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## Noticeboard

### Weekly Information Bulletin:

The next Bulletin will be issued on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> December 2010 (Electronic format only) after 4.00pm.

### Private Members' Bills:

The Private Members' Bills Ballot took place on Thurs.10 June.

The presentation and First reading of the successful Private Members Bills took place on Wednesday 30 June. The Leader of the House has announced that Private Members' Bills shall have precedence over Government business on 22 October, 12 & 19 November, 3 December 2010 & 21 January, 4 & 11 February, 4 & 18 March, 1 April, 13 May and 10 & 17 June.

### Autumn Statement:

The Autumn Statement took place on Monday 29<sup>th</sup> November 2010.

### Budget:

The Budget Statement will take place on Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2011

### House of Commons calendar for the 2010/2012 session:

The Leader of the House announced the following recess dates for the 2010/2012 session:

#### Whitsun recess 2010

The House rose on Thursday 27 May 2010 and returned on Wednesday 2 June 2010

#### Summer recess 2010

The House rose on Tuesday 27 July and returned on Monday 6 September (for two weeks).

#### Conference recess 2010

The House rose on Thursday 16 September and returned on Monday 11 October.

#### Christmas recess 2010

The House will rise on Tuesday 21 December and will return on Monday 10 January

#### February recess 2011

The House will rise on Thursday 17 February and will return on Monday 28 February

#### Easter recess 2011

The House will rise on Tuesday 5 April and will return on Tuesday 26 April

#### Whitsun recess 2011

The House will rise on Tuesday 24 May and will return on Tuesday 7 June

#### Summer recess 2011

The House will rise on Tuesday 19 July and will return on Monday 5 September

#### Conference recess 2011

The House will rise on Thursday 15 September and will return on Monday 10 October

#### Christmas recess 2011

The House will rise on Tuesday 20 December and will return on Tuesday 10 January

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The Week Ahead: 13 – 17 December 2010

Date	Commons Chamber	General Committees	Select Committees	Lords Chamber	Lords Select Committees
<p><b>Mon</b> <b>13 Dec.</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• OPQ – Defence, including Topical Questions</li> <li>• Legislation – Police Reform and Social Responsibility Bill – Second reading</li> <li>• Adj – Schools admissions policies</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• ECB – European Union Document relating to Corporate Governance in Financial Institutions and Remuneration Policies</li> <li>• 1<sup>st</sup> DLC – Draft Road Safety (Financial Penalty Deposit) (Appropriate Amount) (Amendment) Order 2010</li> <li>• 2nd DLC – Tobacco Products (Descriptions of Products) (Amendment) Order 2010</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Backbench Business</li> <li>• Communities and Local Government</li> <li>• European Scrutiny</li> <li>• Treasury</li> <li>• Administration</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Oral Questions</li> <li>• Legislation – Voting System and Constituencies Bill - Committee of the whole House (Day 4)</li> <li>• Short Debate – World population growth</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Internal Market, Energy and Transport (EU Sub-Committee B)</li> </ul>
<p><b>Tues</b> <b>14 Dec.</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• OPQ – Foreign and Commonwealth Office, including Topical Questions</li> <li>• Ten Minute Rule – Banking and Financial Services (Community Investment</li> <li>• Legislation – Lords Amendments to the Superannuation Bill</li> <li>• Legislation – Terrorist Asset Freezing Bill [HL] – Remaining stages</li> <li>• Legislation – Lords Amendments to the Identity Documents Bill</li> <li>• Adj – Transparency in the operation of pension funds</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• ECB – European Union Documents Nos. 9193/10, 10346/10 and Addenda 1–2 and 10561/10 and Addendum 1, relating to the Draft Regulation on the Financial Regulation</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Treasury</li> <li>• Energy and Climate Change</li> <li>• Communities and Local Government</li> <li>• Transport</li> <li>• International Development</li> <li>• Business, Innovation and Skills</li> <li>• Public Accounts</li> <li>• Public Administration</li> <li>• Health</li> <li>• Home Affairs</li> <li>• Culture, Media and Sport</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Oral Questions</li> <li>• Orders and Regulations – Draft Post office Network Subsidy Scheme (Amendment) Order 2010 and the draft National minimum Wage (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2010</li> <li>• Legislation – Public Bodies Bill [HL] - Committee of the whole House (Day 4)</li> <li>• Orders and Regulations – Higher Education (Basic Amount) (England) Regulations 2010</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Economic and Financial Affairs, and International Trade (EU Sub-Committee A)</li> <li>• Economic Affairs</li> <li>• Science and Technology: Sub-Committee 1</li> </ul>
<p><b>Wed</b> <b>15 Dec</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• OPQ – Northern Ireland, Prime Minister</li> <li>• Ten Minute Rule Motion – St George’s Day and St David’s Day</li> <li>• Legislation – Loans to Ireland – All stages</li> <li>• Motion – a report from the Standards Committee</li> <li>• Adj – Water, sanitation and hygiene in the developing world</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Education</li> <li>• Treasury</li> <li>• European Scrutiny</li> <li>• Foreign Affairs</li> <li>• Scottish Affairs</li> <li>• Environmental Audit</li> <li>• Northern Ireland Affairs</li> <li>• Environment, Food and Rural Affairs</li> <li>• Procedure</li> <li>• Public Accounts</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Oral Questions</li> <li>• Legislation – Parliamentary Voting System and Constituencies Bill</li> <li>• Short Debate – Future of hospices and palliative care services</li> <li>• Orders and Regulations</li> <li>• Debate – Draft United Kingdom Marine Policy Statement – Consideration in Grand Committee</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Constitution</li> <li>• Home Affairs (EU Sub-Committee F)</li> <li>• Agriculture, Fisheries and Environment (EU Sub-Committee D)</li> </ul>
<p><b>Thurs</b> <b>16 Dec</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• OPQ – Energy and Climate Change, including Topical Questions</li> <li>• Business Statement</li> <li>• Backbench Business – (i) Park Homes (ii) Work of the Committee of Public Accounts</li> <li>• Adj – Government support to football and football governance</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Political and Constitutional Reform</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Oral Questions</li> <li>• Debate – Oil spill in the Gulf of Mexico</li> <li>• Debate – The reorganisation of the National Health Service</li> <li>• Orders and Regulations – Wireless Telegraphy Act 2006 (Directions to OFCOM) order 2010</li> <li>• Royal Assent</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Social Policies and Consumer Protection (EU Sub-Committee G)</li> </ul>
<p><b>Fri</b> <b>17 Dec.</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The House will not be sitting</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The House will not be sitting</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>

