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**BUSINESS TODAY: CHAMBER****9.30am Prayers****Followed by****PRIVATE BUSINESS****■ Transport for London Bill [Lords]: Revival motion****No debate, and may not be proceeded with if opposed** (Standing Order No. 20)**Chairman of Ways and Means**

That the promoters of the Transport for London Bill [Lords], which was originally introduced in the House of Lords in Session 2010–12 on 24 January 2011, may have leave to proceed with the Bill in the current Session according to the provisions of Standing Order 188B (Revival of Bills).

**QUESTIONS****■ Oral Questions to the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport**

- 1 Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton)  
What assessment he has made of the appropriate scale and scope of BBC services to inform the Charter renewal process. (901722)
- 2 Alex Chalk** (Cheltenham)  
What recent estimate he has made of the contribution of the creative industries to the economy. (901723)
- 3 Amanda Milling** (Cannock Chase)  
What steps he is taking to encourage more people to participate in sporting activity. (901724)
- 4 Mary Glendon** (North Tyneside)  
When he expects the expert working group on football supporter ownership and engagement to report. (901725)
- 5 Mark Pawsey** (Rugby)  
What steps he is taking to encourage more people to participate in sporting activity. (901726)
- 6 Ruth Smeeth** (Stoke-on-Trent North)  
What steps he is taking to increase the participation of women and girls in sport. (901728)
- 7 Stephen Phillips** (Sleaford and North Hykeham)  
What steps he is taking to promote good governance and the elimination of corruption in world football. (901729)

- 8 Steve Double** (St Austell and Newquay)  
What progress the Government has made on implementing its five-point plan for tourism published in July 2015. (901730)
- 9 Emma Reynolds** (Wolverhampton North East)  
What assessment he has made of the appropriate scale and scope of BBC services to inform the Charter renewal process. (901731)
- 10 Judith Cummins** (Bradford South)  
What his policy is on maintaining free entry to national museums. (901733)
- 11 Jessica Morden** (Newport East)  
What plans he has to tackle nuisance calls. (901734)
- 12 Mark Spencer** (Sherwood)  
What recent estimate he has made of the contribution of tourism to the economy. (901736)
- 13 James Berry** (Kingston and Surbiton)  
What plans his Department has to commemorate the centenary of the Battle of the Somme. (901737)
- 14 Andy Slaughter** (Hammersmith)  
What his policy is on (a) data protection, (b) sponsorship of the Information Commissioner's Office and (c) sponsorship of the National Archives. (901738)
- 15 Mr David Crausby** (Bolton North East)  
What plans he has to encourage the Premier League adequately to contribute to the financing of grassroots football. (901739)
- 16 David Warburton** (Somerton and Frome)  
What his policy is on the digital single market. (901740)
- 17 Nic Dakin** (Scunthorpe)  
What plans he has to tackle nuisance calls. (901741)

**At 10.05am**

■ **Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport**

- T1 Mr David Hanson** (Delyn)  
If he will make a statement on his departmental responsibilities. (901742)
- T2 Sir Simon Burns** (Chelmsford) (901743)
- T3 Mr David Crausby** (Bolton North East) (901744)
- T4 Pat Glass** (North West Durham) (901745)
- T5 Roger Mullin** (Kirkcaldy and Cowdenbeath) (901746)

**T6 Cat Smith** (Lancaster and Fleetwood) (901747)

**T7 Debbie Abrahams** (Oldham East and Saddleworth) (901748)

**T8 Mims Davies** (Eastleigh) (901749)

**T9 Stephen Timms** (East Ham) (901751)

**At 10.15am**

■ **Oral Questions to the Leader of the House and the hon. Member for Carshalton and Wallington representing the House of Commons Commission**

**1 Andrew Rosindell** (Romford)

To ask the Leader of the House, What plans he has to review the effectiveness of the Government's English votes for English laws proposals after implementation. (901712)

**2 Kirsty Blackman** (Aberdeen North)

To ask the Leader of the House, If he will take steps to ensure that proposals for English votes for English laws do not give English only certification to bills or clauses with consequential implications for Scotland. (901713)

**3 Mr Philip Hollobone** (Kettering)

To ask the Leader of the House, If he will make it his policy that the House not adjourn for the period covered by the Conservative, Labour and Liberal Democrat party autumn conferences. (901715)

**4 Tom Pursglove** (Corby)

To ask the hon. Member for Carshalton and Wallington representing the House of Commons Commission, What estimate he has made of the expected cost of restoration and renewal of the Palace of Westminster. (901717)

**5 Bob Blackman** (Harrow East)

To ask the hon. Member for Carshalton and Wallington representing the House of Commons Commission, What assessment he has made of the adequacy of arrangements for meeting hon. Members' IT requirements. (901718)

**6 Mr Graham Allen** (Nottingham North)

To ask the Leader of the House, What progress is being made in establishing a House Business Committee; and if he will make a statement. (901719)

**7 Stephen Phillips** (Sleaford and North Hykeham)

To ask the hon. Member for Carshalton and Wallington representing the House of Commons Commission, When the Commission plans to bring forward proposals on the restoration and renewal of the Palace of Westminster. (901720)

**8 Mr Barry Sheerman** (Huddersfield)

To ask the hon. Member for Carshalton and Wallington representing the House of Commons Commission, What steps he is taking to improve the working conditions of staff on the parliamentary estate. (901721)

## URGENT QUESTIONS AND STATEMENTS

10.30am

- Urgent Questions (if any)
- Business Question to the Leader of the House
- Ministerial Statements (if any)

## BUSINESS OF THE DAY

### 1. STANDING ORDERS (PUBLIC BUSINESS)

Until 4.00pm (Order of 20 October)

Chris Grayling

That:

(1) The following new Standing Orders and changes to Standing Orders be made:

#### **"CERTIFICATION OF BILLS, CLAUSES AND SCHEDULES ETC: GENERAL**

#### **83J. Certification of bills etc. as relating exclusively to England or England and Wales and being within devolved legislative competence**

(1) The Speaker shall, before second reading-

(a) consider every public bill presented by a Minister of the Crown or brought from the Lords and taken up by a Minister of the Crown, and

(b) certify any such bill, or any clause or schedule of any such bill, which, in the Speaker's opinion-

(i) relates exclusively to England or to England and Wales, and

(ii) is within devolved legislative competence.

(2) A clause or schedule relates exclusively to England or to England and Wales if (disregarding any minor or consequential effects outside the area in question) it applies only to England or (as the case may be) to England and Wales.

(3) A clause or schedule which relates exclusively to England is within devolved legislative competence if-

(a) it would be within the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament to make any corresponding provision for Scotland in an Act of that Parliament,

(b) it would be within the legislative competence of the National Assembly for Wales to make any corresponding provision for Wales in an Act of that Assembly, or

(c) it would be within the legislative competence of the Northern Ireland Assembly to make any corresponding provision for Northern Ireland in an Act of that Assembly and the corresponding provision would deal with a transferred matter.

- 25 (4) A clause or schedule which relates exclusively to England and Wales is within devolved legislative competence if-
- (a) it would be within the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament to make any corresponding provision for Scotland in an Act of that Parliament, or
  - (b) it would be within the legislative competence of the Northern Ireland Assembly
- 30 to make any corresponding provision for Northern Ireland in an Act of that Assembly and the corresponding provision would deal with a transferred matter.
- (5) A bill-
- (a) relates exclusively to England and is within devolved legislative competence if every clause and every schedule of it relates exclusively to England and is within
- 35 devolved legislative competence;
- (b) relates exclusively to England and Wales and is within devolved legislative competence if every clause and every schedule of it relates exclusively to England and Wales and is within devolved legislative competence.
- (6) In deciding whether a bill relates exclusively to England or to England and Wales, the
- 40 Speaker shall treat any clause or schedule whose only effects are minor or consequential effects outside the area in question as relating exclusively to that area.
- (7) In deciding whether a clause or schedule is within devolved legislative competence, the Speaker may take account of any amendments to the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament, the National Assembly for Wales or the Northern Ireland Assembly
- 45 which-
- (a) are not in force at the time of certification, but
  - (b) are to come into force on a day already fixed by law,
- if the Speaker considers that the clause or schedule is itself only likely to come into force on or after that day; and, for this purpose, an amendment which is in force but applies
- 50 only in relation to a future period of time (or a clause or schedule which is likely to come into force but so apply) is to be treated as not being in force (or as not likely to come into force) until the start of that period (being a day already fixed by law).
- (8) In deciding whether to certify a bill, clause or schedule under this order, the Speaker-
- (a) may consult two members of the Panel of Chairs who are appointed for this
- 55 purpose by the Committee of Selection on a session by session basis, and
- (b) shall disregard any provision inserted by the House of Lords which, in the Speaker's opinion, has the sole objective of ensuring that Standing Order No. 80(a) (Privilege (bills brought from the Lords)) will apply to the bill.
- (9) The Speaker shall announce any decision under this order to the House.
- 60 (10) This order shall not apply to the following bills-
- (a) a bill which is certified under Standing Order No. 97(1) (Scottish Grand Committee (bills in relation to their principle)),

(b) a bill referred to the Welsh Grand Committee under Standing Order No. 106(1) (Welsh Grand Committee (bills)),

65 (c) a bill referred to the Northern Ireland Grand Committee under Standing Order No. 113(1) (Northern Ireland Grand Committee (bills in relation to their principle)),

(d) a bill which falls to be considered by the select committee appointed under Standing Order No. 140 (Joint Committee on Consolidation, &c., Bills),

70 (e) a bill whose main purpose is to give effect to proposals contained in a report by a Law Commission,

(f) a tax law rewrite bill,

(g) a bill introduced under the Statutory Orders (Special Procedure) Act 1945 or for confirming a provisional order.

