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The next Bulletin will be published on Saturday 20 March 2010

Budget:

The Budget statement will take place on 24 March 2010

By-elections:

Following the resignation of the Member for Strangford, Iris Robinson, on 13 January 2010, there will be a by-election. Details to be announced.

Following the death of the Member for North West Leicestershire, Mr David Taylor, on 26 December 2009, there will be a by-election. Details to be announced.

Private Members' Bills:

The Private Members Bill Ballot took place at 10am on Thursday 26 November 2009

The Private Members Ballot Bills were presented to the House on Wednesday 16 December 2009

The Leader of the House has announced that the following Fridays are allocated for the consideration of Private Members' Bills during the 2009/10 session:

2010: 29 January; 5 and 26 February; 5 and 12 March; 23 and 30 April and 7 May.

House of Commons calendar for the 2009/2010 session:

The Leader of the House announced the following recess dates for the 2009/2010 session:

Christmas recess 2009

The House rose on Wednesday 16 December 2009 and returned on Tuesday 5 January 2010

Spring half term recess 2010

The House rose on Wednesday 10 February 2010 and returned on Monday 22 February 2010

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The Week Ahead: 15 – 19 March 2010

Date	Commons Chamber	General Committees	Select Committees	Lords Chamber	Lords Select Committees
<p>Mon 15 Mar</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> OPQ – Work and Pensions, including Topical Questions Debate – Defence in the world Adj – Stroke services in North Yorkshire 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1st DLC – Draft Representation of the People...NI Order 2010, the Draft European Parliamentary Elections ...NI Regulations 2010 and the Draft Electoral Law Act ...NI Order 2010 2nd DLC – Draft Safeguarding Vulnerable Groups Act 2006 ... Order 2010, the Draft Safeguarding Vulnerable Groups Act 2006 ... Regulations 2010 and the Draft Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 ... Order 2010 3rd DLC – Draft Commons Councils ... Regulations 2010 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Communities and Local Government Public Accounts 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Oral Questions Legislation – Financial Services Bill – Committee of the whole House (Day 2) Legislation – Digital Economy Bill [HL] - Third reading 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> None
<p>Tues 16 Mar</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> OPQ – Treasury, including Topical Questions Ten Minute Rule – Illegally Logged Timber (Prohibition of Retail, Wholesale and Distribution) Debate – Opposition Day (6th allotted day) – i) The Government's Handling of Equitable Life; ii) Access to Higher Education Adj – Pot holes and road maintenance 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PBC – Bribery Bill [HL] PBC – Third Parties (Rights Against Insurers) Bill [HL] 4th DLC – Draft Concessionary Bus Travel Act 2007 ... Order 2010 5th DLC – Draft Community Infrastructure Levy Regulations 2010 6th DLC – Draft Criminal Procedure and Investigations Act 1996 ... Order 2010 7th DLC – Draft National Assembly for Wales ... Order 2010 8th DLC – Draft Environmental Civil Sanctions (England) Order 2010 and ... Regulations 2010 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Business, Innovation and Skills Treasury Home affairs Public Accounts Commission 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Oral Questions Legislation – Rehabilitation of Offenders (Amendment) Bill [HL] – Third reading Debate – Privileges Committee Report on the Guide to the Code of Conduct; House Committee Report on the Rules Governing the Use of Facilities Debate – Procedure Committee Second and Third Reports 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Economic Affairs
<p>Weds 17 Mar</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> OPQ – Wales; Prime Minister Ten Minute Rule – Organ and Tissue Donation (Mandated Choice) Legislation – Cluster Munitions (Prohibitions) Bill [HL] – Second reading Adj – Use of personal oxygen on public transport 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9th DLC – Draft Criminal Defence ... Regulations 2010 and the Draft Criminal Defence Service ... Regulations 2010 10th DLC – Draft Additional Paternity Leave ... Regulations 2010, the Draft Additional Statutory Paternity Pay ... Regulations 2010, and the Draft Employment Rights Act ... Regulations 2010 11th DLC – Draft Child Benefit Up-rating Order, the Draft Guardian's Allowance Up-rating NI Order, the Draft Guardian's Allowance Up-rating Order and the Draft Tax Credits Up-rating Regulations 2010 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Culture, Media and Sport Environment, Food and Rural Affairs Transport Public Accounts 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Oral Questions Legislation – Consolidated Fund Bill – all stages Legislation – Personal Care at Home Bill – Report stage Legislation – Child Poverty Bill – Third reading Legislation – Taxation (International and Other Provisions) Bill - Third reading 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> EU Sub-Committee F
<p>Thurs 18 Mar</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> OPQ – Transport, including Topical Questions; Women and Equality Business Statement Debate – The Intelligence and Security Committee (Annual Report) Adj – Variant Creutzfeldt-Jakob disease 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PBC – Bribery Bill [HL] 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> None 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Oral Questions Debate – The British Humanist Association's reports Quality and Equality; Human Rights, Public Services and Religious Organisations and The Case for Secularism: A Neutral State in an Open Society Debate – Culture as a front-line service 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> None
<p>Fri 19 Mar</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The House will not be sitting 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> None 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> None 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The House will not be sitting 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> None

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

Monday 22 February – Thursday 1 April 2010

Mon. 22 February	Tues. 23 February	Wed. 24 February	Thu. 25 February
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Defence 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Scotland* • Prime Minister 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Energy and Climate Change
Mon. 1 March	Tues. 2 March	Wed. 3 March	Thu. 4 March
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Culture, Media and Sport • Olympics 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Foreign and Commonwealth Office 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • International Development • Prime Minister 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Business, Innovation and Skills
Mon.8 March	Tues. 9 March	Wed. 10 March	Thu. 11 March
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children, Schools and Families 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Communities and Local Government 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cabinet Office • Prime Minister 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Church Commissioners • Public Accounts Commission • Speaker’s Committee on the Electoral Commission • Solicitor General* • Leader of the House of Commons and House of Commons Commission*
Mon. 15 March	Tues. 16 March	Wed. 17 March	Thu. 18 March
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Work and Pensions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Treasury 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wales* • Prime Minister 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Transport • Women and Equality
Mon. 22 March	Tues. 23 March	Wed. 24 March	Thu. 25 March
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Home Office 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Justice* 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Northern Ireland • Prime Minister 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Environment, Food and Rural Affairs
Mon. 29 March	Tues. 30 March	Wed. 31 March	Thu. 1 April
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Defence 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Scotland* • Prime Minister 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Energy and Climate Change

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The Secretary of State for Wales also answers on his responsibilities as Minister for Digital Inclusion

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

Tuesday 6 April – Thursday 6 May 2010

	Tues. 6 April	Wed. 7 April	Thu. 8 April
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Foreign and Commonwealth Office 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> International Development Prime Minister 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Business, Innovation and Skills
Mon. 12 April	Tues. 13 April	Wed. 14 April	Thu. 15 April
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Culture, Media and Sport Olympics 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Communities and Local Government 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cabinet Office Prime Minister 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Church Commissioners Public Accounts Commission Speaker's Committee on the Electoral Commission Solicitor General* Leader of the House of Commons and House of Commons Commission*
Mon. 19 April	Tues 20 April	Wed. 21 April	Thu. 22 April
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Children, Schools and Families 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Treasury 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wales Prime Minister 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Transport Women and Equality
Mon. 26 April	Tues. 27 April	Wed. 28 April	Thu. 29 April
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Work and Pensions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Justice* 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Northern Ireland Prime Minister 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Environment, Food and Rural Affairs
	Tues. 4 May	Wed. 5 May	Thu. 6 May
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Health 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Scotland* Prime Minister 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Energy and Climate Change

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**Business of the House of Commons
5 – 12 March 2010**

Friday 5 March

The House sat at 9.30am

Private members Bills:

Legislation – Grocery Market Ombudsman Bill – Albert Owen (2R) (Bill read a Second time)

Legislation – Care Homes and Sheltered accommodation (Domestic Pets) Bill – Mr Nigel Waterson (2R)
(Bill read a Second time)

Legislation – Marine Accident Investigation Branch (Reports) Bill – David Cairns (2R)
(Deb adj; Order for 2R: to be confirmed)

Legislation – Sheltered Accommodation (Residents) Bill – Mr Andrew Dismore (2R) (Order for 2R: 12.3.2010)

Legislation – Human Rights Act 1998 (Meaning of Public Authority) Bill – Mr Andrew Dismore (2R)
(Order for 2R: 12.3.2010)

Legislation – Compensation Act 2006 (Amendment) Bill – Jeremy Wright (2R) (Order for 2R: 12.3.2010)

Legislation – Department for Work and Pensions (Electronic File Retention) Bill – Harry Cohen (2R)
(Order for 2R: 7.5.2010)

Legislation – Lisbon Treaty (Referendum) Bill – Mr Nigel Dodds (2R) (Deb adj: 26.2.2010; Bill Dropped)

Legislation – Land Use (Gardens Protection Etc.) Bill – Mr Andrew Dismore (2R) (Order for 2R: 12.3.2010)

Legislation – British Museum Act 1963 (Amendment) Bill – Mr Andrew Dismore (2R) (Order for 2R: 12.3.2010)

Legislation – Video Recordings (Exemption from Classification) Bill – Mr Andrew Dismore (2R)
(Order for 2R: 12.3.2010)

Legislation – Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (Amendment) Bill – Simon Hughes (Deb adj: 29.1.2010)
(Order for resumed 2R: 30.4.2010)

Legislation – Development on Flood Plains (Environment Agency Powers) Bill – Bob Spink (2R)
(Order for 2R: 12.3.2010)

Legislation – Employers' Liability Insurance Bureau Bill – Mr Andrew Dismore (2R) (Order for 2R: 12.3.2010)

Legislation – Contaminated Blood (Support for Infected and Bereaved Persons) Bill [HL] (L) – Mr Edward O'Hara (2R)
(Order for 2R: 12.3.2010)

Legislation – Prosecution of Offences Act 1985 (Amendment) Bill – Mr Andrew Dismore (2R) (Order for 2R: 12.3.2010)

Adjournment – Inquest into the death of Dr David Kelly – Norman Baker

The House rose at pm

Monday 8 March

The House sat at 2.30pm

Oral Questions – Children, Schools and Families, including Topical Questions

Urgent Question – Jon Venables

Legislation – Crime and Security Bill – Remaining stages (Bill considered and read the Third time)

Adjournment – Road gritting – Rosie Cooper

The House rose at 10.11pm

Tuesday 9 March

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

Westminster Hall Private Members' Debates –

09.30-11.00 Government policy on motoring – Mr Nigel Evans
11.00-12.30 Raising of the pension age – Harry Cohen
12.30-13.00 Tankers anchored in Lyme Bay – Mr Oliver Letwin
13.00-13.30 Employment at the London 2012 Olympics site – Ms Diane Abbott
13.30-14.00 Passenger safety on railway platforms – Mr Iain Duncan Smith

The House sat at 2.30pm

Oral Questions – Communities and Local Government, including Topical Questions

Ten Minute Rule Motion – Hydrofluorocarbons Limitation – Clive Efford (Bill presented and read the First time)

Debate – Opposition Day (5th allotted) – (i) Healthcare in London (Motion, as amended, agreed); (ii) Local Government (Devon, Norfolk and Suffolk) (Motion, as amended, agreed)

Adjournment – Petrol filling stations – Mr Philip Dunne

The House rose at 10.59pm

Wednesday 10 March

The House sat in Westminster Hall between 9.30-5.00pm

Westminster Hall Private Members' Debates –

09.30-11.00 British Indian Ocean Territories – Jeremy Corbyn
11.00-11.30 Royal Bank of Scotland lending to small businesses – Mr Jim Hood
14.30-16.00 Rail services on the Kent Coast Line – Mr Roger Gale
16.00-16.30 Repatriation of historical objects – Mr Angus MacNeil
16.30-17.00 Tax on international financial transactions – Mr Graham Allen

The House sat at 11.30am

Oral Questions – Cabinet Office; Prime Minister

Presentation of Bill – Representation of the people (Undue Influence) – Mr William Cash (Bill presented and read the First time)

Ten Minute Rule Motion – Remembrance Sunday (Closure of Shops) – Sir Patrick Cormack (Bill presented and read the First time)

Debate – Estimates (2nd allotted day) – (i) alcohol (agreed); (ii) taxes and charges on road users (Agreed)

Presentation of Bill – Consolidated Fund (Appropriation) – Mr Stephen Timms (Bill presented and read the First time)

Adjournment – Law on assisted suicide – Ms Patricia Hewitt

The House rose at 7.34 pm

Thursday 11 March

The House sat in Westminster Hall between 2.30pm and 5.00pm

Westminster Hall – Debate on Assistance to Communities from the Third Sector and Government (The 13th Report of the Communities and Local Government Committee, Session 21008-09, The Supporting People Programme, HC 649 and the Government response, Cm 7790, are relevant)

The House sat at 10.30am

Oral Questions – Church Commissioners; Public Accounts Commission; Speaker's Committee on the Electoral Commission; Solicitor General; Leader of the House of Commons and House of Commons Commission

Business Statement – Leader of the House

Statement – High Speed Rail – Mr Sadiq Khan

Topical Debate – International Women’s Day – women’s representation

Legislation – Consolidated Fund (Appropriation) Bill – proceedings (Bill read a Second and Third time)

Legislation – Northern Ireland Assembly Members [HL] Bill – Second reading (Bill read a Second time)

Legislation – Northern Ireland Assembly Members [HL] Bill – Programme Motion (agreed)

Adjournment – Sustainable communities – Adam Afriyie

The House rose at 4.44 pm

Friday 12 March

The House sat at 9.30am

Private members Bills:

Legislation – Marriage (Wales) Bill [HL] (L) – Alun Michael (Report stage)

Legislation – Sunbeds Regulation Bill – Julie Morgan (Report stage)

Legislation – Co-operative and Community Benefit Societies and Credit Unions Bill [HL] (L) – Malcolm Wicks (Report stage)

Legislation – Local Authorities (Overview and Scrutiny) Bill – Mr David Chaytor (Report stage)

Legislation – Sustainable Communities Act 2007 (Amendment) Bill – Alistair Burt (Report stage)

Legislation – Debt Relief (Developing Countries) Bill – Andrew Gwynne (Report stage)

Legislation – National Health Service Public Interest Disclosure Support Bill – Dr Richard Taylor (2R)

Legislation – Local Government (Infrastructure Requirement Plans) Bill – Mr Mark Hoban (2R)

Legislation – Illegally Logged Timber (Prohibition of Sale) Bill – Mr Andrew Dismore (2R)

Legislation – School Admissions Bill – Mr Paul Burstow (2R)

Legislation – Young People Leaving Care (Accommodation) Bill – Helen Southworth (2R)

Legislation – Climate Change (Sectoral Targets) Bill – Mr Martin Caton (2R)

Legislation – Live Music Bill [HL] (L) – Mr Don Foster (2R)

Legislation – European Union Membership (Referendum) Bill – Mr Douglas Carswell (2R)

Legislation – Major Capital Contracts (Skills Training Requirements) Bill – John Mann (2R)

Legislation – Compensation Act 2006 (Amendment) Bill – Jeremy Wright (2R)

Legislation – Development on Flood Plains (Environment Agency Powers) Bill – Bob Spink (2R)

Legislation – Contaminated Blood (Support for Infected and Bereaved Persons) Bill [HL] – Edward O’Hara (2R)

Legislation – Remembrance Sunday (Closure of Shops) Bill – Sir Patrick Cormack (2R)

Adjournment – Classifications within the Dangerous Dogs Act 1991 – Lynda Waltho

The Weekly Information Bulletin went to press before the House rose

**Written Ministerial Statements
5 – 12 March 2010**

- 5.3.10 Pupils with Severe, Profound and Multiple Learning Difficulties (Teachers) – Ed Balls
- 5.3.10 Gurkha Pension Scheme (Annual Uplift) – Mr. Kevan Jones
- 5.3.10 Basildon and Thurrock University NHS Foundation Trust – Andy Burnham
- 5.3.10 Justice and Home Affairs Post-Council Statement – Meg Hillier
- 5.3.10 Police Use of Firearms in England and Wales (2008-09) – Mr. David Hanson
- 5.3.10 New Education Strategy – Mr. Douglas Alexander
- 5.3.10 Employment, Social Policy, Health and Consumer Affairs Council – Angela Eagle
- 8.3.10 Terrorist Asset-Freezing – Sarah McCarthy-Fry
- 8.3.10 Jobs First – Phil Hope
- 8.3.10 NHS Constitution – Andy Burnham
- 8.3.10 Airport Public Safety Zones – Paul Clark
- 8.3.10 Eco-driving Training – Paul Clark
- 9.3.10 Planning – John Healey
- 9.3.10 Television Licence Fees – Mr Ben Bradshaw
- 9.3.10 Skynet 5D – Mr Quentin Davies
- 9.3.10 Dangerous Dogs – Hilary Benn
- 9.3.10 HMT Contingency Fund – David Miliband
- 9.3.10 Bilingual Juries (Wales) – Mr Jack Straw
- 9.3.10 EU Transport Council – Mr Sadiq Khan
- 9.3.10 Bus Passenger Services – Mr Sadiq Khan
- 10.3.10 EU Competitiveness Council – Ian Lucas
- 10.3.10 Budget Statement – Mr Alistair Darling
- 10.3.10 Armed Forces Pay Review Body (2010 Report) – Mr Bob Ainsworth
- 10.3.10 Service Complaints Commissioner's Second Annual Report – Mr Bob Ainsworth
- 10.3.10 Meat Hygiene Service – Gillian Merron
- 10.3.10 Doctors' and Dentists' Remuneration (Review Body Report) – Andy Burnham
- 10.3.10 Prison Service Pay Review Body (Ninth Report) – Marie Eagle
- 10.3.10 Prison Service Pay Review Body (Northern Ireland) – Paul Goggins
- 10.3.10 Review Body on Senior Salaries (32nd Report) – Mr Gordon Brown
- 10.3.10 Marine Aids and Light Dues – Paul Clark
- 10.3.10 Government's response to the Speaker's Conference – Maria Eagle