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

**Monday 6 September – Tuesday 21 December 2010**

<b>Mon. 13 September</b>	<b>Tues. 14 September</b>	<b>Wed. 15 September</b>	<b>Thur. 16 September</b>
• Defence	• Foreign and Commonwealth Office	• Northern Ireland • Prime Minister	• Energy and Climate Change
<b>Mon. 11 October</b>	<b>Tues. 12 October</b>	<b>Wed. 13 October</b>	<b>Thur. 14 October</b>
• Education	• Treasury	• International Development • Prime Minister	• Business, Innovation and Skills
<b>Mon. 18 October</b>	<b>Tues. 19 October</b>	<b>Wed. 20 October</b>	<b>Thur. 21 October</b>
• Work and Pensions	• Justice*	• Cabinet Office • Prime Minister	• Communities and Local Government
<b>Mon. 25 October</b>	<b>Tues. 26 October</b>	<b>Weds. 27 October</b>	<b>Thur. 28 October</b>
• Culture, Olympics, Media and Sport • Leader of the House of Commons and House of Commons Commission*	• Deputy Prime Minister* • Attorney General • Church Commissioners; Public Accounts Commission; • Speaker's Committee on the Electoral Commission	• Scotland • Prime Minister	• Transport • Women and Equalities
<b>Mon. 1 November</b>	<b>Tues. 2 November</b>	<b>Wed. 3 November</b>	<b>Thur. 4 November</b>
• Home Office	• Health	• Wales • Prime Minister	• Environment, Food and Rural Affairs
<b>Mon. 8 November</b>	<b>Tues. 9 November</b>	<b>Wed. 10 November</b>	<b>Thur. 11 November</b>
• Defence	• Foreign and Commonwealth Office	• Northern Ireland • Prime Minister	• Energy and Climate Change
<b>Mon. 15 November</b>	<b>Tues. 16 November</b>	<b>Wed. 17 November</b>	<b>Thur. 18 November</b>
• Education	• Treasury	• International Development • Prime Minister	• Business, Innovation and Skills
<b>Mon. 22 November</b>	<b>Tues. 23 November</b>	<b>Wed. 24 November</b>	<b>Thur. 25 November</b>
• Work and Pensions	• Justice*	• Cabinet Office • Prime Minister	• Communities and Local Government
<b>Mon. 29 November</b>	<b>Tues. 30 November</b>	<b>Tues. 1 December</b>	<b>Thur. 2 December</b>
• Culture, Olympics, Media and Sport • Leader of the House of Commons and House of Commons Commission*	Deputy Prime Minister* Attorney General Church Commissioners; Public Accounts Commission; Speaker's Committee on the Electoral Commission	• Scotland • Prime Minister	• Transport
<b>Mon. 6 December</b>	<b>Tues. 7 December</b>	<b>Tues. 8 December</b>	<b>Thur. 9 December</b>
• Home Office	Health	• Wales • Prime Minister	• Environment, Food and Rural Affairs
<b>Mon. 13 December</b>	<b>Tues. 14 December</b>	<b>Tues. 15 December</b>	<b>Thur. 16 December</b>
• Defence	• Foreign and Commonwealth Office	• Northern Ireland • Prime Minister	• Energy and Climate Change
<b>Mon 20 December</b>	<b>Tues 21 December</b>	<b>Wed 22 December</b>	<b>Thurs 23 December</b>
• Education	Treasury	<i>The House is not expected to sit</i>	<i>The House is not expected to sit</i>

\*Remit-

The Deputy Prime Minister also answers on behalf of the Privy Council; Office; The Secretary of State for Scotland also answers on behalf of the Advocate General; The Minister for the Cabinet Office also answers on behalf of Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster.