(11) This order-

75 (a) shall not affect the right of every Member to vote on-

(i) the consideration of estimates, and

(ii) ways and means motions and motions for money resolutions (other than motions to which Standing Order No. 83U applies), and

(b) shall not apply to a Consolidated Fund or Appropriation Bill.

80 **83K. Committal and recommittal of certified England only bills**

(1) A bill certified by the Speaker under Standing Order No. 83J as relating exclusively to England and being within devolved legislative competence may only be committed to-

(a) a public bill committee (to which Standing Order No. 86(2)(iv) (Nomination of general committees) applies), or

85 (b) the Legislative Grand Committee (England).

(2) A bill whose current certification by the Speaker (whether under Standing Order No. 83J or 83L) is that it relates exclusively to England and is within devolved legislative competence may only be recommitted to-

90 (a) a public bill committee (to which Standing Order No. 86(2)(iv) (Nomination of general committees) applies), or

(b) the Legislative Grand Committee (England).

**83L. Reconsideration of certification before third reading**

(1) Paragraph (2) applies in relation to every bill which-

95 (a) was eligible for certification under Standing Order No. 83J (whether or not the bill, or any clause or schedule of it, was so certified),

(b) has been amended since its second reading, and

(c) has completed the stages before its third reading.

(2) The Speaker shall, before a motion may be made for the third reading of the bill-

(a) reconsider the bill, and

100 (b) certify the bill, or any clause or schedule of it, if the bill or clause or schedule, in the Speaker's opinion-

(i) relates exclusively to England or to England and Wales, and

(ii) is within devolved legislative competence.

(3) Paragraph (4) applies in relation to every bill which-

105 (a) was certified (whether in whole or in part) by the Speaker under Standing Order No. 83J,

(b) has been amended since its second reading, and

(c) has completed the stages before its third reading.

110 (4) The Speaker shall, before a motion may be made for the third reading of the bill, certify any amendment made to the bill since second reading which, in the opinion of the Speaker-

(a) related to the bill so far as certified under Standing Order No. 83J,

115 (b) was not made by the Legislative Grand Committee (England) or a public bill committee to which Standing Order No. 86(2)(iv) (Nomination of general committees) applies, and

(c) either-

(i) resulted in there being no certification under paragraph (2) when there would otherwise have been such a certification, or

120 (ii) changed the area to which a certification under paragraph (2) would otherwise have related.

(5) Any amendment certified under paragraph (4) shall be certified as relating exclusively to the area to which the certification under paragraph (2) would have related had that amendment not been made (and there shall be no certification as to devolved legislative competence).

125 (6) The Speaker shall announce any decision under paragraph (2) or (4) to the House.

(7) The Speaker shall, wherever possible, announce the Speaker's decisions under paragraph (2) or (4) immediately after the conclusion of proceedings on the previous stage of the bill.

130 (8) Paragraphs (2) to (8) of Standing Order No. 83J apply for the purposes of certification of bills, clauses, schedules and amendments under this order as they apply for the purposes of certification of bills, clauses and schedules under that order.

### **83M. Consent Motions for certified England only or England and Wales only provisions**

(1) Paragraphs (2) and (3) apply where-

135 (a) a bill, or clauses or schedules of a bill, have been certified under Standing Order No. 83J as relating exclusively to England or to England and Wales and being within

devolved legislative competence, and the bill has completed the stages before its third reading without having been amended,

(b) a bill or clauses or schedules of a bill have been certified under Standing Order No. 83L(2) as relating exclusively to England or to England and Wales and being  
140 within devolved legislative competence, or

(c) amendments have been certified under Standing Order No. 83L(4) as relating exclusively to England or to England and Wales.

(2) A Consent Motion which gives consent to the bill, clauses or schedules or amendments must be passed by the legislative grand committee for the area to which  
145 the certification relates before a motion may be made for the third reading of the bill.

(3) If a Minister of the Crown indicates his or her intention to move a Consent Motion, the House shall forthwith resolve itself into the legislative grand committee which is to consider the motion.

(4) If a Minister of the Crown indicates his or her intention to move both a Consent  
150 Motion which is to be passed by the Legislative Grand Committee (England and Wales) and a Consent Motion which is to be passed by the Legislative Grand Committee (England)-

(a) the House shall forthwith resolve itself into the Legislative Grand Committee (England and Wales) to consider the motion for that committee,

155 (b) on moving that motion, the Minister shall also inform the committee of the terms of the motion to be moved in the Legislative Grand Committee (England),

(c) any debate in the Legislative Grand Committee (England and Wales) may also relate to the motion for the Legislative Grand Committee (England), and

(d) on conclusion of proceedings in the Legislative Grand Committee (England and  
160 Wales)-

(i) the House shall forthwith resolve itself into the Legislative Grand Committee (England),

(ii) a Minister of the Crown shall forthwith move the motion for that committee, and

165 (iii) proceedings in the Legislative Grand Committee (England) shall be brought to a conclusion forthwith.

(5) Standing Orders Nos. 83E (Programme orders: conclusion of proceedings on consideration and up to and including third reading) and 83I (Programme orders: supplementary provisions) shall apply for the purpose of bringing proceedings to a  
170 conclusion in accordance with paragraph (4)(d)(iii) above (whether or not those proceedings are subject to a programme order) as they apply for the purpose of bringing proceedings to a conclusion in accordance with a programme order.

(6) On the conclusion of proceedings on a Consent Motion (or, in a case falling within paragraph (4), the conclusion of proceedings on the second Consent Motion), the chair

175 shall report the decision of the committee (or, as the case may be, the decisions of the committees) to the House.

(7) Subject to paragraph (8), a Consent Motion shall be in the form either "That the Committee consents to the XXX Bill" or "That the Committee consents to [the following certified clauses [and schedules] of the XXX Bill] [and certified amendments made by the House to the XXX Bill]..."; and in the latter case the motion shall identify the clauses or schedules or amendments in question.

(8) If a Minister of the Crown wishes to propose that a committee should not consent to certain clauses or schedules or amendments, the Consent Motion shall be in the form "That the Committee consents to [the following certified clauses [and schedules] of the XXX Bill] [and certified amendments made by the House to the XXX Bill]... and does not consent to [the following certified clauses [and schedules] of the XXX Bill] [and certified amendments made by the House to the XXX Bill]..."; and in any such case the motion shall identify the clauses or schedules or amendments in question.

(9) A Consent Motion may only be moved by a Minister of the Crown and may be moved without notice.

(10) Proceedings under this order may be proceeded with, though opposed, after the moment of interruption.

### **83N. Reconsideration of bills so far as there is absence of consent**

(1) Where a legislative grand committee decides on a Consent Motion under Standing Order No. 83M to withhold consent to a bill or any clause or schedule of a bill or any amendment-

(a) the bill shall be set down for reconsideration unless a Minister of the Crown moves a motion for the bill to be reconsidered (and any such motion may be made without notice, the question on any such motion shall be put forthwith and, if the motion is passed, the House shall proceed forthwith to reconsideration), and

(b) any order for the third reading of the bill shall be discharged.

(2) Reconsideration of the bill shall be for the sole purpose of considering amendments to the bill to resolve matters in dispute as a result of the withholding of consent.