- 11.3.10 Double Taxation Agreement (Bahrain) – Mr Stephen Timms
- 11.3.10 Common Assessment Framework – Dawn Primarolo
- 11.3.10 Secondary School Applications and Offers 2010 (Statistics) – Ed Balls
- 11.3.10 Afghanistan Troops – Mr Bob Ainsworth
- 11.3.10 Agriculture and Fisheries Council (22 February) – Hilary Benn
- 11.3.10 Violence Against Women and Children (Taskforce) – Ann Keen
- 11.3.10 Police Report Card – Mr David Hanson
- 11.3.10 Police Collaboration (Legislation and Statutory Guidance) – Mr David Hanson
- 11.3.10 UK Supreme Court (Final Set-Up Costs) – Mr Jack Straw
- 11.3.10 Sentencing Guidelines Council (Annual Report) – Mr Jack Straw
- 11.3.10 Coroner System Reform (Consultation) – Bridget Prentice
- 11.3.10 Prison Transfers Prior to HMCIP Inspections – Mr Jack Straw
- 11.3.10 Intelligence and Security Committee Annual Report 2008-2009 – Mr Gordon Brown

**Forthcoming Business of the House of Commons
15 – 19 March 2010**

Monday 15 March

The House will sit at 2.30pm

Oral Questions – Work and Pensions, including Topical Questions

Debate – Defence in the world

Adjournment – Stroke services in North Yorkshire – Mr Phil Willis

Tuesday 16 March

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

Westminster Hall Private Members' Debates –

09.30-11.00	Dementia strategy – Mr Paul Burstow
11.00-12.30	Defence industry in Lancashire – Mr David S Borrow
12.30-13.00	NHS health facilities in Wellingborough – Mr Peter Bone
13.00-13.30	Online child and adult protection – John Robertson
13.30-14.00	Educational standards in the City of Westminster – Mr Mark Field

The House will sit at 2.30pm

Oral Questions – Treasury, including Topical Questions

Ten Minute Rule Motion – Illegally Logged Timber (Prohibition of Retail, Wholesale and Distribution) – Gregory Barker

Debate – Opposition Day (6th allotted day) – i) The Government's Handling of Equitable Life; ii) Access to Higher Education

Adjournment – Pot holes and road maintenance – Anne Main

Wednesday 17 March

The House will sit in Westminster Hall between 9.30-5.00pm

Westminster Hall Private Members' Debates –

09.30-11.00	Visa rights for migrant domestic workers – Martin Salter
11.00-11.30	Port business rates – Mr Ian Cawsey
14.30-16.00	Future of London hospitals – Lynne Featherstone
16.00-16.30	Operation of the Rural Payments Agency – Mr Ian Liddell-Grainger
16.30-17.00	Private rented sector in Durham – Dr Roberta Blackman-Woods

The House will sit at 11.30am

Oral Questions – Wales; Prime Minister

Ten Minute Rule Motion – Organ and Tissue Donation (Mandated Choice) – Mr David S Borrow

Legislation – Cluster Munitions (Prohibitions) Bill [HL] – Second reading

Adjournment – Use of personal oxygen on public transport – Nick Ainger

Thursday 18 March

The House will sit in Westminster Hall between 2.30pm and 5.00pm

Westminster Hall – Debate on the 6th Report from the Health Committee, Session 2008-09, on Patient Safety, HC 151, and the Government response, Cm 7709

The House will sit at 10.30am

Oral Questions – Transport, including Topical Questions; Women and Equality

Business Statement – Leader of the House

Debate – The Intelligence and Security Committee (Annual Report)

Adjournment – Variant Creutzfeldt-Jakob disease – Sir Paul Beresford

Friday 19 March

The House will not be sitting

**Provisional Forthcoming Business of the House of Commons
22 – 22 March 2010**

Monday 22 March

The House will sit at 2.30pm

Oral Questions – Home Office, including Topical Questions;

Motion – to approve three Statutory Instruments relating to Northern Ireland Devolution

Legislation – Child Poverty Bill – consideration of Lords amendments

Adjournment – Swindon Borough Council Wi-Fi project – Anne Snelgrove

Tuesday 23 March

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

Westminster Hall Private Members' Debates – **

The House will sit at 2.30pm

Oral Questions – Justice, including Topical Questions

Ten Minute Rule Motion – Fire Safety (Schools) – Mr Jim Cunningham

Legislation – Cluster Munitions (Prohibitions) Bill [HL] – remaining stages

Adjournment – *

Wednesday 24 March

The House will sit in Westminster Hall between 9.30-5.00pm

Westminster Hall Private Members' Debates – **

The House will sit at 11.30am

Oral Questions – Northern Ireland; Prime Minister

Financial Statement – Budget Report – Chancellor of the Exchequer

Debate – Budget debate

Adjournment – *

Thursday 25 March

The House will sit in Westminster Hall between 2.30pm and 5.00pm

Westminster Hall – **

The House will sit at 10.30am

Oral Questions – Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, including Topical Questions

Business Statement – Leader of the House

Debate – continuation of the Budget debate

Adjournment – *

Friday 26 March

The House will not be sitting

* Details known previous Thursday after 1.00pm; ** There are no Westminster Hall Debates scheduled

**Forthcoming Business of the House of Lords
15 – 19 March 2010**

Monday 15 March

The House will sit at 2:30pm

Oral Questions – Provision of financial assistance to another member state of the EU – Lord Pearson of Rannoch; Tackling domestic violence – Lord Morris of Handsworth; The home credit market – Bishop of Ripon and Leeds; Support payments to asylum seekers – Lord Avebury

Legislation – Financial Services Bill – Committee of the whole House (Day 2) – Lord Myners

Legislation – Digital Economy Bill [HL] – Third reading – Lord Mandelson/Lord Davies of Oldham

The House will sit in Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 3:30pm

Orders and Regulations – Draft Concessionary Bus Travel Act 2007 (Variation of Reimbursement and Other Administrative Arrangements) Order 2010 – Lord Faulkner of Worcester; Draft Renewables Obligation (Amendment) Order 2010 – Lord Faulkner of Worcester; Draft Apprenticeships, Skills, Children and Learning Act 2009 (Consequential Amendments) (England and Wales) Order 2010; Draft Local Education Authorities and Children’s Services Authorities (Integration of Functions) Order 2010 – Baroness Morgan of Drefelin; Draft Representation of the People (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations 2010 – Lord Davidson of Glen Clova; Draft Criminal Defence Service (Information Requests) (Amendment) Regulations 2010; Draft Criminal Defence Service (Representation Orders: Appeals etc.) (Amendment) Regulations 2010 – Lord Bach

Tuesday 16 March

The House will sit at 2:30pm

Oral Questions – Allowing Members of the House of Lords to vote in general elections – Viscount Tenby; Safeguarding services for university students – Lord Ashley of Stoke; UK energy capacity and the European Union Large Combustion Plant Directive – Lord Willoughby de Broke

Legislation – Rehabilitation of Offenders (Amendment) Bill [HL] – Third reading – Lord Dholakia

Debate – Privileges Committee Report on the Guide to the Code of Conduct; House Committee Report on the Rules Governing the Use of Facilities – Motion to Agree – Lord Brabazon of Tara

Debate – Procedure Committee Second and Third Reports – Motion to Agree – Lord Brabazon of Tara

Wednesday 17 March

The House will sit at 3:00pm

Oral Questions – Supply of prescription drugs – Lord Patel; The Government’s dementia strategy – Baroness Greengross; Security of tenure on local authority Gypsy and Traveller sites – Baroness Whitaker

Legislation – Taxation (International and Other Provisions) Bill – Third reading – Lord Myners

Legislation – Consolidated Fund (Appropriation) Bill – Second reading – Lord Myners

Legislation – Personal Care at Home Bill – Report stage – Baroness Thornton

Legislation – Child Poverty Bill – Third reading – Lord McKenzie of Luton

Orders and Regulations – Social Security (Housing Costs Special Arrangements) (Amendment) Regulations 2009 – Motion to regret – Lord McKenzie of Luton / Lord Freud

The House will sit in Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 3:45pm

Legislation – Flood and Water Management Bill – Committee stage – Lord Davies of Oldham

Thursday 18 March

The House will sit at 11:00am

Oral Questions – Combating childhood stroke – Baroness Rendell of Babergh; Compulsory purchase of the site at 10 Hayne Street, adjacent to Charterhouse Square, London – Lord James of Blackheath; Tuberculosis in the UK – Baroness Sharples

Oral Questions to the Secretary of State for Transport – Lord Adonis

Debate – The British Humanist Association’s reports Quality and Equality: Human Rights, Public Services and Religious Organisations and The Case for Secularism: A Neutral State in an Open Society – Lord Harrison

Debate – Culture as a front-line service – Bishop of Liverpool

The House will sit in Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 2:00pm

Orders and Regulations – Draft Al-Qaida and Taliban (Asset-Freezing) Regulations 2010 – Lord Myners; Criminal Procedure and Investigations Act 1996 (Code of Practice for Interviews of Witnesses Notified by Accused) Order 2010 – Lord Bach; Draft Damages-Based Agreements Regulations 2010; Draft Conditional Fee Agreements (Amendment) Order 2010 – Lord Bach; Draft Human Fertilisation and Embryology (Parental Orders) Regulations 2010; Draft Human Fertilisation and Embryology (Parental Orders) (Consequential, Transitional and Saving Provisions) Order 2010; Draft Human Fertilisation and Embryology (Disclosure of Information for Research Purposes) Regulations 2010 – Minister tbc.; Draft Environmental Civil Sanctions (England) Order 2010 – Lord Tunnicliffe; Draft Environmental Civil Sanctions (Miscellaneous Amendments) (England) Regulations 2010 – Lord Tunnicliffe

Friday 19 March

The House will not be sitting.

Provisional Forthcoming Business of the House of Lords 22 – 26 March 2010

Monday 22 March

The House will sit at 2:30pm

Introduction(s) – Anthony Hall CBE and Professor Ajay Kakkar

Oral Questions – Attacks and discrimination against religious minorities in Egypt – Baroness Cox; Allegations made in the Haddon-Cave report on the Nimrod XV230 crash – Lord Ramsbotham; Tax and personal residence – Lord Barnett; Staging a special horse race to mark the Diamond Jubilee in 2012 – Baroness Trumpington

Legislation – Building Regulations (Amendment) Bill [HL] – Report stage – Lord Harrison

Legislation – Powers of Entry etc. Bill [HL] – Report stage – Lord Selsdon

Legislation – Anti-Slavery Day Bill – Committee of the whole House – Baroness Butler-Sloss

Orders and Regulations – Draft Norwich and Norfolk (Structural Changes) Order 2010 – Motion to regret – Lord McKenzie of Luton / Baroness Butler-Sloss

Orders and Regulations – Draft Exeter and Devon (Structural Changes) Order 2010 – Motion to regret – Lord McKenzie of Luton / Baroness Butler-Sloss

Tuesday 23 March

The House will sit at

Oral Questions – Reform of the procedures of the House of Lords – Lord Campbell-Savours; Availability of ball-bearing guns resembling real weapons – Lord Harrison; The Decent Homes programme – Baroness Fookes

Legislation – Equality Bill – Third reading – Baroness Royall of Blaisdon

Legislation – Energy Bill – Second reading – Lord Hunt of Kings Heath

Orders and Regulations – Statutory Instruments on devolution of Policing and Justice in Northern Ireland

The House will sit in Grand Committee in the Moses Room at

Legislation – Rehabilitation of Offenders (Amendment) Bill [HL] – Third reading – Lord Dholakia

Wednesday 24 March

The House will sit at 3:00pm

Oral Questions – Pre-legislative scrutiny of the draft Terrorist Asset-Freezing Bill – Lord Pannick; Providing free Ordnance Survey data – Earl of Selborne; Combating drug-resistant tuberculosis – Baroness Masham of Ilton;

Legislation – Personal Care at Home Bill – Third reading – Baroness Thornton

Legislation – Constitutional Reform and Governance Bill – Second reading – Lord Bach

The House will sit in Grand Committee in the Moses Room at 3:45pm

Legislation – Flood and Water Management Bill – Committee stage (Day 2) – Lord Davies of Oldham

Thursday 25 March

The House will sit at 11:00am

Oral Questions – Aircraft carriers HMS Queen Elizabeth II and HMS Prince of Wales – Lord Lee of Trafford; Teenage pregnancies – Baroness Walmsley; Overseas based persons making donations to UK political parties via personal or corporate channels – Lord Dykes

Oral Questions to the Secretary of State for Business, Innovation and Skills – Lord Mandelson

Debate – The UK economy – Lord MacGregor of Pulham Market

Friday 26 March

The House will not be sitting.

Legislation – General Notes

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

G	Government Bills
C	Consolidation Bills
B	Private Members' Bills (under the ballot procedure). The number after refers to position in ballot
P	Private Members' Bills (under SO No 57)
T	Private Members' Bills (under the Ten Minute Rule, SO No 23)
L	Private Members' Bills starting in the House of Lords
[HL]	Bill starting in the House of Lords
HYBRID	Public Bill which affects private interests of particular persons or corporate bodies as distinct from the private interests of all persons or bodies

Abbreviations:

1R	First reading: date of presentation (formal, no debate)
2R	Second reading (debate on the principle(s) of the Bill)
MR	Money resolution (normally taken after 2R only shown in the list if taken at another time)
GM	Guillotine Motion
SRC	Second Reading Committee (2R taken in Committee: formal 2R in whole House next day unless otherwise stated)
SGC/WGC	Scottish or Welsh Grand Committee consideration of principles (equates with SRC)
PBC	Public Bill Committee in the House of Commons
SPBC	Special Public Bill Committee
Comm	Committee of the Whole House
Comm**	House of Lords Grand Committee, taken in a committee room
JCCB	Joint Committee on Consolidation Bills
JC TLRB	Joint Committee on Tax Law Re-write Bills (the date indicates the date on which the Bill was committed to the Joint Committee).
SC	Standing Committee
SSC/SSSC	Special Standing Committee/Special Scottish Standing Committee on a Bill, where public evidence is taken
CN	Committee negatived. (Indicates that there was no debate at committee stage in the House of Lords)
OCD	Order of Commitment discharged (no debate at committee stage in the House of Lords)
Rep	Report stage (detailed review of the Bill as amended in committee)
3R	Third reading (final debate on the Bill)
RS	Remaining stages of a bill on the same day (usually report stage and third reading)
LA	Lords' amendments considered in the House of Commons
CA	Commons' amendments considered in the House of Lords
RA	Bill formally becomes an Act of Parliament
CH	Chapter number
CO	Carry-over Motion
RC	Re-committal to a Public Bill Committee, or to Committee stage in House of Lords
Prog	Programme Motion
ATM	Allocation of Time Motion
SelCom	Bill referred to a Select Committee
<i>Prov 2R (Rep, 3R)</i>	Provisional date for 2R of a Bill etc. For Private Members' Bills (if set down for a Private Members' Bill Friday) this is followed, by the position of the Bill in the order of business for that day.
Pri	Private sitting (can occur at any stage)
*	Indicates proceedings were formal with no debate
#	Member in charge has named a date for consideration which is not a Private Members' Bill Friday, therefore the Bill will not be debated.
Deb adj	Debate adjourned
Order for 2nd Reading lapsed	Bill has not been printed, therefore does not appear on the order paper on the named day
Dropped	Day for the next reading has not been named or time has run out for the Bill to be considered
Withdrawn	Member in charge has withdrawn the Bill
Stood over	Fewer than 40 Members present at a division, question not decided and business under consideration stood over until next sitting of the House

Complete list of Public Bills before Parliament this Session

The following is a list of Public Bills before Parliament this Session.

