



HOUSE OF COMMONS

Tuesday 13 November 2018

Votes and Proceedings

Corrected 19 December 2018

The House met at 11.30 am.

Prayers

1 Questions to the Secretary of State for Justice

2 Gypsy and Traveller Communities (Housing, Planning and Education): Motion for leave to bring in a Bill (Standing Order No. 23)

Ordered, That leave be given to bring in a Bill to make provision about periodical local authority reviews of the housing needs of Gypsy and Traveller communities; to make provision for the conversion of caravan sites into settled accommodation; to require local authorities to provide temporary caravan stopping sites where there is a demonstrated need; to create a criminal offence of unauthorised encampment; to make provision about the education of Gypsy and Traveller children; to require schools to have regard to Gypsy and Traveller culture and heritage in teaching; and for connected purposes;

That Andrew Selous, Sir David Amess, Tim Loughton, Steve Double, John Spellar, Priti Patel, Victoria Prentis, Mr Mark Francois, Mark Pawsey, Sir Robert Syms, Ruth George and Jim Shannon present the Bill.

Andrew Selous accordingly presented the Bill.

Bill read the first time; to be read a second time on Friday 23 November, and to be printed (Bill 285).

3 Opposition Day: Leader of the Opposition (18th allotted day (Standing Order No. 14))

(1) Legal advice on the EU withdrawal agreement

Motion made and Question proposed, That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, That she will be graciously pleased to give directions that the following papers be laid before Parliament: any legal advice in full, including that provided by the Attorney General, on the proposed withdrawal agreement on the terms of the UK's departure from the European Union including the Northern Ireland backstop and framework for a future relationship between the UK and the European Union.—(*Keir Starmer*.)

The Deputy Speaker announced a time limit on backbench speeches (Standing Order No. 47(1)).

Question put and agreed to.

Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to Her Majesty, That she will be graciously pleased to give directions that the following papers be laid before Parliament:

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(2) Education funding

Motion made and Question proposed, That this House notes the Institute for Fiscal Studies' finding that education spending as a share of national income has fallen from 5.8 per cent to 4.3 per cent since 2010, including funding cuts of over two thirds to Sure Start, of nearly a tenth to schools, of over a fifth to sixth forms, and of £3 billion to further and adult education; further notes the Prime Minister's statement that austerity is over; endorses the Secretary of State for Education's recent demand for billions more funding and welcomes his comments that there is a strong case for investment in the spending review but notes that the recent Budget provided only small capital projects; offers its full support to the Secretary of State for Education in persuading the Chancellor of the Exchequer that education urgently needs new investment; and calls on the Government to end austerity, not with little extras but by reversing all cuts to education funding.—(*Angela Rayner.*)

The Deputy Speaker announced a time limit on backbench speeches (Standing Order No. 47(1)).

Mr Alan Campbell claimed to move the closure (Standing Order No. 36).

Question put, That the Question be now put.

Question agreed to.

Main Question put and agreed to.

Resolved, That this House notes the Institute for Fiscal Studies' finding that education spending as a share of national income has fallen from 5.8 per cent to 4.3 per cent since 2010, including funding cuts of over two thirds to Sure Start, of nearly a tenth to schools, of over a fifth to sixth forms, and of £3 billion to further and adult education; further notes the Prime Minister's statement that austerity is over; endorses the Secretary of State for Education's recent demand for billions more funding and welcomes his comments that there is a strong case for investment in the spending review but notes that the recent Budget provided only small capital projects; offers its full support to the Secretary of State for Education in persuading the Chancellor of the Exchequer that education urgently needs new investment; and calls on the Government to end austerity, not with little extras but by reversing all cuts to education funding.

4 Deferred divisions

Ordered, That, at this day's sitting, Standing Order No. 41A (Deferred divisions) shall not apply to the Motion in the name of Kelly Tolhurst relating to Ending seasonal changes of time (Reasoned Opinion).—(*Mike Freer.*)

5 Ending seasonal changes of time (Reasoned Opinion)

Motion made and Question put forthwith (Standing Order No. 118(6)), That this House considers that the draft Directive of the European Parliament and of the Council on discontinuing seasonal changes of time and repealing Directive 2000/84/EC (European Union Document No. 12118/18 and Addendum 1) does not comply with the principle of subsidiarity for the reasons set out in Chapter 1 of the Forty-second Report of the European Scrutiny Committee (HC 301-xli); and, in accordance with Article 6 of Protocol

No. 2 of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union on the application of the principles of subsidiarity and proportionality, instructs the Clerk of the House to forward this reasoned opinion to the Presidents of the European Institutions.—(*Mike Freer*)

Question agreed to.