(3) Paragraphs (2) and (4) to (8) of Standing Order No. 83L, and Standing Order No. 83M, shall apply following reconsideration of a bill in relation to the bill so far as reconsidered as they apply in relation to a bill; but as if-

(a) in Standing Order No. 83L(4)-

(i) the reference to any amendment since second reading were a reference to any amendment made on reconsideration, and

(ii) sub-paragraphs (a) and (b) were omitted, and

(b) in the case of any matter, there were a deemed certification in relation to the area or areas to which any relevant previous certification under Standing Order No.

83L(2) or (4) related if there would not otherwise be a certification in relation to that area or areas.

215 (4) If, following reconsideration of a bill and the steps taken by virtue of paragraph (3), a legislative grand committee withholds consent to the whole bill (whether or not amended on reconsideration), the bill may not be given a third reading and shall not pass.

220 (5) Paragraph (6) applies if, following reconsideration of a bill and the steps taken by virtue of paragraph (3), a legislative grand committee withholds consent to-

(a) any clause or schedule of the bill (whether or not amended on reconsideration),  
or

(b) any amendment to the bill,

but does not withhold consent to the whole bill.

225 (6) The bill shall be amended so as to remove any provisions of the bill which are not agreed by the House and any relevant legislative grand committee; and it is the bill as so amended which proceeds to its next stage.

(7) A Minister of the Crown may move a motion for the bill as so amended to be considered again ("consequential consideration"); and such a motion may be made  
230 without notice and the question on any such motion shall be put forthwith.

(8) If the motion is passed, the House shall proceed forthwith to consequential consideration of the bill as so amended; and any order for the third reading of the bill shall be discharged.

235 (9) Consequential consideration of the bill as so amended shall be for the sole purpose of considering minor or technical amendments in consequence of the removal of provisions under paragraph (6).

(10) Proceedings on reconsideration or consequential consideration, or a motion for reconsideration or consequential consideration, may be proceeded with, though opposed, after the moment of interruption.

240 (11) References in the standing orders of this House to consideration of a bill on report shall, so far as relevant and subject to paragraph (12), include reconsideration or consequential consideration of a bill under this order.

245 (12) In its application by virtue of paragraph (11), Standing Order No. 72 (Consideration of bill as amended in committee of the whole House) has effect as if the words ", as amended in a committee of the whole House," were omitted.

### **83O. Consideration of certified motions or amendments relating to Lords Amendments or other messages**

(1) The Speaker shall consider any motion relating to a Lords amendment to a bill or to any other message from the Lords in respect of a bill.

250 (2) The Speaker shall certify the motion if, in the Speaker's opinion, it-

- (a) relates exclusively to England and is within devolved legislative competence, or
- (b) relates exclusively to England and Wales and is within devolved legislative competence.

255 (3) For the purposes of paragraph (2) a motion relates exclusively to England or to England and Wales and is within devolved legislative competence if it or any provision of it-

- (a) relates to a Lords amendment, or an item in another message, which would, if agreed, result in-

260 (i) a clause or schedule as amended which relates exclusively to England or to England and Wales and is within devolved legislative competence,

(ii) a new or unamended clause or schedule which so relates and is within devolved legislative competence, or

(iii) the omission of a clause or schedule which so relates and is within devolved legislative competence, or

265 (b) contains proposals which would, if agreed, so result.

(4) The Speaker shall also certify the motion if, in the Speaker's opinion, it or any provision of it-

270 (a) relates to a Lords amendment, or an item in another message, which would, if agreed, result in a clause or schedule, which relates exclusively to England or to England and Wales and is within devolved legislative competence, ceasing to so relate or to be within devolved legislative competence, or

(b) contains proposals which, if agreed, would so result.

275 (5) Any motion certified under paragraph (4) shall be certified as relating exclusively to the area to which the clause or schedule relates (and there shall be no certification as to devolved legislative competence).

(6) The same motion may be certified in relation to different areas under paragraphs (2) and (4) or either of them.

(7) If a division is held on a motion certified under this order, the motion shall be agreed to only if, of those voting in the division-

280 (a) in the case of a motion certified in relation to England, a majority of Members and a majority of Members representing constituencies in England,

(b) in the case of a motion certified in relation to England and Wales, a majority of Members and a majority of Members representing constituencies in England and Wales, and

285 (c) in the case of a motion certified both in relation to England and in relation to England and Wales, a majority of Members, a majority of Members representing constituencies in England and a majority of Members representing constituencies in England and Wales,

vote in support of the motion.

290 (8) The Speaker shall, in selecting motions relating to Lords amendments or other messages, have regard to the extent to which such motions are drafted so that they can be certified under this order by virtue of every provision of them meeting the test in paragraph (3)(a) or (b) or (4)(a) or (b).

(9) If a motion relating to a Lords amendment or other message is disagreed to under  
295 this order because one of the groups voting in the division has not voted in support of it while another has, the decision of the House shall be-

(a) in the case of a motion to disagree (or agree) to a Lords amendment or an item in another message, to disagree with it, and

(b) in any other case, such decision as would have the effect of leaving the bill so far  
300 as it relates to that matter in the same position as it was before the Lords amendment or other message was received from the Lords.

(10) The Speaker shall announce any decision under paragraph (2) or (4) to the House.

(11) This order does not apply in relation to-

(a) any motion relating to a bill which was not eligible for certification under  
305 Standing Order No. 83J, and

(b) any of the following motions-

(i) any ways and means motion or motion for a money resolution,

(ii) any programme motion,

(iii) any order of consideration motion,

(iv) any motion of, or relating to, the Reasons Committee, and  
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(v) any other motion of a similar kind to a motion falling within any of paragraphs (i) to (iv).

(12) In this order-

(a) references to motions are to be read as including, so far as relevant, references to  
315 amendments to Lords amendments and references to amendments to the bill, and

(b) the reference in paragraph (3)(a)(i) to clauses or schedules as amended includes, in particular, a reference to clauses or schedules which would be amended by virtue of their territorial application being modified otherwise than in the clauses or schedules themselves.

320 (13) Paragraphs (2) to (4), (7) and (8)(a) of Standing Order No. 83J apply for the purposes of deciding under this order whether clauses or schedules relate exclusively to England or to England and Wales and are within devolved legislative competence as they apply for the purposes of the certification of clauses or schedules under that order; and, in the case  
325 of a bill which relates exclusively to England or to England and Wales, paragraph (6) of that order also applies for the purpose of deciding under this order whether clauses or schedules so relate.

**CERTIFICATION OF INSTRUMENTS AND MOTIONS: GENERAL****83P. Certification of instruments**

(1) The Speaker shall-

- 330 (a) consider every instrument to which this order applies, and  
(b) certify any such instrument which, in the Speaker's opinion-  
(i) relates exclusively to England or to England and Wales, and  
(ii) is within devolved legislative competence.

(2) An instrument-

- 335 (a) relates exclusively to England and is within devolved legislative competence if every provision of it relates exclusively to England and is within devolved legislative competence;  
(b) relates exclusively to England and Wales and is within devolved legislative competence if every provision of it relates exclusively to England and Wales and is  
340 within devolved legislative competence.

(3) Paragraphs (2) to (4), (6) and (7) of Standing Order No. 83J apply for the purposes of this order; and as so applied those paragraphs have effect as if-

- (a) references to a bill were to an instrument, and  
(b) references to a clause or schedule were to a provision of an instrument.

345 (4) In deciding whether to certify an instrument under this order the Speaker may consult two members of the Panel of Chairs who are appointed for this purpose by the Committee of Selection on a session by session basis.

(5) The Speaker shall announce any decision under this order to the House.

(6) This order applies to any instrument (whether or not in draft) upon which  
350 proceedings may be taken in pursuance of an Act of Parliament where the instrument-

- (a) meets any of conditions A to C, and  
(b) is not a report within paragraph (1)(a) to (c) of Standing Order No. 83R.

(7) Condition A is that the instrument-

- 355 (a) stands referred to a Delegated Legislation Committee pursuant to paragraph (3) of Standing Order No. 118 (Delegated Legislation Committees), or  
(b) does not stand so referred because sub-paragraph (a) of that paragraph applies to it.

(8) Condition B is that a member has given notice of a motion of the kind mentioned in paragraph (4)(a) of Standing Order No. 118 in relation to the instrument and the  
360 instrument-

- (a) stands referred to a Delegated Legislation Committee, or  
(b) has been set down for consideration in the Chamber on a particular day.

(9) Condition C is that the Regulatory Reform Committee has made a recommendation of the kind mentioned in paragraph (1) or (2) of Standing Order No. 18 (Consideration of draft legislative reform orders etc.) in relation to the instrument.