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

For an explanation of Parliamentary consideration of Public Bills see HCIO Factsheets L1 and L2 produced by the House of Commons Information Office, available in hardcopy on request or to download from the Parliament website.

AMBULANCE RESPONSE TIMES (LOCAL REPORTING) (T) Mr Edward Timpson
Commons: **(55)** *1R: 26.1.2010 (not printed) *Prov 2R: 23.4.2010 (7)*

ANTI-SLAVERY DAY (B6) Mr Anthony Steen / Baroness Butler-Sloss
Commons: **(20)** *1R: 16.12.2009 2R: 5.2.2010 (2) Comm: 5.2.2010 3R: 5.2.2010
Lords: **(30)** 1R: 8.2.2010 2R: 5.3.2010 *Prov Comm: 22.3.2010*

ARMENIAN GENOCIDE REMEMBRANCE DAY (P) Mr Andrew Dismore
Commons: **(42)** *1R: 6.1.2010 (not printed) *Prov 2R: 30.4.2010 (1)*

BILINGUAL JURIES (WALES) (P) Hywel Williams
Commons: **(76)** *1R: 1.3.2010 (not printed) *Prov 2R: 23.4.2010 (5)*

BRIBERY [HL] (G) Lord Bach / Jack Straw
Lords: **(3, 27)** *1R: 19.11.2009 2R: 9.12.2009 Comm**: 7 & 13.1.2010 Rep: 2.2.2010
3R: 8.2.2010
Commons: **(69)** *1R: 9.2.2010 2R: 3.3.2010 Prog: 3.3.2010 *Prov PBC: 16 & 18.3.2010*

BRITISH MUSEUM ACT 1963 (AMENDMENT) (P) Mr Andrew Dismore
Commons: **(37)** *1R: 6.1.2010 *Prov 2R: 23.4.2010 (10)*

BUILDING REGULATIONS (AMENDMENT) [HL] (L) Lord Harrison
Lords: **(10)** *1R: 19.11.2009 2R: 15.1.2010 Comm: 5.3.2010 *Prov Rep: 22.3.2010*

CARE HOMES AND SHELTERED ACCOMMODATION (DOMESTIC PETS) (B13) Mr Nigel Waterson
Commons: **(27)** *1R: 16.12.2009 2R: 5.3.2010 (2) *Prov PBC: No date*

CHILD POVERTY (G) Stephen Timms / Lord McKenzie of Luton
(introduced in 2008-09 and carried over to 2009-10)
Commons: **(112, 2008-09)** *1R: 11.6.2009 2R: 20.7.2009 *Prog: 20.7.2009
*MR: 20.7.2009 *CO: 20.7.2009 PBC: 20, 22, 27 & 29.10; 3.11.2009
Commons: **(10, 2009-10)** *1R: 19.11.2009 *2R: 19.11.2009 Rep: 9.12.2009 3R: 9.12.2009
Lords: **(21, 34, 46, 2009-10)** *1R: 10.12.2009 2R: 5.1.2010
Comm**: 19, 21, 25 & 27.1; 8.2.2010 Rep: 9.3.2010 *Prov 3R: 17.3.2010*
Commons: (, 2009-10) *Prov LA: 22.3.2010*

CHILDREN, SCHOOLS AND FAMILIES (G) Ed Balls / Baroness Morgan of Drefelin
Commons: **(8, 61)** *1R: 19.11.2009 2R: 11.1.2010 Prog: 11.1.2010 MR: 11.1.2010
PBC: 19, 21, 26 & 28.1; 2 & 4.2.2010 Rep: 23.2.2010 3R: 23.2.2010
Lords: **(36)** *1R: 24.2.2010 2R: 8.3.2010 *Prov Comm: No date*

CHILDREN'S RIGHTS [HL] (L) Baroness Walmsley
Lords: **(8)** *1R: 19.11.2009 *Prov 2R: No date*

CLIMATE CHANGE (SECTORAL TARGETS) (P) Mr Martin Caton
Commons: **(64)** *1R: 9.2.2010 *Prov 2R: 12.3.2010 (13)*

CLUSTER MUNITIONS (PROHIBITIONS) [HL] (G) Baroness Kinnock of Holyhead / Chris Bryant
Lords: **(2)** *1R: 19.11.2009 2R: 8.12.2009 Comm**: 6.1.2010 Rep: 20.1.2010 3R: 8.2.2010
Commons: **(63)** *1R: 8.2.2010 *Prov 2R: 17.3.2010 Prov Comm: 23.3.2010*
Prov 3R: 23.3.2010

COMPENSATION ACT 2006 (AMENDMENT) (T) Jeremy Wright
Commons: **(58)** 1R: 2.2.2010 *Prov 2R: 12.3.2010 (17)*

CONSOLIDATED FUND (G)

Commons: (12) *1R: 10.12.2009 *2R: 14.12.2009 *3R: 14.12.2009 Mr Chancellor of the Exchequer / Lord Myners
Lords: () *1R: 15.12.2009 2R: 16.12.2009 *CN: 16.12.2009 *3R: 16.12.2009
*RA: 16.12.2009 (Ch. 27)

CONSOLIDATED FUND ACT

CONSOLIDATED FUND (APPROPRIATION) (G)

Commons: (74) *1R: 10.3.2010 2R: 11.3.2010 3R: 11.3.2010 Mr Chancellor of the Exchequer
Lords: () *1R: 11.3.2010 *Prov 2R: 17.3.2010 Prov Comm: 17.3.2010*
Prov 3R: 17.3.2010

CONSTITUTIONAL REFORM [HL] (L)

Lords: (13) *1R: 19.11.2009 2R: 5.2.2010 *Prov Comm: No date* Lord Willoughby de Broke

CONSTITUTIONAL REFORM AND GOVERNANCE (G)

(introduced in 2008-09 and carried over to 2009-10) Jack Straw / Lord Bach
Commons: (142, 2008-09) *1R: 20.7.2009 2R: 20.10.2009 Prog: 20.10.2009
MR: 20.10.2009 CO: 20.10.2009 Prog: 3.11.2009 Comm: 3 & 4.11.2009
Commons: (4, 68, 2009-10) *1R: 19.11.2009 *2R: 19.11.2009 Prog: 19 & 26.1.2010
Comm: 19 & 26.1.2010 MR: 1.2.2010 Prog: 1.2; 2.3.2010 Comm: 1 & 9.2.2010
MR: 9.2; 2.3.2010 Rep: 2.3.2010 3R: 2.3.2010
Lords: (40, 2009-10) *1R: 3.3.2010 *Prov 2R: 24.3.2010*

CONSUMER EMISSIONS (CLIMATE CHANGE) [HL] (L)

Lords: (13) *1R: 19.11.2009 2R: 15.1.2010 *Prov Comm: No date* Lord Teverson

CONTAMINATED BLOOD (SUPPORT FOR INFECTED AND BEREAVED PERSONS) [HL] (L)

Lords: (5) *1R: 19.11.2009 2R: 11.12.2009 OCD: 7.1.2010 3R: 21.1.2010 Lord Morris of Manchester / Edward O'Hara
Commons: (54) *1R: 21.1.2010 *Prov 2R: 12.3.2010 (19)*

CO-OPERATIVE AND COMMUNITY BENEFIT SOCIETIES AND CREDIT UNIONS [HL] (L)

Lords: (11) *1R: 19.11.2009 2R: 11.12.2009 OCD: 7.1.2010 3R: 14.1.2010 Lord Tomlinson / Malcolm Wicks
Commons: (50) *1R: 14.1.2010 *2R: 29.1.2010 (5) PBC: 3.3.2010 *Prov Rep: 12.3.2010 (3)*

CORPORATION TAX (G)

Commons: (1) *1R: 19.11.2009 SRC: 15.12.2009 2R: 5.1.2010 Alistair Darling / Lord Davies of Oldham
Comm: 4.2.2010 3R: 4.2.2010 JC TLRB: 11.1.2010
Lords: (53) 1R: 4.2.2010 2R: 2.3.2010 *Rep: 2.3.2010 *3R: 2.3.2010
RA: 3.3.2010 (Ch. 4)

CORPORATION TAX ACT

CRIME AND SECURITY (G)

Commons: (3, 73) *1R: 19.11.2009 2R: 18.1.2010 Prog: 18.1; 9.2.2010 MR: 18.1.2010 Alan Johnson
PBC: 26 & 28.1; 2, 4, 9 & 23.2.2010 Rep: 8.3.2010 3R: 8.3.2010
Lords: (45) *1R: 9.3.2010 *Prov 2R: 29.3.2010*

DAMAGES (ASBESTOS-RELATED CONDITIONS) (NO. 2) (P)

Commons: (34) *1R: 6.1.2010 2R: 5.2.2010 (3) Comm: 5.2.2010 3R: 5.2.2010 Mr Andrew Dismore
Lords: (31) 1R: 8.2.2010 *Prov 2R: No date*

DAMAGES (ASBESTOS-RELATED CONDITIONS) [HL] (L)

Lords: (16) *1R: 19.11.2009 2R: 5.2.2010 Comm: 5.3.2010 *Prov Rep: No date* Baroness Quin

DEBT RELIEF (DEVELOPING COUNTRIES) (B3)

Commons: (17, 83) *1R: 16.12.2009 2R: 26.2.2010 (1) PBC: 9.3.2010 *Prov Rep: 12.3.2010 (6)* Andrew Gwynne

DEPARTMENT FOR WORK AND PENSIONS (ELECTRONIC FILE RETENTION) (P)

Commons: (66) *1R: 10.2.2010 *Prov 2R: 7.5.2010 (1)* Harry Cohen

DESECRATION OF WAR MEMORIALS (T)

Commons: (60) 1R: 3.2.2010 (not printed) *Prov 2R: 30.4.2010 (3)* Mr David Burrowes

DEVELOPMENT ON FLOOD PLAINS (ENVIRONMENT AGENCY POWERS) (B15)

Commons: (29) *1R: 16.12.2009 *Prov 2R: 12.3.2010 (18)* Bob Spink

DIGITAL ECONOMY [HL] (G)					Lord Mandelson
Lords: (1, 32, 44)	*1R: 19.11.2009	2R: 2.12.2009	Comm: 6, 12, 18, 20 & 26.1; 3 & 8.2.2010		
Rep: 1, 3 & 8.3.2010	<i>Prov 3R: 15.3.2010</i>				
DIGITAL HERITAGE (T)					Mr Tom Watson
Commons: (52)	1R: 20.1.2010 (not printed - Order for 2R lapsed)				
EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY INSURANCE BUREAU (P)					Mr Andrew Dismore
Commons: (35)	*1R: 6.1.2010	2R: 5.2.2010 (4) (Deb adj)	<i>Prov 2R: 23.4.2010 (11)</i>		
ENERGY (G)					Edward Miliband
Commons: (7)	*1R: 19.11.2009	2R: 7.12.2009	Prog: 7.12.2009	MR: 7.12.2009	
PBC: 5, 7, 12, 14, 19 & 21.1.2010		Rep: 24.2.2010	3R: 24.2.2010		
Lords: (37)	*1R: 25.2.2010	<i>Prov 2R: 23.3.2010</i>			
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION (FLY-TIPPING REPORTING) (T)					Joan Ryan
Commons: (65)	1R: 9.2.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 30.4.2010 (4)</i>			
EQUALITY (G)					Ms Harriet Harman / Baroness Royall of Blaisdon
(introduced in 2008-09 and carried over to 2009-10)					
Commons: (85, 2008-09)	*1R: 24.4.2009	2R: 11.5.2009	Prog: 11.5.2009		
MR: 11.5.2009	*CO: 11.5.2009	*CO: 13.5.2009	PBC: 2, 9, 11, 16, 18, 23, 25 & 30.6; 2 & 7.7.2009		
Commons: (5, 2009-10)	*1R: 19.11.2009	*2R: 19.11.2009	Rep: 2.12.2009	3R: 2.12.2009	
Lords: (20, 35, 39, 2009-10)	1R: 3.12.2009	2R: 15.12.2009			
Comm: 11, 13, 19, 25 & 27.1; 9.2.2010	Rep: 2.3.2010	<i>Prov 3R: 23.3.2010</i>			
EUROPEAN UNION MEMBERSHIP (REFERENDUM) (B14)					Mr Douglas Carswell
Commons: (28)	*1R: 16.12.2009	<i>Prov 2R: 12.3.2010 (15)</i>			
FINANCIAL SERVICES (G)					Alistair Darling / Lord Myners
Commons: (6)	*1R: 19.11.2009	2R: 30.11.2009	Prog: 30.11.2009	MR: 30.11.2009	
PBC: 8, 10 & 15.12.2009; 5, 7, 12 & 14.1.2010			Rep: 25.1.2010	3R: 25.1.2010	
Lords: (26)	*1R: 26.1.2010	2R: 23.2.2010	Comm: 10.3.2010	<i>Prov Comm: 15.3.2010</i>	
FISCAL RESPONSIBILITY (G)					Mr Alistair Darling / Lord Myners
Commons: (13)	*1R: 9.12.2009	2R: 5.1.2010	Prog: 5.1.2010	Comm: 20.1.2010	3R: 20.1.2010
Lords: (24)	*1R: 21.1.2010	2R: 10.2.2010	CN: 10.2.2010	3R: 10.2.2010	
RA: 10.2.2010 (Ch. 3)					
FISCAL RESPONSIBILITY ACT 2010					
FLOOD AND WATER MANAGEMENT (G)					Hilary Benn / Lord Davies of Oldham
Commons: (9, 53)	*1R: 19.11.2009	2R: 15.12.2009	Prog: 15.12.2009	MR: 15.12.2009	
PBC: 7, 12, 14, 19 & 21.1.2010		Rep: 2.2.2010	3R: 2.2.2010		
Lords: (28)	*1R: 3.2.2010	2R: 24.2.2010	<i>Prov Comm**: 17 & 24.3.2010</i>		
GROCERY MARKET OMBUDSMAN (B4)					Albert Owen
Commons: (18)	*1R: 16.12.2009	2R: 5.3.2010 (1)	<i>Prov PBC: No date</i>		
HEALTH AND SAFETY (COMPANY DIRECTOR LIABILITY) (T)					Mr Frank Doran
Commons: (51)	*1R: 19.1.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 23.4.2010 (4)</i>			
HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE (INDEPENDENT LIVING) [HL] (L)					Lord Ashley of Stoke
Lords: (19)	*1R: 23.11.2009	<i>Prov 2R: No date</i>			
HUMAN RIGHTS ACT 1998 (MEANING OF PUBLIC AUTHORITY) (P)					Mr Andrew Dismore
Commons: (39)	*1R: 6.1.2010	<i>Prov 2R: 23.4.2010 (12)</i>			
HYDROFLUOROCARBONS LIMITATION (T)					Clive Efford
Commons: (81)	1R: 9.3.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 30.4.2010 (7)</i>			
ILLEGALLY LOGGED TIMBER (PROHIBITION OF SALE) (P)					Mr Andrew Dismore
Commons: (40)	*1R: 6.1.2010	<i>Prov 2R: 12.3.2010 (9)</i>			
LAND USE (GARDENS PROTECTION ETC.) (P)					Mr Andrew Dismore
Commons: (36)	*1R: 6.1.2010	<i>Prov 2R: 23.4.2010 (13)</i>			