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

**Monday 10 January – Thursday 17 February 2010**

<b>Mon. 10 January</b>	<b>Tues. 11 January</b>	<b>Wed. 12 January</b>	<b>Thur. 13 January</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Work and Pensions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Justice</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• International Development</li> <li>• Prime Minister</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Business, Innovation and Skills</li> </ul>
<b>Mon. 17 January</b>	<b>Tues. 18 January</b>	<b>Wed. 19 January</b>	<b>Thur. 20 January</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Communities and Local Government</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Deputy Prime Minister*</li> <li>• Attorney General</li> <li>• Church Commissioners; Public Accounts Commission;</li> <li>• Speaker's Committee on the Electoral Commission</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cabinet Office</li> <li>• Prime Minister</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Culture, Olympics, Media and Sport</li> <li>• Leader of the House and House of Commons Commission</li> </ul>
<b>Mon. 24 January</b>	<b>Tues. 25 January</b>	<b>Wed. 26 January</b>	<b>Thur. 27 January</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Home Office</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Health</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Scotland</li> <li>• Prime Minister</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Transport</li> <li>• Women and Equalities</li> </ul>
<b>Mon. 31 January</b>	<b>Tues. 1 February</b>	<b>Wed. 2 February</b>	<b>Thur. 3 February</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Defence</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Foreign and Commonwealth Office</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Wales</li> <li>• Prime Minister</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Environment, Food and Rural Affairs</li> </ul>
<b>Mon. 7 February</b>	<b>Tues. 8 February</b>	<b>Wed. 9 February</b>	<b>Thur. 10 February</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Education</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Treasury</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Northern Ireland</li> <li>• Prime Minister</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Energy and Climate Change</li> </ul>
<b>Mon. 14 February</b>	<b>Tues. 15 February</b>	<b>Wed. 16 February</b>	<b>Thur. 17 February</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Work and Pensions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Justice</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• International Development</li> <li>• Prime Minister</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Business, Innovation and Skills</li> </ul>

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**Business of the House of Commons  
3 – 10 December 2010**

**Friday 3 December**

*The House sat at 9.30am*

**Private Members' Bills:**

**Legislation** – Daylight Saving Bill– Rebecca Harris – 2R (Bill read a Second time)

**Legislation** – Gangmasters Licensing (Extension to Construction Industry) Bill – Mr David Hamilton – 2R (Debate adj. Order for 2R 28 January 2011)

**Legislation** – Face Coverings (Regulation) Bill – Mr Philip Hollobone– 2R (Order for 2R 2 December 2011)

**Legislation** – Secured Lending Reform Bill – George Eustice – 2R (Order for 2R 21 January 2011)

**Legislation** – Parliamentary Standards (Amendment) Bill – Adam Afriyie – 2R (Order for 2R 16 December)

**Adjournment** – Turks and Caicos Islands – Andrew Rosindell

*The House rose at 3.00pm*

**Monday 6 December**

*The House sat at 2.30pm*

**Speaker's Statement**

**Oral Questions** – Home Office, including Topical Questions

**Debate** – Opposition Day (8<sup>th</sup> allotted Day) – Unfair distribution and impact of cuts to local government funding (Opposition motion Negatived on Division)

**Adjournment** – Future of the Royal Fleet Auxiliary – John McDonnell

*The House rose at 10.48pm*

## Tuesday 7 December

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

### **Westminster Hall Private Members' Debates:**

09.30-11.00 – Government policy on gypsy and traveller sites – Gavin Williamson  
11.00-12.30 – Detention of Palestinian children and the human rights situation in the West Bank – Sandra Osborne  
12.30-13.00 – Railway station provision and rail travel in Erewash – Jessica Lee  
13.00-13.30 – Social housing in The Meadows, Nottingham – Lilian Greenwood  
13.30-14.00 – Energy industry in East Anglia – Brandon Lewis

*The House sat at 2.30pm*

**Oral Questions** – Health, including Topical Questions

**Statement** – Rehabilitation and sentencing – Kenneth Clarke

**Ten Minute Rule Motion** – Safe Standing (Football Stadia) – Sir Robert Smith (Agreed, Bill presented and read a First time)

**Legislation** – European Union Bill – Second reading (Bill read a Second time)

**Legislation** – European Union Bill – Programme Motion (Agreed)

**Legislation** – European Union Bill – Money Resolution (Agreed)

**Adjournment** – Regulation of foreign exchange services: the case of Crown Currency Exchange – Tessa Munt

*The House rose at 10.48pm*

## Wednesday 8 December

*The House sat in Westminster Hall between 9.30-5.00pm*

### **Westminster Hall Private Members' Debates:**

09.30-11.00 – Defence spending in Wales – Mrs Siân James  
11.00-11.30 – Regulation of football ground capacity – Nic Dakin  
14.30-16.00 – Role of tourism in regenerating seaside towns – Laura Sandys  
16.00-16.30 – Rail services to Nuneaton Station – Mr Marcus Jones  
16.30-17.00 – Deaths of civilians in Ballymurphy in August 1971 – Mark Durkan