### **83Q. Deciding the question on motions relating to certified instruments**

(1) This order applies to the following motions-

(a) a motion to approve a certified instrument;

(b) a motion of the kind mentioned in paragraph (4)(a) of Standing Order No. 118 in relation to a certified instrument;

(c) a motion to disagree with a report of the Regulatory Reform Committee that contains a recommendation of the kind mentioned in paragraph (2) of Standing Order No. 18 in relation to a certified instrument;

(d) an amendment to a motion within sub-paragraph (a) or (b).

(2) If a division is held on a motion to which this order applies, the motion shall be agreed to only if, of those voting in the division-

(a) a majority of Members, and

(b) a majority of Members representing qualifying constituencies,

vote in support of the motion.

(3) In this order-

(a) "a certified instrument" means an instrument which has been certified under Standing Order No. 83P as relating exclusively to England or to England and Wales;

(b) "qualifying constituencies" means constituencies in the part of the United Kingdom to which the instrument has been certified as relating exclusively.

### **83R. Deciding the question on certain other motions**

(1) This order applies to the following motions-

(a) a motion to approve-

(i) a report which has been laid before the House under paragraph 5 of Schedule 7B to the Local Government Finance Act 1988 (local government finance report) and which contains a determination under section 78 of that Act (revenue support grant), or

(ii) a report which has been laid before the House under section 84A of that Act (revenue support grant: amending report);

(b) a motion to approve a report which has been laid before the House under section 52ZD of the Local Government Finance Act 1992 (referendums relating to council tax increases: principles);

(c) a motion to approve a report which has been laid before the House under section 46 of the Police Act 1996 (police grant);

400 (d) a motion for a resolution under section 26(2)(b)(ii) of the Higher Education Act 2004 (student fees);

(e) an amendment to a motion within sub-paragraph (d).

(2) If a division is held on a motion to which this order applies, the motion shall be agreed to only if, of those voting in the division-

(a) a majority of Members, and

405 (b) a majority of Members representing qualifying constituencies,  
vote in support of the motion.

(3) In this order "qualifying constituencies" means-

(a) in the case of a motion within paragraph (1)(a), (b), (d) or (e), constituencies in England;

410 (b) in the case of a motion within paragraph (1)(c), constituencies in England or Wales.

#### **CERTIFICATION OF FINANCE BILLS, INSTRUMENTS AND MOTIONS**

##### **83S. Modification of Standing Orders Nos. 83J to 83N in their application to Finance Bills**

415 (1) In their application in relation to a bill within paragraph (2), Standing Orders Nos. 83J to 83N shall have effect with the modifications in paragraphs (3) to (5).

(2) A bill is within this paragraph if-

(a) it is a Finance Bill, or

420 (b) it is a bill which, before second reading, only contained provision which would be within the ordinary scope of a Finance Bill (or would be if the provision was to take effect in the current financial year).

(3) In Standing Order No. 83J-

(a) in paragraph (1)(b)(i) after "Wales" insert "or to England, Wales and Northern Ireland";

425 (b) in paragraph (2) after "Wales" (in both places) insert "or to England, Wales and Northern Ireland";

(c) after paragraph (4) insert-

430 "(4A) A clause or schedule which relates exclusively to England, Wales and Northern Ireland is within devolved legislative competence if it would be within the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament to make any corresponding provision for Scotland in an Act of that Parliament.";

(d) in paragraph (5) after sub-paragraph (b) insert ";

435 (c) relates exclusively to England, Wales and Northern Ireland and is within devolved legislative competence if every clause and every schedule of it relates exclusively to England, Wales and Northern Ireland and is within devolved legislative competence";

(e) in paragraph (6) after “Wales” insert “or to England, Wales and Northern Ireland”; and

(f) after paragraph (11) insert-

440 “(12) The test in paragraph (3)(a), (4)(a) or (4A) is also met if the clause or  
schedule concerned sets a rate of income tax in respect of any kind of income  
for a person who is resident in the United Kingdom for tax purposes but is not a  
Scottish taxpayer where the corresponding rate for a Scottish taxpayer may be  
set by a resolution of the Scottish Parliament under Chapter 2 of Part 4A of the  
445 Scotland Act 1998 (and the reference in paragraph (7) to the legislative  
competence of the Scottish Parliament includes a reference to that Chapter)”.

(4) In Standing Order No. 83L, in paragraph (2)(b)(i) after “Wales” insert “or to England, Wales and Northern Ireland”.

(5) In Standing Order No. 83M-

450 (a) in paragraph (1) after “Wales” (in each place) insert “or to England, Wales and  
Northern Ireland”;

(b) for paragraph (4) substitute-

“(4) If a Minister of the Crown indicates his or her intention to move Consent  
Motions which are to be passed by more than one legislative grand committee-

(a) the order in which the Consent Motions are to be considered is:

455 (i) any motion to be considered by the Legislative Grand Committee  
(England, Wales and Northern Ireland),

(ii) any motion to be considered by the Legislative Grand Committee  
(England and Wales), and

460 (iii) any motion to be considered by the Legislative Grand Committee  
(England),

(b) the House shall forthwith resolve itself into the legislative grand  
committee which is to consider the first Consent Motion,

465 (c) on moving that motion, the Minister shall also inform the committee of  
the terms of any other Consent Motion to be moved in any other legislative  
grand committee,

(d) any debate in the first legislative grand committee may also relate to  
any other Consent Motion to be moved in any other legislative grand  
committee,

(e) on conclusion of proceedings in the first legislative grand committee-

470 (i) the House shall forthwith resolve itself into the legislative grand  
committee which is to consider the next Consent Motion,

(ii) a Minister of the Crown shall forthwith move that motion, and

(iii) proceedings in the second legislative grand committee shall be brought to a conclusion forthwith, and

475 (f) on conclusion of proceedings in the second legislative grand committee, sub-paragraphs (e)(i) to (iii) shall apply in relation to any third Consent Motion and a third legislative grand committee as they apply in relation to the second Consent Motion and the second legislative grand committee.”;

(c) in paragraph (5) for “(4)(d)(iii)” substitute “(4)(e)(iii) and (f)”;

480 (d) in paragraph (6) for “second Consent Motion” substitute “Consent Motions”.

**83T. Modification of Standing Orders Nos. 83P and 83Q in their application to financial instruments**

(1) In their application in relation to a financial instrument, Standing Orders Nos. 83P and 83Q shall have effect with the following modifications.

485 (2) In Standing Order No. 83P-

(a) in paragraph (1)(b)(i) after “Wales” insert “or to England, Wales and Northern Ireland”;

(b) in paragraph (2) after sub-paragraph (b) insert “;

490 (c) relates exclusively to England, Wales and Northern Ireland and is within devolved legislative competence if every provision of it relates exclusively to England, Wales and Northern Ireland and is within devolved legislative competence”;

495 (c) in paragraph (3) for the words from the beginning to “apply” substitute “Paragraphs (2) to (4A), (6), (7) and (12) of Standing Order No. 83J (as modified by Standing Order No. 83S(3))”.

(3) In Standing Order 83Q(3)(a) after “Wales” insert “or to England, Wales and Northern Ireland”.

(4) For the purposes of this order an instrument is a “financial instrument” if it is made or proposed to be made in exercise of powers conferred by (and only by)-

500 (a) an Act which resulted from a Finance Bill;

(b) a provision of an Act which would have been within the ordinary scope of a Finance Bill.

**83U. Certification of motions upon which a Finance Bill is to be brought in which would authorise provision relating exclusively to England, to England and Wales or to England, Wales and Northern Ireland**

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(1) This order applies to any founding motion which, if passed, would-

(a) authorise a bill to include provision which would be within the ordinary scope of a Finance Bill, or

510 (b) authorise a Finance Bill to include provision which would not be within the ordinary scope of a Finance Bill.

(2) The Speaker shall-

- (a) consider every motion to which this order applies, and
- (b) certify any such motion which, in the Speaker's opinion, falls within paragraph (3), (4) or (5).

515 (3) A motion falls within this paragraph if it would, if passed, only authorise a bill to include provision which-

- (a) relates exclusively to England, and
- (b) is within devolved legislative competence.

520 (4) A motion falls within this paragraph if it would, if passed, only authorise a bill to include provision which-

- (a) relates exclusively to England and Wales, and
- (b) is within devolved legislative competence.

(5) A motion falls within this paragraph if it would, if passed, only authorise a bill to include provision which-

- 525 (a) relates exclusively to England, Wales and Northern Ireland, and
- (b) is within devolved legislative competence.

(6) In deciding whether to certify under this order a motion to which this order applies, the Speaker may consult two members of the Panel of Chairs who are appointed for this purpose by the Committee of Selection on a session by session basis.