LISBON TREATY (REFERENDUM) (B10)					Mr Nigel Dodds
Commons: (24)	*1R: 16.12.2009	2R: 26.2.2010 (3) (Deb adj - Dropped)			
LIVE MUSIC [HL] (L)				Lord Clement-Jones / Mr Don Foster	
Lords: (7)	*1R: 19.11.2009	2R: 15.1.2010	*OCD: 1.2.2010	3R: 9.2.2010	
Commons: (70)	1R: 9.2.2010	Prov 2R: 12.3.2010 (14)			
LOCAL AUTHORITIES (OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY) (B2)					Mr David Chaytor
Commons: (16)	*1R: 16.12.2009	2R: 5.2.2010 (1)	MR: 1.3.2010	PBC: 3.3.2010	
Prov Rep: 12.3.2010 (4)					
LOCAL GOVERNMENT (INFRASTRUCTURE REQUIREMENT PLANS) (B16)					Mr Mark Hoban
Commons: (30)	*1R: 16.12.2009	Prov 2R: 12.3.2010 (8)			
MAJOR CAPITAL CONTRACTS (SKILLS TRAINING REQUIREMENTS) (T)					John Mann
Commons: (80)	*1R: 2.3.2010	Prov 2R: 12.3.2010 (16)			
MARINE ACCIDENT INVESTIGATION BRANCH (REPORTS) (B17)					David Cairns
Commons: (31)	*1R: 16.12.2009	2R: 5.3.2010 (Deb adj)		Prov 2R: No date	
MARINE NAVIGATION AIDS [HL] (L)					Lord Berkeley
Lords: (15)	*1R: 19.11.2009	2R: 5.2.2010	Prov Comm: No date		
MARRIAGE (WALES) [HL] (L)				Lord Rowe-Beddoe / Alun Michael	
Lords: (6)	*1R: 19.11.2009	2R: 11.12.2009	OCD: 14.1.2010	3R: 26.1.2010	
Commons: (59)	*1R: 27.1.2010	*2R: 5.2.2010 (7)	PBC: 24.2.2010	Prov Rep: 12.3.2010 (1)	
MORTGAGE REPOSSESSIONS (PROTECTION OF TENANTS ETC.) (B1)					Dr Brian Iddon
Commons: (15)	*1R: 16.12.2009	2R: 29.1.2010 (1)	PBC: 10.2.2010	*Rep: 26.2.2010 (12)	
*3R: 26.2.2010					
Lords: (38)	1R: 1.3.2010	Prov 2R: No date			
NATIONAL HEALTH SERVICE PUBLIC INTEREST DISCLOSURE SUPPORT (B11)					Dr Richard Taylor
Commons: (25)	*1R: 16.12.2009	Prov 2R: 12.3.2010 (7)			
NORTHERN IRELAND ASSEMBLY MEMBERS [HL] (G)				Baroness Royall of Blaisdon / Shaun Woodward	
Lords: (4)	*1R: 19.11.2009	2R: 1.12.2009	Comm**: 12.1.2010	Rep: 3.2.2010	3R: 24.2.2010
Commons: (75)	*1R: 24.2.2010	2R: 11.3.2010	Prog: 11.3.2010	Prov Comm: No date	
PATIENT TRANSPORT [HL] (L)					Baroness Greengross
Lords: (18)	*1R: 23.11.2009	2R: 5.2.2010	Prov Comm: No date		
PEDICABS (P)					Mr Mark Field
Commons: (33)	*1R: 18.1.2010	Prov 2R: 23.4.2010 (8)			
PERSONAL CARE AT HOME (G)				Rt Hon Andy Burnham / Baroness Thornton	
Commons: (11)	*1R: 25.11.2009	2R: 14.12.2009	*Prog: 14.12.2009	*MR: 14.12.2009	
Comm: 12.1.2010	3R: 12.1.2010				
Lords: (23)	1R: 13.1.2010	2R: 1.2.2010	Comm: 22.2; 1.3.2010		
Prov Rep: 17.3.2010	Prov 3R: 24.3.2010				
POWERS OF ENTRY ETC. [HL] (L)					Lord Selsdon
Lords: (12)	*1R: 19.11.2009	2R: 15.1.2010	Comm: 5.3.2010	Prov Rep: 22.3.2010	
PROSECUTION OF OFFENCES ACT 1985 (AMENDMENT) (P)					Mr Andrew Dismore
Commons: (78)	*1R: 1.3.2010	Prov 2R: 23.4.2010 (14)			
PUBLIC BODIES (PROCUREMENT OF SEAFOOD) (T)					Mr David Drew
Commons: (72)	*1R: 24.2.2010 (not printed - Order for 2R lapsed)				
REGISTRATION OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS (WELSH LANGUAGE) (P)					Hywel Williams
Commons: (77)	*1R: 1.3.2010 (not printed)	Prov 2R: 23.4.2010 (6)			
REHABILITATION OF OFFENDERS (AMENDMENT) [HL] (L)					Lord Dholakia
Lords: (9, 42)	*1R: 19.11.2009	2R: 11.12.2009	Comm: 21.1.2010	Rep: 8.3.2010	
Prov 3R: 16.3.2010					

REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY (CLOSURE OF SHOPS) (T) Commons: (84) 1R: 10.3.2010 Prov 2R: 12.3.2010 (20)	Sir Patrick Cormack
RENTAL ACCOMMODATION (THERMAL INSULATION STANDARDS) (T) Commons: (71) *1R: 23.2.2010 (not printed) Prov 2R: 30.4.2010 (5)	Tony Lloyd
REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE (UNDUE INFLUENCE) (P) Commons: (85) *1R: 10.3.2010 Prov 2R: 23.4.2010 (9)	Mr William Cash
SAFETY AND CONSERVATION (BYELAWS) (B9) Commons: (23) *1R: 16.12.2009 (not printed) Prov 2R: 23.4.2010 (1)	Chris Grayling
SCHOOL ADMISSIONS (P) Commons: (57) *1R: 27.1.2010 (not printed) Prov 2R: 12.3.2010 (11)	Mr Paul Burstow
SCHOOL TRANSPORT (B19) Commons: (32) *1R: 16.12.2009 (not printed - Order for 2R lapsed)	David Heath
SHELTERED ACCOMMODATION (RESIDENTS) (P) Commons: (38) *1R: 6.1.2010 Prov 2R: 23.4.2010 (15)	Mr Andrew Dismore
SUNBEDS (REGULATION) (B5) Commons: (19) *1R: 16.12.2009 2R: 29.1.2010 (2) MR: 9.2.2010 PBC: 10.2.2010 Prov Rep: 12.3.2010 (2)	Julie Morgan
SUSTAINABLE COMMUNITIES ACT 2007 (AMENDMENT) (B7) Commons: (21, 82) *1R: 16.12.2009 2R: 26.2.2010 (2) PBC: 9.3.2010 Prov Rep: 12.3.2010 (5)	Alistair Burt
SUSTAINABLE ENERGY (LOCAL ACTION) (P) Commons: (46) *1R: 12.1.2010 (not printed) Prov 2R: 30.4.2010 (2)	Alan Simpson
TAXATION (INTERNATIONAL AND OTHER PROVISIONS) (G) Commons: (2, 44) *1R: 19.11.2009 SRC: 15.12.2009 2R: 5.1.2010 JC TLRB: 11.1.2010 Comm: 4.2.2010 3R: 4.2.2010 Lords: (54) 1R: 4.2.2010 2R: 24.2.2010 OCD: 10.3.2010 Prov 3R: 17.3.2010	Alistair Darling / Lord Myners
TERRORIST ASSET-FREEZING (TEMPORARY PROVISIONS) (G) Commons: (62) *1R: 5.2.2010 2R: 8.2.2010 Comm: 8.2.2010 3R: 8.2.2010 Lords: (33) 1R: 8.2.2010 2R: 9.2.2010 Comm: 9.2.2010 *Rep: 9.2.2010 *3R: 9.2.2010 RA: 10.2.2010 (Ch. 2)	Rt Hon Alistair Darling / Lord Myners
TERRORIST ASSET-FREEZING (TEMPORARY PROVISIONS) ACT 2010	
THIRD PARTIES (RIGHTS AGAINST INSURERS) [HL] (G) Lords: (17, 58) *1R: 23.11.2009 2R: 7 & 9.12.2009 Comm**: 12 & 26.1; 9.2.2010 Rep: 22.2.2010 3R: 1.3.2010 Commons: (79) *1R: 1.3.2010 SRC: 9.3.2010 2R: 10.3.2010 Prov PBC: 16.3.2010	Lord Bach / Jack Straw
TORTURE (DAMAGES) (P) Commons: (41) *1R: 6.1.2010 (not printed) Prov 2R: 23.4.2010 (2)	Mr Andrew Dismore
TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990 (AMENDMENT) (B12) Commons: (26) *1R: 16.12.2009 2R: 29.1.2010 (3) (Deb adj) Prov 2R: 30.4.2010 (6)	Simon Hughes
UNITED KINGDOM PARLIAMENTARY SOVEREIGNTY (P) Commons: (48) *1R: 13.1.2010 Prov 2R: 23.4.2010 (3)	Mr William Cash
VETERANS' WELFARE (T) Commons: (47) 1R: 13.1.2010 (not printed - Order for 2R lapsed)	Mr Michael Moore
VIDEO RECORDINGS (G) Commons: (14) *1R: 15.12.2009 2R: 6.1.2010 Comm: 6.1.2010 3R: 6.1.2010 Lords: (22) 1R: 7.1.2010 2R: 18.1.2010 *Comm: 18.1.2010 *Rep: 18.1.2010 3R: 20.1.2010 *RA: 21.1.2010 (Ch. 1)	Mr Siôn Simon / Lord Davies of Oldham
VIDEO RECORDING ACT 2010	

VIDEO RECORDINGS (EXEMPTION FROM CLASSIFICATION) (T)
Commons: (45) 1R: 12.1.2010 *Prov 2R: 23.4.2010 (16)*

Mr Andrew Dismore

WARSAW CONVENTION (CARRIER LIABILITY) (B8)
Commons: (22) *1R: 16.12.2009 (Withdrawn)

John Smith

WATER TARIFFS (T)
Commons: (67) *1R: 10.2.2010 (not printed) *Prov 2R: 26.3.2010 (1)*

Nick Harvey

YOUNG PEOPLE LEAVING CARE (ACCOMMODATION) (T)
Commons: (56) 1R: 27.1.2010 *Prov 2R: 12.3.2010 (12)*

Helen Southworth

**Presentation and Publication of Public Bills and Acts
8 – 12 March 2010**

Presentation of Bills (not yet published by Parliament)

Date	Title and type of Bill	Bill No.
9.3.10	Hydrofluorocarbons Limitation (T)	81
10.3.10	Remembrance Sunday (Closure of Shops) (T)	84
10.3.10	Representation of the People (Undue Influence) (P)	85

Bills published after presentation

Date	Title and type of Bill	Bill No.	ISBN	Price £
9.3	Local Government (Infrastructure Requirement Plans) (B16)	30	0215 545978	1.50
9.3	Illegally Logged Timber (Prohibition of Sale) (P)	40	0215 545961	1.50
11.3	Young People leaving Care (Accommodation) (T)	56	0215 546043	1.50
11.3	Climate Change (Sectoral Targets) (P)	64	0215 546036	1.50
11.3	Consolidated Fund (Appropriation) (G)	74	0215 546005	6.00
11.3	Remembrance Sunday (Closure of Shops) (T)	84	0215 546012	1.50
11.3	Representation of the People (Undue Influence) (P)	85	0215 546050	1.00
11.3	Major Capital Contracts (Skills Training Requirements) (T)	80	0215 546029	1.50

Bills receiving Royal Assent

Date	Title	Ch No.
None		

Acts published after Royal Assent date

Date	Title	Ch No.	ISBN	Price £
None				

Public and General Acts 2009 – 2010

Date of Royal Assent	Title	Ch No.	ISBN	Price £
16.12.09	Consolidated Fund Act 2009	27	010 5427094	4.00
21.1.10	Video Recording Act 2010	1	010 5401100	4.00
10.2.10	Terrorist Asset-Freezing (Temporary Provisions) Act 2010	2	010 5402107	4.00
10.2.10	Fiscal Responsibility Act 2010	3	010 5403104	5.50

Church of England Measures

Date	Title	No.	ISBN	Price £
None				

Publication of Bills and Acts on the Internet

Public/Private Bills before Parliament

<http://services.parliament.uk/bills/>

Church of England Measures

www.cofe.anglican.org/about/churchlawlegis/measures/

Full text of Public General Acts since 1988

www.opsi.gov.uk/acts.htm

Full text of Local Acts since 1991

www.opsi.gov.uk/acts.htm

Draft Bills under consideration or published during 2009–10 Session

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

The House can refer these to a joint committee of the Commons and Lords appointed for the specific purpose of examining and reporting on a named draft bill. A draft bill may also be referred to one of the departmental select committees or a select committee appointed for that specific purpose.

Listed below are draft bills that are currently under consideration or that have been published during the 2009/10 Session of Parliament. Further information on draft bills, including those from previous sessions can be viewed on the Parliament website at: www.parliament.uk/bills/draftbills.cfm. This page links to electronic copies of the draft bills and related publications including select committee reports on the draft bills.

Title	Date Published	Paper No and ISBN	Committee	Committee Reports	Government Response
Animal Health	25.1.2010	Cm 7784 010 1778428			
Antarctic Bill	11.11.2009	Cm 7635 010 1763523			
Civil Law Reform	15.12.2009	Cm 7773 0101777322	Justice		
Immigration	12.11.2009	Cm 7666 010 1766623			
International Development Spending	18.1.2010	Cm 7792 010 1779227			
Terrorist Asset-Freezing Bill	5.2.2010	Cm 7806			

Private Legislation – General Notes

Abbreviations

1R	First Reading
2R	Second Reading
CO	Carry-over or revival motion (To enable Bill to progress through Parliament across more than one session)
BR	Bill Reintroduced (Together with any other formal stages necessary to return the Bill to the point it had reached in the previous session)
BC	Bill committed (as yet the type of Committee is not known)
UBC	Bill committed to an unopposed committee (If two dates are given the last is the date on which the committee reported)
OBC	Bill committed to an opposed committee (If two dates are given the last is the date on which the committee reported)
Rep	Report stage (House of Commons only)
3R	Third Reading
CA	Commons' amendments considered by the House of Lords
LA	Lords' amendments considered by the House of Commons
RA	Bill formally becomes an Act of Parliament
CH	Chapter number
Debate	Bill debated, otherwise the stages are taken formally. In the House of Commons this will be at 7 pm
<i>Prov</i>	Provisional date for next stage - date supplied where known, ie <i>prov 2R: 27.1.2009</i> - provisional second reading 27 January 2009

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

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Members of Parliament may obtain copies of Private Bills from the Vote Office.
Lords may obtain them from the Lords Private Bill Office.

Complete list of Private Bills before Parliament this Session

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

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

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

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

For an explanation of parliamentary consideration of Private Bills see HCIO Factsheet L4 produced by the House of Commons Information Office, available in hardcopy on request or to download from the Parliament website.

ALLHALLOWS STAINING CHURCH [HL] (Bircham Dyson Bell LLP)

Lords: (2009-10) 1R: 25.1.2010 2R: 9.2.2010 UBC: 8.3.2010 *Prov 3R: No date*
(The Lords petitioning period for the Bill will end on 8 February 2010.)

BEVERLEY FREEMEN [HL] (Winckworth Sherwood)

Lords: (2008-09) 1R: 22.1.2009 2R: 17.3.2009 CO: 29.10.2009
Commons: (2008-09) CO: 3.11.2009
Lords: (2008-09) UBC: 10.11.2009
Lords: (2009-10) BR: 19.11.2009 3R: 25.11.2009
Commons: (2009-10) BR: 26.11.2009 2R: 8.12.2009 3R: 19.1.2010
RA: 21.1.2010 (Ch. i)

(The Bill is unopposed. No petitions were deposited against the Bill in the House of Lords. There will be an opportunity to petition in the House of Commons when the Bill reaches that House)

BEVERLEY FREEMAN ACT 2010

BOURNEMOUTH BOROUGH COUNCIL [HL] (Sharpe Pritchard)

Lords: (2006-07) 1R: 22.1.2007 2R: 20.2.2007 (Instruction to Committee) OBC: 3 & 10.7.2007
CO: 22.10.2007
Commons: (2006-07) CO: 24.10.2007
Lords: (2007-08) BR: 8.11.2007 3R: 29.11.2007
Commons: (2007-08) 1R: 29.11.2007 2R: 12.6.2008 (Deb adj)
2R: 29.10.2008 (Debate)
Commons: (2008-09) OBC: 30.6; 1.7.2009
Commons: (2009-10) BR: 3.12.2009 Rep: 21.1.2010 (Deb adj) Rep: 28.1.2010 3R: 28.1.2010
Lords: (2009-10) BR: 8.12.2009 *Prov CA: No date*
(The Bill is opposed, 3 petitions outstanding)

CANTERBURY CITY COUNCIL (Sharpe Pritchard)

Commons: (2007-08) 1R: 22.1.2008 2R: 12.6.2008 (Deb adj)
2R: 29.10.2008 (Debate)
Commons: (2008-09) UBC: 8.7.2009
Commons: (2009-10) BR: 3.12.2009 3R: 14.1.2010
Lords: (2009-10) 1R: 15.1.2010 *Prov 2R: No date*
(No petitions were presented against the Bill in the House of Commons)

CITY OF WESTMINSTER [HL] (Sharpe Pritchard)

Lords: (2008-09) 1R: 22.1.2009 2R: 13.3.2009 OBC: 15.7.2009 CO: 12.10.2009
Lords: (2009-10) BR: 25.11.2009 *Prov OBC: No date*
Commons: (2009-10) BR: 1.12.2009

(The Bill is opposed. 2 petitions are outstanding against the Bill in the House of Lords. There will be an opportunity to petition in the House of Commons when the Bill reaches that House)

KENT COUNTY COUNCIL (FILMING ON HIGHWAYS) [HL] (Bircham Dyson Bell LLP)

Lords: (2009-10) 1R: 25.1.2010 2R: 9.2.2010 UBC: 23.2.2010 3R: 9.3.2010
(The Lords petitioning period for the Bill will end on 8 February 2010.)
Commons: (2009-10) 1R: 9.3.2010 *Prov 2R: No date*

