 2006
CONSOLIDATED FUND (APPROPRIATION) (G)		John Healy/Lord Davies of Oldham
Commons: (78)	1R: 12.3.2007 *2R: 13.3.2007 *3R: 13.3.2007	
Lords:	1R: 13.3.2007 *2R: 19.3.2007 *3R: 19.3.2007	
Royal Assent: 20.3.2007 (Ch.1)		APPROPRIATION ACT 2007
CONSTITUTIONAL REFORM BILL (P)		Graham Allen
Commons: (114)	1R: 23.5.2007 Prov 2R: 19.10.2007 (20)	
CONSUMERS, ESTATE AGENTS AND REDRESS [HL] (G)		Lord Truscott/Mr Ian McCartney
Lords: (2, 25, 36)	1R: 16.11.2006 2R: 4.12.2006 Comm**: 18.12.2006	Comm**: 9 & 10.1.2007
Rep: 30.1.2007	3R: 6.2.2007	
Commons (61):	1R: 7.2.2007 2R: 19.3.2007 Prog: 19.3.2007 MR: 19.3.2007	
PBC: 17, 19, 24 & 26.4.2007	Prov Rep: 5.7.2007	
COPYRIGHT (MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS) (T)		David Amess
Commons: (104)	1R: 15.5.2007 (not printed) Prov: 2R: 19.10.2007 (17)	
COPYRIGHT TERM FOR PERFORMERS AND PRODUCERS (T)		Michael Connarty
Commons: (101)	1R: 9.5.2007 (not printed) Prov 2R: 29.6.2007 (11)	
CORPORATE MANSLAUGHTER AND CORPORATE HOMICIDE (G)		John Reid/Baroness Scotland
(introduced in session 2005-06 and carried over to session 2006-07)		
Commons: (220, 236, 2005-06; 113, 2006-2007)	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	LA: 16.5 & 5.6.2007	
Commons: (5, 70 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 Rep: 5.2.2007	
3R: 28.2.2007 CA: 22.5.2007	Prov CA: 25.6.2007	
CORRUPTION [HL] (L)		Lord Chidgey
Lords: (18)	1R: 29.11.2006 2R: 16.3.2007 OCD: 18.4.2007 3R: 13.6.2007	
Commons: (126)	Prov 1R: 29.6.2007 (18)	
COUNCIL HOUSING DIRECT INVESTMENT BILL (T)		David Taylor
Commons: (127)	1R: 19.6.2007 (not printed) Prov 2R: 19.10.2007 (30)	
CRIMINAL LAW (AMENDMENT) (PROTECTION OF PROPERTY) (B12)		Mr Shailesh Vara
Commons: (28)	1R: 13.12.2006 Prov 2R: 29.6.2007 (8)	
CROSSRAIL (HYBRID BILL) (G)		Douglas Alexander
(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, 30 & 31.1; 1, 6, 7, 8, 20, 21 & 27.2; 1, 13, 14, 20, 22 & 28.3.2007 Prov SelCom: 10, 11 & 12.7.2007	
(petitioning period in the Commons 16.5.2007 to 12.6.2007)		
CROWN EMPLOYMENT (NATIONALITY) (P)		Andrew Dismore
Commons: (38)	1R: 18.12.2006 Prov 2R: 29.6.2007 (1)	
CYSTIC FIBROSIS (EXEMPTION FROM PRESCRIPTION CHARGES) (B14)		Mr John Hayes
Commons: (30)	1R: 13.12.2006 2R: 23.3.2007 (Deb adj) Prov 2R: 19.10.2007 (7)	
DANCE TEACHERS (QUALIFICATIONS AND REGULATION) (T)		Meg Hillier
Commons: (67)	1R: 28.2.2007 (not printed) Prov 2R: 19.10.2007 (1)	
DEVELOPMENT ORDERS (MICROGENERATION) [HL] (L)		Lord Redesdale
(Formerly: ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND MICROGENERATION [HL] (L))		
Lords: (21, 56)	1R: 13.12.2006 2R: 23.2.2007 Comm: 22.3.2007	Prov Rep: No date

DIGITAL SWITCHOVER (DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION) (G) Tessa Jowell / Lord Davies of Oldham
 Commons: (3, 112) 1R: 16.11.2006 2R: 18.12.2006 Prog: 18.12.2006 PBC: 16.1.2007
 RS: 29.1.2007 3R: 29.1.2007 LA: 14.6.2007
 Lords (35) 1R: 30.1.2007 2R: 28.2.2007 Comm**: 22.3.2007 Rep: 15.5.2007
 3R: 22.5.2007 Royal Assent: 18.6.2007 (Ch.8)
**DIGITAL SWITCHOVER
 (DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION) ACT 2007**

DISABLED CHILDREN (FAMILY SUPPORT) (B4) Mr Gary Streeter
 Commons: (20) 1R: 13.12.2006 2R: 23.2.2007 (Deb adj) Prov 2R: 29.6.2007 (3)

DISABLED PERSONS (INDEPENDENT LIVING) [HL] (L) Lord Ashley of Stoke
 Lords: (14) 1R: 27.11.2006 2R: 15.12.2006 Comm: 22.3.2007 Rep: 17.4.2007 3R: 24.4.2007
 Commons: (97) 1R: 24.4.2007 Prov 2R: 19.10.2007 (28)

DISABILITY BENEFITS (SINGLE ASSESSMENT) (T) Jeremy Hunt
 Commons: (128) 1R: 20.6.2007 (not printed) Prov 2R: 19.10.2007 (31)

DRUGS (RECLASSIFICATION AND ROADSIDE TESTING) (T) Mr Christopher Chope
 Commons: (93) 1R: 25.4.2007 Prov 2R: 15.6.2007 (Dropped)

ELECTRIC SHOCK TRAINING DEVICES (B17) Sarah McCarthy-Fry
 Commons: (33) 1R: 13.12.2006 2R: 27.4.2007 (Bill Negatived)

EMPLOYMENT ASSISTANCE (WALES) (T) Mr Wayne David
 Commons: (88) 1R: 28.3.2007 (not printed) Prov 2R: 19.10.2007 (10)

EMPLOYMENT RETENTION (T) John Robertson
 Commons: (79) 1R: 13.3.2007 Prov 2R: 29.6.2007 (12)

ENERGY SAVING (DAYLIGHT) (B2) Mr Tim Yeo
 Commons: (18) 1R: 13.12.2006 2R: 26.1.2007 (Deb adj) 2R: 2.2.2007 (Dropped)
 Prov 2R: No date

EUROPEAN UNION (IMPLICATIONS OF WITHDRAWAL) [HL] (L) Lord Pearson of Rannoch
 Lords: (7) 1R: 20.11.2006 2R: 8.6.2007 Prov Comm: No date

EUROPEAN UNION (INFORMATION, etc.) [HL] (L) Lord Dykes
 Lords: (15) 1R: 28.11.2006 2R: 15.12.2006 Comm: 1.3.2007 Rep: 19.3.2007 3R: 27.3.2007
 Commons: () Prov 1R: No date

FINANCE (G) Dawn Primorolo
 Commons: (86) (120) 1R: 27.3.2007 2R: 23.4.2007 Comm: 30.4 & 1.5.2007
 PBC: 8, 10, 15, 17, 22 & 24.5, 5 & 7.6.2007 Prov Rep: 25 & 26.6.2007

FLEXIBLE WORKING (T) Lorely Burt
 Commons: (85) 1R: 27.3.2007 (not printed) Prov 2R: 19.10.2007 (9)

FORCED MARRIAGE (CIVIL PROTECTION) [HL] (L) Lord Lester of Herne Hill
 Lords: (3) (79) 1R: 16.11.2006 2R: 26.1.2007 Comm**: 10.5.2007 Rep: 13.6.2007
 3R: 21.6.2007
 Commons: (129) 1R: 21.6.2007 Prov 2R: 25.6.2007

FRAUD (TRIALS WITHOUT A JURY) (G) John Reid/Lord Goldsmith
 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
 Lords: (31) 1R: 26.1.2007 2R: 20.3.2007 (deb adj) Prov 2R: No date

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION (AMENDMENT) (P) David Maclean
 Commons: (39, 62) 1R: 18.12.2006 2R: 19.1.2007 PBC: 7.2.2007 Rep: 20.4.2007 (Deb adj)
 Rep: 18.5.2007 3R: 18.5.2007
 Lords: (73) 1R: 21.5.2007 Prov 2R: No date

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION (AMENDMENT) (No.2) Tom Brake
 Commons: (121) 1R: 12.6.2007 Prov 2R: 29.6.2007 (21)

FURTHER EDUCATION AND TRAINING [HL] (G)

Lord Adonis
Lords: (6, 30, 44) 1R: 20.11.2006 2R: 13.12.2006 Comm**: 23 & 25.1.2007 Rep: 27.2.2007
3R: 6.3.2007
Commons (75) (125) 1R: 7.3.2007 2R: 21.5.2007 Prog: 21.5.2007 MR: 21.5.2007
PBC: 12 & 14.6.2007 Prov Rep: No date

GANGMASTERS (LICENSING) ACT 2004 (T)

Jim Sheridan
Commons: (122) 1R: 13.6.2007 (not printed) Prov 2R: 29.6.2007 (17)

GOVERNMENT SPENDING (WEBSITE) [HL] (L)

Baroness Noakes
Lords: (20) 1R: 11.12.2006 2R: 26.1.2007 OCD: 19.2.2007 3R: 13.3.2007
Commons: (81) 1R: 15.3.2007 Prov 2R: 29.6.2007 (6)

GREATER LONDON AUTHORITY (G)

Ruth Kelly / Baroness Andrews
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 Rep: 27.2.2007 3R: 27.2.2007
Lords: (46) 1R: 28.2.2007 2R: 28.3.2007 Comm**:30.4.2007 Comm**: 2, 8, 9 & 14.5.2007
Rep: 19.6.2007 Prov Rep: 26.6.2007

HEALTH AND SAFETY (OFFENCES) (P)

Mr Wayne David
Commons: (58) 1R: 7.2.2007 2R: 27.4.2007 (stood over) Prov 2R: 15.6.2007 (Dropped)

HISTORIC COUNTIES, TOWNS AND VILLAGES

Andrew Rosindell
(TRAFFIC SIGNS AND MAPPING) (T)
Commons: (55) 1R: 31.1.2007 (not printed) Prov 2R: 29.6.2007 (2)

HOUSE OF COMMONS (PARTICIPATION) (B6)

Mr Robert Walter
Commons: (22) 1R: 13.12.2006 2R: 9.3.2007 (deb adj) Prov 2R: 19.10.2007 (4)

HOUSE OF LORDS [HL] (L)

Lord Steel of Aikwood
Lords: (52) 1R: 14.3.2007 Prov 2R: No date

HOUSE OF LORDS (AMENDMENT) [HL] (L)

Lord Avebury
Lords: (51) 1R: 14.3.2007 2R: 18.5.2007 Prov Comm: No date

HOUSES IN MULTIPLE OCCUPATION (T)

Dr Whitehead
Commons: (109) 1R: 22.5.2007 (Not printed) Prov 2R: 19.10.2007 (19)