6 Public petitions

(1) A public petition from residents of Linlithgow and East Falkirk constituency relating to Universal Credit roll out was presented and read by Martyn Day.

(2) A public petition from residents of Bowes Ward, Enfield relating to a live trial of a low traffic neighbourhood in Bowes Ward was presented and read by Bambos Charalambous.

7 Adjournment

Subject: Health Services in Witham constituency (Priti Patel)

Resolved, That this House do now adjourn.—(*Mike Freer*)

Adjourned at 7.29 pm until tomorrow.

Other Proceedings

Lords Messages

8 Courts and Tribunals (Judiciary and Functions of Staff) Bill [Lords]

The Lords have passed a Bill to make provision about the judiciary and the functions of the staff of courts and tribunals, to which they desire the agreement of the Commons.

9 Ivory Bill

The Lords agree to the Ivory Bill with amendments to which they desire the agreement of the Commons.

First Reading and Printing of Lords Bills

10 Courts and Tribunals (Judiciary and Functions of Staff) Bill [Lords]

Bill read the first time; to be read a second time tomorrow, and to be printed (Bill 286) with Explanatory Notes (Bill 286–EN).

Printing of Lords Amendments

11 Ivory Bill

Lords Amendments to the Ivory Bill to be considered tomorrow, and to be printed (Bill 287) with Explanatory Notes (Bill 287–EN).

Changes to Notices Given

12 Isham Bypass Bill

Order for Second Reading on Friday 23 November, read and discharged.

Bill withdrawn.

- 13 Northamptonshire Clinical Commissioning Groups (Merger) Bill**
Order for Second Reading on Friday 23 November, read and discharged.
Bill withdrawn.
- 14 British Broadcasting Corporation (Oversight) Bill**
Order for Second Reading on Friday 23 November, read and discharged.
Bill withdrawn.
- 15 International Development Assistance (Limit) Bill**
Order for Second Reading on Friday 23 November, read and discharged.
Bill to be read a second time on Friday 8 February 2019.
- 16 Immigration Detention of Victims of Torture and Other Vulnerable People (Safeguards) Bill**
Order for Second Reading on Friday 23 November, read and discharged.
Bill to be read a second time on Friday 8 February 2019.
- 17 Child Maintenance Bill**
Order for Second Reading on Friday 23 November, read and discharged.
Bill to be read a second time on Friday 25 January 2019.

General Committees: Reports

- 18 Agriculture Bill Committee**
Sir Roger Gale (Chair) reported written evidence submitted to the Committee.
Written evidence to be published.
- 19 Sixth Delegated Legislation Committee**
David Hanson (Chair) reported the draft Credit Transfers and Direct Debits in Euro (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 and the draft Electronic Money, Payment Services and Payment Systems (Amendment and Transitional Provisions) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018.
- 20 Seventh Delegated Legislation Committee**
Steve McCabe (Chair) reported the draft Double Taxation Relief and International Tax Enforcement (Guernsey) Order 2018, the draft Double Taxation Relief and International Tax Enforcement (Isle of Man) Order 2018 and the draft Double Taxation Relief and International Tax Enforcement (Jersey) Order 2018.
- 21 Eleventh Delegated Legislation Committee**
James Gray (Chair) reported the draft Immigration (Health Charge) (Amendment) Order 2018.

*Reports from Select Committees***22 Backbench Business Committee**

Determination of business to be taken on 6 December in Westminster Hall, with Annex containing a transcript of representations made on 13 November, to be published (Ian Mearns).

23 Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy Committee

Industrial Strategy: sector deals and productivity: Oral evidence, to be published (HC 663) (Rachel Reeves).

24 Defence Committee

(1) *Mental Health and the Armed Forces, Part Two: The Provision of Care*: Oral and written evidence, to be published (HC 1481);

(2) *Correspondence with the Minister for Defence Procurement in relation to AWACS*: Written evidence, to be published (Julian Lewis).

25 Environmental Audit Committee

Sustainability in the fashion industry: Oral evidence, to be published (HC 1148) (Mary Creagh).