LEEDS CITY COUNCIL (Sharpe Pritchard)

Commons: (2007-08) 1R: 22.1.2008 2R: 12.6; 29.10.2008 (Deb adj)
 Commons: (2008-09) 2R: 3.6.2009 UBC: 8.7.2009 *Prov CO: 12.11.2009*
 Commons: (2009-10) BR: 26.11.2009 Rep: 28.1.2010 3R: 28.1.2010
 Lords: (2009-10) BR: 30.11.2009 *Prov 2R: No date*
 (No petitions were presented against the Bill in the Commons)

LONDON LOCAL AUTHORITIES [HL] (Sharpe Pritchard)

Lords: (2007-08) 1R: 22.1.2008 2R: 20.2.2008 OBC: 7, 8 & 9.7.2008 CO: 17.11.2008
 Commons: (2007-08) CO: 24.11.2008
 Lords: (2008-09) UBC: 16.7.2009 CO: 29.10.2009
 Commons: (2008-09) CO: 3.11.2009
 Lords: (2009-10) BR: 19.11.2009 3R: 3.12.2009
 Commons: (2009-10) 1R: 3.12.2009 *Prov 2R: 18.3.2010*
 (The Bill was opposed in HL. There will be an opportunity to petition against the Bill when it reaches the House of Commons)

LONDON LOCAL AUTHORITIES AND TRANSPORT FOR LONDON (NO. 2) [HL] (Sharpe Pritchard)

Lords: (2007-08) 1R: 22.1.2008 2R: 20.2.2008 CO: 17.11.2008
 Commons: (2007-08) CO: 19.11.2008
 Lords: (2008-09) OBC: 9, 10 & 11.3.2009 OBC: 2.4.2009 CO: 29.10.2009
 Commons: (2008-09) CO: 3.11.2009
 Lords: (2009-10) BR: 19.11.2009 *Prov 3R: No date*
 (The Bill was opposed in the Lords. There will be an opportunity to petition against the Bill when it reaches the House of Commons)

MANCHESTER CITY COUNCIL [HL] (Sharpe Pritchard)

Lords: (2006-07) 1R: 22.1.2007 2R: 20.2.2007 OBC: 3 & 10.7.2007 CO: 22.10.2007
 Commons: (2006-07) CO: 24.10.2007
 Lords: (2007-08) BR: 8.11.2007 3R: 29.11.2007
 Commons: (2007-08) 1R: 29.11.2007 2R: 12.6.2008 (Deb adj)
 2R: 29.10.2008 (Debate)
 Commons: (2008-09) OBC: 30.6; 1.7.2009
 Commons: (2009-10) BR: 3.12.2009 Rep: 28.1.2010 3R: 28.1.2010
 Lords: (2009-10) BR: 8.12.2009 *Prov CA: No date*
 (The Bill is opposed, 1 petition outstanding)

NOTTINGHAM CITY COUNCIL (Sharpe Pritchard)

Commons: (2007-08) 1R: 22.1.2008 2R: 12.6.2008 (Deb adj) 2R: 29.10.2008 (Deb adj)
 Commons: (2008-09) 2R: 3.6.2009 UBC: 8.7.2009
 Commons: (2009-10) BR: 3.12.2009 3R: 14.1.2010
 Lords: (2009-10) 1R: 15.1.2010 *Prov 2R: No date*
 (No petitions were presented against the Bill in the House of Commons)

READING BOROUGH COUNCIL (Sharpe Pritchard)

Commons: (2007-08) 1R: 22.1.2008 2R: 12.6.2008 (Deb adj) 2R: 29.10.2008 (Deb adj)
 Commons: (2008-09) 2R: 3.6.2009 UBC: 8.7.2009 CO: 12.11.2009
 Commons: (2009-10) BR: 26.11.2009 Rep: 28.1.2010 3R: 28.1.2010
 Lords: (2009-10) BR: 30.11.2009 *Prov 2R: No date*
 (No petitions were presented against the Bill in the Commons)

TRANSPORT FOR LONDON (SUPPLEMENTAL TOLL PROVISIONS) [HL] (Eversheds LLP)

Lords: (2006-07) 1R: 22.1.2007 2R: 26.4.2007 CO: 22.10.2007
 Commons: (2006-07) CO: 24.10.2007
 Lords: (2007-08) BR: 8.11.2007 UBC: 11.11.2008 CO: 17.11.2008
 Commons: (2007-08) CO: 19.11.2008
 Lords: (2008-09) CO: 29.10.2009
 Lords: (2009-10) BR: 25.11.2009 *Prov 3R: No date*
 Commons: (2009-10) BR: 1.12.2009

Delegated Legislation

Statutory Instruments

The most common form of delegated legislation, or secondary legislation, is Statutory Instruments. Those requiring parliamentary approval are subject to either the affirmative or negative procedure. For an explanation of Statutory Instrument procedures see HCIO Factsheet L7 produced by the House of Commons Information Office, available in hardcopy on request or to download from the Parliament website.

The laying of Orders before the House of Commons is recorded in the Statutory Instrument List published by the Journal Office: www.publications.parliament.uk/pa/cm/cmsilist/cmsilist.htm.

The Journal Office list records when Orders were laid and in the case of affirmative instruments, whether a motion for their approval has been tabled. In the case of Negative Instruments, the number of praying days left (in which a motion calling for the instrument to be annulled may be laid) is noted.

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

Legislative Reform Proposals and Orders: Proceedings as at 12 March 2010

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

For an explanation of Parliamentary consideration of Regulatory Reform Orders, see HCIO Factsheet L7

Committee recommendation:

- a) a draft order in the same terms as the proposal should be laid before the House
- b) proposal should be amended before a draft order is laid before the House
- c) the order-making power should not be used in respect of the proposals
- d) draft order should be approved/made † indicates Committee's recommendation was agreed after a division
- e) draft order should not be approved/made
- f) a revised draft order should be laid before the House
- h) revised draft order should be approved/made
- i) revised draft order should not be approved
- # indicates report issued following amendments to draft order

Consideration by Lords/Commons:

- * indicates stage taken formally, no debate
- g) considered by Lords Grand Committee

Draft Proposals

Date Laid	Title	Lords Committee Report & Recommendation	Commons Committee Report & Recommendation
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None

Draft Orders

Date Laid	Title and SI Number	Committee Reports & Recommendations		Recommended Procedure		Consideration to approve Draft Order	
		Lords	Commons	Minister	Committee	Lords	Commons
13.5.2009	Draft Legislative Reform (Insolvency) (Miscellaneous Provisions) Order 2009	HL 110 (d)	HC 883 (d)	Super-Affirmative	Super-Affirmative		
29.10.2009	Draft Legislative Reform (Insolvency) (Miscellaneous Provisions) Order 2009			Second-stage Super-Affirmative	Second-stage Super-Affirmative	15.12.2009	05.01.2010

Draft Orders (cont.)

Date Laid	Title and SI Number	Committee Reports & Recommendations		Recommended Procedure		Consideration to approve Draft Order	
		Lords	Commons	Minister	Committee	Lords	Commons
21.10.2009	Draft Legislative Reform (Revocation of Prescribed Form of Penalty Notice for Disorderly Behaviour) Order 2009	HL 178 (d)	HC 1108(d)	Affirmative	Affirmative	15.12.2009	06.01.2010
25.11.2009	Draft Legislative Reform (Industrial and Provident Societies and Credit Unions) Order 2010 (Paper withdrawn 18.1.2010)			Super-Affirmative	–	–	–
7.12.2009	Draft Legislative Reform (Dangerous Wild Animals) (Licensing) Order 2010		HC 288 (d)	Affirmative	Affirmative		8.2.2010
8.3.2010	Draft legislative Reform (Industrial and Provident Societies and Credit Unions) Order 2010			Super-Affirmative			
10.3	Draft Legislative Reform (Licensing) (Interim Authority Notices etc) Order 2010			Negative			

Remedial Orders, Draft Remedial Orders and Urgent Procedure Remedial Orders: Proceedings as at 12 March 2010

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

Committee recommendation:

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

Proposals for Draft Orders

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

Draft Orders

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

Urgent Orders

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

Northern Ireland Legislation: proceedings as at 12 March 2010

The Northern Ireland Assembly was established by the *Northern Ireland Act 1998*. Following devolution, legislative power in most areas was transferred from Westminster to the Assembly. However, under the terms of the *Northern Ireland Act 1998*, certain powers are retained by the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland and are not devolved matters. These include constitutional and security issues, law and order, policing, electoral matters and relations with the European Union. Reserved matters, which include the criminal law and civil defence, can be transferred at a future date. Legislation in non-devolved or excepted matters continues to be made by the Westminster Parliament under the 1998 Act in the form of Orders in Council, Acts and Statutory Instruments. **This page includes Orders in Council that relate to reserved matters, the criminal law, electoral and policing matters, made under Section 85 of the *Northern Ireland Act 1998*.**

The Northern Ireland Assembly was restored from 8 May 2007 following a period of suspension from midnight on 14 October 2002. During suspension, legislation, which would otherwise have come within the competence of the Assembly, was made by Order in Council under Schedule 1 to the *Northern Ireland Act 2000*. The 2000 Act was also used to make Orders in Council which, while the Assembly was active, would have been made under Section 85 of the Northern Ireland Act 1998 (Orders making provision for certain reserved matters, for example the criminal law).

Unless made without Parliamentary Approval by reason of urgency, draft Orders in Council must be approved by a resolution of both Houses before being made (affirmative procedure). Orders in Council made before Parliamentary approval by reason of urgency (**U**), must be approved by both Houses within 40 days of being made. Some UK Acts, for example dealing with social security or pensions, provide for corresponding provisions to be made for Northern Ireland by means of an Order in Council under the 2000 Act, subject to annulment in pursuance of a resolution of either House (negative procedure (**N**)), rather than by the normal affirmative procedure.

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

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

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

UK legislation applying to Northern: Justice and Security (Northern Ireland) Act 2007

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

Bills introduced into the Northern Ireland Assembly can be found on the Northern Ireland Assembly website: www.niassembly.gov.uk/

For further information on Northern Ireland Legislation see HCIO Factsheet L8 produced by the House of Commons Information Office, available in hardcopy on request or to download from the Parliament website.

Abbreviations:

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

Title and SI No.	Consultation on Proposal	(Draft) Order Laid	Commons	Lords	Privy Council
Draft Justice and Security (Northern Ireland) Act 2007 (Extension of duration of non-jury trial provisions) Order 2009		8.6.09	8.7.09 (A)	8.7.09 (A)	
Draft Electoral Law Act (Northern Ireland) 1962 (Amendment) Order 2009		8.7.09	26.10.09 (A)	4.11.09 (A)	17.11.2009
Draft District Electoral Areas Commissioner (Northern Ireland) (Amendment) Order 2009		8.7.09	26.10.09 (A)	4.11.09 (A)	17.11.2009
Draft Private Security Industry Act 2001 (Amendment) (Northern Ireland) Order 2009		20.7.09	9.11.09 (A)	4.11.09 (A)	17.11.2009
Draft Private Security Industry Act 2001 (Amendment to Schedule 2) Order 2009		12.10.09	9.11.09 (A)	4.11.09 (A)	
Draft Representation of the People (Northern Ireland) (Amendment) Regulations 2010		2.12.09	25.1.2010(A)	26.1.2010(A)	
Draft Police (Northern Ireland) Act 2000 (Renewal of Temporary Provisions) Order 2010		4.2.10	8.3.2010	9.3.2010	
Draft Representation of the People (Timing of the Canvass) (Northern Ireland) Order 2010		4.2.10	15.3.2010		
Draft Guardian's Allowance Up-rating (Northern Ireland) Order 2010		10.2.10	17.3.2010	15.3.2010	
Draft Electoral Law Act (Northern Ireland) 1962 (Amendment) Order 2010		24.2.10	15.3.2010		
Draft European Parliamentary Elections (Northern Ireland) (Amendment) Regulations 2010		24.2.10	15.3.2010		

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

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

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

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

- DLSC - Draft Order considered by a Delegated Legislation Standing Committee in the House of Commons.
- NIGC - Proposal for a draft Order considered in the Northern Ireland Grand Committee.
- U - Urgent Act or Order (not in draft form) laid before Parliament.
- C - Consequential Order (not in draft form) laid before Parliament. (subject to negative procedure)
- * - Taken formally.
- SI - Statutory Instrument Number, shown after title
- P - *Provisional date for next stage i.e. PSC: 20.1.2009*

Title of Bill or Act	Date Laid	Royal Assent
Department of Justice NIA Bill 1/09	3.12.2009	12.02.2010

Transport and Works Act 1992 Orders

This Act replaces Private Bill procedure for the authorisation of transport works projects

Applications are made to the TWA Orders Unit at the Department for Transport (unless otherwise specified); the date refers to when applications are received

Agents – See ‘Private Legislation: General Notes’ for contact details.

Final orders – are printed as a Statutory Instrument on the OPSI website: www.opsi.gov.uk and published by The Stationery Office.

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

Title of Order	Application	Agent	Final Order
Babbacombe Cliff Railway Order	30.10.2008	Sharpe Pritchard LLP	2009/No.872 Made 25.03.09
Borough of Poole (Poole Harbour Opening Bridges) Order	13.12.2004	Rees and Freres (now Eversheds)	2006/No.2310 Made 24.08.06
Chiltern Railways (Bicester to Oxford Improvements) Order	06.01.2010	Eversheds LLP	
Cirrus Energy Shell Flat Offshore Wind Farm	28.08.2003 (BERR)	Winckworth Sherwood	Application withdrawn
Daventry International Rail Freight Terminal (Land Acquisition) Order	02.07.2008	Hammonds LLP	Application withdrawn
Docklands Light Railway (Capacity Enhancement and 2012 Games Preparation) Order	02.08.2006	Rees & Freres (now Eversheds)	2007/No.2297 Made 02.08.07
Docklands Light Railway (Dagenham Dock Extension) Order	30.04.2008	Bircham Dyson Bell	
Docklands Light Railway (Stratford International Extension) Order	21.09.2005	Bircham Dyson Bell	2006/No.2905 Made 01.11.06
East Kent Railway Order	28.02.2006	Winckworth Sherwood	2007/No.3234 Made 09.11.07
Environment Agency (Inland Waterways) Order	18.10.2004 (DEFRA)	Bircham Dyson Bell	
Felixstowe Branch Line and Ipswich Yard Improvement Order	14.12.2005 05.05.2006 (revised)	DLA Piper Rudnick Gray Cary UK LLP	2008/2512 Made 23.09.08
Felixstowe Dock and Railway (Land Acquisition) Order	15.06.2004	Rees and Freres (now Eversheds)	2007/No.3345 Made 26.11.07
Greater Manchester (LRTS) (Media City Extension) Order	25.06.2008	Bircham Dyson Bell	2009/No.1100 Made 27.4.09
Heathrow Airtrack Order	24.07.2009	Winckworth Sherwood	
Llangollen and Corwen Railway Order	17.09.2009	Winckworth Sherwood	
London Gateway Logistics and Commercial Centre Order	14.02.2002	Berwin Leighton Paisner	2007/No.2657 Made 07.09.07
London Underground (Archway Station) Order	29.11.2007	Berwin Leighton Paisner	Application withdrawn

Applications for Orders under the *Transport and Works Act 1992 (cont.)*

Title of Order	Application	Agent	Final Order
London Underground (Victoria Station Upgrade) Order	22.11.2007 05.08.2008 (revised)	Bircham Dyson Bell	2009/No.2364 Made 28.08.09
Luton Dunstable Translink Order	18.12.2003	Rees and Freres (now Eversheds)	2006/No.3118 Made 22.11.06
Midland Metro (No. 1) Order	17.02.2010	Winckworth Sherwood LLP	
Network Rail (Hitchin (Cambridge Junction)) Order	01.10.2009	Bircham Dyson Bell	
Network Rail (Nuneaton North Chord) Order	30.07.2009	Winckworth Sherwood LLP	
Network Rail (Reading) (Land Acquisition) Order	06.11.2008	Winckworth Sherwood LLP	2009/No.2728 Made 7.10.09
Network Rail (Thameslink 2000) Order	21.11.1997	Rees & Freres (now Eversheds)	2006/No.3117 Made 22.11.06
Network Rail (Thameslink) (Land Acquisition) Order	23.01.2008	Eversheds LLP	2008/No.3163 Made 05.12.08
Nottingham Express Transit System Order	01.05.2007	Bircham Dyson Bell	
Ouseburn Barrage Order	11.11.2004 27.1.2006 (revised)	Newcastle City Council	2007/No.608 Made 26.02.07
Pontypool and Blaenavon (Phase 1) Railway Order	15.8.2005	Winckworth Sherwood	2006/No.1691 Made 20.06.06
River Humber (Upper Burcom Tidal Stream Generator) Order	21.12.2007 (BERR)	Winckworth Sherwood	2008/No.969 Made 02.04.08
River Mersey (Mersey Gateway Bridge) Order	2.06.2008	DLA Piper Rudnick Gray Cary UK LLP	
Stansted Rail Improvement Order	27.3.2008	CMS Cameron McKenna	
South Devon Railway Order	27.3.2009	Winckworth Sherwood	
Teesport (Land Acquisition) Order	26.5.2006	Rees & Freres (now Eversheds)	2008/No.969 Made 02.04.08

General Committees

General Committee debates are available to view on the Parliament website.