HOUSING ASSOCIATION (RIGHTS AND REPRESENTATION OF RESIDENTS) (B19)

Emily Thornberry
Commons: (35) 1R: 13.12.2006 Prov 2R:15.6.2007 (Dropped)

HUMAN RIGHTS ACT 1998 (MEANING OF PUBLIC AUTHORITY) (T)

Mr Andrew Dismore
Commons: (43) 1R: 9.1.2007 2R: 15.6.2007 (2) (Deb adj) Prov 2R: 29.6.2007 (19)

INCOME TAX (G)

Gordon Brown/Lord Davies of Oldham
Commons: (14, 48) 1R: 7.12.2006 SRC: 17.1.2007 2R: 22.1.2007 MR: 22.1.2007
JC TLRB: 24.1.2007 OCD: 20.2.2007 3R: 20.2.2007
Lords: (52) 1R: 21.2.2007 2R: 19.3.2007 3R: 19.3.2007
Royal Assent: 20.3.2007 (Ch. 3) **INCOME TAX ACT 2007**

INFRASTRUCTURE AUDIT (HOUSING DEVELOPMENT) (B20)

Mr Francis Maude
Commons: (36) 1R: 13.12.2006 Prov 2R:29.6.2007 (9)

INTERCEPTION OF COMMUNICATIONS (ADMISSIBILITY OF EVIDENCE) [HL] (L)

Lord Lloyd of Berwick
Lords: (11) 1R: 23.11.2006 2R: 16.3.2007 Prov Comm: No date

INTERGOVERNMENTAL CONTRACTS (PROVISION OF INFORMATION) (T)

Dr John Pugh
Commons: (49) 1R: 23.1.2007 (not printed) Order for 2nd Reading lapsed Prov 2R: No date

INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNALS (SIERRA LEONE) [HL] (G)

Baroness Royall of Blaisdon
Lords: (60) 1R: 18.4.2007 2R: 1.5.2007 OCD: 15.5.2007 3R: 22.5.2007
Commons: (110) 1R: 22.5.2007 2R: 13.6.2007 Comm: 13.6.2007 Rep: 13.6.2007 3R: 13.6.2007
Royal Assent: 18.6.2007 (Ch.7) **INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNALS (SIERRA LEONE) [HL] ACT 2007**

INVESTMENT EXCHANGES AND CLEARING HOUSES (G)

Gordon Brown/Lord McKensie
Comm: 28.11.2006

Commons: (4) 1R: 16.11.2006 GM: 28.11.2006 2R: 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/Lord Rooker

Commons: (10) (100) 1R: 27.11.2006 2R: 13.12.2006 Prog: 13.12.2006 MR: 13.12.2006
PBC: 16 & 18.1.2007 Rep: 6.2.2007 3R: 6.2.2007 LA: 10.5.2007
Lords: (42) 1R: 7.2.2007 2R: 20.2.2007 Comm**: 19 & 21.3.2007 Rep: 23.4.2007
3R: 2.5.2007 CA: 21.5.2007
Royal Assent: 24.5.2007 (Ch 6)

JUSTICE AND SECURITY (NORTHERN IRELAND) ACT 2007

LAND USE (GARDENS PROTECTION ETC) (B3)

Mrs Caroline Spelman

Commons: (19) 1R: 13.12.2006 2R: 2.2.2007 (Deb adj) Prov 2R: 19.10.2007 (26)

LEASEHOLD INFORMATION [HL] (L)

Lord Redesdale

Lords: (38) 1R: 1.2.2007 Prov 2R: No date

LEGAL SERVICES [HL] (G)

Lord Falconer of Thoroton/ Bridget Prentice

Lords: (9, 50) 1R: 23.11.2006 2R: 6.12.2006 Comm: 9, 22, 23.1; 6, 21.2 & 6.3.2007
Rep: 16 & 18.4, 8 & 9.5.2007 3R: 15.5.2007
Commons: (108) 1R: 16.5.2007 2R: 4.6.2007 Prog: 4.6.2007 MR: 4.6.2007
PBC: 12, 14, 19 & 21.6.2007 Prov PBC: 26 & 28.6.2007

LIFE PEERAGES (RESIDENCY FOR TAXATION PURPOSES) BILL (P)

Lord Oakshott

Lords: (62) 1R: 23.04.2007 Prov 2R: No date

LIGHT BULB (REGULATION) (P)

John Barrett

Commons: (69) 1R: 28.2.2007 (not printed) Order for 2nd Reading lapsed Prov 2R: No date

LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT IN HEALTH (G)

Ruth Kelly

Commons: (16, 77) 1R: 12.12.2006 2R: 22.1.2007 Prog: 22.1.2007 MR: 22.1.2007
PBC: 30.1; 1, 6, 20, 22 & 27.2; 1, 6 & 8.3.2007 Rep: 17 & 22.5.2007 3R: 22.5.2007
Lords: (74) 1R: 23.5.2007 2R: 20.6.2007 Prov Comm: 5.7.2007

LOCAL PLANNING AUTHORITIES (ENERGY AND ENERGY EFFICIENCY) (B9)

Mr Martin Caton

Commons: (25) 1R: 13.12.2006 2R: 19.1.2007 (Deb adj) 2R: 18.5.2007 (Dropped)

MEDIA (TRANSPARENCY AND DISCLOSURE) (T)

Gary Streeter

Commons: (111) 1R: 23.5.2007 (not printed) Prov 2R: 19.10.2007 (21)

MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT (EMPLOYMENT DISQUALIFICATION) (T)

Martin Salter

Commons: (105) 1R: 16.5.2007 Prov 2R: 19.10.2007 (29)

MENTAL HEALTH [HL] (G)

Lord Warner/Patricia Hewitt

Lords: (1, 34, 45) (83) 1R: 16.11.2006 2R: 28.11.2006 Comm: 8, 10, 15, 17 & 29.1.2007
Rep: 19, 26 & 27.2.2007 3R: 6.3.2007 Prov CA: 2.7.2007
Commons (76) 1R: 7.3.2007 2R: 16.4.2007 Prog: 16.4.2007 MR: 16.4.2007
PBC: 24 & 26.4, 1, 8, 10 & 15.5.2007 Rep: 18 & 19.6.2007 3R: 19.6.2007

NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR HEALTH AND CLINICAL EXCELLENCE (IMPACT ON CARERS) (T)

Greg Clark

Commons (59): 1R: 7.2.2007 (not printed) Prov 2R: 15.6.2007 (Dropped)

NORTHERN IRELAND (ST ANDREWS AGREEMENT) (G)

Peter Hain/Lord Rooker

Commons: (7) 1R: 16.11.2006 GM: 21.11.2006 2R: 21.11.2006 PBC: 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

NORTHERN IRELAND (ST ANDREWS AGREEMENT) (No.2) (G)

Mr Peter Hain/ Lord Rooker

Commons: (84) 1R: 27.3.2007 2R: 27.3.2007 Prog: 27.3.2007 PBC: 27.3.2007 RS: 27.3.2007
Lords: 1R: 27.3.2007 2R: 27.3.2007 RS: 27.3.2007
Royal Assent: 27.3.2007 (Ch.4)

NORTHERN IRELAND (ST ANDREWS AGREEMENT) ACT 2007

OFFENDER MANAGEMENT (G)

John Reid/Baroness Scotland

Commons: (9, 50) 1R: 22.11.2006 2R: 11.12.2006 Prog: 11.12.2006 MR: 11.12.2006
 PBC: 11, 16, 18 & 23.1.2007 Prog: 28.2.2007 Rep: 28.2.2007 3R: 28.2.2007
 Lords: (47) 1R: 1.3.2007 2R: 17.4.2007 Comm: 16, 21 & 23.5, 5, 11 & 12.6.2007
 Prov Rep: 27.6.2007

OFF-ROAD VEHICLES (REGISTRATION) (B5)

Graham Stringer

Commons: (21) 1R: 13.12.2007 2R: 2.3.2007 PBC: 20.6.2007 Prov PBC: 11.7.2007

PALLIATIVE CARE [HL] (L)

Baroness Finlay of Llandaff

Lords: (4) 1R: 16.11.2006 2R: 23.2.2007 OCD: 28.3.2007 3R: 24.4.2007
 Commons: () Prov 1R: No date

PARLIAMENT (JOINT DEPARTMENTS) [HL] (G)

Baroness Amos

Lords: (29) 1R: 23.1.2007 2R: 1.3.2007 Comm: 20.3.2007 Rep: 16.4.2007 3R: 24.4.2007
 Commons: (94) 1R: 24.4.2007 SRC: 7.6.2007 2R: 19.6.2007 Prov Comm** No date

PARLIAMENTARY CONSTITUENCIES (AMENDMENT) [HL] (L)

Lord Baker of Dorking

Lords: (39) 1R: 5.2.2007 2R: 18.5.2007 Prov Comm: No date

PEDLARS (STREET TRADING REGULATION) (T)

Dr Brian Iddon

Commons: (64) 1R: 21.2.2007 2R: 27.4.2007 (Dropped) Prov 2R: 29.6.2007 (10)

PENSIONS (G)

John Hutton

Commons: (12, 56) 1R: 28.11.2006 2R: 16.1.2007 Prog: 16.1.2007 MR: 16.1.2007
 PBC: 23, 25 & 30.1 & 1, 6 & 8.2.2007 Rep: 18.4.2007 3R: 18.4.2007
 Lords: (61, 77) 1R: 19.4.2007 2R: 14.5.2007 Comm: 4, 6 & 11.6.2007
 Prov Rep: 4.7.2007

PENSIONS (UNCLAIMED ASSETS) (P)

Mr Frank Field

Commons: (74) 1R: 7.3.2007 Prov 2R: 19.10.2007(23)

PIPED MUSIC etc. (HOSPITALS) [HL] (L)

Lord Beaumont of Whitley

Lords: (26) 1R: 15.1.2007 2R: 16.3.2007 OCD: 17.4.2007 3R: 24.4.2007
 Commons: () Prov 1R: No date

PLANNING (CONSULTATION) BILL (T)

Mr Ian Liddell-Grainger

Commons: (90) 1R: 17.4.2007 (not printed) Prov 2R: 19.10.2007 (11)

PLANNING-GAIN SUPPLEMENT (PREPARATIONS) (G)

Gordon Brown/Lord Davies of Oldham

Commons: (37) 1R: 12.12.2006 2R: 15.1.2007 Prog: 15.1.2007 MR: 15.1.2007
 PBC: 30.1.2007 RS: 20.2.2007 3R: 20.2.2007
 Lords: (43) 1R: 21.2.2007 2R: 5.3.2007 OCD: 5.3.2007 3R: 19.3.2007
 Royal Assent: 20.3.2007 (Ch. 2)

PLANNING-GAIN SUPPLEMENT (PREPARATIONS) ACT 2007

POLLING STATIONS (REGULATION) (B11)

Mr Roger Godsiff

Commons: (27) 1R: 13.12.2006 Prov 2R: 29.6.2007 (4)

POST-16 EDUCATION AND TRAINING (B15)

Mr Barry Sheerman

Commons: (31) 1R: 13.12.2006 Prov 2R: 29.6.2007 (13)