*The House sat at 11.30am*

**Oral Questions** – Wales, Prime Minister

**Statement** – Social Security Benefits Up-rating – Steve Webb

**Bill Presented** – Armed Forces Bill (Bill read a First time)

**Ten Minute Rule Motion** – Council Housing (Local Financing Pathfinders) – Sarah Newton (Agreed, Bill presented and read a First time)

**Debate** – Estimates Day (1<sup>st</sup> allotted day) – (i) Police Funding for 2011/12 (Agreed) (ii) Department for International Development's Assistance to Zimbabwe (Agreed) – at 7.00pm the House will be asked to agree all outstanding estimates

**Motion** – Business of the House (Thursday) (Agreed, on Division)

**Adjournment** – Acute mental health service provision in Lancashire – Mark Hendrick

*The House rose at 12.11am*

**Thursday 9 December**

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

**Westminster Hall:** A debate on the Future of Pubs

*The House sat at 10.30am*

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

**Speaker's Statement** – Division (Numbers incorrectly reported)

**Business Statement** – Leader of the House

**Bill Presented** – Loans to Ireland Bill (Bill read a First time)

**Legislation** – Proceedings on the Consolidated Fund (Appropriation) (No. 2) Bill (Read a Second and Third time and passed)

**Motion** – To approve resolution on increasing the higher amount which is to be applied under the higher Education Act 2004 (Agreed on Division)

**Motion** – Relating to the draft Higher Education (Basic Amount) (England) Regulations (Agreed on Division)

**Adjournment** – Patient confidentiality and the mentally ill – Dr Julian Lewis

*The House rose at 6.26pm*

**Friday 10 December**

*The House did not sit*

**Written Ministerial Statements  
3 – 10 December 2010**

- 3.12.10 ECOFIN – Mr George Osborne
- 3.12.10 Yorkshire Forward – Vince Cable
- 3.12.10 Competitiveness Council – Mr David Willetts
- 3.12.10 Council Tax – Robert Neill
- 3.12.10 Operational Logistics Information Capability (Improvements) – Peter Luff
- 3.12.10 Forced Marriage and Learning Disabilities (Practice Guidelines) – Lynne Featherstone
- 3.12.10 Employment, Social Policy, Health and Consumer Affairs Council (Agenda) – Chris Grayling
- 6.12.10 Anti-Avoidance (Tax Policy) – Mr David Gauke
- 6.12.10 E-Communications (Mutual Sector) – Mr Mark Hoban
- 6.12.10 Children’s Commissioner Review – Sarah Teather
- 6.12.10 Childhood (Commercialisation and Sexualisation) – Sarah Teather
- 6.12.10 Ship-to-Ship Transfer Regulations – Mike Penning
- 6.12.10 Disability Living Allowance Reform – Maria Miller
- 6.12.10 Social Fund Budgeting Loans – Steve Webb
- 7.12.10 Education, Youth, Culture and Sport Council – Mr Edward Vaizey
- 7.12.10 The Future of Myplace – Tim Loughton
- 7.12.10 Student Immigration System – Damian Green
- 7.12.10 Public Guardian Board (Annual Report) – Mr Jonathan Djanogly
- 7.12.10 Rail Industry Review – Mr Philip Hammond
- 8.12.10 Higher Education Funding and Student Finance – Vince Cable
- 8.12.10 Foreign Affairs Council in Defence Formation (9 December 2010) – Mr Andrew Robathan
- 8.12.10 Taskforce on the Military Covenant – Mr Andrew Robathan
- 8.12.10 “Valuing People Now: Summary Report March 2009- September 2010” – Paul Burstow
- 8.12.10 CRB Independent Complaint Monitor Annual Report 2009-10 – Lynne Featherstone
- 8.12.10 Drug Strategy – James Brokenshire
- 8.12.10 Development Ministers Foreign Affairs Council – Mr Andrew Mitchell
- 8.12.10 Maritime Industry and Light Dues – Mike Penning
- 9.12.10 EU Competitiveness Council (Pre-Council Statement) – Mr Mark Prisk
- 9.12.10 Anti-avoidance: Disguised Remuneration – Mr David Gauke
- 9.12.10 Tax Policy Making and Draft Finance Bill 2011 – Mr David Gauke
- 9.12.10 Unfunded Public Service Pension Contributions – Danny Alexander