Public Bill Committee debates. www.publications.parliament.uk/pa/cm/stand.htm

Other General Committee debates. www.publications.parliament.uk/pa/cm/othstn.htm

For further information on General Committees see HCIO Factsheet L6 produced by the House of Commons Information Office, available in hardcopy on request or to download from the Parliament website.

Current Public Bill Committees, details of membership

Bill	Status	Membership
Bribery [HL] (G)	<i>(R) 25.3.2010</i>	This Issue
Children, Schools and Families Bill (G)	(R) 23.02.2010	Issue 7; Issue 8; Issue 9
Co-operative and Community Benefit Societies and Credit Unions Bill [HL] (L)	<i>(R) 12.3.10</i>	Issue 12
Corporation Tax Bill (G)	(R) 11.1.2010	Issue 4; Issue 5
Crime and Security Bill (G)	(R) 8.3.2010	Issue 8
Debt Relief (Developing Countries) Bill (B3)	<i>(R) 12.3.2010</i>	Issue 13; This issue
Energy Bill (G)	(R) 24.2.2010	Issue 4
Financial Services Bill (G)	(R) 25.1.2010	Issue 3
Flood and Water Management Bill (G)	(R) 2.2.2010	Issue 5; Issue 8
Local Authorities (Overview and Scrutiny) Bill (B2)	<i>(R) 12.3.2010</i>	Issue 12; Issue 13
Marriage (Wales) Bill [HL] (L)	<i>(R) 12.3.2010</i>	Issue 11
Mortgage Repossessions (Protection of Tenants Etc.) Bill (B1)	(R) 26.2.2010	Issue 10
Sun Beds (Regulation) Bill (B5)	<i>(R) 12.3.2010</i>	Issue 10
Sustainable Communities Act 2007 (Amendment) Bill (B7)	<i>(R) 12.3.2010</i>	Issue 13
Taxation (International and Other Provisions) Bill (G)	(R) 11.1.2010	Issue 4; Issue 5
Third Parties (Rights Against Insurers) Bill [HL] (G) (SRC)	(R) 9.3.2010	Issue 13; This issue
Third Parties (Rights Against Insurers) Bill [HL] (G) (PBC)	tbc	This Issue

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

Membership announcements and changes:

Debt Relief (Developing Countries) Bill:

Mr Adrian Bailey, Mr David Drew and Sarah McCarthy-Fry discharged, Mr Tom Clarke, Stephen Pound and Mr Stephen Timms added.

Bribery Bill [HL] (G):

Chairs: Sir Nicholas Winterton and Joan Walley

Mr William Bain	Mrs Ann Cryer	Mr Jonathan Djanogly	Dr Evan Harris
Mr Oliver Heald	Keith Hill	David Howarth	John Howell
Helen Jones	Mr Peter Kilfoyle	Tom Levitt	Mr Robert Syms
Kitty Ussher	Claire Ward	Mr Michael Wills	Jeremy Wright

Third parties (Rights Against Insurers) Bill [HL] – Second Reading Committee:

Chair: Mr Eric Martlew discharged, Joan Walley nominated

Mr John Grogan, Lynne Jones and Ian Stewart discharged, Laura Moffatt, Albert Owen and Graham Stringer added.

Third parties (Rights Against Insurers) Bill [HL] – Public Bill Committee:

Chair: John Cummings

Margaret Beckett	Mr Henry Bellingham	Mr Bob Blizzard	Mr Peter Bone
David Cairns	Jim Cousins	Mr David Heath	Mr Douglas Hogg
David Howarth	Mr Lindsay Hoyle	Bridget Prentice	Mr Andy Slaughter
Derek Twigg	Mr Charles Walker	Mr Tom Watson	Jeremy Wright

**General Committee Meetings
8 – 12 March 2010**

Monday 8 March

- EC B European Union Document No. 5770/10 relating to the Council Decision on a European Union military mission to contribute to the training of Somali Security Forces
- 1st DLC Draft Social Security (Contributions) (Amendment) Regulations 2010
- 2nd DLC Draft Protection from Tobacco (Sales from Vending Machines) (England) Regulations 2010 and the Draft Tobacco Advertising and Promotion (Display of Prices) (England) Regulations 2010
- 3rd DLC Draft Renewables Obligation (Amendment) Order 2010

Tuesday 9 March

- PBC Debt Relief (Developing Countries) Bill (1st Sitting: Clauses 1-9 agreed)
- PBC Sustainable Communities Act 2007 (Amendment) Bill (1st Sitting: Clauses 1-3 agreed)
- SRC Third Parties (Rights Against Insurers) Bill [HL]
- 4th DLC Draft Employee Study and Training (Qualifying Period of Employment) Regulations 2010
- 5th DLC Draft Extradition Act 2003 (Amendment to Designations) Order 2010
- 6th DLC Draft Pneumoconiosis etc. (Workers' Compensation) (Payment of Claims) (Amendment) Regulations 2010 and the Draft Mesothelioma Lump Sum Payments (Conditions and Amounts) (Amendment) Regulations 2010
- 7th DLC Draft Health and Social Care Act 2008 (Regulated Activities) Regulations 2010 and the Draft Health and Social Care Act 2008 (Consequential Amendments No. 2) Order 2010
- EC B European Union Documents Nos. 14685/09, 5271/10 and Addendum 1, 15365/09 and Addendum 1, 5226/10 and 5516/10 relating to Pre-Accession Assistance

Wednesday 10 March

- 8th DLC Draft Housing and Regeneration Act 2008 (Consequential Provisions) Order 2010 and the Draft Housing and Regeneration Act 2008 (Registration of Local Authorities) Order 2010

Thursday 11 March

None

Friday 12 March

None

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Forthcoming General Committee Meetings 15 – 19 March 2010

Monday 15 March

- 1st DLC Draft Representation of the People (Timing of the Canvass) (Northern Ireland) Order 2010, the Draft European Parliamentary Elections (Northern Ireland) (Amendment) Regulations 2010 and the Draft Electoral Law Act (Northern Ireland) 1962 (Amendment) Order 2010, 4.30pm, Room 9
- 2nd DLC Draft Safeguarding Vulnerable Groups Act 2006 (Regulated Activity Devolution and Miscellaneous Provisions) Order 2010, the Draft Safeguarding Vulnerable Groups Act 2006 (Controlled Activity and Miscellaneous Provisions) Regulations 2010 and the Draft Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 (Exceptions) (Amendment) (England and Wales) Order 2010, 4.30pm, Room 11
- 3rd DLC Draft Commons Councils (Standard Constitution) (England) Regulations 2010, 4.30pm, Room 12

Tuesday 16 March

- PBC Bribery Bill [HL], 10.30am & 4.00pm, Room 10
- PBC Third Parties (Rights Against Insurers) Bill [HL], 10.30am, Room 12
- 4th DLC Draft Concessionary Bus Travel Act 2007 (Variation of Reimbursement and Other Administrative Arrangements) Order 2010, 10.30am, Room 9
- 5th DLC Draft Community Infrastructure Levy Regulations 2010, 10.30am, Room 11
- 6th DLC Draft Criminal Procedure and Investigations Act 1996 (Code of Practice for Interviews of Witnesses Notified by Accused) Order 2010, 4.30pm, Room 9
- 7th DLC Draft National Assembly for Wales (Legislative Competence) (Housing) (Fire Safety) Order 2010, 4.30pm, Room 12
- 8th DLC Draft Environmental Civil Sanctions (England) Order 2010 and the Draft Environmental Civil Sanctions (Miscellaneous Amendments) (England) Regulations 2010, 4.30pm, Room 14

Wednesday 17 March

- 9th DLC Draft Criminal Defence Service (Representation Orders: Appeals, etc.) (Amendment) Regulations 2010 and the Draft Criminal Defence Service (Information Requests) (Amendment) Regulations 2010, 2.30pm, Room 12
- 10th DLC Draft Additional Paternity Leave (Adoptions from Overseas) Regulations 2010, the Draft Additional Statutory Paternity Pay (Weekly Rates) Regulations 2010, the Draft Additional Statutory Paternity Pay (General) Regulations 2010, the Draft Additional Statutory Paternity Pay (Adoptions from Overseas) Regulations 2010, the Draft Additional Paternity Leave Regulations 2010 and the Draft Employment Rights Act (Application of Section 80BB to Adoptions from Overseas) Regulations 2010, 2.30pm, Room 9
- 11th DLC Draft Child Benefit Up-rating Order 2010, the Draft Guardian's Allowance Up-rating (Northern Ireland) Order 2010, the Draft Guardian's Allowance Up-rating Order 2010 and the Draft Tax Credits Up-rating Regulations 2010, 2.30pm, Room 11

Thursday 18 March

- PBC Bribery Bill [HL], 9.00am & 1.00pm, Room 10

Friday 19 March

None

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Select Committees

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The following information on Select Committees is available on the Parliament website:

Select Committee membership: www.parliament.uk/directories/hciolists/selmem.cfm

Links to Select Committee home pages containing information on the work of the Select Committee and its publications:
www.parliament.uk/parliamentary_committees/parliamentary_committees16.cfm

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Membership announcements and changes:

None

Select Committee Meetings 8 – 12 March 2010

Monday 8 March

West Midlands Regional Committee

Subject: Planning for the Future: Housing and Economic Development in the West Midlands

Witnesses: Highways Agency, and Environment Agency; West Midlands Leaders' Board; Government Office for the West Midlands, and Homes and Communities Agency

Public Accounts

Subject: Preparations for the London 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Games: Progress report February 2010

Witnesses: Jonathan Stephens, Permanent Secretary, and David Goldstone, Director of Finance, Government Olympic Executive, Department for Culture, Media and Sport, John Armit CBE, Chair, Olympic Delivery Authority, and Paul Deighton, Chief Executive, London Organising Committee for the Olympic Games

Children, Schools and Families

Subject: From Baker to Balls: the foundations of the education system

Witnesses: Rt Hon Lord Baker of Dorking CH, Rt Hon David Blunkett MP, Rt Hon Charles Clarke MP, and Rt Hon Baroness Morris of Yardley

Tuesday 9 March

Welsh Affairs

Subject: Digital Inclusion in Wales: Follow-up

Witnesses: GEO; Virgin; BT; Ofcom

Environmental Audit

Subject: UK Financial Investments

Witnesses: Robin Budenberg, Chief Executive, and Sam Woods, Chief Operating Officer, UK Financial Investments; Lowri Khan, Director, Financial Stability, Chris Martin, Director, Public Services and Environment, and David Lunn, Head of Financial Stability (Coordination and Resolution), HM Treasury

Home Affairs

Subject: Follow-up to the Committee's Report on Domestic Violence, Forced Marriage and Honour-Based Violence; Follow-up to Gurkha inquiry

Witnesses: (i) Davina James-Hanman, Greater London Domestic Violence Project, and Nazir Afzal, Crown Prosecution Service; Alan Campbell MP, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State, Home Office (ii) Tim Heaver, Solicitor representing Gurkha veterans; Kevan Jones MP, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State, and Margaret Gilmour, Assistant Head Land Forces Secretariat, Ministry of Defence, and Jonathan Sedgwick, Deputy Chief Executive, UK Border Agency

North West Regional Committee

Subject: The future of the nuclear industry in the North West

Witnesses: Nuclear Decommissioning Authority, and Environment Agency; North West Regional Development Agency; Phil Woolas MP, Minister for the North West, and Government Office for the North West

South East Regional

Subject: Housing in the South East

Witnesses: South East Regional Partnership Board; Jonathan Shaw MP, Minister for the South East

Wednesday 10 March

Energy and Climate Change

Subject: Fuel Poverty

Witnesses: Derek Lickorish, Chair, Fuel Poverty Advisory Group; David Kidney MP, Parliamentary Under Secretary of State, Department of Energy and Climate Change

Children, Schools and Families

Subject: From Baker to Balls: the foundations of the education system

Witnesses: Rt Hon Ed Balls MP, Secretary of State for Children, Schools and Families

Justice

Subject: (i) Pre-appointment hearing: HM Chief Inspector of Prisons (ii) Pre legislative scrutiny of the Draft Civil Law Reform Bill and the work of the Ministry of Justice

Witnesses: (i) Nick Hardwick, Chair of the Independent Police Complaints Commission (preferred candidate) (ii) Rt Hon Jack Straw MP, Secretary of State for Justice and Lord Chancellor, and Bridget Prentice MP, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State, Ministry of Justice

Environmental Audit

Subject: International Climate Change Negotiations

Witnesses: Rt Hon Edward Miliband MP, Secretary of State, Pete Betts, Director of International Climate Change, and Jan Thompson, Head of Negotiations, Department of Energy and Climate Change

Public Accounts

Subject: Problem Drug Use

Witnesses: Sir David Normington KCB, Permanent Secretary, and Mandie Campbell, Director, Drugs Alcohol and Partnerships Directorate, Home Office

Thursday 11 March

Public Administration

Subject: The State of Government

Witnesses: Lord Sainsbury of Turville, Sir Richard Mottram GCB, Former Permanent Secretary and Jonathan Baume, General Secretary, FDA

Health*

Subject: The use of overseas doctors in providing out-of-hours services

Witnesses: NHS Worcestershire, NHS North West, NHS Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly, and BADGER Out-of-Hours Co-operative; General Medical Council, and Royal College of General Practitioners; Rt Hon Mike O'Brien QC MP, Minister of State

Friday 12 March

None

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**Forthcoming Select Committee Meetings
15 – 19 March 2010**

Monday 15 March

Public Accounts* Subject: (i) Helping over-indebted consumers (ii) National Audit Office Resource Estimate for 2010-11 Witnesses: (i) Simon Fraser, Permanent Secretary, and Ben Coates, Deputy Director, Consumer Credit and Product Safety, Department for Business, Innovation and Skills, and Sue Lewis, Director, Savings and Investments, HM Treasury (ii) Amyas Morse, Comptroller and Auditor General, National Audit Office (at 5.30pm)	4:30pm	Committee Room 15, Palace of Westminster
Communities and Local Government Subject: Housing and Planning Witnesses: Rt Hon John Healey MP, Minister for Housing, Department for Communities and Local Government, and Sir Bob Kerslake, Chief Executive, Homes and Communities Agency	4:40pm	The Grimond Room, Portcullis House

Tuesday 16 March

Treasury* Subject: The end of cheques? Witnesses: Consumer Focus, Age Concern and Help the Aged, Institute of Fundraising, and British Cheque and Credit Association; Payments Council (at 10.45am)	9:45am	The Thatcher Room, Portcullis House
Home Affairs* Subject: The work of the Metropolitan Police Witnesses: Tim Godwin, Deputy Commissioner, Metropolitan Police, and Kit Malthouse, Chair, Metropolitan Police Association	10:30am	The Wilson Room, Portcullis House
Business, Innovation and Skills* Subject: Company takeovers, mergers and acquisitions Witnesses: Jack Dromey, Deputy General Secretary, and Jennie Formby, National Officer, Food and Drink Sector, Unite the Union; Marc Firestone, Executive Vice-President, Kraft Foods Inc., Trevor Bond, President, and Richard Doyle, HR Director, Cadbury Britain & Ireland, Cadbury/Kraft (at 11.00am)	10:30am	Committee Room 15, Palace of Westminster
Public Accounts Commission Subject: NAO's Estimate for 2010-11 Witnesses: Amyas Morse, Comptroller and Auditor General, Sir Andrew Likierman, Chairman, Michael Whitehouse, Chief Operating Officer, and Jim Rickleton, Director-General, Finance and Commerce, National Audit Office	11:10am	Committee Room 7, Palace of Westminster

Wednesday 17 March

Culture, Media and Sport* Subject: Olympic Games and Paralympic Games 2012: Legacy Witnesses: Sir Robin Wales, Mayor of Newham and Chair of the Host Boroughs Joint Committee, Jules Pipe CBE, Mayor of Hackney, and Roger Taylor, Director of the Host Boroughs Unit; Rt Hon Tessa Jowell MP, Minister for the Cabinet Office and for the Olympics, and Shahid Malik MP, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State, Department for Communities and Local Government (at 11.30am)	10:30am	The Grimond Room, Portcullis House
Transport Subject: The impact of flooding on bridges and other transport infrastructure in Cumbria Witnesses: Cumbria County Council, Association of Directors of Environment, Economy, Planning and Transport, and Institution of Civil Engineers; UK Roads Liaison Group, Network Rail, and Environment Agency (at 3.30pm); Department for Transport, and Highways Agency (at 4.15pm)	2:45pm	Committee Room 8, Palace of Westminster

Environment, Food and Rural Affairs

Subject: Defra Science

Witnesses: Professor Robert Watson, Chief Scientific Adviser, Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, Professor Alistair Hetherington, Defra Science Advisory Council, Dr Timothy Hall, Head of Unit for Agriculture, Forestry, Fisheries and Aquaculture, EU DG Research, Steve Visscher, Deputy Chief Executive, Biotechnology and Biological Sciences Research Council, Miranda Kavanagh, Director of Evidence, Environment Agency, Helen Ferrier, Chief Science and Regulatory Affairs Adviser, National Farmers Union, and Dr David Gibbons, Head of Conservation Science, Royal Society for the Protection of Birds

3:00pm

The Boothroyd Room, Portcullis House

Public Accounts*

Subject: Renewal of the BBC Estate

Witnesses: Jeremy Peat, Trustee for Scotland, BBC Trust, Mark Thompson, Director General, Caroline Thomson, Chief Operating Officer, and Zarin Patel, Chief Financial Officer, BBC

3:30pm

Committee Room 15, Palace of Westminster

Thursday 18 March

None

Friday 19 March

None

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**House of Lords Committees: Forthcoming Public Meetings
15 – 19 March 2010**

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Monday 15 March

None

Tuesday 16 March

Economic Affairs

3:35pm

Subject:

Witnesses: Lord Turner of Ecchinswell, Chairman, Financial Services Authority as a one-off evidence session on financial regulation.