PRIVATE PARKING (REGULATIONS) (T)

David Wright

Commons (72) 1R: 6.3.2007 (not printed) (Order for 2R lapsed) Prov 2R: No date

PROTECTION OF ADULTS IN CARE (PREVENTION OF HARM AND EXPLOITATION) BILL (P)

Paul Burstow

Commons: (123) 1R: 13.6.2007 (not printed) Prov 2R: 29.6.2007 (16)

PROTECTION OF LISTED VEHICLES (T)

Mr John Randall

Commons: (44) 1R: 10.1.2007 (not printed) Order for 2nd Reading lapsed Prov 2R: No date

PROVISION OF PALLIATIVE CARE (P)

Jim Dobbin

Commons: (40) 1R: 18.12.2006 Prov 2R: 19.10.2007 (27)

PUBLIC DEMONSTRATIONS (REPEALS) [HL] (L)

Baroness Miller of Chilthorne Domer

Lords: (12) 1R: 23.11.2006 2R: 26.1.2007 Prov Comm: No date

RATING (EMPTY PROPERTIES) BILL (G)	Phil Woolas
Commons: (102) 1R: 10.5.2007 2R: 7.6.2007 Prog: 7.6.2007 MR: 7.6.2007	
Comm*: 14.6.2007 Rep: 14.6.2007 3R: 14.6.2007	
Lords: (80) 1R: 14.6.2007 Prov 2R: 26.6.2007	
RETAIL PACKAGING (RECYCLING) (P)	Andrew Stunell
Commons: (71) 1R: 6.3.2007 Prov 2R: 29.6.2007 (20)	
ROYAL COMMISSION (SLAVERY) [HL] (L)	Baroness Cox
Lords: (58) 1R: 26.3.2007 Prov 2R: No date	
RURAL TRANQUILLITY (T)	John Penrose
Commons: (73) 1R: 7.3.2007 Prov 2R: 18.5.2007 (Dropped)	
SAFEGUARDING RUNAWAY AND MISSING CHILDREN (T)	Helen Southworth
Commons: (47) 1R: 17.1.2007 Prov 2R: 19.10.2007 (25)	
SCOTTISH PARLIAMENT ELECTIONS (P)	Jo Swinson
Commons: (106) 1R: 15.5.2007 (Not printed) Prov 2R: 19.10.2007 (16)	
SERIOUS CRIME [HL] (G)	Baroness Scotland of Asthal
Lords: (27) (66) 1R: 16.1.2007 2R: 7.2.2007 Comm: 7, 14, 21, 26 & 27.3.2007	
Rep: 25 & 30.4.2007 3R: 9.5.2007	
Commons: (103) 1R: 10.5.2007 2R: 12.6.2007 Prog: 12.6.2007 MR: 12.6.2007	
Prov PBC: 26 & 28.6.2007	
SPEED LIMITS (AMENDMENT) (T)	Mr John Leech
Commons: (66) 1R: 27.2.2007 (not printed) Prov 2R: 29.6.2007 (5)	
STATISTICS AND REGISTRATION SERVICE (G)	Gordon Brown/Lord Davies of Oldham
Commons: (8, 51) 1R: 21.11.2006 2R: 8.1.2007 Prog: 8.1.2007 MR: 8.1.2007 Prov LA: 3.7.2007	
PBC: 16, 18, 23 & 25.1.2007 Prog (No 2): 13.3.2007 Rep: 13.3.2007 3R: 13.3.2007	
Lords: (53) (82) 1R: 14.3.2007 2R: 26.3.2007 Comm: 24.4, 2 & 23.5.2007	
Rep: 18.6.2007 Prov 3R: 25.6.2007	
STREETSCAPE AND HIGHWAYS DESIGN (B13)	Mr Alan Duncan
Commons: (29) 1R: 13.12.2006 2R: 27.4.2007 (stood over) Prov 2R: 19.10.2007 (15)	
SUSTAINABLE COMMUNITIES (B1)	Mr Nick Hurd
Commons: (17) (115) 1R: 13.12.2006 2R: 19.1.2007 MR: 26.2.2007	
PBC: 28.2, 14 & 21.3, 18 & 25.4, 2, 9 & 23.5 2007 Rep: 15.6.2007(1) Rep: 15.6.2007	
Lords: (81) 1R: 18.6.2007 Prov 2R: No date	
TELECOMMUNICATIONS MASTS (PLANNING CONTROL) (P)	Andrew Stunell
Commons: (87) 1R: 28.3.2007 Prov 2R: 29.6.2007 (7)	
TELEVISION ADVERTISING (FOOD) [HL] (L)	Baroness Thornton
Lords: (41) 1R: 6.2.2007 2R: 8.6.2007 Prov Comm: No date	
TEMPORARY AND AGENCY WORKERS (PREVENTION OF LESS FAVOURABLE TREATMENT) (B8)	Paul Farrelly
Commons: (24) 1R: 13.12.2006 2R: 2.3.2007 (2) (Deb adj) Prov 2R: 19.10.2007(2)	
TERMINATION OF PREGNANCY (P)	Mrs Nadine Dorries
Commons: (41) 1R: 18.12.2006 Prov 2R: 19.10.2007 (8)	
TORTURE (DAMAGES) [HL] (L)	Lord Archer of Sandwell
Lords: (49) 1R: 5.3.2007 Prov 2R: No date	
TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (AMENDMENT) (T)	John Mann
Commons: (99) 1R: 2.5.2007 (not printed) Prov 2R: 19.10.2007 (14)	
TRADE UNION RIGHTS AND FREEDOMS (B16)	John McDonnell
Commons: (32) 1R: 13.12.2006 Prov 2R: 19.10.2007 (3)	

TRIBUNALS, COURTS AND ENFORCEMENT [HL] (G)

Baroness Ashton of Upholland/Vera Baird

Lords: (5, 22, 37) 1R: 16.11.2006 2R: 29.11.2006 Comm: 13 & 14.12.2006 Rep: 31.1.2007
3R: 20.2.2007

Commons: (65) 1R: 21.2.2007 2R: 5.3.2007 Prog: 5.3.2007 MR: 5.3.2007
Comm: 15, 20, 22 & 27.3.2007 Prov Rep: 27.6.2007

UK BORDERS BILL (G)

John Reid

Commons: (53, 82) 1R: 25.1.2007 2R: 5.2.2007 Prog: 5.2.2007 MR: 5.2.2007

PBC: 27.2 & 1, 6, 8, 13, 15 & 20.3.2007 Rep: 9.5.2007 3R: 9.5.2007

Lords: (68) 1R: 10.5.2007 2R: 13.6.2007 Prov Comm**: 2.7.2007

VEHICLE REGISTRATION MARKS (B10)

Richard Ottaway

Commons: (26) 1R: 13.12.2006 2R: 23.3.2007 PBC: 20.4.2007(2) Rep: 20.4.2007 3R: 20.4.2007

Lords: (63) 1R: 23.4.2007 2R: 10.5.2007 Prov Comm: 28.6.2007

VICTIMS OF OVERSEAS TERRORISM [HL] (L)

Lord Brennan

Lords: (23) 1R: 19.12.2006 2R: 20.4.2007 OCD: 9.5.2007 Prov 3R: 4.6.2007

Commons: (68) (124) 1R: 13.6.2007 Prov 2R: 15.6.2007 (Dropped)

WAGING WAR (PARLIAMENT'S ROLE AND RESPONSIBILITY) (B18)

Mr Michael Meacher

Commons: (34) 1R: 13.12.2006 Prov 2R: 19.10.2007 (18)

WELFARE REFORM (G)

Mr John Hutton/Lord McKenzie of Luton

(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, 89, 2006-07) 1R: 16.11.2006 *2R: 16.11.2006 PBC: 28 & 30.11.2006 Rep: 9.1.2007

3R: 9.1.2007 LA: 2.5.2007

Lords: (24, 48) 1R: 10.1.2007 2R: 29.1.2007 Comm**: 20 & 28.2 & 1.3.2007 Rep: 19.3.2007

3R: 27.3.2007

Royal Assent: 3.5.2007 (Ch. 5)

WELFARE REFORM ACT 2007

WILD BIRDS (PROTECTION) (T)

Mark Pritchard

Commons: (83) 1R: 20.3.2007 (not printed) Prov 2R: 19.10.2007(6)

YOUNG OFFENDERS (PROVISION OF SPEECH THERAPY) BILL (T)

John Bercow

Commons: (98) 1R: 1.5.2007 (not printed) (Order for 2R lapsed) Prov 2R: No date

**Presentation and Publication of Public Bills and Acts
15 – 22 June 2007**

Presentation of Bills (not yet published by Parliament)

Date	Title and type of Bill	Bill No.
19.6	Council Housing Direct Investment Bill (T)	127
20.6	Disability Benefits (Single Assessment) Bill (T)	128

Bills published after presentation

Date	Title and type of Bill	Bill No.	ISBN	Price £
15.6	Rating (Empty Properties) Bill [HL]	80	010 8436277	2.50
15.6	Further Education and Training Bill [HL]	125	0215 708823	5.00
19.6	Corruption	126	0215 708830	3.00
19.6	Sustainable Communities Bill	81	010 8436284	2.50
19.6	Statistics and Registration Service Bill	82	010 8436291	6.00
20.6	Mental Health Bill [HL]	83	010 8436307	5.00
21.6	Telecommunications Masts (Planning Control) Bill	87	0215 708847	2.00
21.6	Forced Marriage (Civil Protection) Bill [HL]	129	0215 708861	4.00
21.6	Constitutional Reform Bill	114	0215 708854	1.50

Bills receiving Royal Assent and Acts published

Date	Title	Ch No.
18.6	Digital Switchover (Disclosure of Information) Act	8
18.6	International Tribunals (Sierra Leone) [HL] Act	7

Acts published after Royal Assent date

Date	Title	Ch No.	ISBN	Price £
None				

Public and General Acts 2006-07

Date of Royal Assent	Title	Ch No.	ISBN	Price £
22.11	Northern Ireland (St Andrews Agreement) Act 2006	53	010 5453064	7.50
19.12	Consolidated Fund Act 2006	54	010 5454060	3.00
19.12	Investment Exchanges and Clearing Houses	55	010 5455067	3.00
20.3	Appropriation Act 2007	1		
20.3	Planning-Gain Supplement (Preparations) Act 2007	2		
20.3	Income Tax Act 2007	3		
27.3	Northern Ireland (St Andrews Agreement) (No 2) Act	4		
3.5	Welfare Reform Act	5	010 5405078	13.50
24.5	Justice and Security (Northern Ireland) Act 2007	6		
18.6	Digital Switchover (Disclosure of Information) Act	8		
18.6	International Tribunals (Sierra Leone) [HL] Act	7		

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
Climate Change Bill Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs	13.3.2007	Draft Climate Change Bill (Joint Committee)		
Human Tissue and Embryos Bill	25.5.2007	Draft Human Tissues and Embryos Bill (Joint Committee)		

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>

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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 2R: 20.2.2007 *Prov OBC: 3.7.2007*

BROADS AUTHORITY (Winckworth Sherwood)