- 9.12.10 Restricting Pensions Tax Relief – Mr Mark Hoban
- 9.12.10 Localism Bill and Social Housing – Grant Shapps
- 9.12.10 War Pensions: Uprating 2011 – Mr Andrew Robathan
- 9.12.10 Foreign Affairs Council and General Affairs Council – Mr David Lidington
- 9.12.10 Turks and Caicos Islands – Mr Henry Bellingham
- 9.12.10 UK's Relationship with the Commonwealth – Mr William Hague
- 9.12.10 Justice and Home Affairs (Post-Council Statement) – Mrs Theresa May
- 9.12.10 Parliamentary Written Question (Correction) – Steve Webb
- 9.12.10 Skills Conditionality: Public Consultation – Chris Grayling
- 9.12.10 Benefits Uprating – Steve Webb

## Forthcoming Business of the House of Commons 13 – 17 December 2010

### Monday 13 December

*The House will sit at 2.30pm*

**Oral Questions** – Defence, including Topical Questions

**Presentation of Bill** – Localism Bill

**Legislation** – Police Reform and Social Responsibility Bill – Second reading

**Adjournment** – Schools admissions policies – Mark Lancaster

### Tuesday 14 December

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

#### **Westminster Hall Private Members' Debates:**

09.30-11.00 – Legal aid – Ms Karen Buck

11.00-12.30 – Intensive dairy farming - Stephen Phillips

12.30-13.00 – Take-up of early years education places – Ann Coffey

13.00-13.30 – Proposed closure of Kettering Magistrates' Court – Mr Philip Hollobone

13.30-14.00 – Role of school sports co-ordinators in Colchester – Bob Russell

*The House will sit at 2.30pm*

**Oral Questions** – Foreign and Commonwealth Office, including Topical Questions

**Ten Minute Rule Motion** – Banking and Financial Services (Community Investment) – Hazel Blears

**Legislation** – Consideration of Lords Amendments to the Superannuation Bill

**Legislation** – Terrorist Asset Freezing Bill [HL] – Remaining stages

**Legislation** – Consideration of Lords Amendments to the Identity Documents Bill

**Adjournment** – Transparency in the operation of pension funds – Jon Cruddas

### Wednesday 15 December

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

#### **Westminster Hall Private Members' Debates:**

09.30-11.00 – Outdoor learning for children and teachers – Simon Hart

11.00-11.30 – Pollution in Horn Lane, Acton – Angie Bray

14.30-16.00 – Financial support for students over the age of sixteen – Teresa Pearce

16.00-16.30 – Government support for small manufacturing businesses – Siobhain McDonagh

16.30-17.00 – Flooding in Cornwall – Stephen Gilbert

*The House will sit at 11.30am*

**Oral Questions** – Northern Ireland, Prime Minister

**Ten Minute Rule Motion** – St George's Day and St David's Day – Nadhim Zahawi

**Motion** – Allocation of time

**Legislation** – Loans to Ireland – All stages

**Motion** – To approve 9<sup>th</sup> Report 2010/11 from the Standards and Privileges Committee (HC 654)

**Adjournment** – Water, sanitation and hygiene in the developing world – Mr Don Foster

**Thursday 16 December**

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

**Westminster Hall:** A debate on Drugs policy

*The House will sit at 10.30am*

**Oral Questions** – Energy and Climate Change, including Topical Questions

**Business Statement** – Leader of the House

**Backbench Business** – (i) Motion relating to Park Homes (ii) Motion relating to the work of the Committee of Public Accounts

**Adjournment** – Government support to football and football governance – John Mann

**Friday 17 December**

*The House will not be sitting*

**Provisional Forthcoming Business of the House of Commons  
20 – 21 December 2010**

**Monday 20 December**

*The House will sit at 2.30pm*

**Oral Questions** – Education, including Topical Questions

**General Debate** – Firearms Control

**Adjournment** – Effect of mobile phones on human health – Mr Tom Watson

**Tuesday 21 December**

*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** – HM Treasury, including Topical Questions

**Ten Minute Rule Motion** – Television and Radio Advertising (Credit and Debt Management Services) – Mrs Jenny Chapman

**Backbench Business** – Pre-recess adjournment debate

**Adjournment** – Funding for highways and the Mottram Tintwistle bypass – Andrew Bingham

*N.B. The House will rise for the Christmas Recess at the close of business*

\*\* There are no Westminster Hall Debates currently scheduled

## Forthcoming Business of the House of Lords 13 – 17 December 2010

### Monday 13 December

*The House will sit at 2:30pm*

**Oral Questions** – Involving disabled people in the decisions taken by Ministers that affect them - Baroness Campbell of Surbiton; Alleviating hardship suffered by people living Gaza - Lord Fowler; Ability of Parliament to hold Her Majesty's Government to account - Baroness Royall of Blaisdon; Legal aid and Family Courts - Baroness Deech

**Legislation** – Parliamentary Voting System and Constituencies Bill - Committee of the whole House (Day 4) - Lord McNally

**Short Debate** – World population growth – Lord Hodgson of Astley Abbotts

### Tuesday 14 December

*The House will sit at 2:30pm*

**Oral Questions** – Repatriation from the European Union - Lord Spicer; Opening times for retail premises on Remembrance Sunday - Lord Davies of Coity; British Indian Ocean Territory Fund - Baroness Whitaker