530 (7) The Speaker shall announce any decision under this order to the House.

(8) Paragraphs (2) to (4A), (7) and (12) of Standing Order No. 83J (as modified by Standing Order No. 83S(3)) apply for the purposes of this order; and as so applied those paragraphs have effect as if references to a clause or schedule were to a provision.

535 (9) In paragraph (1) "founding motion" means a motion upon which a bill is to be brought in.

### **83V. Deciding the question on motions certified under Standing Order No. 83U**

(1) If a division is held on a motion which has been certified under Standing Order No. 83U, the motion shall be agreed to only if, of those voting in the division-

- 540 (a) a majority of Members, and
- (b) a majority of Members representing qualifying constituencies,
- vote in support of the motion.

(2) In this order "qualifying constituencies" means-

- (a) in a case where the motion concerned was certified as falling within paragraph (3) of Standing Order No. 83U, constituencies in England;
- 545 (b) in a case where the motion concerned was certified as falling within paragraph (4) of that standing order, constituencies in England or Wales;

(c) in a case where the motion concerned was certified as falling within paragraph (5) of that standing order, constituencies in England, Wales or Northern Ireland.

#### **LEGISLATIVE GRAND COMMITTEES**

##### 550 **83W. Legislative Grand Committees**

(1) There shall be-

(a) a Legislative Grand Committee (England),

(b) a Legislative Grand Committee (England and Wales), and

(c) a Legislative Grand Committee (England, Wales and Northern Ireland).

555 (2) The Legislative Grand Committee (England) shall consist of all Members representing constituencies in England.

(3) The Legislative Grand Committee (England and Wales) shall consist of all Members representing constituencies in England and all Members representing constituencies in Wales.

560 (4) The Legislative Grand Committee (England, Wales and Northern Ireland) shall consist of-

(a) all Members representing constituencies in England,

(b) all Members representing constituencies in Wales, and

(c) all Members representing constituencies in Northern Ireland.

565 (5) A Deputy Speaker or a member of the Panel of Chairs may chair a legislative grand committee.

(6) The functions of the Legislative Grand Committee (England) shall be-

(a) to consider any bills committed or recommitted to the committee in accordance with Standing Order No. 83K, and

570 (b) to consider any Consent Motions under Standing Order No. 83M which relate to the committee.

(7) The functions of the Legislative Grand Committee (England and Wales) and the Legislative Grand Committee (England, Wales and Northern Ireland) are to consider any Consent Motions under Standing Order No. 83M which relate to them.

575 (8) Any Member who is not a member of a legislative grand committee may take part in the deliberations of the committee but shall not vote or make any motion or move any amendment.

##### **83X. Legislative Grand Committees: supplementary**

580 (1) The procedure of this House applicable to a committee of the whole House shall, so far as relevant, be applicable to a legislative grand committee.

(2) Accordingly, references in the standing orders of this House to a committee of the whole House or to the House in committee, or similar references, shall be read as references to the relevant legislative grand committee.

(3) Paragraphs (1) and (2) do not apply to Standing Order No. 82 (Business Committee)."

585 In Standing Order No. 12 (House not to sit on certain Fridays), in line 20, after "notices of" insert "Consent Motions under Standing Order No. 83M (Consent Motions for certified England only or England and Wales only provisions) and of".

In Standing Order No. 51 (Ways and means motions), in line 12, after "forthwith" insert  
590 "or, in the case of a motion to which Standing Order No. 83U applies, forthwith upon the announcement of the Speaker's decision with respect to the motion under that standing order".

After Standing Order No. 63(4) (Committal of bills not subject to a programme order) insert-

595 "(5) In the case of a bill certified by the Speaker under Standing Order No. 83J as relating exclusively to England and being within devolved legislative competence-

(a) committal under this order is subject to Standing Order No. 83K (Committal and recommittal of certified England only bills), and

(b) committal under this order to a public bill committee is accordingly to a public bill committee to which Standing Order No. 86(2)(iv) (Nomination of  
600 general committees) applies.

(6) Nothing in this order enables a bill to be committed to any legislative grand committee other than to the Legislative Grand Committee (England) in accordance with Standing Order No. 83K."

605 In Standing Order No. 64 (Notices of amendments, &c., to bills), in line 2, after "schedules" insert ", of Consent Motions under Standing Order No. 83M (Consent Motions for certified England only or England and Wales only provisions)".

In Standing Order No. 73 (Report of bills committed to public bill committees), in line 4, after "bill committee" insert "or the Legislative Grand Committee (England)".

610 In Standing Order No. 83A (Programme motions), in line 30, after "and" insert "up to and including".

In Standing Order No. 83B (Programming committees)-

(a) in line 2, after "reading" insert "or in legislative grand committee or on reconsideration or consequential consideration", and

615 (b) in line 14, after "reading" insert "or in legislative grand committee or on reconsideration or consequential consideration".

In Standing Order No. 83C (Programming sub-committees)-

(a) in line 22, after "and" insert "up to and including",

(b) in line 62, after "and" insert "up to and including", and

(c) in line 75, after "and" insert "up to and including".

620 In Standing Order No. 83D (Programme orders: conclusion of proceedings in public bill committee or in committee of the whole House)-

(a) in the title, after "House" insert "etc.", and

(b) in line 2, after "bill committee" insert ", in the Legislative Grand Committee (England) when exercising functions under Standing Order No. 83W(6)(a) (Legislative Grand Committees)".

In Standing Order No. 83E (Programme orders: conclusion of proceedings on consideration or third reading)-

(a) in the title for "or" substitute "and up to and including",

(b) in line 2, after "and" insert "up to and including", and

(c) in line 22, at end, insert-

"(5) In the application of this order to proceedings on a Consent Motion in legislative grand committee, the references to the Speaker in paragraph (2) are to be read as references to the Chairman of Ways and Means or either Deputy Chairman."

After Standing Order No. 83F(7) (Programme orders: conclusion of proceedings on consideration of Lords amendments), at the end of line 35, insert-

"(8) Where a single question would be put under paragraph (3)(a), (4)(a) or (7) in circumstances where some or all of the amendments concerned are certified under Standing Order No. 83O (Consideration of certified motions or amendments relating to Lords Amendments or other messages) in relation to a particular part or parts of the United Kingdom, the Speaker shall put forthwith-

(a) a single question on any amendments for which the certification is in relation to England,

(b) a single question on any amendments for which the certification is in relation to England and Wales,

(c) a single question on any amendments for which the certification is both in relation to England and in relation to England and Wales, and

(d) a single question on any amendments for which there is no certification.

(9) Where a single question would be put under paragraph (6) in circumstances where, if there were (or are) separate motions to agree in relation to each of the remaining Lords amendments, some or all of the motions would be (or are) certified under Standing Order No. 83O (Consideration of certified motions or amendments relating to Lords Amendments or other messages), the Speaker shall put forthwith-

(a) in the case of any remaining Lords amendments for which there would be (or are) motions certified in relation to England, the question that this House agrees with the Lords in those amendments,

(b) in the case of any remaining Lords amendments for which there would be (or are) amendments certified in relation to England and Wales, the question that this House agrees with the Lords in those amendments,

660 (c) in the case of any remaining Lords amendments for which there would be (or are) motions certified both in relation to England and in relation to England and Wales, the question that this House agrees with the Lords in those amendments, and

665 (d) in the case of any remaining Lords amendments for which there would be (or are) motions which would not be (or are not) certified, the question that this House agrees with the Lords in those amendments.

(10) If a division is held on a question put under paragraph (8) or (9), the amendments shall be agreed to only if, of those voting in the division-

670 (a) in a case falling within sub-paragraph (a) of that paragraph, a majority of Members and a majority of Members representing constituencies in England,

(b) in a case falling within sub-paragraph (b) of that paragraph, a majority of Members and a majority of Members representing constituencies in England and Wales,

675 (c) in a case falling within sub-paragraph (c) of that paragraph, a majority of Members, a majority of Members representing constituencies in England and a majority of Members representing constituencies in England and Wales, and

(d) in a case falling within sub-paragraph (d) of that paragraph, a majority of Members,

vote in support of them.

680 (11) Paragraph (9) of Standing Order No. 83O shall apply to a decision made by virtue of paragraph (10) above on a question as it applies in relation to a decision made by virtue of paragraph (7) of that order on a motion."

In Standing Order No. 83G (Programme orders: conclusion of proceedings on further messages from the Lords)-

685 (a) in line 12, after "shall" insert ", subject to paragraphs (6) and (7),", and

(b) at the end of line 14 insert-

"(6) Paragraph (7) applies where, if there were (or are) separate motions to agree in relation to each of the remaining Lords proposals, some or all of the motions would be (or are) certified under Standing Order No. 83O  
690 (Consideration of certified motions or amendments relating to Lords Amendments or other messages).