Wednesday 17 March

EU Sub-Committee F: Home Affairs

10:40am

Subject:

Witnesses: Meg Hillier MP, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State, Home Office, on the home affairs aspects of the Stockholm Programme.

Thursday 18 March

None

Friday 19 March

None

Select Committees: Publications received since the last Bulletin

All publications are available from The Stationery Office. Contact details are shown on the back cover of this Bulletin.
 HC numbers refer to House of Commons papers session 2009-10 unless otherwise stated.
 Cm numbers refer to papers in the Command series.
 HLP numbers refer to House of Lords papers.
 Select Committee Reports (Section B) are available on the parliamentary website.
 NAO & NIAO Reports are the forerunner of Public Accounts Committee inquiries.

(A) Select Committee Evidence

Date Received	Committee	Subject	Witnesses	Date Heard	Paper No and ISBN	Price £
10.3	Business, Innovation and Skills	The work of the Department for Business, Innovation and Skills	Rt Hon Lord Mandleson Rt Hon Pat McFadden	HC 299	0215 544674	5.50
9.3	Treasury	Financial Services Authority Annual Report 2008-09	Lord Turner of Ecchinswell Mr Hector Sants	25.11	HC 35 0215 544551	8.50

(B) Select Committee Reports

Date Received	Committee	Subject	HC Paper and ISBN	Price £
4.3	Business, Innovation and Skills	5 th , Pub companies: follow-up	HC 138 0215 544377	22.00
5.3	Communities and Local Government	3 rd , Communities and Local Government's Departmental Annual Report 2009, and the performance of the Department in 2008-09	HC 391 0215 544360	20.00
10.3	European Scrutiny	13 th , Report of Session 2009-10	HC 5-xii 0215 344650	10.00
12.3	Health	3 rd , Social Care Volume I	HC 22-I 0215 544667	17.50
8.3	Home Affairs	8 th , The National DNA Database Volume I: Report, together with formal minutes	HC 222-I 0215 544605	8.50
11.3	International Development	4 th , DFID's Performance in 2008-09 and the 2009 White Paper, Volume I	HC 48-I 0215 544582	13.50
	International Development	4 th , DFID's Performance in 2008-09 and the 2009 White Paper, Volume II	HC 48-II 0215 544629	16.50
9.3	Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments	9 th , Report of Session 2009-10	HC 3-ix HL 74 010 8459573	4.50

8.3	North East Regional	2 nd , Teeside Cast Products	HC 279 0215 544445	15.50
5.3	Northern Ireland Affairs	5 th , Forensic Science Northern Ireland	HC 314 0215 544438	8.50
10.3	Public Accounts	16 th , Regenerating the English Coalfields	HC 247 0215 544520	10.00
9.3	Public Accounts	17 th , Business, Innovation and Skills: Venture capital support to small businesses	HC 271 0215 544544	10.00
11.3	Public Accounts	18 th , Vehicle and Operator Services Agency: Enforcement of regulations on commercial vehicles	HC 284 0215 544599	10.00
11.3	Public Administration	8 th , Goats and Tsars: Ministerial and other appointments from outside Parliament	HC 330 0215 544612	14.50
8.3	Scottish Affairs	2 nd , Banking in Scotland	HC 70-I 0215 544483	12.00
11.3	Scottish Affairs	3 rd , Commission on Scottish Devolution	HC 255 0215 544575	13.50
10.3	Speaker's Conference (on Parliamentary Representation)	Responses to the Speaker's Conference (on Parliamentary Representation): Final report of Session 2009-10	HC 449	
11.3	Standards and Privileges	10 th , Alan Keen and Ann Keen	HC 453 0215 544728	14.50
9.3	Treasury	7 th , Administration and expenditure of the Chancellor's departments 2008-09	HC 156 0215 544506	20.00
10.3	Welsh Affairs	Cross-border provision of public services for Wales: follow-up	HC 26 0215 544537	22.00

(C) Government Responses to Select Committee Reports

Date Received	Committee	Details of Original Report	HC Paper or Cm No of response	Price £
9.3	Children, Schools and Families	1 st , Training of Children and Families Social Workers [HC 527-I]	HC 358 0215 544636	6.00
11.3	Children, Schools and Families	2 nd , The Review of Elective Home Education [HC 39-I-II]	HC 423 0215 544643	6.00
10.3	Government Equalities Office	Government Response to the speaker's Conference Report	Cm 7824 010 1744225	9.50
8.3	Joint Committee on Human Rights	11 th , Any of our business? Human rights and the UK private sector	HC 401 HL 66 010 8459511	12.00

8.3	Welsh Affairs	5 th , The Proposed National Assembly for Wales (Legislative Competence) (Local Government) Order 2009 [HC 36]	HC 411 0215 544513	10.50
8.3	Welsh Affairs	6 th , The Proposed Legislative Competence Order relating to School Governance [HC 274]	HC 419 0215 544490	10.50
8.3	Welsh Affairs	6 th , The Proposed National Assembly for Wales (Legislative Competence) (Culture and other fields) Order 2009 [HC 40]	HC 420 0215 544568	10.50

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

Date Received	Title	Paper No and ISBN	Price £
9.3	Managing offenders on short custodial sentences	HC 431 010 2963564	14.35
12.3	The cost of public service pensions	HC 432 010 2963571	14.35

Select Committee: Current Inquiries

Select Committee evidence is published as a House of Commons Paper; there is generally a delay of 4-6 weeks before the material is available. When published it is also made available on the Parliament website. All HC paper numbers shown are from the 2008-09 session unless otherwise stated. Select Committees may also publish uncorrected transcripts of Ministers' evidence on the website as soon as the transcript is available. Hard copies of Select Committee publications can be purchased from The Stationery Office, contact details are shown on the back page of this bulletin.

Select Committee publications are available to view on the Parliament website:
www.publications.parliament.uk/pa/select.htm

Further details of current Select Committee inquiries can also be found on the Parliament website:
www.parliament.uk/what_s_on/hoc_news4.cfm

Committee on Arms Export Controls

INQUIRY

Strategic Export Controls

STAGE & NOTES

Oral evidence concluded
 Report in preparation

Business, Innovation and Skills Committee

INQUIRY

Company takeovers, mergers and acquisitions

STAGE & NOTES

Oral evidence in progress
 Evidence session on 16 March

Full speed ahead: maintaining UK excellence in motor sport and aerospace

Report to be published on 22 March

Further Education funding and the Skills Funding Agency

Oral evidence concluded
 Report in preparation

Motor sport and aerospace industry

Report in preparation

PubCos: Follow-up

Report published on 4 March

The Work of the Department for Business, Innovation and Skills

Oral evidence concluded

Children, Schools and Families

INQUIRY

Early Years Single Funding Formula

STAGE & NOTES

Report in preparation

From Baker to Balls: the foundations of the education system

Oral evidence concluded

Learning outside the classroom

Report in preparation

NEETS

Report in preparation

Ofsted inspection of Children's Services

Oral evidence in progress

Sure Start Children's Centres

Report in preparation

Teaching of STEM subjects (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics)

Oral evidence session concluded

The Gifted and Talented programme

One-off oral evidence session concluded

Communities & Local Government

INQUIRY	STAGE & NOTES
Beyond Decent Homes: decent housing standards post 2010	Report in preparation
Departmental Annual Report 2009	Report published on 5 March
Fire Control Programme	Report in preparation
Housing and Planning	One-off oral evidence session on 15 March
Planning policy Statement 6 (Town Centres)	Report in preparation
Preventing Violent Extremism	Report in preparation
Work of the Government Equalities Office	One off oral evidence concluded

Culture, Media & Sport

INQUIRY	STAGE & NOTES
BBC Annual Report 2008-09	Report in preparation
Channel 4 Annual Report	Report to be published on 15 March
London 2012 Games and Paralympic Games: Legacy	Oral evidence in progress Evidence session on 17 March
The Future for Local and Regional Media	Report in preparation

Defence

INQUIRY	STAGE & NOTES
Afghanistan	One off oral evidence concluded
Defence Equipment 2010	Report published on 4 March
The Comprehensive Approach	Report to be published on 18 March
The contribution of ISTAR to operations	Report in preparation

Energy and Climate Change

INQUIRY	STAGE & NOTES
Fuel Poverty	Oral evidence concluded Report in preparation
Low carbon technologies in a green economy	Report in preparation
Proposals for National Policy Statements on Energy	Oral evidence concluded Report in preparation

Environmental Audit

INQUIRY	STAGE & NOTES
Adapting to Climate Change	Oral evidence concluded Report in preparation
Air Quality	Oral evidence concluded Report in preparation
International Climate Change Negotiations	One-off oral evidence session concluded
UK Financial Investments	One-off oral evidence session concluded

Environment, Food & Rural Affairs

INQUIRY	STAGE & NOTES
Dairy farmers of Britain	Report in preparation
DEFRA Departmental Report 2009	Report in preparation
DEFRA science	One-off oral evidence session on 17 March
Notifiable Animal Diseases Observatory	Continuing scrutiny
The National Forest	Report in preparation

European Scrutiny

INQUIRY	STAGE & NOTES
Scrutiny related issues and future developments in European Union	Oral evidence concluded

Foreign Affairs

INQUIRY	STAGE & NOTES
Developments in the European Union	Oral evidence concluded
FCO Annual report 2008-09	Report in preparation
Global Security: Afghanistan and Pakistan	One-off oral evidence session concluded
Global Security: UK/US Relations	Report in preparation

Health

INQUIRY	STAGE & NOTES
Commissioning	Report in Preparation
Public expenditure on Health and Personal Social Services 2009	Oral evidence concluded
Social Care	Report published on 12 March
The use of overseas doctors in providing out-of-hours services	One-off evidence session concluded

Home Affairs

INQUIRY

Counter-Terrorism Measures in British Airports
Follow-up to the Committee's Report on Domestic Violence, Forced Marriage and Honour-Based Violence
Follow-up to the Gurkha inquiry
Police Service Strength
Shoot to Kill Policy
The Cocaine Trade
The Government's Approach to Crime Prevention
The National DNA Database
The work of the British Transport Police
The work of the Independent Police Complaints Commission
The work of the Metropolitan Police
The work of the UK Border Agency

STAGE & NOTES

Report in preparation
One-off oral evidence session concluded
One-off oral evidence session concluded
Report in preparation
One-off oral evidence session announced
Report published on 3 March
Report in preparation
Report published on 8 March
One-off oral evidence session concluded
One-off oral evidence session concluded
One-off oral evidence session on 16 March
One-off oral evidence session concluded

International Development

INQUIRY

DFID's Annual Report 2009
DFID's Assistance to Zimbabwe

DFID's Programme in Bangladesh
DFID's Programme in Nepal
Draft International Development (Official Development Assistance Target) Bill

STAGE & NOTES

Report published on 11 March
Oral evidence concluded
Report in preparation
Report published on 3 March
Report in preparation
Oral evidence concluded
Report in preparation

Joint Committee on Human Rights

INQUIRY

Counter-terrorism policy and human rights
Equality and Human Rights Commission
Human Rights Judgments: Monitoring the Governments Response to Human Rights Judgments, Annual Report 2009
Legislative Scrutiny

STAGE & NOTES

Report in preparation
Report to be published on 15 March
Report in preparation
Report on Digital Economy Bill published on 12 March

Justice

INQUIRY	STAGE & NOTES
Constitutional implications of electoral outcomes	One-off evidence session concluded
Constitutional Reform and Renewal	Report in preparation
Crown Dependencies	Report in preparation
Draft Sentencing Guidelines	Continuing Scrutiny
Electoral Commission	Report in preparation
Justice Issues in Europe	Report in preparation
Ministry of Justice: Departmental Annual Report 2008-09	Report in preparation
Pre-appointment hearing: HM Chief Inspector of Prisons	Oral evidence concluded Report in preparation
Pre-legislative scrutiny of the Draft Civil Law Reform Bill	Oral evidence in progress
The work of the HM Chief Inspector of Prisons	Oral evidence concluded
The Work of the Ministry of Justice	Oral evidence concluded

Liaison

INQUIRY	STAGE & NOTES
Matters relating to Select Committees	Continuing scrutiny
The Work of Committees in Session 2008-09	Report to be published on 16 March

Modernisation of the House of Commons

INQUIRY	STAGE & NOTES
Recall and Dissolution	Report in preparation

Northern Ireland Affairs

INQUIRY	STAGE & NOTES
Forensic Science	Report published on 5 March
Bill of Rights for Northern Ireland	Report in preparation
The Omagh Bombing: Some remaining questions	Report to be published on 16 March
Political Developments in Northern Ireland	One-off oral evidence session concluded
Progress towards Devolution during the 2005 Parliament	Report in preparation

Procedure

INQUIRY	STAGE & NOTES
Explanatory statements to amendments on bills	Report published on 2 March
Timetabling of business	Inquiry announced; Deadline for submissions closed

Public Accounts

INQUIRY	STAGE & NOTES
Accident and Emergency admissions – major traumas	One-off oral evidence session on 22 March
Bank Recapitalisation and Liquidity	Report in preparation
The BBC's management of its coverage of major sporting and music events	Report in preparation
DWP: Management of Benefit Overpayment Debt	Report to be published on 17 March
Enforcement of Regulating Heavy Goods Vehicles	Report in preparation
Adapting the Foreign and Commonwealth Office's global estate to the modern world	Report in preparation
Helping over-indebted consumers	One-off oral evidence session on 15 March
HMRC Standard Report	Report in preparation
HM Revenue and Customs estate private finance deal eight years on	Report in preparation
HM Revenue and Customs: Handling telephone enquiries	Report in preparation
Improving Dementia Services in England – an Interim Report	Report to be published on 16 March
Major Projects Report 2009	Report in preparation
Major trauma care in England	One-off oral evidence session on 22 March
Ministry of Defence: Treating Injury and Illness arising on Military Operations	Report in preparation
National Chlamydia Screening	Report in preparation
Preparation for the London 2012 Olympics and Paralympics Games; progress Report February 2010	Report in preparation
Progress in improving stroke care	Report in preparation
Protecting consumers? Removing retail price controls – Postcomm follow-up	Report in preparation
Regenerating the English coalfields	Report published on 10 March
The BBC's management of three major estate projects	One-off oral evidence session on 17 March
Tackling Problem Drug Use	Report in preparation
The Decent Homes Programme	Report to be published on 18 March
The management of short-term prison sentences	One-off oral evidence session on 24 March
The Sale of the Government's interest in British Energy	Report in preparation
Vehicle and Operator Services Agency: Enforcement of regulations on commercial vehicles	Report published on 11 March
Venture capital support to small businesses	Report published on 9 March

Public Administration

INQUIRY	STAGE & NOTES
Goats and Tsars: Ministerial and other appointments from outside Parliament	Report published on 11 March
Public Administration and the Fiscal Squeeze	Oral evidence concluded

Reform Committee

INQUIRY

Rebuilding the House: Implementation

STAGE & NOTES

Report to be published 15 March

Regional Committee: East of England

INQUIRY

Global Economic Downturn

STAGE & NOTES

Written evidence published online

Regional Committee: East Midlands

INQUIRY

Share of funding received by the East Midlands region.