Commons: 1R:23.1.2007 2R: 25.4.2007 *OBC: 17.7.2007*

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 3R: 26.4.2007
Commons: 1R: 30.4.2007 2R: 15.5.2007 *Prov OBC: 26.6.2007*
(petitioning period in the Commons 1.5.2007 – 10.5.2007)

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 & 25.4.2007
Prov 3R: No date

MANCHESTER CITY COUNCIL [HL] (Sharpe Pritchard)

Lords: 1R: 22.1.2007 2R: 20.2.2007 *Prov OBC: 3.7.2007*

NATIONAL TRUST (NORTHERN IRELAND) (Winckworth Sherwood)

Commons: 1R: 23.1.2007 2R: 30.1.2007 BC: 12.3.2007 UBC: 9.5.2007 3R: 5.6.2007
Lords: 1R: 5.6.2007 2R: 20.6.2007 *Prov UBC: No date*

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 UBC: 13.3.2007 3R: 2.5.2007
Commons: 1R: 2.5.2007 2R: 21.5.2007 *Prov OBC: No date*
(petitioning period in the Commons 3.5.2007 – 14.5.2007)

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

Lords: 1R: 22.1.2007 2R: 26.4.2007 *Prov UBC: 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 UBC: 26.3.2007 3R: 24.4.2007
Commons: 1R: 24.4.07 2R: 8.5.2007 UBC: 20.6.2007 *Prov 3R: 26.6.2007*
(petitioning period in the Commons 25.4.2007 – 4.5.2007)

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 15 June 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
11.12.2006	Regulatory Reform (Game) Order 2006	HL 44 (a)	(a) 6.3.2007 (HC 384)
18.12.2006	Regulatory Reform (Collaboration etc Between Ombudsmen) Order 2007	HL 44 (a)	(a) 6.3.2007 (HC 383)
18.12.2006	Regulatory Reform (Deer) Order 2007	HL 44 (a)	(b) 20.3.2007 (HC 411)
18.12.2006	Regulatory Reform (Financial Services and Markets Act 2000) Order 2006	HL 44 (a)	(a) 13.3.2007 (HC 397)

Draft Orders

Date Laid	Title and SI Number	Lords Committee Report & Recommendation	Commons Report Committee & Recommendation	Consideration L (Lords), C (Commons)
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None

**Remedial Orders, Draft Remedial Orders and Urgent Procedure Remedial Orders:
Proceedings as at 15 June 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
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None

Draft Orders

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

Urgent Orders

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

Northern Ireland Legislation: proceedings as at 15 June 2007

The Northern Ireland Assembly was restored from 8 May 2007 following a period of suspension from midnight on 14 October 2002. During suspension, legislation, which would otherwise have come within the competence of the Assembly, was made by Order in Council under Schedule 1 to the Northern Ireland Act 2000. The 2000 Act was also 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.

Outstanding Orders are listed below. Details of previous Orders are available in earlier editions of the bulletin.

To distinguish between UK Bills/Acts applying to Northern Ireland and Acts passed by the Assembly, see the positioning of the term 'Northern Ireland'. Examples of each are given below:

UK legislation applying to Northern : Justice and Security (Northern Ireland) Bill 2006/07

Northern Ireland Assembly legislation: Carers and Direct Payments Act (Northern Ireland) 2002

Bills introduced into the Northern Ireland Assembly can be found at the Northern Ireland Assembly website:

<http://www.niassembly.gov.uk/>

For further details on Northern Ireland Legislation can be found in HCIO factsheet available on the internet at: http://www.parliament.uk/parliamentary_publications_and_archives/factsheets/108.cfm

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
Draft Health (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Northern Ireland) Order 2007	N/A		11.12.2006			
The Charities (Northern Ireland) Order 2007	N/A		29.1.2007			
Draft Guardian's Allowance Uprating (Northern Ireland) Order 2007	N/A		30.1.2007	19.3.2007 (D) 27.3.2007 (A)	22.2.2007 (A)	

Legislation of the Northern Ireland Assembly (s. 15 of the Northern Ireland Act 1998)

Some Northern Ireland Assembly Bills which include provisions dealing with exempted or reserved matters are required to be laid before Parliament for a period of 20 sitting days before being presented for Royal Assent. If a motion, signed by not less than 20 Members, disapproving of the Bill is tabled in either House during the 20-day period, the Bill shall not be presented for Royal Assent unless the motion is rejected or withdrawn. The date of tabling of any such motion will be shown below.

Assembly Bills of this type which the Secretary of State deems urgent (U) may be presented for Royal Assent before being laid before Parliament. Such Acts of the Assembly are then required to be laid before Parliament for 20 sitting days. If a motion, signed by not less than 20 Members, praying that the Act shall cease to have effect is tabled in either House during the 20-day period the Act and is agreed to, the Act of the Assembly may be repealed by Order in Council. The date of tabling of any such motion will be shown below.

Delegated legislation dealing with certain reserved matters, are subject to Parliamentary procedure at Westminster. The Parliamentary stages of any such legislation are detailed below.

- DLSC - Draft Order considered by a Delegated Legislation Standing Committee in the House of Commons.
- NIGC - Proposal for a draft Order considered in the Northern Ireland Grand Committee.
- U - Urgent Act or Order (not in draft form) laid before Parliament.
- C - Consequential Order (not in draft form) laid before Parliament. (subject to negative procedure)
- * - Taken formally.
- SI - Statutory Instrument Number, shown after title
- P - *Provisional date for next stage i.e. PSC: 01.07.2007*

Title of Bill or Act	Date Laid	Royal Assent
None		

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	2006/No.2310 Made 24.08.06
Cirrus Energy Shell Flat Offshore Wind Farm	28.8.2003	Winckworth Sherwood	Application withdrawn
Docklands Light Railway (Stratford International Extension) Order	21.9.2005	Bircham Dyson Bell	2006/No.2905 Made 01.11.06
East Kent Railway Order	28.2.2006	Winckworth Sherwood	
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	
London Gateway Logistics and Commercial Centre	14.2.2002	Berwin Leighton Paisner Adelaide House, EC4R 9HA	
Luton Dunstable Translink Order	18.12.2003	Rees and Freres	2006/No.3118 Made 22.11.06
Ouseburn Barrage Order	11.11.2004 27.1.2006 (revised)	Newcastle City Council	2007/No.608 Made 26.02.07
Pontypool and Blaenavon (Phase 1) Railway Order	15.8.2005	Winckworth Sherwood	2006/No.1691 Made 20.06.06
Railtrack (Thameslink 2000)*	21.11.1997	Rees & Freres	2006/No.3117 Made 22.11.06
Railtrack (Thameslink 2000) Variation*	29.9.1999	Rees & Freres	2006/No.3117 Made 22.11.06
Teesport (Land Acquisition) Order	26.5.2006	Rees & Freres	
Docklands Light Railway (Capacity Enhancement and 2012 Games Preparation) Order	2.8.2006	Rees & Freres	
The Nottingham Express Transit System Order	1.5.2007	Bircham Dyson Bell	

*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/parliamentary_publications_and_archives/factsheets.cfm
 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
Consumers, Estate Agents and Redress Bill [HL] (G)	26.4.2007	Issue 16 p38
Digital Switchover (Disclosure of Information) Bill (G)	18.1.2007	Issue 6 p34
Finance Bill	17.5.2007	Issue 19 p37; Issue 20 p33
Financial Mutuals Arrangements Bill (B7)		Issue 17 p38
Fraud (Trials Without a Jury) Bill (G)	14.12.2006	Issue 4 p31
Freedom of Information (Amendment) Bill (P)		Issue 9 p35
Further Education and Training [HL] (G)		Issue 22 p37; This issue
Greater London Authority Bill (G)	23.1.2007	Issue 5 p32
Income Tax Bill (G)		Issue 6 p34
Justice and Security (Northern Ireland) Bill (G)	25.1.2007	Issue 6 p34
Legal Services Bill [HL] (G)		This issue
Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Bill (G)	8.3.2007	Issue 8 p34
Mental Health Bill [HL] (G)	15.5.2007	Issue 17 p38; Issue 18 p40
Offender Management Bill (G)	25.1.2007	Issue 5 p32
Off-Road Vehicles (Registration) Bill (P)		This issue
Parliament (Joint Departments) [HL] (G)		Issue 22 p37
Pensions Bill (G)	8.2.2007	Issue 7 p34
Planning-gain Supplement (Preparations) Bill (G)	1.2.2007	Issue 8 p34
Serious Crime Bill [HL]		This issue
Statistics and Registration Service Bill (G)	25.1.2007	Issue 6 p34
Sustainable Communities Bill (B1)		Issue 11 p37; Issue 16 p38; Issue 18 p40
Tribunals, Courts and Enforcement Bill	27.3.2007	Issue 13 p39
UK Borders Bill (G)	22.3.2007	Issue 10 p36
Vehicle Registration Marks Bill (B10)		Issue 16 p38
Welfare Reform Bill (G)	30.11.2006	Issue 2 p29

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

Membership:

Off Road-Vehicles (Registration) Bill

Chairman: Mr David Wilshire has been appointed as an additional Chairman.

Serious Crime Bill

Mr Crispin Blunt	Mr Jeremy Browne	Mr Alan Campbell	Mr Vernon Coaker
Mr Geoffrey Cox	Andrew Gwynne	Nick Herbert	Mr Douglas Hogg
Ian Lucas	Siobhain McDonagh	Margaret Moran	Kali Mountford
Mr Jamie Reed	Mr Dan Rogerson	Mr Gerry Sutcliffe	Mr Iain Wright
Jeremy Wright			

**General Committee Meetings
18 – 22 June 2007**

Monday 18 June

ESC EU Document 8322/07 and Addendum 1 relating to European Research Area

Tuesday 19 June

PBC Legal Services Bill [HL] (5th and 6th Sittings: Clauses 16-22, 24-31, 33, 34, 36-40, 42-71 & 73-82 agreed; Schedules 6-10 agreed; Clauses 23, 32, 35, 41 & 72 agreed as amended, Schedules 3, 4 & 5 agreed as amended; Clause 15 agreed, as amended, on division)

1st DLC Draft Vaccine Damage Payments Act 1979 Statutory Sum Order 2007

2nd DLC Draft Trade Marks (Relative Grounds) Order 2007

Wednesday 20 June

PBC Off-Road Vehicles (Registration) Bill (1st Sitting)

Thursday 21 June

PBC Legal Services Bill [HL] (7th and 8th Sittings: Clauses 84, 86-89, 91-102, 130, 104, 107, 109, 110, 112-132 agreed; Clauses 83, 85, 90, 105, 106, 108, 111 agreed as amended; Schedules 11-15 agreed as amended)

Friday 22 June

None

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**Forthcoming General Committee Meetings
25 – 29 June 2007**

Monday 25 June

- ESC EU Document No. 8179/07 and Addenda 1 and 2 relating to Fisheries: By-catches and Discards, 4.30pm, Room 10
- ESC EU Documents Nos. 11847/06 and 11816/06 relating to Water Policy: Environmental Quality Standards, 4.30pm, Room 12
- 1st DLC Draft Extradition Act 2003 (Amendment to Designations) Order 2007, 4.30pm, Room 9
- 2nd DLC Draft Working Time (Amendment) Regulations 2007, 4.30pm, Room 11