(7) The Speaker shall put forthwith-

695 (a) in the case of any remaining Lords proposals for which there would be (or are) motions certified in relation to England, the question that this House agrees with the Lords in those proposals,

(b) in the case of any remaining Lords proposals for which there would be (or are) motions certified in relation to England and Wales, the question that this House agrees with the Lords in those proposals,

700 (c) in the case of any remaining Lords proposals for which there would be  
(or are) motions certified both in relation to England and in relation to  
England and Wales, the question that this House agrees with the Lords in  
those proposals, and

705 (d) in the case of any remaining Lords proposals for which there would be  
(or are) motions which would not be (or are not) certified, the question  
that this House agrees with the Lords in those proposals.

(8) If a division is held on a question put under paragraph (7), the proposals shall  
be agreed to only if, of those voting in the division-

710 (a) in a case falling within sub-paragraph (a) of that paragraph, a majority  
of Members and a majority of Members representing constituencies in  
England,

(b) in a case falling within sub-paragraph (b) of that paragraph, a majority  
of Members and a majority of Members representing constituencies in  
England and Wales,

715 (c) in a case falling within sub-paragraph (c) of that paragraph, a majority  
of Members, a majority of Members representing constituencies in England  
and a majority of Members representing constituencies in England and  
Wales, and

(d) in a case falling within sub-paragraph (d) of that paragraph, a majority  
of Members,

720 vote in support of them.

(9) Paragraph (9) of Standing Order No. 83O shall apply to a decision made by  
virtue of paragraph (8) above on a question as it applies in relation to a decision  
made by virtue of paragraph (7) of that order on a motion."

725 In Standing Order No. 83I (Programme orders: supplementary provisions), in line 2, after  
second "House" insert "or in legislative grand committee".

In Standing Order No. 86 (Nomination of general committees), in line 33, at end insert-

730 "(iv) for the consideration of any bill certified by the Speaker under Standing Order  
No. 83J (or, in the case of recommitment after recertification, Standing Order No. 83L)  
as relating exclusively to England and being within devolved legislative competence,  
the Committee of Selection, in nominating Members to a public bill committee, shall  
have regard to the composition of that part of the House consisting of Members  
representing constituencies in England; and no Member who does not represent a  
constituency in England shall be nominated to such a committee"; and

735 (2) The new Standing Orders, and the changes to Standing Orders, made by this order do  
not apply in relation to-

(a) any bills which have had a Second Reading in this House on or before the day on  
which this order is made,

(b) any bills introduced in the previous Parliament which have been carried over into this Parliament,

740 (c) any instruments or draft instruments laid on or before the day on which this order is made, and

(d) any motions agreed to on or before that day.

**Amendment (a)**

**Mr Graham Allen**

**Mr Alistair Carmichael**

**Mr Nigel Dodds**

**Keith Vaz**

**Danny Kinahan**

**Caroline Lucas**

Mr Clive Betts

Rachael Maskell

Chris Evans

Fiona Mactaggart

Mark Durkan

Sammy Wilson

Valerie Vaz

Mr David Hanson

Mr Jamie Reed

Rosie Cooper

Lady Hermon

Line 1, leave out from "That" to end and insert "this House concurs with the Lords Message of 21 July, that it is expedient that a joint committee of Lords and Commons be appointed to consider and report on the constitutional implications of the Government's revised proposals to change the Standing Orders of the House of Commons in order to give effect to English Votes for English Laws, and that the committee should report on the proposals by 30 March 2016."

**Amendment (v)**

**Tom Brake**

**Mr Alistair Carmichael**

Line 1, leave out from "That" to end and insert "this House believes that a constitutional convention should be established to report by the end of 2016 to ensure the legitimate demand for English voices to be heard on English matters is delivered within the context of a carefully considered settlement for the UK, Scotland, Wales, Northern Ireland, England and the authorities participating in the Government's devolution agenda."

**Amendment (e)**

**Chris Bryant**  
**Jeremy Corbyn**  
**Ms Rosie Winterton**  
**Nia Griffith**  
**Ian Murray**  
**Ms Angela Eagle**

Mr David Hanson

Line 2, leave out “be made” and insert “shall have effect for the remainder of this Session of Parliament”.

**Amendment (f)**

**Chris Bryant**  
**Jeremy Corbyn**  
**Ms Rosie Winterton**  
**Nia Griffith**  
**Ian Murray**  
**Ms Angela Eagle**

Line 14 (proposed Standing Order No 83J), leave out “or” and insert “and”.

**Amendment (g)**

**Chris Bryant**  
**Jeremy Corbyn**  
**Ms Rosie Winterton**  
**Nia Griffith**  
**Ian Murray**  
**Ms Angela Eagle**

Line 40 (proposed Standing Order No 83J), leave out second “or” and insert “and”.

**Amendment (b)**

**Ian C. Lucas**  
**Albert Owen**  
**Mr David Hanson**

Line 41, at end, insert—

“, subject to paragraph (6A).

(6A) In paragraph (6), “consequential effects” shall not include any effect which, in the Speaker’s opinion, constitutes a significant effect on constituencies near to, but outside, the area in question

(6B) In deciding whether an effect on a constituency is significant, and whether a bill, or a clause or schedule of a Bill, relates exclusively to England, or to England and Wales, the

Speaker may take into account representations from persons or organisations resident outside England, or resident outside England and Wales, as the case may be.”

**Amendment (c)**

**Ian C. Lucas**

**Albert Owen**

**Mr David Hanson**

Line 63, leave out sub-paragraph (b).

**Amendment (d)**

**Ian C. Lucas**

**Albert Owen**

**Mr David Hanson**

Line 79, at end, insert—

**“83JA. Certification of bills etc. as relating exclusively to Wales**

(1) The Speaker shall, before second reading-

(a) consider every public bill presented by a Minister of the Crown or brought from the Lords and taken up by a Minister of the Crown, and

(b) certify any such bill, or any clause or schedule of any such bill, which, in the Speaker’s opinion relates exclusively to Wales.

(2) A clause or schedule relates exclusively Wales if (disregarding any minor or consequential effects outside the area in question) it applies only to Wales.

(3) In deciding whether a bill relates exclusively to Wales, the Speaker shall treat any clause or schedule whose only effects are minor or consequential effects outside the area in question as relating exclusively to that area.

(4) The Speaker shall announce any decision under this order to the House.

(5) This order may apply to any bill referred to the Welsh Grand Committee under Standing Order No. 106(1) (Welsh Grand Committee (bills)).

**83JB. Committal and recommitment of certified Wales only bills**

(1) A bill certified by the Speaker under Standing Order No. 83J as relating exclusively to Wales may only be committed to-

(a) a public bill committee (to which Standing Order No. 86(2)(iv) (Nomination of general committees) applies), or

(b) the Welsh Grand Committee.

(2) A bill whose current certification by the Speaker (whether under Standing Order No. 83JA or 83JC) is that it relates exclusively to Wales may only be recommitted to-

(a) a public bill committee (to which Standing Order No. 86(2)(v) (Nomination of general committees) applies), or

(b) the Welsh Grand Committee.

### **83JC. Reconsideration of certification before third reading**

(1) Paragraph (2) applies in relation to every bill which-

- (a) was eligible for certification under Standing Order No. 83JA (whether or not the bill, or any clause or schedule of it, was so certified),
- (b) has been amended since its second reading, and
- (c) has completed the stages before its third reading.

(2) The Speaker shall, before a motion may be made for the third reading of the bill-

- (a) reconsider the bill, and
- (b) certify the bill, or any clause or schedule of it, if the bill or clause or schedule, in the Speaker's opinion relates exclusively to Wales.

(3) Paragraph (4) applies in relation to every bill which-

- (a) was certified (whether in whole or in part) by the Speaker under Standing Order No. 83JA,
- (b) has been amended since its second reading, and
- (c) has completed the stages before its third reading.

(4) The Speaker shall, before a motion may be made for the third reading of the bill, certify any amendment made to the bill since second reading which, in the opinion of the Speaker-

- (a) related to the bill so far as certified under Standing Order No. 83JA,
- (b) was not made by the Welsh Grand Committee or a public bill committee to which Standing Order No. 86(2)(iiia) (Nomination of general committees) applies, and
- (c) either-
  - (i) resulted in there being no certification under paragraph (2) when there would otherwise have been such a certification, or
  - (ii) changed the area to which a certification under paragraph (2) would otherwise have related.