STAGE & NOTES

Report in preparation

Regional Committee: London

INQUIRY

London's population and the 2011 census

STAGE & NOTES

Oral evidence concluded

Report in preparation

The Work of the Government Office for London

One-off evidence session concluded

Regional Committee: North East

INQUIRY

Teesside Cast Products

STAGE & NOTES

Report published on 8 March

Regional Committee: North West

INQUIRY

The Future of the Nuclear Industry in the North West

STAGE & NOTES

Oral evidence concluded

Regional Committee: South East

INQUIRY

Housing in the South East

STAGE & NOTES

Oral evidence concluded

Report in preparation

Regional Committee: South West

INQUIRY

Prospect of South West economy

STAGE & NOTES

Oral evidence concluded

Report in preparation

Regional Committee: West Midlands

INQUIRY

Advantage West Midlands Annual Report 2008-09

STAGE & NOTES

Report in preparation

Planning the Future: Housing and Economic Development in the West Midlands

Oral evidence in progress

Regional Committee: Yorkshire and The Humber

INQUIRY

The Work of Yorkshire Forward

STAGE & NOTES

Report to be published on 16 March

Regulatory Reform

INQUIRY

Reform Orders

STAGE & NOTES

Continuing scrutiny

Science and Technology

INQUIRY

Bioengineering

STAGE & NOTES

Oral evidence concluded

Impact of spending cuts on SET and scientific research

Oral evidence concluded

Regulation of Geoengineering

Report to be published on 18 March

The disclosure of climate data from the climate research unit at the University of East Anglia

Oral evidence concluded

Scottish Affairs

INQUIRY

Banking in Scotland

STAGE & NOTES

Report published on 8 March

Commission on Scottish Devolution

Report published on 11 March

Scotland and the UK: co-operation and communication between Governments

Report in preparation

Scotland Office Annual Report

One off oral evidence session concluded

The Scotland Office White Paper and the recommendations of the Calman Commission

Report in preparation

Transport

INQUIRY

Mobility Scooters

STAGE & NOTES

Report in preparation

National Policy Statement on Ports

Report to be published on 23 March

Performance of the Department for Transport

Report published on 4 March

The impact of flooding on bridges and other transport infrastructure in Cumbria

Oral evidence in progress
Evidence session on 17 March

The major road network

Report in preparation

The new European Motorcycle test

Report in preparation

Transport questions with the Secretary of State

Oral evidence concluded

Update on the London Underground and the public-private partnership (PPP) agreements

Report in preparation

Treasury

INQUIRY

Audit and Accounting

End of Cheques

Financial Institutions – too important to fail

Royal Bank of Scotland, Northern Rock, Lloyds Banking Group

Women in the City

STAGE & NOTES

One-off oral evidence concluded

Inquiry announced
Evidence session on 16 March

Oral evidence concluded
Report in preparation

One-off oral evidence session concluded

Report in preparation

Treasury Sub-committee

INQUIRY

Departmental Annual Reports

Management of the Crown estate

STAGE & NOTES

Report published on 9 March

Oral evidence concluded
Report in preparation

Welsh Affairs

INQUIRY

Cross-border services for Wales: follow-up

Digital Inclusion follow-up

Wales and Whitehall

Welsh prisoners in the prison estate: follow-up

STAGE & NOTES

Report published on 11 March

One-off evidence session concluded

Report in preparation

Report published on 3 March

Work & Pensions

INQUIRY

Local Housing Allowance

Management and administration of contracted employment programmes

STAGE & NOTES

Report in preparation

Report in preparation

White Papers and Green Papers received since last Bulletin

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

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

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

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

White Papers

None

Green Papers

None

Impact Assessments received since the last Bulletin

Date	Title	Contact
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None

Other Papers

Armed Forces' Pay Review Body: 39th, Report 2010, Cm 7799, ISBN: 010 1779920, £19.15

Department for Transport: High Speed Rail, Cm 7827, ISBN: 010 1782722, £26.60

House of Lords: Business Plan 2010/11, HL 71, ISBN: 010 8459535, £6.00

Intelligence and Security Committee: Annual Report 2008-2009, Cm 7807, ISBN: 010 1780728, £14.35

Government Response to the Intelligence and Security Committee: Annual Report 2008-2009, ISBN: 010 1780827

Prison Service: Pay Review Body: 6th, Report 2010 on Northern Ireland, Cm 7803, ISBN: 010 1780322, £14.35

Prison Service Pay Review Body: 9th, Report 2010 on England and Wales, Cm 7802, ISBN: 010 1780223, £14.35

Review Body on Doctors' and Dentists' Remuneration: 39th Report 2010, Cm 7837, ISBN: 010 1783729, £26.60

Review Body on Senior Salaries: 32nd, Report on Senior Salaries 2010, Cm 7804, ISBN: 010 1780421, £19.15

European Union Documents to be considered

EU documents recommended for debate by the European Scrutiny Committee

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

Members and others with access to the Parliamentary Information Management Services (PIMS) database can check the status and progress of EU documentation.

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

The European Scrutiny Select Committee meets each Wednesday at 2.30pm when the House is sitting. Under Standing Order No. 143, the Committee examines: “any proposal under the Community Treaties for legislation by the Council acting jointly with the European Parliament”. This includes draft Regulations and Directives, Decisions of the Council and Budgetary documents. The Committee examines the documents for political and legal implications, and decides whether it should be considered further in European Standing Committee, or for the most important documents, on the floor of the House. Recommendations for further consideration are noted in the list of “Memoranda” in the days Votes and Proceedings.

Reports of the European Scrutiny Committee are available from TSO or on the parliament website at: www.publications.parliament.uk/pa/cm/cmeuleg.htm

For further information on EU Legislation and Scrutiny Procedures see HCIO Factsheet L11 produced by the House of Commons Information Office, available in hardcopy on request or to download from the Parliament website.

COM documents are available for consultation in the 44 European Documentation Centres (most of which are in university libraries) or the 22 European Information Centres.

SEC documents are not normally available for public consultation. The occasional important one on policy issues may be available in the above centres. For information about your nearest ED or EIC Tel: 020 7973 1992 (London Office of the European Commission) or Tel: 01482 465941, (ED Librarian, University of Hull).

Members of Parliament may obtain copies from the Vote Office by reference to the yellow demand form, quoting the number after the COM or SEC number.

COM Documents and EC legislation are available from The Stationery Office. Contact details are shown on the back cover of this Bulletin.

European Union Website: http://europa.eu/index_en.htm

European Committee A

None

European Committee B

Council Decision: Somali Security Forces (Unnumbered Explanatory Memorandum) – considered 8.3.2010

Instrument for Pre-accession assistance (14685/09 and 5271/10 and Addendum 1, and 15365/09 and Addendum 1) relating to the Instrument for Structural Policy –considered 9.3.2010

European Committee C

None

**Early Day Motions tabled between
5 – 12 March 2010**

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

For information about the text and signatories see 'Notices of Motions' section of the Vote Bundle, the EDM Database on the Parliament website or contact the House of Commons Information Office (Tel: 020 7219 4272) who will advise.

For further information on Early Day Motions see HCIO Factsheet P3 produced by the House of Commons Information Office, available, in hardcopy on request or to download from the Parliament website.

Date	EDM	Primary Sponsor	Title
5.3.10	1026	Mr Andrew Dismore	KING'S COLLEGE DEPARTMENT OF BYZANTINE AND MODERN GREEK STUDIES
5.3.10	1027	Dr Vincent Cable	PORT OF LONDON AUTHORITY AND BOAT HOME OWNERS
5.3.10	1028	Dr Liam Fox	SETTLEMENT OF GURKHAS
8.3.10	1029	Tony Lloyd	MICHAEL FOOT (No. 2)
8.3.10	1030	Sammy Wilson	FALKLAND ISLANDS
8.3.10	1031	Mr Gordon Prentice	ELECTORAL COMMISSION POWERS
8.3.10	1032	Mr Tim Boswell	WEST NORTHAMPTONSHIRE DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION INITIATIVE ON CONSTRUCTION SKILLS
8.3.10	1033	Kelvin Hopkins	DISMISSAL OF THAI RAILWAY WORKERS
8.3.10	1034	Mr Virendra Sharma	EALING HOSPITAL
8.3.10	1035	Mr Elfyn Llwyd	SUPERMARKET OMBUDSMAN AND DAIRY FARMERS
8.3.10	1036	Mr Elfyn Llwyd	WIND TURBINES AND THE COMMUNITIES FUND
8.3.10	1037	Mr Eric Martlew	LARGE-SCALE DAIRY UNITS
8.3.10	1038	Jim Dobbin	UNITE'S NOT-FOR-PROFIT CAMPAIGN
8.3.10	1039	Dr Richard Taylor	MEMBERS' PAY
8.3.10	1040	Mr Lindsay Hoyle	UPRATING OF STATE EARNINGS-RELATED PENSIONS
9.3.10	1041	Joan Walley	MANDATORY STANDARDS FOR THE QUALITY OF FOOD SERVED IN NURSERIES
9.3.10	1042	Mr Adrian Bailey	MUTUALS MANIFESTO
9.3.10	1043	Peter Bottomley	HON. MEMBERS' PAY (No. 2)
9.3.10	1044	Ms Diane Abbott	CONTROL ORDERS
9.3.10	1045	Dan Rogerson	EARTH HOUR 2010 CAMPAIGN AND THE PALACE OF WESTMINSTER
9.3.10	1046	Mark Pritchard	60th ANNIVERSARY OF THE KOREAN WAR
9.3.10	1047	Andrew Stunell	INDETERMINATE SENTENCES FOR PUBLIC PROTECTION
9.3.10	1048	Bob Russell	GREAT BRITISH ELM EXPERIMENT CAMPAIGN
9.3.10	1049	Bob Spink	PAY OF SENIOR LOCAL AUTHORITY OFFICERS
9.3.10	1050	Mr Lindsay Hoyle	ROAD SURFACE TREATMENTS
9.3.10	1051	Mr Lindsay Hoyle	NEIGHBOURHOOD AND HOME WATCH
9.3.10	1052	Simon Hughes	JUSTIFICATION PROCESS FOR NEW NUCLEAR REACTORS
10.3.10	1053	Mr Austin Mitchell	RANK AND PENSION OF SOLDIERS KILLED ON ACTIVE SERVICE
10.3.10	1054	Michael Fabricant	CORRECTION BY THE RIGHT HON MEMBER FOR NORMANTON
10.3.10	1055	Martin Horwood	SHAREHOLDER RESOLUTIONS ON TAR SANDS

10.3.10	1056	Mr Roger Williams	GRADUATED DRIVER LICENSING
10.3.10	1057	Mr Roger Williams	FOOD WASTE
10.3.10	1058	Mark Williams	ABERYSTWYTH UNIVERSITY QUEEN'S ANNIVERSARY PRIZE
10.3.10	1059	Mark Williams	BORTH AND YNYSLAS GOLF CLUB
10.3.10	1060	Jenny Willott	CIVIL SERVICE COMPENSATION SCHEME (No. 2)
10.3.10	1061	Keith Vaz	LEICESTER HOSPITALS WARD CLOSURES
10.3.10	1062	Mr Andrew Pelling	EMPTY PROPERTY RATES
10.3.10	1063	Mr Paul Murphy	INDEPENDENT INTERNATIONAL COMMISSION ON DECOMMISSIONING
10.3.10	1064	Dr Evan Harris	WORLD KIDNEY DAY 2010
10.3.10	1065	Charlotte Atkins	CLINICAL PHYSIOLOGISTS
10.3.10	1066	John McDonnell	TUBE LINES
10.3.10	1067	John McDonnell	HARMONDSWORTH BARN
10.3.10	1068	Ms Katy Clark	SCOTTISH GYPSY TRAVELLERS
10.3.10	1069	Ms Katy Clark	BASIC STATE PENSION AND THE LINK WITH EARNINGS
10.3.10	1070	Ms Katy Clark	VICTIMS OF DOMESTIC ABUSE AND THE ELECTORAL REGISTER
10.3.10	1071	Mr Elfyn Llwyd	ENDING OF ARMED FORCES PARLIAMENTARY SCHEME MEDALS, HONORARY RANK AND UNIFORMS
11.3.10	1072	Nick Herbert	WORLD TUBERCULOSIS DAY
11.3.10	1073	Mr Julian Brazier	BOATMASTER'S LICENCE REVIEW
11.3.10	1074	Mark Durkan	UN DECADE OF ACTION FOR ROAD SAFETY
11.3.10	1075	Willie Rennie	JOURNALISTS IN AFGHANISTAN
11.3.10	1076	Janet Anderson	ARTS COUNCIL NORTHERN IRELAND
11.3.10	1077	Greg Mulholland	BRITISH BEER AND PUB ASSOCIATION GUIDE AND BRITISH TOURISM WEEK 2010
11.3.10	1078	Greg Mulholland	PLANNING AUTHORITIES (PROTECTION OF LOCAL SERVICES) BILL

State of the Parties in the House of Commons as at 12 March 2010

Labour	346	Ulster Unionist (Lady Sylvia Hermon)	1
Conservative	193	Independent Labour (Rt Hon Clare Short)	1
Liberal Democrat	63	Independent Conservative (Derek Conway)	1
Scottish National Party / Plaid Cymru (SNP – Messrs Robertson, Salmond, Weir, Wishart, MacNeil, Hosie & Mason/ PC – Messrs Llwyd, Price, H Williams)	10	Independent (Dr Richard Taylor, Dai Davies, Andrew Pelling, Robert Wareing, Bob Spink) (David Chaytor, Jim Devine, Elliot Morley)	8
Democratic Unionist Party (Messrs Campbell, Dodds, Donaldson, McCrea, Paisley, P Robinson, Simpson, Wilson)	8	Respect (George Galloway)	1
Sinn Fein (Messrs Adams, Doherty, McGuinness, Murphy & Ms Gildernew)	5 (Have not taken their seats and cannot vote)	The Speaker and 3 Deputies (Rt Hon John Bercow, Sir Alan Haselhurst, CWM; Mrs Sylvia Heal, 1 st DCWM; Sir Michael Lord, 2 nd DCWM)	4 (Do not normally vote)
Social Democratic & Labour Party (Messrs Durkan, McDonnell, McGrady)	3	Vacant seats North West Leicestershire Strangford	2
			646
		Total number of seats	
		Current working Government Majority (346 Labour MPs less 289 of all other parties – excludes Speaker & Deputies and Sinn Fein)	57

The total number of women MPs is 125: (Lab 94; Con 18; LD 9; SF 1; UU 1; DCWM 1; Ind Lab 1)

Abbreviations:

CWM – Chairman of Ways and Means
1st DCWM – 1st Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means
2nd DCWM – 2nd Deputy Chairman of Ways and Means

Further information on Members of Parliament by Party, Constituency and Region can be found on the Parliament website at: www.parliament.uk/directories/directories.cfm

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

Vacancy	Cause	By – Election	New Member	Date of introduction	Maiden Speech
Cheadle	Death of Patsy Calton (LD) (29.5.2005)	14.7.2005	Mark Hunter (LD)	19.07.2005	21.07.2005
Livingston	Death of Rt Hon Robin Cook (Lab) (6.8.2005)	29.9.2005	Jim Devine (Lab)	10.10.2005	25.10.2005
Dunfermline and West Fife	Death of Rachel Squire (Lab) (5.1.2006)	9.2.2006	Willie Rennie (LD)	13.02.2006	01.03.2006
Blaenau Gwent	Death of Peter Law (Ind) (25.4.2006)	29.6.2006	Dai Davies (Ind)	04.07.2006	20.07.2006
Bromley & Chislehurst	Death of Eric Forth (Con) (18.5.2006)	29.6.2006	Bob Neill (Con)	03.07.2006	19.07.2006
Sedgefield	Resignation of the Rt Hon Tony Blair (Lab) (27.6.2007)	19.7.2007	Phil Wilson (Lab)	23.07.2007	08.10.2007
Ealing Southall	Death of Piara Khabra (Lab) (19.6.2007)	19.7.2007	Virendra Kumar Sharma (Lab)	23.07.2007	08.10.2007
Crewe and Nantwich	Death of Gwyneth Dunwoody (Lab) (17.4.2008)	22.05.2008	Edward Timpson (Con)	02.06.2008	16.06.2008
Henley	Resignation of Boris Johnson (Con) (4.6.2008)	26.06.2008	John Howell (Con)	30.06.2008	16.07.2008
Haltemprice and Howden	Resignation of Rt Hon David Davis (Con) (18.6.2008)	10.07.2008	David Davis (Con)	14.07.2008	(5.11.1987)
Glasgow East	Resignation of David Marshall (Lab) (30.06.2008)	24.07.2008	John Mason (SNP)	06.10.2008	13.10.2008
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North West Leicestershire	Death of David Taylor (Lab/Co-op) (26.12.2009)				
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