Tuesday 26 June

- PBC Legal Services Bill [HL], 10.30am & 4.00pm, Room 9
- PBC Serious Crime Bill [HL], 10.30am & 4.30pm, Room 12
- 3rd DLC Alterations in the provisions of the Highway Code proposed to be made by the Secretary of State for Transport, 10.30am, Room 11
- 4th DLC Draft Railway Pensions (Transfer of Pensions Schemes) Order 2007, 4.30pm, Room 11
- 5th DLC Draft European Communities (Definition of Treaties) (Amended Cotonou Agreement) (Community Aid Internal Agreement) Order 2007 and the Draft European Communities (Definition of Treaties) (Agreement amending the Cotonou Agreement) Order 2007, 4.30pm, Room 10

Wednesday 27 June

None

Thursday 28 June

- PBC Legal Services Bill [HL], 9.00am & 1.00pm, Room 9
- PBC Serious Crime Bill [HL], 9.00am & 1.30pm, Room 12

Friday 29 June

None

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Select Committees

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http://www.parliament.uk/parliamentary_publications_and_archives/factsheets.cfm

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/parliamentary_committees/parliamentary_committees16.cfm

Membership:

There were no changes to Select Committee membership

Select Committee Meetings 18 – 22 June

Monday 18 June

LIAISON*

Subject:

Witness: Rt Hon Tony Blair MP, Prime Minister

COMMUNITIES AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Subject: Local Government Finance—Council Tax Benefit

Witnesses: Help the Aged, Citizens Advice and Halton Borough Council; Dr Michael Orton, University of Warwick and Dr Peter Kenway, New Policy Institute (at 3.05 p.m.); and Rt Hon Phil Woolas MP, Minister for Local Government and Community Cohesion, Department for Communities and Local Government and James Plaskitt MP, Parliamentary Under Secretary of State, Department for Work and Pensions (at 3.30 p.m.)

ENVIRONMENT, FOOD AND RURAL AFFAIRS

Subject: Badgers and cattle TB: Final Report of the Independent Scientific Group

Witness: Independent Scientific Group on Cattle TB

WORK AND PENSIONS

Subject: Benefits Simplification

Witness: James Plaskitt MP, Parliamentary Under-Secretary for the Department for Work and Pensions

PUBLIC ACCOUNTS

Subject: Building for the future: Sustainable construction and refurbishment on the government estate

Witnesses: Peter Fanning, Acting Chief Executive, Office of Government Commerce, and Helen Ghosh, Permanent Secretary, Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs

Tuesday 19 June

TREASURY

Subject: (i) Unclaimed assets in the financial system; (ii) Financial inclusion follow-up: saving for all and shorter term saving products (at 10.30 a.m.)

Witness: (i) and (ii) Ed Balls MP, Economic Secretary to the Treasury

COMMUNITIES AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Subject: Local Government Finance—Supplementary Business Rate

Witnesses: London Councils and The Greater London Authority; CBI, Leeds Chamber of Commerce, Warwickshire County Council and British BIDS (at 10.50 a.m.); and Centre for Cities and representatives from local government (at 11.30 a.m.)

ENVIRONMENTAL AUDIT

Subject: The Structure and Operation of Government and the Challenge of Climate Change

Witnesses: Centre for Social and Economic Research on the Global Environment; Nick Mabey, Founding Director and Chief Executive, E3G (at 11.00 a.m.)

DEFENCE

Subject: Future of NATO and European Defence

Witnesses: Mr Martin Wolf; Dr Rob Dover, Mr Charles Grant and Sir Paul Lever KCMG (at 11.00 a.m.)

INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Subject: DFID Country Programme in Vietnam

Witnesses: Dr Martin Gainsborough, University of Bristol, and Ramesh Singh, Chief Executive, ActionAid International

WELSH AFFAIRS

Subject: Globalisation and its impact on Wales

Witnesses: Rev Aled Edwards OBE, Commissioner, and Chris Myant, Director, Commission for Racial Equality Wales; North Wales Police (at 11.15 a.m.)

TRADE AND INDUSTRY

Subject: moves East: the impact of the 'new' EU Member States on UK business

Witness: Intellect

FOREIGN AFFAIRS*

Subject: Developments in the European Union

Witnesses: Rt Hon Margaret Beckett MP, Secretary of State for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs, and FCO Officials

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

Subject: Public Appointments: Confirmation Hearings

Witness: Pam Cooke, Senior Policy Adviser, Office of the Commissioner for Public Appointments

CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS*

Subject: House of Lords Reform and Party Funding

Witness: Rt Hon Jack Straw MP, Leader of the House of Commons

SCOTTISH AFFAIRS

Subject: Poverty in Scotland

Witnesses: CAB Scotland, Easterhouse CAB, Scottish League of Credit Unions, Glasgow ABCUL (Association British Credit Unions Limited) and Govan Law Centre

JOINT COMMITTEE ON DRAFT HUMAN TISSUE AND EMBRYOS BILL

Subject:

Witnesses: Caroline Flint MP, Minister of State for Public Health and officials, Department of Health

JOINT COMMITTEE ON DRAFT CLIMATE CHANGE BILL

Subject:

Witnesses: Mayor of London's Office, and South East England Development Agency; Country Land and Business Association (at 4.25 p.m.); Envirowise, (at 5.05 p.m.); Energywatch, and National Consumer Council (at 5.50 p.m.)

Wednesday 20 June

EDUCATION AND SKILLS

Subject: Post-16 Skills Training

Witnesses: Concept Mouldings Ltd and Eric Johnson of Northwich Ltd

SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

Subject: (i) Chairman, Medical Research Council: Introductory Hearing (ii) International policies and activities of the Research Councils

Witnesses: (i) Sir John Chisholm (ii) Professor Sir Keith O'Nions, Director General of Science and Innovation, Department of Trade and Industry (at 11.00 a.m.)

TREASURY

Subject: Private equity

Witnesses: Unite and GMB; Permira, Kohlberg Kravis Roberts & Co, 3i, Carlyle Group, and Blackstone (at 3.15 p.m.); London Stock Exchange, Association of Investment Companies, Association of British Insurers, and the CBI (at 4.15 p.m.)

TRANSPORT

Subject: Draft Local Transport Bill

Witnesses: Transport 2000; Intelligent Transport Society –UK, Green Light Group (at 3.30 p.m.); Freight Transport Association, RAC Foundation for Motoring and the AA (at 4.15 p.m.)

ENVIRONMENT, FOOD AND RURAL AFFAIRS

Subject: Badgers and cattle TB: Final Report of the Independent Scientific Group

Witnesses: Badger Trust and RSPCA; National Farmers' Union (at 3.45 p.m.)

CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS

Subject: The Judicial Appointments Commission

Witnesses: Judicial Appointments Commission; Bar Council and the Law Society (at 4.00 p.m.)

EUROPEAN SCRUTINY

Subject: Inquiry into the Conclusions of the European Council and the Council of Ministers

Witness: Rt Hon Lord Williamson of Horton GCMG

PUBLIC ACCOUNTS

Subject: Improving the PFI tendering process; and Benchmarking and market testing the ongoing services component of PFI projects

Witnesses: John Kingman, Managing Director, Jeremy Pocklington, Team Leader, and Gordon McKechnie, Head of PFI Policy, Corporate and Private Finance Team, Public Services and Growth Directorate, HM Treasury, and James Stewart, Chief Executive, Partnerships UK

JOINT COMMITTEE ON DRAFT CLIMATE CHANGE BILL

Subject:

Witnesses: Office of Climate Change; Rt Hon David Miliband MP, Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, and John Healey MP, Financial Secretary, HM Treasury (at 4.00 p.m.)

JOINT COMMITTEE ON DRAFT HUMAN TISSUE AND EMBRYOS BILL

Subject:

Witnesses: Dr Robin Lovell-Badge, Medical Research Council National Institute for Medical Research, Dr Stephen Minger, King's College London, Professor Neva Haites, Chair, Human Fertilisation and Embryology Authority Scientific and Clinical Advances Group, Infertility Network UK, National Gamete Donation Trust, Donor Conception Network, and Joanna Rose, representative of donor-conceived people (at 4.00 p.m.)

Thursday 21 June

TRADE AND INDUSTRY

Subject: White Paper

Witness: Rt Hon Alastair Darling MP, Secretary of State for the Department of Trade and Industry

DEFENCE

Subject: Medical Care for the Armed Forces

Witnesses: University Hospital Birmingham NHS Foundation Trust; Plymouth Hospitals NHS Trust; Frimley Park Hospital NHS Foundation Trust; South Tees Hospitals NHS Trust and Peterborough and Stamford Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust (at 2.30pm); British Medical Association (at 3.00pm)

INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Subject: (i) DFID assistance to Burmese IDPs and Refugees on the Thai-Burma Border (ii) DFID Country Programme in Vietnam

Witnesses: (i) Maung Maung, National Council of the Union of Burma; Gareth Thomas MP, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State, Department for International Development and Rt Hon Ian McCartney MP, Minister of State, Foreign and Commonwealth Office (at 2.30 p.m.); (ii) Gareth Thomas MP, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State, Department for International Development (at 3.30 p.m.)

[The decision of a Committee to sit in public may be rescinded without notice]

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**Forthcoming Select Committee Meetings
25 - 29 June 2007**

Monday 25 June

- EDUCATION AND SKILLS*** 3.45 p.m. The Wilson Room,
Portcullis House
Subject: The Work of the Children's Commissioner
Witness: Professor Sir Al Aynsley-Green, Children's Commissioner for England
- PUBLIC ACCOUNTS** 4.30 p.m. Committee Room 15,
Palace of Westminster
Subject: The management of staff sickness absence in the Department for Transport and its Agencies
Witnesses: Robert Devereux, Permanent Secretary, Department for Transport, Clive Bennett, Chief Executive, Driving and Vehicle Licensing Authority and Rosemary Thew, Chief Executive, Driving Standards Authority
- JOINT COMMITTEE ON HUMAN RIGHTS** 4.15 p.m. 4A
Subject: The Human Rights of adults with learning disabilities
Witnesses: MENCAP and People First; Disability Rights Commission (at 5.00 p.m.)