26 European Statutory Instruments Committee

Seventh Report, to be printed, with the formal minutes relating to the Report (HC 1698), and including the following recommendations:

That the affirmative procedure should apply to the instruments titled:

- (i) Companies, Limited Liability Partnerships and Partnerships (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018, the proposal for which was laid before this House on 5 November 2018;
- (ii) Employment Rights (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018, the proposal for which was laid before this House on 31 October 2018;
- (iii) Employment Rights (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018, the proposal for which was laid before this House on 31 October 2018;
- (iv) Maritime Transport Access to Trade and Cabotage (Revocation) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018, the proposal for which was laid before this House on 29 October 2018

(Sir Patrick McLoughlin).

27 Foreign Affairs Committee

(1) *Global Britain: The Responsibility to Protect and Humanitarian Intervention: Government response to the Committee's Twelfth Report of Session 2017-19*: Fifteenth Special Report, to be printed (HC 1719);

(2) *FCO budget and capacity and Annual Report 2017-18*: Part of the oral evidence, to be published (HC 1711);

(3) *China and the international rules-based system*: Written evidence, to be published (HC 612);

(4) *Correspondence from the Foreign Secretary relating to his plans for the future of the FCO*: Written evidence, to be published;

(5) *Global Britain and India*: Written evidence, to be published (HC 1465);

(6) *The future of the UK Overseas Territories*: Written evidence, to be published (HC 1464) (Tom Tugendhat).

28 Health and Social Care Committee

(1) *First 1000 days of life*: Oral and written evidence, to be published (HC 1496);

(2) *Childhood obesity*: Written evidence to be published (HC 882);

(3) *Correspondence with the Secretary of State relating to fracking*: Written evidence, to be published

(Dr Sarah Wollaston).

29 Home Affairs Committee

(1) *The work of the Home Office*: Oral evidence, to be published (HC 1713);

(2) *Correspondence from the Home Secretary regarding the Sir Alex Allan review*: Written evidence, to be published;

(3) *Correspondence from the Minister of State for Immigration Minister regarding the closure of Campsfield House Immigration Removal Centre*: Written evidence, to be published;

(4) *Immigration detention*: Written evidence, to be published (HC 913)

(Yvette Cooper).

30 International Trade Committee

The impact of UK-EU arrangements on wider UK trade policy: Oral evidence, to be published (HC 1549) (Angus Brendan MacNeil).

31 Justice Committee

(1) *Prison Population 2022: planning for the future*: Oral and written evidence, to be published (HC 483);

(2) *Correspondence with the Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State for Justice*: Written evidence, to be published;

(3) *Correspondence with Rt Hon Lord Keen of Elie QC, Ministry of Justice*: Written evidence, to be published;

(Robert Neill).

32 Northern Ireland Affairs Committee

The land border between Northern Ireland and Ireland: Follow-up: Oral evidence, to be published (HC 1684) (Dr Andrew Murrison).

33 Petitions Committee

- (1) Record of the Committee's decisions relating to e-petitions, to be published;
 - (2) List of closed e-petitions presented to the House, to be published;
 - (3) *Online abuse and the experience of disabled people*: Written evidence, to be published (HC 759)
- (Helen Jones).

34 Science and Technology Committee

- (1) *Impact of social media and screen-use on young people's health*: Oral and written evidence, to be published (HC 822);
 - (2) *Balance and effectiveness of research and innovation spending*: Written evidence, to be published (HC 1453);
 - (3) *Correspondence with the Chancellor of the Exchequer relating to the Small Business Research Initiative*: Written evidence, to be published;
 - (4) *Correspondence with the Leader of the House relating to the Forensic Science Regulator Bill*: Written evidence, to be published;
 - (5) *Quantum technologies*: Written evidence, to be published (HC 820);
 - (6) *Research integrity*: Written evidence, to be published (HC 350)
- (Norman Lamb).

35 Scottish Affairs Committee

- (1) *The future of the oil and gas industry*: Oral and written evidence, to be published (HC 996);
 - (2) *BBC Scotland*: Written evidence, to be published (HC 1691);
 - (3) *Digital connectivity in Scotland*: Written evidence, to be published (HC 1539)
- (Pete Wishart).