**Orders and Regulations** – Draft Post office Network Subsidy Scheme (Amendment) Order 2010 and the draft National minimum Wage (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2010 – Baroness Wilcox

**Legislation** – Public Bodies Bill [HL] - Committee of the whole House (Day 4) - Lord Taylor of Holbeach

**Orders and Regulations** – Higher Education (Basic Amount) (England) Regulations 2010 – Lord Henley

### Wednesday 15 December

*The House will sit at 3:00pm*

**Oral Questions**; Implementation of the Olympic Truce at the London 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Games - Lord Bates; Role of China in the development of the infrastructure and economy of Burma - Lord Elton; Changing the National Census - Lord Naseby

**Orders and Regulations** – Draft Road Safety (Financial Penalty Deposit) (Appropriate Amount) (Amendment) Order 2010 – Earl Atlee

**Legislation** – Parliamentary Voting System and Constituencies Bill - Committee of the whole House (Day 5) - Lord McNally

**Short debate** – Future of hospices and palliative care services – Viscount Bridgeman

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

**Debate** – Draft United Kingdom Marine Policy Statement – Consideration in Grand Committee – Lord Henley

### Thursday 16 December

*The House will sit at 11:00am*

**Oral Questions** – Impact on women of the Government's economic policies - Baroness Massey of Darwen; Prohibiting the wearing of masks or disguises at demonstrations - Baroness Miller of Hendon; Dialogue between Indonesia and the indigenous West Papuan opposition - Lord Harries of Pentregarth

**Debate** – To move that the 3<sup>rd</sup> Report from the Select Committee (HL Paper 71) to be agreed

**Debate** – Deepwater Horizon oil spill in the Gulf of Mexico - Lord Moynihan

**Debate** – The reorganisation of the National Health Service - Lord Touhig

**Orders and Regulations** – Wireless Telegraphy Act 2006 (Directions to OFCOM) order 2010

**Royal Assent**

### Friday 17 December

*The House will not be sitting.*

**Provisional Forthcoming Business of the House of Lords  
20 – 22 December 2010**

**Monday 20 December**

*The House will sit at 2:15pm*

**Introduction(s)** – Sir Robert Balchin, Andrew Feldman Esq and Michael Dobbs Esq

**Oral Questions** – The age of criminal responsibility - The Earl of Listowel; The benefits system - Lord German; NHS targets - Lord Wills; Exclusion of shares listed on the alternative investment market from eligibility from Individual Savings Accounts – Lord Lee of Trafford

**Legislation** – Parliamentary Voting System and Constituencies Bill - Committee of the whole House (Day 4) - Lord McNally

**Short Debate** – Principles of global health and medical education – Lord Crisp

**Tuesday 21 December**

*The House will sit at 2:15pm*

**Introduction(s)** – Sir Patrick Cormack, John Sharkey Esq and Sir Robert Ribeiro

**Oral Questions** – Definition of a "working peer" - Lord Selsdon; Treatment of prisoners - Lord Sheldon; Bachelor of Science degrees for courses in alternative medicines - Lord Taverne

**Legislation** – Re-Export controls Bill [HL] - Committee of the whole House (Day 1) - Lord Alton of Liverpool

**Legislation** – Public Bodies Bill [HL] - Committee of the whole House (Day 4) - Lord Taylor of Holbeach

**Orders and Regulations** – Draft Welfare of Farmed Animals (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2010, Draft Mutilations (Permitted Procedures) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2010 – Lord Henley

**Wednesday 22 December**

*The House will sit at 3:00pm*

**Introduction(s)** – Fiona Shackleton LVO and Dee Doocey OBE

**Oral Questions**; Government investment in science - Baroness Jones of Whitchurch; Funding for British Council Language Assistants Programmes - Baroness Coussins; Reform of the Common Fisheries Policy - Lord Eden of Winton

**Legislation** – Energy Bill [HL] – Lord Marland

**Royal Assent**

*N.B. The House will rise for the Christmas Recess at the close of business*

## 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:

<b>G</b>	Government Bills
<b>C</b>	Consolidation Bills
<b>B</b>	Private Members' Bills (under the ballot procedure). The number after refers to position in ballot
<b>P</b>	Private Members' Bills (under SO No 57)
<b>T</b>	Private Members' Bills (under the Ten Minute Rule, SO No 23)
<b>L</b>	Private Members' Bills starting in the House of Lords
<b>[HL]</b>	Bill starting in the House of Lords
<b>HYBRID</b>	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
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 negated. (Indicates that there was no debate at committee stage in the House of Lords)
OCD	Order of Commitment discharged (no debate at committee stage in the House of Lords)
Rep	Report stage (detailed review of the Bill as amended in committee)
3R	Third reading (final debate on the Bill)
RS	Remaining stages of a bill on the same day (usually report stage and third reading)
LA	Lords' amendments considered in the House of Commons
CA	Commons' amendments considered in the House of Lords
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.