Tuesday 26 June

- HOME AFFAIRS** 10.15 a.m. The Wilson Room,
Portcullis House
Subject: A Surveillance Society?
Witnesses: Professor Simon Wessely and Professor Carol Dezateux, Academy of Medical Sciences, and Dr Ian Forbes, Royal Academy of Engineering; Dr Chris Pounder, Data Protection & Privacy Practice, Dr Eric Metcalfe, JUSTICE, and Shami Chakrabarti CBE, and Jago Russell, Liberty (at 11.15 a.m.)
- ENVIRONMENTAL AUDIT** 10.20 a.m. Committee Room 16,
Palace of Westminster
Subject: The Structure and Operation of Government and the Challenge of Climate Change
Witnesses: Professor Dieter Helm; and Rt Hon Elliot Morley MP (at 11.00 a.m.)
- CULTURE, MEDIA AND SPORT*** 10.30 a.m. Committee Room 15,
Palace of Westminster
Subject: Ticket touting
Witnesses: The Rugby Football Union, The Football Association, The All England Lawn Tennis and Croquet Club; Harvey Goldsmith CBE, Concert Promoters Association, DF Concerts, and National Arenas Association (at 11.00 a.m.); Ticketmaster, The Society of Ticket Agents and Retailers, Seetickets (at 11.30 a.m.); eBay, viagogo, The Association of Secondary Ticket Agents, and Seatwave (at 12 noon); Shaun Woodward MP, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State, Department for Culture, Media and Sport, Rt Hon Margaret Hodge MBE MP, Minister of State for Industry and the Regions, Department of Trade and Industry, and Office of Fair Trading (at 12.30 p.m.)
- DEFENCE*** 10.30 a.m. The Grimond Room,
Portcullis House
Subject: UK operations in Iraq
Witnesses: Dr Ali Ansari, Dr Toby Dodge, Dr Eric Herring, Dr Glen Rangwala, and Professor Sami Zubaida; Mr Nadhim Zahawi (at 12 noon)
- WELSH AFFAIRS** 10.30 a.m. Committee Room 8,
Palace of Westminster
Subject: Globalisation and its impact on Wales
Witnesses: Professor Robert Rowthorn; Dr Surhan Cam (at 11.15 a.m.)
- FOREIGN AFFAIRS** 4.00 p.m. The Wilson Room,
Portcullis House
Subject: Foreign and Commonwealth Office Departmental Report
Witnesses: Sir Peter Ricketts, KCMG, Permanent Under-Secretary of State, and officials, Foreign and Commonwealth Office

<p>CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS Subject: Towards Effective Sentencing Witnesses: His Honour Judge Julian Hall and Mr John Thornhill, Deputy Chairman, Magistrates' Association; Roger Hall, Director of Probation, National Offender Management Service, Baroness Linklater, Thames Valley Partnership, and Lucie Russell, Smart Justice (at 5.00 p.m.)</p>	<p>4.15 p.m.</p>	<p>The Grimond Room, Portcullis House</p>
<p>JOINT COMMITTEE ON HUMAN RIGHTS* Subject: Counter-Terrorism Policy and Human Rights: Allegations of Torture in Iraq Witness: Rt Hon Lord Goldsmith QC, Attorney General</p>	<p>9.30 a.m.</p>	<p>4A</p>
<p>JOINT DRAFT HUMAN TISSUE AND EMBRYOS BILL Witnesses: Professor Sir Ian Kennedy, Healthcare Commission, Professor Sir Richard Gardner, University of Oxford, Professor Margaret Brazier, Manchester University, and Dr Françoise Shenfield, University College London Hospital; Professor Raanan Gillon, Imperial College London, Professor Søren Holm, Cardiff Law School, and Professor John Haldane, University of St Andrews (at 2.00 p.m.)</p>	<p>1.15 p.m.</p>	<p>Committee Room 3, Palace of Westminster</p>
<p>Wednesday 27 June</p>		
<p>CONSTITUTIONAL AFFAIRS Subject: The Constitutional Role of the Attorney General Witnesses: Robert Wardle, Director, Serious Fraud Office; Rt Hon Lord Goldsmith QC, Attorney General (at 10.00 a.m.)</p>	<p>9.15 a.m.</p>	<p>The Thatcher Room, Portcullis House</p>
<p>WORK AND PENSIONS Subject: The Pension Service Witness: Alexis Cleveland, Chief Executive, Pension Service</p>	<p>9.30 a.m.</p>	<p>The Grimond Room, Portcullis House</p>
<p>FOREIGN AFFAIRS Subject: Foreign and Commonwealth Office Departmental Report Witnesses: Rt Hon Lord Kinnock, Chair, Martin Davidson, Chief Executive, and Margaret Mayne, Director of Finance, British Council; Nigel Chapman, Director, and Ms Alison Woodhams, Chief Operating Officer and Director of Finance, BBC World Service (at 3.30 p.m.)</p>	<p>2.30 p.m.</p>	<p>The Grimond Room, Portcullis House</p>
<p>TRANSPORT Subject: Draft Local Transport Bill Witnesses: (tbc)</p>	<p>2.45 p.m.</p>	<p>Committee Room 6, Palace of Westminster</p>
<p>NORTHERN IRELAND AFFAIRS Subject: The Northern Ireland Prison Service Witness: The Life Sentence Review Commissioners</p>	<p>3.30 p.m.</p>	<p>Committee Room 8, Palace of Westminster</p>
<p>PUBLIC ACCOUNTS Subject: (i) The delays in administering the 2005 Single Payment Scheme in England (ii) Building and maintaining river and coastal flood defences in England Witnesses: (i) Johnston McNeill, Former Chief Executive, Rural Payments Agency (ii) Baroness Young of Old Scone, Chief Executive, Dr David P F King, Director of Water Management and Tim Kersley, Head of Assessment Management, Environment Agency (at 4.00 p.m.)</p>	<p>3.30 p.m.</p>	<p>Committee Room 15, Palace of Westminster</p>
<p>JOINT DRAFT HUMAN TISSUE AND EMBRYOS BILL Witnesses: Professor Susan Golombok, University of Cambridge, Professor Brenda Almond, University of Hull, Professor Ann Buchanan, University of Oxford; Simon Denegri, Chief Executive, Association of Medical Research Charities, Professor Martin Bobrow, Academy of Medical Sciences, Professor Austin Smith, University of Cambridge, and Baroness Kennedy of the Shaws, Chair, Human Genetics Commission (at 4.00 p.m.)</p>	<p>3.15 p.m.</p>	<p>Committee Room 3, Palace of Westminster</p>

Thursday 28 June

TREASURY*

Subject: (i) The May 2007 Inflation Report (ii) Bank of England Monetary Policy Committee: appointment hearings (at 11.00 am)

Witnesses: (i) Mervyn King, Governor, Rachel Lomax, Deputy Governor (Monetary analysis), and Paul Tucker, Executive Director for Markets, Bank of England, and Professor Tim Besley and Professor David Blanchflower, External Monetary Policy Committee Members (ii) Ms Kate Barker, External Monetary Policy Committee Member and Mr Charlie Bean, Executive Director and Chief Economist, Bank of England

9.45 a.m. The Thatcher Room,
Portcullis House

HEALTH

Subject: National Institute for Health and Clinical Excellence

Witnesses: Professor Peter C Smith, University of York, Professor Raymond MacAllister, University College London Hospitals, and Professor Stirling Bryan, University of Birmingham; Bowel Cancer UK, South Asian Health Foundation, and Royal College of Psychiatrists (at 11.15 a.m.)

10.00 a.m. The Wilson Room,
Portcullis House

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(Subject Matters are in brackets)

MONDAY 25 JUNE

JOINT COMMITTEE ON HUMAN RIGHTS

4.15pm

Evidence will be heard from Mencap; People First; & the Disability Rights Commission.

EUROPEAN UNION SUB-COMMITTEE B

4.15pm

Evidence will be heard from Ms Verena Ross, Director of Strategy & Risk, Financial Services Authority; Mr Alex Blowers, International Director, Ofcom; & Sir John Mogg, Chairman, Ofgem.
(The European Commission's Review of the Single Market)

TUESDAY 26 JUNE

JOINT COMMITTEE ON HUMAN RIGHTS

9.30am

Evidence will be heard from Lord Goldsmith, the Attorney General.

SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY SELECT COMMITTEE

11.10am

Evidence will be heard from Dr Nigel Dowdall, Head of Health Services, British Airways; Dr Mark Popplestone, Head of Medical Services, Virgin Atlantic; & Mr Roger Wiltshire, Secretary General, British Air Transport Association (BATA).
(Air Travel & Health)

JOINT COMMITTEE ON THE DRAFT HUMAN TISSUE AND EMBRYOS BILL

(a) 1.15pm (b) 2.00pm

Evidence will be heard from (a) Prof Sir Ian Kennedy, Healthcare Commission; Prof Sir Richard Gardner, University of Oxford; Prof Margaret Brazier, School of Law, Manchester University; Dr Françoise Shenfield, University College London Hospital; & (b) Prof Raanon Gillon, Imperial College London; Prof Søren Holm, Cardiff Law School; Prof John Haldane, Director, Centre for Ethics, Philosophy and Public Affairs in the University of St Andrews.

WEDNESDAY 27 JUNE

JOINT COMMITTEE ON THE DRAFT HUMAN TISSUE AND EMBRYOS BILL

(a) 3.15pm (b) 4.00pm

Evidence will be heard from (a) Prof Susan Golombok, Cambridge University; Prof Brenda Almond, University of Hull; Prof Ann Buchanan, University of Oxford; & (b) Mr Simon Denegri, Chief Executive, Association of Medical Research Charities; Prof Martin Bobrow, Academy of Medical Sciences; Prof Austin Smith, University of Cambridge; Baroness Kennedy of the Shaws, Chair, Human Genetics Commission.

Select Committees: Publications received since the last Bulletin

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

(A) Select Committee Evidence

Date Received	Committee	Subject	Witnesses	Date Heard	Paper No and ISBN	Price £
20.6	Science and Technology	Chairman of the Natural Environment Research Council: Introductory Hearing	Mr Ed Wallis, Chairman, Natural Environment Research Council	25.4	HC 471-i 0215 034717	4.00

(B) Select Committee Reports

Date Received	Committee	No of Report	Title	Paper No and ISBN	Price £
18.6	European Scrutiny	23 rd	Report of Session 2006-07	HC41-xxiii 0215 034557	15.50
18.6	Home Affairs	2 nd	Young Black People and the Criminal Justice System Volume I	HC 181-I [Incorporating HC 1675-i, and ii, Session 2005-06] 0215 034465	15.50
18.6	Home Affairs	2 nd	Young Black People and the Criminal Justice System Volume II	HC 181-II [Incorporating HC 1675-i, and ii, Session 2005-06] 0215 034441	29.00
18.6	Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments	19 th	Report of Session 2006-07	HC 82-xix HL Paper 124 010 4011034	4.50
19.6	Modernisation	1 st	Revitalising the Chamber: the role of back bench Member	HC 337 0215 034670	22.00
19.6	Public Accounts	31 st	Central government's use of consultants	HC 309 0215 034496	11.00
20.6	Public Accounts	32 nd	The right of access to open countryside	HC 91 0215 034571	10.50
18.6	Public Administration	7 th	Machinery of Government Changes	HC 672 [Incorporating HC479-i Session 2006-07] 0215 034656	10.00
18.6	Regulatory Reform	6 th	Draft Regulatory Reform (Financial Services and Markets Act 2000) Order 2007	HC 673 0215 034588	3.00
18.6	Regulatory Reform	7 th	Draft Regulatory Reform (Game) Order 2007	HC 674 0215 034618	4.50

(C) Government Response to Select Committee Report

Date Received	Committee	Details of Original Report	HC Paper or Cm No of response	Price £
18.6	Education and Skills	3 rd , Bullying [HC 85]	HC 600 0215 034632	6.00
18.6	Science and Technology	5 th , Government Proposals for the regulation of hybrid and chimera embryos [HC 272-I]	Cm 7139 010 1713924	5.00
19.6	Science and Technology	6 th , Office of Science and Innovation: Scrutiny Report 2005 and 2006 [HC 203]	HC 635 0215 034687	4.50
18.6	Trade and Industry	4 th , Success and Failure in the UK car manufacturing industry [HC 399]	HC 598 0215 034625	4.50
19.6	Transport	5 th , The Government's Motorcycling Strategy	HC 698 0215 034694	6.00