36 Treasury Committee

- (1) *The work of the Banking Standards Board*: Oral evidence, to be published (HC 1715);
 - (2) *Budget 2018*: Written evidence, to be published (HC 1606);
 - (3) *Correspondence with the Chancellor of the Exchequer relating to the Small Business Research Initiative (SBRI)*: Written evidence, to be published;
 - (4) *Correspondence with the Chancellor of the Exchequer relating to pension costs*: Written evidence, to be published;
 - (5) *Correspondence with the Chief Secretary to the Treasury relating to Public Service Pension Scheme valuations*: Written evidence, to be published;
 - (6) *Correspondence with the Economic Secretary to the Treasury relating to trapped borrowers and UK asset regulation*: Written evidence, to be published;
 - (7) *Work of the Chancellor of the Exchequer*: Written evidence, to be published (HC 424)
- (Nicky Morgan).

John Bercow
Speaker

Westminster Hall

The sitting began at 9.30 am.

Business appointed by the Chairman of Ways and Means (Standing Order No. 10(6))

1 Extreme weather events related to climate change

Resolved, That this House has considered extreme weather events related to climate change.—(Darren Jones.)

2 Superfast broadband delivery in Somerset

Resolved, That this House has considered superfast broadband delivery in Somerset.—(James Heapey.)

The sitting was suspended between 11.29 am and 2.30 pm (Standing Order No. 10(1)(b)).

3 Task and Finish Group report on taxi and private hire licensing

Resolved, That this House has considered the Task and Finish Group report on taxi and private hire licensing.—(Daniel Zeichner.)

4 Parental leave for parents of premature babies

Resolved, That this House has considered parental leave for parents of premature babies.—(Mr Steve Reed.)

The sitting was suspended between 4.15 pm and 4.30 pm.

5 Importance of local sporting heroes

Resolved, That this House has considered the importance of local sporting heroes.—(Nick Smith.)

Sitting adjourned without Question put (Standing Order No. 10(14)).

Adjourned at 5.25 pm until tomorrow.

Lindsay Hoyle

Chairman of Ways and Means

Papers Laid

Papers subject to Affirmative Resolution

1 Exiting the European Union (Financial Services)

(1) draft Social Entrepreneurship Funds (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 (by Act), with an Explanatory Memorandum (by Act) (John Glen)

(2) draft Venture Capital Funds (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018 (by Act), with an Explanatory Memorandum (by Act) (John Glen)

Papers laid under paragraphs 3(3) and 17(3) of Schedule 7 to the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018

2 Exiting the European Union (Animal Health)

(1) Proposal for an instrument titled Aquatic Animal Health and Alien Species in Aquaculture (Amendment) (England and Wales) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018, with an Explanatory Memorandum (by Act) (Secretary Michael Gove)

(2) Proposal for an instrument titled Aquatic Animal Health and Alien Species in Aquaculture (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018, with an Explanatory Memorandum (by Act) (Secretary Michael Gove)

3 Exiting the European Union (Animals)

Proposal for an instrument titled Animal Welfare (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2018, with an Explanatory Memorandum (by Act) (Secretary Michael Gove)

Other papers

4 Children and Young Persons

Explanatory Memorandum to the Childcare (Miscellaneous Amendments) (EU Exit) (England) Regulations 2018 (S.I., 2018, No. 1116) (laid 1 November) (by Command) (Nadhim Zahawi)

5 European Union (Withdrawal)

Report on the European Union (Withdrawal) Act and Common Frameworks for the period 26 June to 25 September 2018 (by Act) (Mr David Lidington)

6 Transport

High Speed 2 (HS2) Property Price Support Scheme Technical Consultation Response (by Command) (Cm. 9721) (Secretary Chris Grayling)

Withdrawn papers

7 Children and Young Persons

Explanatory Memorandum to the Childcare (Miscellaneous Amendments) (EU Exit) (England) Regulations 2018 (S.I., 2018, No. 1116) (laid 1 November)

CORRECTION

Monday 12 November 2018

Item 44 (Transport Committee) should have read:

- (1) *Health of the bus market*: Oral and written evidence, to be published (HC 1425);
- (2) *Active travel*: Written evidence, to be published (HC 1487);
- (3) *Freight and Brexit*: Written evidence, to be published (HC 1000);
- (4) *Rail timetable changes*: Written evidence, to be published (HC 1163)
(Lilian Greenwood).