<b>ACADEMIES [HL] (G)</b>		Lord Hill of Oareford / Michael Gove
Lords: <b>(1, 10)</b>	*1R: 26.5.2010      2R: 7.6.2010	Comm: 21, 23 & 28.6.2010
Rep: 6 & 7.7.2010	3R: 13.7.2010	
Commons: <b>(57)</b>	1R: 13.7.2010      2R: 19.7.2010	*Prog: 19.7.2010      *MR: 19.7.2010
Comm: 21, 22 & 26.7.2010	3R: 26.7.2010	
Lords: ()	CA: 27.7.2010	
*RA: 27.7.2010 (Ch. 32)		
<b>ACADEMIES ACT</b>		
ACTIVITY CENTRES (YOUNG PERSONS' SAFETY) (AMENDMENT) (P)		Mr Christopher Chope
Commons: <b>(91)</b>	*1R: 21.10.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 20.5.2011 (1)</i>
ANONYMITY (ARRESTED PERSONS) (B6)		Anna Soubry
Commons: <b>(9)</b>	*1R: 30.6.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 4.2.2011 (1)</i>
APPREHENSION OF BURGLARS (P)		Mr Philip Hollobone
Commons: <b>(40)</b>	*1R: 5.7.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 3.2.2012 (1)</i>
APPRENTICESHIPS AND SKILLS (PUBLIC PROCUREMENT CONTRACTS) (T)		Catherine McKinnell
Commons: <b>(70)</b>	1R: 14.9.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 11.2.2011 (4)</i>
<b>ARMED FORCES (G)</b>		Liam Fox
Commons: <b>(122)</b>	*1R: 8.12.2010	<i>Prov 2R: No date</i>
ARMED FORCES (LEAVE) (P)		Mr Peter Bone
Commons: <b>(52)</b>	*1R: 5.7.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 18.11.2011 (1)</i>
ARMED FORCES CHARTER (T)		Thomas Docherty
Commons: <b>(104)</b>	1R: 9.11.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 11.11.2011 (2)</i>
BROADCASTING (PUBLIC SERVICE CONTENT) (P)		Mr Christopher Chope
Commons: <b>(27)</b>	*1R: 5.7.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 1.4.2011 (1)</i>
BROADCASTING (TELEVISION LICENCE FEE ABOLITION) (P)		Mr Peter Bone
Commons: <b>(46)</b>	*1R: 5.7.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 13.1.2012 (1)</i>
<b>BUDGET RESPONSIBILITY AND NATIONAL AUDIT [HL] (G)</b>		Lord Sassoon
Lords: <b>(23)</b>	*1R: 21.10.2010      2R: 8.11.2010	Comm**: 29.11; 1, 6 & 9.12.2010
<i>date</i>		<i>Prov Rep: No</i>
BUILDING REGULATIONS (REVIEW) [HL] (L)		Lord Harrison
Lords: <b>(7)</b>	*1R: 26.5.2010      2R: 22.10.2010	<i>Prov Comm: No date</i>
CARERS (IDENTIFICATION AND SUPPORT) (T)		Barbara Keeley
Commons: <b>(55)</b>	1R: 14.7.2010	<i>Prov 2R: 4.2.2011 (5)</i>
CHEQUES (T)		Mr David Ward
Commons: <b>(101)</b>	1R: 2.11.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 17.6.2011 (9)</i>
COINAGE (MEASUREMENT) (B13)		Mark Lancaster
Commons: <b>(16)</b>	*1R: 30.6.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 4.2.2011 (2)</i>