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

Date Received	Title	Paper No and ISBN	Price £
18.6	Environment Agency: Building and maintaining river and coastal flood defences in England	HC 528 010 2945522	13.50

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The website address for Select Committee publications is:

<http://www.parliament.the-stationery-office.co.uk/pa/cm/cmselect.htm>

More details of current Select Committee inquiries can be found on the Parliament website:

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

COMMITTEE	INQUIRY	STAGE & NOTES
Communities & Local Government (Formerly ODPM)	Local Government Finance: Council Tax Benefit	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	Local Government Finance: Supplementary Business Rate	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	Equalities	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	Refuse Collection	Oral evidence concluded: Report in Preparation
	The Supply of Rented Housing	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	Planning White Paper	One-off oral evidence session concluded
Constitutional Affairs	Towards Effective Sentencing	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 26 June
	Accommodation for the New Supreme Court	Oral evidence in progress
	Devolution: A Decade On	Inquiry postponed
	Freedom of Information follow up	Report published 24 June: awaiting Government response
	Attorney General	Oral evidence concluded: Report in Preparation
	Judicial Appointments Commission	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
Crossrail Bill	The new Ministry of Justice	Oral evidence concluded: Report in Preparation
	Crossrail Bill	Oral evidence in progress The Committee will hear petitions against the third set of Amended Provisions (AP4): Next evidence sessions 10,11,12 July
Culture, Media & Sport	Ticket Touting	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 26 June
	Self-regulation of the Press	One-off oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	Tourism	Oral evidence in progress
	Public Service Media Content	Oral evidence in progress
Defence	Caring for our collections	Report to be published 25 June
	UK Operations in Iraq	Oral evidence in progress 1st evidence session 26 June
	The work of the Defence Estates	Oral evidence concluded
	Medical Care for the Armed Forces	Oral evidence in Progress Next evidence session 3 July
	Strategic Lift	Oral evidence concluded
	UK Defence: commitments and resources	Oral evidence concluded
	UK operations in Afghanistan	Oral evidence concluded
	The Future of NATO and European Defence	Oral evidence in progress 1st evidence session 19 June

Joint Committee on the draft Climate Change Bill	To consider and report on the Draft Climate Change Bill	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
Joint Committee on the draft Human Tissue & Embryos Bill	To consider and report on the Draft Human Tissue & Embryos Bill	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence sessions 26 & 27 June
Education & Skills	The Work of the Children's Commissioner	One-off oral evidence announced Evidence session 25 June
	Creative Partnerships and the Curriculum	Inquiry announced: written evidence invited Deadline for submissions 16 July
	Special Educational Needs: separation of assessment of need from funding of provision	Inquiry announced: written evidence invited Deadline for submissions 25 June
	Testing and Assessment	Inquiry announced: written evidence invited Deadline for submissions 4 June
	Specialist Schools and Academies Trust	one-off oral evidence concluded
	Post-16 Skills Training	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 20 June
	The Work of Ofsted	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	The future sustainability of the higher education sector: purpose, funding and structures	Oral evidence in progress
	Sustainable Schools	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	Bullying	Government response to be published 18 June
Environmental Audit	Structure of Government	Written evidence invited Next evidence session 26 June
	Personal Carbon Allowances	Inquiry announced
	Beyond Stern: forecasting, cost-effectiveness, and climate change	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	The Voluntary Carbon Offset Market	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	Policy Appraisal & Regulatory Impact Assessments	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	Pre-Budget 2006	Government response to be published 27 June
Environment, Food & Rural Affairs	Defra's Departmental Report 2007	One-off oral evidence session announced Evidence session 18 July
	Badgers and cattle TB: final report of the ISG	Oral evidence in progress 1st evidence sessions 18 & 20 June
	Implementation of the Environmental Liability Directive	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	Pre-legislative scrutiny of Draft Climate Bill	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	Environmental Liability Directive	Inquiry announced
	Climate Change: citizen's agenda	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	The potential of England's rural economy	Written evidence invited
	Climate Change: citizen's agenda	Oral evidence in progress
Environment, Food & Rural Affairs Sub-committee	British Waterways	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
European Scrutiny	Article 308 of the EC Treaty	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	Temporary Workers Directive	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 11 July
	The Conclusions of the European Council and the Council of Ministers	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 20 June
	The European Commission's Annual Policy Strategy for 2008	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 4 July
	Special Framework of Assistance for traditional suppliers of bananas	One-off oral evidence session concluded

	Mobile phone roaming charges	Report published 14 June: HC 41-xxiv
Foreign Affairs	Consideration of European Documents	Report to be published 25 June: HC 41-xxv
	Global Security: Iran	Oral evidence in progress
	Global Security: The Middle East	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	Developments in the European Union	Oral evidence in progress Next oral evidence session 19 June
	Global Security: Russia	Written evidence invited
	Foreign & Commonwealth Office Annual Report 2006-07	Oral evidence in progress 1st oral evidence sessions 26 & 27 June
Health	National Institute for Health and Clinical Excellence (NICE)	Oral evidence in progress Next oral evidence session 28 June
	Patient and Public Involvement in the NHS	Government response published 11 June (Cm 7128)
Home Affairs	A Surveillance Society?	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 25 June
	Towards Effective Sentencing	Oral evidence in progress
	Young Black People and the Criminal Justice System	Report published 15 June: awaiting Government response
	Police Funding	One-off oral evidence session concluded: Report in preparation Uncorrected oral evidence on website: HC 553-i
Joint Committee on Human Rights	A British Bill of Rights	Written evidence invited Deadline for submissions 31 August
	Monitoring the Government's Response to Court Judgements Finding Breaches of Human Rights	Report to be published 28 June
	The human rights of adults with learning difficulties	Oral evidence in progress 1st evidence session 25 June
International Development	The human rights of older persons in healthcare	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	DFID Departmental Report 2007	Inquiry announced: written evidence invited Deadline for submissions 6 July
	Maternal Health	Inquiry announced: written evidence invited Deadline for submissions 14 September
	Cross-departmental working on development	One-off oral evidence announced Evidence session 10 July
	The Prospects for sustainable peace in Uganda	One-off oral evidence announced Evidence session 4 July
	DFID Assistance to Burmese Internally Displaced People and Refugees on the Thai-Burma Border	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	Vietnam: DFID's Country Programme	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
Liaison	EU Development and Trade Policies: An Update	Government response published 12 June
	Oral Evidence from the Prime Minister- 18 June 2007	Uncorrected oral evidence on website: HC 300-ii
Modernisation of the House of Commons	Strengthening the role of the backbencher	Report published 20 June
	Making better use of non-legislative time	Report published 20 June
Northern Ireland Affairs	Northern Ireland Prison Service	Oral evidence in progress
	Political Developments in Northern Ireland	One-off oral evidence session concluded
Procedure	Written Parliamentary Questions	Oral evidence in progress

Public Accounts	DEFRA: The delays in administering the 2005 Single Payment System Scheme in England	One-off oral evidence session announced Evidence session 27 June
	Modernisation of the West Coast Mainline	Report published 14 June
	Helping newly registered businesses meet their tax obligations	Report in preparation
	The right of access to open countryside	Report published 21 June: awaiting Government response
	Heritage Lottery Fund	Report in preparation
	Pay Modernisation in the NHS: the impact of the new consultants' contract	Report in preparation
	Big Science – Public Investment in Large Scientific Facilities	Report in preparation
	Managing the Defence Estate	Report in preparation
	Filing of VAT and Company Tax returns	Report in preparation
	Rural Poverty in Developing Countries	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	BBC Risk Management	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	BBC outsourcing: the contract between the BBC and Siemens Business Service	Report in preparation
	Prescribing costs in Primary Care	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	The Thames Gateway: Laying the Foundations	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
Public Accounts	Building for the Future: Sustainable Construction and refurbishment on the government estate	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	Attendance Management in the Department for Transport and its Agencies	One-off oral evidence session announced Evidence session 25 June
	Improving the PFI tendering process; Benchmarking and market testing the ongoing service component of PFI projects	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	Improving the use of temporary nursing staff in NHS acute and foundation trusts	Report published 7 June: awaiting Government response
	Environment Agency Flood Risk Management: building and maintaining flood defences in England	One-off oral evidence session announced 27 June
	Upgrade of the Bangor to Belfast Railway	Report in preparation
	Joint venture between the Health and Social Care Information Centre and Dr Foster	Report in preparation
	Staging the London Olympic and paralympic games in 2012	Report in preparation
	Assets Recovery Agency	Report in preparation
	Biometric passports	Report in preparation
	Legal Aid and Family Breakdown	Report in preparation
	The Academies Programme	Report in preparation
	The performance of the government as a shareholder	Report in preparation
	Management of cost increases on road building schemes in England	Report in preparation
	Passport Agency- Biometric passports	Report in preparation
	Department of Health	Oral evidence in progress
	Clinical Governance in Primary Care Trusts	Report in preparation
	Central Government's use of consultants	Report published 19 June: awaiting Government response
	Ensuring the effectiveness of personal advisors	Report in preparation
	Progress update on the efficiency Programme	Report in preparation
National programme for IT	Report in preparation	
Ministry of Defence: Reserve forces	Report to be published 12 July	
Ministry of Defence: recruitment and retention	Report to be published 3 July	

	Ministry of Defence: Major Projects Report 2005	Oral evidence in progress
	Foreign and Commonwealth Office Resource Accounts 2004–05	Report in preparation
	The restructuring of British Energy	Report in preparation
	Patient choice at the point of GP referral	Report in preparation
	ASPIRE — the re-competition of outsourced IT services	Report published 12 June
Public Administration	Third Sector Commissioning	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 5 July
	Confirmation Hearings	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 19 June
	Machinery of Government	Report published 15 June: awaiting Government response
	The Work of the Cabinet Office 2006-07	Oral evidence concluded
	Review of Government Communications	Evidence published 30 April
	A Debt of Honour	Oral evidence concluded
	Public Services: Putting People First	Oral evidence concluded: Report in Preparation
	The Business Appointment Rules	Report published 14 June: awaiting Government response
	Skills for Government	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
Regulatory Reform	Draft Regulatory Reform (Game) Order 2007	Draft order laid on 14 June
	Draft Regulatory Reform (Financial Services and Markets Act 2000) Order 2007	Draft order laid on 14 June
	Draft Regulatory Reform (Collaboration etc. between Ombudsmen) Order 2007	Report published on 7 June
	Proposal for the Regulatory Reform (Deer) (England and Wales) Order 2007	Report published on 2 April: awaiting Draft Order to be laid
	Proposal for the Regulatory Reform (Public Service Vehicles) Order 2006	Report published on 7 February Awaiting Draft Order to be laid
Science & Technology	Improving Research Conduct and Preventing Scientific Fraud	One-off oral evidence session announced Evidence session 2 July
	Renewable Energy Generation Technologies	Inquiry announced: written evidence invited Deadline for submissions 2 July
	Funding of Science & Discovery Centres	Inquiry announced: written evidence invited Deadline for submissions 11 June
	Chairman of the Medical Research Council: introductory hearing (Research Council Scrutiny)	One-off oral evidence session concluded
	International policies and activities of the Research Councils	Oral evidence in progress Evidence session 20 June
	Investigating the Oceans	Oral evidence in progress
	OSI Scrutiny 2006	Government response published 19 June
	Space policy	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
Scottish Affairs	Scotland Office Annual report 2007	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 10 July
	Poverty in Scotland	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 19 June
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: 20th Report to be published 25 June
Statutory Instruments (Select 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 19th Report to be published 18 June
Quadripartite Committee on Strategic Export Controls	The UK 2005 Annual Report on Strategic Export Controls	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation

Trade & Industry	Restructuring the Post Office Network	Government Response published 9 June
	Reasons for success & failure in the UK automotive industry	Government Response published 15 June
	India: One year on	Written evidence invited
	The UK Construction Industry	Written evidence invited
	The Work of the Office of Fair Trading	Oral evidence in progress
	Ofcom's Annual Plan	One-off oral evidence session concluded Joint evidence session with Culture, Media & Sport Committee
	Europe moves East: The impact of the 'new' EU Member States on UK business	Oral evidence in progress next evidence session 19 June
	Recent developments with Airbus	Report to be published 26 June
	The Future of UK Manufacturing Industry: Public Procurement	Oral evidence in progress
	The Future of UK Manufacturing Industry: Marketing UK Plc-UKTI's five-year strategy	Report published 6 June: HC 557
	The Government's Energy Review: UK dependence on gas and coal imports	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	Trade with Brazil and Mercosur (the common Market of the Southern Cone)	Report published 13 June
	Trade & Industry Sub-committee	Implementation of the report of the Women and Work Commission
Transport	Pre-legislative scrutiny of the Draft Local Transport Bill	3rd oral evidence session 27 June
	The Eddington Transport Study	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	Ticketing on public transport	Oral evidence in progress
	The Draft EU-US Air Transport Agreement	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	The Transport Innovation Fund	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	Passengers' experience of air travel	Oral evidence in progress
	Novice Drivers	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	The Government's Motorcycling Strategy	Government response published 19 June
	Driver and Vehicle Registration and Licensing in Northern Ireland	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	Transport Security: Travelling without Fear	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
Treasury	Bank of England May 2007 Inflation Report	One-off oral evidence session announced Evidence session 28 June
	Financial Inclusion follow-up: saving for all and shorter term saving products	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	Private Equity	Oral evidence in progress 3rd evidence session 3 July
	Progress on the efficiency programme in the Chancellor's departments	Inquiry announced: written evidence invited
	Unclaimed assets within the financial system	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	The Monetary Policy Committee of the Bank of England: re-appointment hearings	One-off oral evidence session announced Evidence session 28 June
	The Monetary Policy Committee of the Bank of England: ten years on	Oral evidence in progress 2nd evidence session 17 July
	Climate change and the Stern review	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	The Comprehensive Spending Review: prospects and process	Report to be published 25 June
	Globalisation: its impact on the real economy	Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation
	The 2007 Budget	Government response published 25 June
Treasury Sub-committee	Administration of tax credits: follow up	Evidence published 23 May
	Progress on the efficiency programme in the Chancellor's departments	Oral evidence in progress Final evidence session 13 June
Welsh Affairs	Globalisation and its Impact on Wales	Oral evidence in progress

	Energy in Wales: Follow-up Orders in Council Legislative Competence Orders in Council	Next evidence session 26 June Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation Report published 5 June: awaiting Government response
Work & Pensions	Social Fund Benefits Simplification The Pension Service Personal Accounts DWP Autumn Performance Report	Report published 23 May Oral evidence concluded: Report in preparation One-off oral evidence session announced Evidence session 27 June Government response published 14 June One-off oral evidence session concluded

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.

Not all discussion papers are published and put on general release: some are sent only to a predetermined list of consultees. This is a matter solely for the Department concerned.

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

White Papers

Education and Skills Care Matters: Time for Change 20.6

Copies from:
Sanctuary Buildings
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Green Papers

Trade and Industry

MINIMUM WAGE National Minimum Wage and Voluntary Workers 19.6

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WORK AND FAMILIES Additional Paternity Leave and Pay Administration Consultation 20.6

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Trade and Industry ECHR Judgement in ASLEF V UK Case – Implications for Trade Union Law 20.6

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MINIMUM WAGE National Minimum Wage and Employment Agency Standards Enforcement 20.6

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Regulatory Impact Assessments received since the last Bulletin

Date	Title	Contact
18.6	The Working Time (Amendment) Regulations 2007	Heidi Grainger Employment Market Analysis and Research Department of Trade and Industry 1 Victoria Street London SW1H 0ET Tel: 020 7215 5934 Email: heidi.grainger@dti.gsi.gov.uk
19.6	Regulatory Reform Order (Game) 2007	Christine Rumble Wildlife Species Conservation Division Defra Zone 1/11 Temple Quay House 2 The Square Bristol BS1 6EB Tel: 0117 372 6170 Email: christine.rumble@defra.gsi.gov.uk
19.6	The Transfrontier Shipment of Waste Regulations 2007	Alison Gadsby Waste Management Division 6/E5 Ashdown House 123 Victoria Street London SW1E 6DE Tel: 0207 082 8759 Email: alison.gadsby@defra.gsi.gov.uk

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Draft Regulatory Impact Assessment: Family law proposals March 2007

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European Communities Documents to be considered

EU documents recommended for debate by the European Scrutiny Committee

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European Standing Committee A

Fisheries: by-catches and discards (8179/07 and Addenda 1 & 2) – 25.6.2007

Soil Protection (13401/06 and Addenda 1 & 2, also 13388/06 – 23.7.2007

Water Policy: Environmental Standards (11847/06 & 11816/06) – 25.6.2007

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Stability and convergence programmes (6801/07 to 6809/07, 6812/07 to 6819-07 and corrigendum 1, 6820/07 to 6823/07) – 16.7.2007

Stability and convergence programmes (7863/07 to 7867/07) – 16.7.2007

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European Research Area (8322/07 and Addendum 1) – 18.6.2007

**Early Day Motions tabled between
15 – 22 June 2007**

Early Day Motion is a colloquial term for a notice given by a Member for which no date has been fixed for debate. This section records the date, number, primary sponsor and title of EDMs tabled in the last week.

For information about the text and signatories see 'Notices of Motions' section of the Vote Bundle, the EDM Database at <http://www.parliament.uk> or contact the House of Commons Information Office (Tel: 020 7219 4272) who will advise.

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Date	EDM	Primary Sponsor	Title
15.6.07	1712	Mr Martin Caton	FORGE FACH COMMUNITY RESOURCE CENTRE CLYDACH
15.6.07	1713	Dr Vincent Cable	AL YAMAMAH CONTRACT
18.6.07	1714	Ms Sally Keeble	SECURE TRAINING CENTRES (S.I. 2007, No. 1709)
18.6.07	1715	Kelvin Hopkins	ABUSE OF THE ELDERLY
18.6.07	1716	Jeff Ennis	DEPARTMENT FOR INTERNATIONAL CO-OPERATION
18.6.07	1717	Dr Brian Iddon	ROYAL SOCIETY OF CHEMISTRY'S PARLIAMENTARY LINKS DAY
18.6.07	1718	Mr Mike Hancock	HEALTH SERVICE OMBUDSMAN'S REPORT PA-2823
18.6.07	1719	Mr Jim Cunningham	JAGUAR AND LAND ROVER
18.6.07	1720	Derek Wyatt	SIR IAN BOTHAM
18.6.07	1721	John McDonnell	HARROW LAND REGISTRY OFFICE CLOSURE
18.6.07	1722	Daniel Kawczynski	SHREWSBURY AND ATCHAM BOROUGH COUNCIL
18.6.07	1723	Mr David Marshall	ACHIEVEMENTS OF GLASGOW EAST PRIMARY SCHOOLS
18.6.07	1724	Mr Hugo Swire	IVOR NOVELLO AWARDS
18.6.07	1725	Mr Hugo Swire	ARCHITECTURE WEEK
18.6.07	1726	Mr Hugo Swire	DARCY BUSSELL CBE
18.6.07	1727	Ms Sally Keeble	RESTRAINT IN SECURE TRAINING CENTRES
18.6.07	1728	Nia Griffith	RESPECT FOR SHOPWORKERS DAY – 11 th JULY 2007
19.6.07	1729	Dr Rudi Vis	COUNTRY GUIDANCE TRIBUNAL ON THE DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO
19.6.07	1730	Stephen Williams	BRITAIN'S GOT TALENT PROGRAMME
19.6.07	1731	Paul Flynn	BADGER CULLING
19.6.07	1732	Mr Gordon Prentice	SIR SALMAN RUSHDIE
19.6.07	1733	Mr David Laws	FUEL PAYMENTS FOR TERMINALLY ILL AND DISABLED
19.6.07	1734	Mr David Hamilton	FREE BUS TRAVEL
19.6.07	1735	Jenny Willott	CARDIFF NCP CAR PARK PRICES
20.6.07	1736	Ian Lucas	CHILD POVERTY AND BENEFITS
20.6.07	1737	John Hemming	PUBLIC FAMILY LAW AND SOLICITORS
20.6.07	1738	Paul Flynn	DEATHS IN AFGHANISTAN
20.6.07	1739	Mr Austin Mitchell	DIAGNOSIS AND MANAGEMENT OF HYPOTHYROIDISM
20.6.07	1740	Tim Farron	NATIONAL PARKS WEEK
20.6.07	1741	Patrick Hall	CHRONIC PAIN POLICY COALITION REPORT AND 5 th VITAL SIGN CAMPAIGN
20.6.07	1742	Mr Paul Goodman	IJAZ UL-HAQ AND INCITEMENT TO TERROR

20.6.07	1743	John Bercow	DARFUR OIL TRUST FUND
21.6.07	1744	Keith Vaz	BANNING OF VIDEO GAME BY THE BRITISH BOARD OF FILM CLASSIFICATION
21.6.07	1745	Willie Rennie	HIDDEN TREASURES BROUGHT TO LIFE COMPETITION
21.6.07	1746	John McDonnell	COALITION GOVERNMENT
21.6.07	1747	Pete Wishart	EDUCATION POLICY IN SCOTLAND
21.6.07	1748	Mr Mike Weir	ROYAL MAIL ZONAL PRICING
21.6.07	1749	John Barrett	SPECIAL EDUCATIONAL NEEDS AND BULLYING
21.6.07	1750	Mr Gordon Prentice	THE RIGHT HON. MEMBER FOR KIRKCALDY AND COWDENBEATH AND LIBERAL DEMOCRATS IN THE CABINET

State of the Parties in the House of Commons as at 25 May 2007

Labour	351	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)
CWM: Chairman of Ways and Means
1st DCWM: 1st Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means
2nd DCWM: 2nd Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means

By-Elections and new MPs since the General Election of May 2005

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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