(5) Any amendment certified under paragraph (4) shall be certified as relating exclusively to the area to which the certification under paragraph (2) would have related had that amendment not been made.

(6) The Speaker shall announce any decision under paragraph (2) or (4) to the House.

(7) The Speaker shall, wherever possible, announce the Speaker's decisions under paragraph (2) or (4) immediately after the conclusion of proceedings on the previous stage of the bill.

(8) Paragraphs (2) to (4) of Standing Order No. 83JA apply for the purposes of certification of bills, clauses, schedules and amendments under this order as they apply for the purposes of certification of bills, clauses and schedules under that order.

### **83JD. Consent Motions for certified Wales only provisions**

(1) Paragraphs (2) and (3) apply where-

- (a) a bill, or clauses or schedules of a bill, have been certified under Standing Order No. 83JA as relating exclusively, and the bill has completed the stages before its third reading without having been amended,
- (b) a bill or clauses or schedules of a bill have been certified under Standing Order No. 83JC(2) as relating exclusively to Wales, or
- (c) amendments have been certified under Standing Order No. 83JC(4) as relating exclusively to Wales.

(2) A Consent Motion which gives consent to the bill, clauses or schedules or amendments must be passed by the Welsh Grand Committee for the area to which the certification relates before a motion may be made for the third reading of the bill.

(3) On the conclusion of proceedings on a Consent Motion the chair shall report the decision of the Welsh Grand Committee to the House.

(4) Subject to paragraph (5), a Consent Motion shall be in the form either "That the Welsh Grand Committee consents to the XXX Bill" or "That the Welsh Grand Committee consents to [the following certified clauses [and schedules] of the XXX Bill] [and certified amendments made by the House to the XXX Bill]..."; and in the latter case the motion shall identify the clauses or schedules or amendments in question.

(5) If a Minister of the Crown wishes to propose that a committee should not consent to certain clauses or schedules or amendments, the Consent Motion shall be in the form "That the Welsh Grand Committee consents to [the following certified clauses [and schedules] of the XXX Bill] [and certified amendments made by the House to the XXX Bill]... and does not consent to [the following certified clauses [and schedules] of the XXX Bill] [and certified amendments made by the House to the XXX Bill]..."; and in any such case the motion shall identify the clauses or schedules or amendments in question.

(6) A Consent Motion may only be moved by a Minister of the Crown.

In Standing Order No. 86 (Nomination of general committees), in line 33, at end insert—  
 "(iii) for the consideration of any bill certified by the Speaker under Standing Order No. 83JA (or, in the case of recommittal after recertification, Standing Order No. 83JC) as relating exclusively to Wales, the Committee of Selection, in nominating Members to a public bill committee, shall have regard to the composition of that part of the House consisting of Members representing constituencies in Wales; and no Member who does not represent a constituency in Wales shall be nominated to such a committee"; and". "

**Amendment (h)**

**Chris Bryant**  
**Jeremy Corbyn**  
**Ms Rosie Winterton**  
**Nia Griffith**  
**Ian Murray**  
**Ms Angela Eagle**

Leave out lines 132 to 326.

**Amendment (i)**

**Chris Bryant**  
**Jeremy Corbyn**  
**Ms Rosie Winterton**  
**Nia Griffith**  
**Ian Murray**  
**Ms Angela Eagle**

Line 413 (proposed Standing Order No 83S), leave out "83N" and insert "83L".

**Amendment (j)**

**Chris Bryant**  
**Jeremy Corbyn**  
**Ms Rosie Winterton**  
**Nia Griffith**  
**Ian Murray**  
**Ms Angela Eagle**

Line 415 (proposed Standing Order No 83S), leave out "83N" and insert "83L".

**Amendment (k)**

**Chris Bryant**  
**Jeremy Corbyn**  
**Ms Rosie Winterton**  
**Nia Griffith**  
**Ian Murray**  
**Ms Angela Eagle**

Line 448 (proposed Standing Order No 83S), leave out paragraph (5).

**Amendment (l)**

**Chris Bryant**  
**Jeremy Corbyn**  
**Ms Rosie Winterton**  
**Nia Griffith**  
**Ian Murray**  
**Ms Angela Eagle**

Leave out lines 553 and 554.

**Amendment (m)**

**Chris Bryant**

**Jeremy Corbyn**

**Ms Rosie Winterton**

**Nia Griffith**

**Ian Murray**

**Ms Angela Eagle**

Leave out lines 557 to 564.

**Amendment (n)**

**Chris Bryant**

**Jeremy Corbyn**

**Ms Rosie Winterton**

**Nia Griffith**

**Ian Murray**

**Ms Angela Eagle**

Line 569 (proposed Standing Order No 83W) leave out from "83K" to end of line 574.

**Amendment (o)**

**Chris Bryant**

**Jeremy Corbyn**

**Ms Rosie Winterton**

**Nia Griffith**

**Ian Murray**

**Ms Angela Eagle**

Leave out lines 585 to 587.

**Amendment (p)**

**Chris Bryant**

**Jeremy Corbyn**

**Ms Rosie Winterton**

**Nia Griffith**

**Ian Murray**

**Ms Angela Eagle**

Leave out lines 604 to 606.

**Amendment (q)**

**Chris Bryant**

**Jeremy Corbyn**

**Ms Rosie Winterton**

**Nia Griffith**

**Ian Murray**

**Ms Angela Eagle**

Leave out lines 609 and 610.

**Amendment (r)****Chris Bryant****Jeremy Corbyn****Ms Rosie Winterton****Nia Griffith****Ian Murray****Ms Angela Eagle**

Line 612 (proposed amendment to Standing Order No 83B), leave out "or on reconsideration or consequential consideration".

**Amendment (s)****Chris Bryant****Jeremy Corbyn****Ms Rosie Winterton****Nia Griffith****Ian Murray****Ms Angela Eagle**

Line 614 (proposed amendment to Standing Order No 83B), leave out "or on reconsideration or consequential consideration".

**Amendment (t)****Chris Bryant****Jeremy Corbyn****Ms Rosie Winterton****Nia Griffith****Ian Murray****Ms Angela Eagle**

Leave out lines 626 to 723.

**Notes:**

The Speaker will put the questions necessary to dispose of proceedings on this motion not later than 4.00pm; such questions shall include the questions on any amendments selected by the Speaker which may then be moved; proceedings may continue, though opposed, after the moment of interruption (Order of 20 October).

**Relevant documents:**

First Report from the Procedure Committee, Government proposals for English votes for English laws Standing Orders: interim report, HC 410.

Oral evidence taken before the Scottish Affairs Committee on 8 September and 13 October 2015, on English votes for English laws, HC 399.

Written Ministerial Statement issued on 20 October 2015, on Government proposals for English votes for English laws Standing Orders: Interim report (First report of Session 2015-16 HC 410) - Government Response.

## 2. CAPITAL GAINS TAX

**No debate** (Standing Order No. 118(6))

**Mr David Gauke**

That the draft Double Taxation Relief and International Tax Enforcement (Algeria) Order 2015, which was laid before this House on 20 July, be approved.

**Notes:**

If this item is opposed after 5.00pm, the division will be deferred.

## 3. CAPITAL GAINS TAX

**No debate** (Standing Order No. 118(6))

**Mr David Gauke**

That the draft Double Taxation Relief and International Tax Enforcement (Bulgaria) Order 2015, which was laid before this House on 20 July, be approved.

**Notes:**

If this item is opposed after 5.00pm, the division will be deferred.

## 4. CAPITAL GAINS TAX

**No debate** (Standing Order No. 118(6))

**Mr David Gauke**

That the draft International Tax Enforcement (Brazil) Order 2015, which was laid before this House on 20 July, be approved.

**Notes:**

If this item is opposed after 5.00pm, the division will be deferred.

## 5. CAPITAL GAINS TAX

**No debate** (Standing Order No. 118(6))

**Mr David Gauke**

That the draft Double Taxation Relief and International Tax Enforcement (Croatia) Order 2015, which was laid before this House on 20 July, be approved.

**Notes:**

If this item is opposed after 5.00pm, the division will be deferred.

## 6. CAPITAL GAINS TAX

**No debate** (Standing Order No. 118(6))

**Mr David Gauke**

That the draft Double Taxation Relief and International Tax Enforcement (Senegal) Order 2015, which was laid before this House on 20 July, be approved.

**Notes:**

If this item is opposed after 5.00pm, the division will be deferred.

## 7. CAPITAL GAINS TAX

**No debate** (Standing Order No. 118(6))

**Mr David Gauke**

That the draft Double Taxation Relief and International Tax Enforcement (Sweden) Order 2015, which was laid before this House on 20 July, be approved.

**Notes:**

If this item is opposed after 5.00pm, the division will be deferred.

## 8. EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING

**No debate** (Standing Order No. 118(6))

**Secretary Sajid Javid**

That the draft English Apprenticeships (Consequential Amendments to Primary Legislation) Order 2015, which was laid before this House on 21 July, be approved.

**Notes:**

If this item is opposed after 5.00pm, the division will be deferred.

## ADJOURNMENT DEBATE

**Until 5.30pm or for half an hour (whichever is later)** (Standing Order No. 9(7))

■ Human rights, democracy and elections in Burma: **Valerie Vaz**

## BUSINESS TODAY: WESTMINSTER HALL

### ORDER OF BUSINESS

**The sitting will last for three hours (Standing Order No. 10(1))**

**1.30pm**

- That this House has considered the conflict in Yemen: **Keith Vaz**

**3.00pm**

- That this House has considered fire safety measures in school buildings: **Sir David Amess**

**Notes:**

The sitting will be suspended and time added if divisions take place in the main Chamber (Standing Order No. 10(3)).

The subject for the first debate was determined by the Backbench Business Committee.

The second debate was appointed by the Chairman of Ways and Means (Standing Order No. 10(6)).

## WRITTEN STATEMENTS

### STATEMENTS TO BE MADE TODAY

#### **Mr Chancellor of the Exchequer**

1. Tax policy consultation and draft legislation

#### **Secretary of State for Defence**

2. Defence Equipment Plan and Major Projects Report

#### **Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs**

3. Agenda for October Agriculture and Fisheries Council

#### **Secretary of State for Foreign and Commonwealth Office**

4. Foreign Affairs Council and General Affairs Council: 12–13 October

#### **Secretary of State for the Home Department**

5. Proposed Council decisions on EU signature of (i) the Council of Europe Additional Protocol to the Convention on the Prevention of Terrorism 2005, and (ii) the Convention
6. Scientific Procedures on Living Animals

#### **Secretary of State for International Development**

7. Foreign Affairs Council for Development October 2015

#### **Secretary of State for Justice**

8. Implementation of the new Code of Practice for Victims of Crime
9. Smoking in Prisons

#### **Secretary of State for Work and Pensions**

10. Government response to Work and Pensions Select Committee report, Benefit sanctions policy beyond the Oakley Review

#### **Notes:**

Texts of Written Statements are available from the Vote Office and on the internet at <http://www.parliament.uk/business/publications/hansard/commons/todays-written-statements/>.

## COMMITTEES MEETING TODAY

The decision of a Committee to sit in public may be changed without notice.

### PUBLIC BILL COMMITTEES

#### ■ Immigration Bill

##### Further to consider the Bill

**Witnesses:** Adrian Berry, Chair, Immigration Law Practitioners' Association, Manjit Gill QC, Head of the International Human Rights Law Group, No5 Chambers, Jerome Phelps, Director, Detention Forum, Colin Yeo, Barrister, Garden Court Chambers, and Don Flynn, Director, Migrants' Rights Network (until no later than 1.00pm)

The Boothroyd Room, Portcullis House

11.30am (public)

#### ■ Immigration Bill

##### Further to consider the Bill

**Witnesses:** Councillor David Simmonds, Chairman of the Asylum, Migration and Refugee Task Group, Local Government Association, and Paul Greenhalgh, Chair, Asylum Task Force, Association of Directors of Children's Services (until no later than 2.45pm); UNHCR and the British Red Cross (until no later than 3.30pm); Joint Council for the Welfare of Immigrants, Amnesty, Equality and Human Rights Commission, and Liberty (until no later than 4.30pm)

The Boothroyd Room, Portcullis House

2.00pm (public)

#### ■ Trade Union Bill

##### Further to consider the Bill

Room 12

11.30am (public)

#### ■ Trade Union Bill

##### Further to consider the Bill

Room 12

2.00pm (public)

**DELEGATED LEGISLATION COMMITTEES****■ Sixth Delegated Legislation Committee**

**To consider the draft Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (Regulated Activities) (Amendment) (No. 3) Order 2015, the draft Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (Relevant Authorised Persons) Order 2015 and the draft Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (Misconduct and Appropriate Regulator) Order 2015**

Room 9

11.30am (public)

**■ Seventh Delegated Legislation Committee**

**To consider the draft Maximum Number of Judges Order 2015**

Room 11

11.30am (public)

**SELECT COMMITTEES****■ High Speed Rail (London - West Midlands) Bill**

**Subject: High Speed Rail (London - West Midlands) Bill**

**Witnesses:** Margaret Rand; Doreen and Walter Spiers; Michael Taylor and T Taylor Agricultural Contractors Limited; Great Moor Sailing Club; Nigel French; the Governors of Twyford C of E School in Twyford in the County of Buckinghamshire; and Mr and Mrs Martin Whittam

Room 5

9.30am (public)

**■ Treasury**

**Subject: Bank of England Bill**

**Witnesses:** Rt Hon George Osborne MP, Chancellor of the Exchequer, and Charles Roxburgh, Director General, Financial Services, HM Treasury

The Thatcher Room, Portcullis House

9.45am (private), 10.00am (public)

**■ Foreign Affairs**

Room 13

4.30pm (private)

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### FORTHCOMING END OF DAY ADJOURNMENT DEBATES

#### ■ Tuesday 27 October to Monday 2 November (ballot closed)

The ballot for 27 October to 2 November will take place today. Applications for this ballot have now closed.

#### ■ Tuesday 3 November to Monday 9 November (deadline 28 October)

Applications should be made in writing to the Table Office by 7.00pm or rise of the House, whichever is the earlier, on Wednesday 28 October. The ballot will take place on Thursday 29 October.

### FORTHCOMING WESTMINSTER HALL DEBATES

Applications for 90, 60 and 30-minute debates should be made to the Table Office by 10.00pm or rise of the House, whichever is the earlier, on the deadline dates listed below. Members may submit applications to the Table Office in person, or from their own email account, or send a signed application through the post. Application forms are available from the Table Office or through the intranet at <http://intranet.parliament.uk/tableoffice/>.

The ballot takes place on the day following the deadline. Members will be informed of the outcome by the Speaker's Office.

#### ■ Tuesday 3 and Wednesday 4 November (deadline 26 October)

The following Departments will answer:

Attorney General; Business, Innovation and Skills; Cabinet Office; Communities and Local Government; Education; Energy and Climate Change; Health; Home Office; Northern Ireland; Scotland; Transport; Treasury; and Women and Equalities.

#### ■ Tuesday 10 November (deadline 2 November)

The following Departments will answer:

Attorney General; Business, Innovation and Skills; Cabinet Office; Communities and Local Government; Education; Energy and Climate Change; Health; Home Office; Northern Ireland; Scotland; Transport; Treasury; and Women and Equalities.

#### ■ Tuesday 17 and Wednesday 18 November (deadline 9 November)

The following Departments will answer:

Attorney General; Business, Innovation and Skills; Communities and Local Government; Defence; Foreign and Commonwealth Office; International Development; Justice; Northern Ireland; Scotland; Transport; Women and Equalities; Work and Pensions.

**■ Tuesday 24 and Wednesday 25 November (deadline 16 November)**

The following Departments will answer:

Cabinet Office; Culture, Media and Sport; Education; Energy and Climate Change; Environment, Food and Rural Affairs; Health; Home Office; Leader of the House; Treasury; Wales.

**■ Tuesday 1 and Wednesday 2 December (deadline 23 November)**

The following Departments will answer:

Attorney General; Business, Innovation and Skills; Communities and Local Government; Defence; Foreign and Commonwealth Office; International Development; Justice; Northern Ireland; Scotland; Transport; Women and Equalities; Work and Pensions.

**■ Tuesday 8 and Wednesday 9 December (deadline 30 November)**

The following Departments will answer:

Cabinet Office; Culture, Media and Sport; Education; Energy and Climate Change; Environment, Food and Rural Affairs; Health; Home Office; Leader of the House; Treasury; Wales.

**DETERMINATION OF BUSINESS BY THE BACKBENCH BUSINESS COMMITTEE****■ Thursday 29 October in the Chamber**

Motion on the creation of a House Business Committee: **Mr Graham Allen**

Debate on a motion on the distributional effect of proposed reforms to tax credits: **Frank Field, Mr David Davis**

**■ Thursday 29 October in Westminster Hall**

General debate on the future of the Green Investment Bank: **Graham Stuart, Callum McCaig, Mr Alistair Carmichael**