COMPENSATION (LIMITATION) (P) Commons: (85) *1R: 21.10.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 18.3.2011 (4)</i>	Mr Christopher Chope
<b>CONSOLIDATED FUND (G)</b> Commons: (111) *1R: 8.12.2010 *2R: 9.12.2010 *3R: 9.12.2010		Mark Hoban
<b>CONSOLIDATED FUND (APPROPRIATION) (G)</b> Commons: (2) *1R: 19.7.2010 *2R: 20.7.2010 *3R: 20.7.2010 Lords: () *1R: 20.7.2010 *2R: 26.7.2010 *CN: 26.7.2010 *3R: 26.7.2010 *RA: 27.7.2010 (Ch. 30)		Mr Mark Hoban
<b>APPROPRIATION (NO. 3) ACT</b>		
CONSUMER CREDIT (REGULATION AND ADVICE) (T) Commons: (103) 1R: 3.11.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 4.2.2011 (4)</i>	Stella Creasy
CONSUMER PROTECTION (PRIVATE CAR PARKS) (T) Commons: (114) 1R: 30.11.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 4.2.2011 (7)</i>	Henry Smith
CONTAMINATED BLOOD (SUPPORT FOR INFECTED AND BEREAVED PERSONS) [HL] (L) Lords: (6) *1R: 26.5.2010 2R: 22.10.2010 *OCD: 10.11.2010 3R: 17.11.2010 Commons: () *1R: 17.11.2010 <i>Prov 2R: 11.2.2011(5)</i>	Lord Morris of Manchester / Mr Tom Clarke	
COUNCIL HOUSING (LOCAL FINANCING PATHFINDERS) (T) Commons: (124) 1R: 8.12.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 21.1.2011 (12)</i>	Sarah Newton
CREDIT REGULATION (CHILD PORNOGRAPHY) (T) Commons: (61) 1R: 21.7.2010 <i>Prov 2R: 21.1.2011 (8)</i>		Geraint Davies
CRIMINAL RECORDS (PUBLIC ACCESS) (P) Commons: (90) *1R: 21.10.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 13.5.2011 (2)</i>	Mr Christopher Chope
DAYLIGHT SAVING (B4) Commons: (7) *1R: 30.6.2010 2R: 3.12.2010 (1) <i>Prov PBC: No date</i>		Rebecca Harris
DEFAMATION [HL] (L) Lords: (3) *1R: 26.5.2010 2R: 9.7.2010 <i>Prov Comm: No date</i>		Lord Lester of Herne Hill
DEMONSTRATIONS IN THE VICINITY OF PARLIAMENT (REMOVAL OF AUTHORISATION REQUIREMENTS) [HL] (L) Lords: (21) *1R: 11.10.2010 <i>Prov 2R: No date</i>		Lord Tyler
DOG CONTROL [HL] (L) Lords: (4) *1R: 26.5.2010 2R: 9.7.2010 <i>Prov Comm: No date</i>		Lord Redesdale
DOG CONTROL AND WELFARE (T) Commons: (65) 1R: 27.7.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 17.6.2011 (5)</i>	Andrew Rosindell
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE, CRIME AND VICTIMS (AMENDMENT) (B19) Commons: (22) *1R: 30.6.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 21.1.2011 (4)</i>	Sir Paul Beresford
DRUGS (ROADSIDE TESTING) (P) Commons: (25) *1R: 5.7.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 10.6.2011 (1)</i>	Mr Christopher Chope
ELECTOR REGISTRATION (P) Commons: (47) *1R: 5.7.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 28.10.2011 (1)</i>	Mr Peter Bone
ELECTORAL LAW (AMENDMENT) (P) Commons: (48) *1R: 5.7.2010 <i>Prov 2R: 14.1.2011 (1)</i>		Mr Peter Bone
EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES (P) Commons: (24) *1R: 5.7.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 17.6.2011 (1)</i>	Mr Christopher Chope
EMPLOYMENT RETENTION (T) Commons: (107) 1R: 16.11.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 4.2.2011 (6)</i>	John Robertson

<b>ENERGY [HL] (G)</b>					Lord Marland
Lords: ( )	<i>Prov 1R: 8.12.2010</i>	<i>Prov 2R: 22.12.2010</i>			
<b>EPILEPSY AND RELATED CONDITIONS (EDUCATION AND HEALTH SERVICES) (T)</b>					Valerie Vaz
Commons: (112)	1R: 24.11.2010 (not printed)		<i>Prov 2R: 4.3.2011 (4)</i>		
<b>EQUALITY AND DIVERSITY (REFORM) (P)</b>					Mr Philip Davies
Commons: (82)	*1R: 21.10.2010 (not printed)		<i>Prov 2R: 21.10.2011 (1)</i>		
<b>EQUITABLE LIFE (PAYMENTS) (G)</b>					Mark Hoban
Commons: (62)	1R: 22.7.2010 (not printed)	2R: 14.9.2010		*Prog: 14.9.2010	
*MR: 14.9.2010	Comm: 10.11.2010	3R: 10.11.2010			
Lords: (28)	*1R: 11.11.2010	2R: 24.11.2010	*CN: 24.11.2010	*3R: 24.11.2010	
<b>ESTATES OF DECEASED PERSONS (FORFEITURE RULE AND LAW OF SUCCESSION) (B5)</b>					Mr Greg Knight
Commons: (8)	*1R: 30.6.2010 (1) (not printed)		<i>Prov 2R: 21.1.2011 (1)</i>		
<b>EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES ACT 1972 (REPEAL) (P)</b>					Mr Philip Hollobone
Commons: (42)	*1R: 5.7.2010 (not printed)		<i>Prov 2R: 9.12.2011 (1)</i>		
<b>EUROPEAN UNION (G)</b>					William Hague
Commons: (106)	*1R: 11.11.2010	2R: 7.12.2010	*Prog: 7.12.2010	*MR: 7.12.2010	
<i>Prov Comm: No date</i>					
<b>EUROPEAN UNION (AUDIT OF BENEFITS AND COSTS OF UK MEMBERSHIP) (P)</b>					Mr Philip Hollobone
Commons: (35)	*1R: 5.7.2010 (not printed)		<i>Prov 2R: 27.1.2012 (1)</i>		
<b>EUROPEAN UNION MEMBERSHIP (ECONOMIC IMPLICATIONS) [HL] (L)</b>					Lord Pearson of Rannoch
Lords: (16)	*1R: 19.7.2010	<i>Prov 2R: No date</i>			
<b>EUROPEAN UNION MEMBERSHIP (REFERENDUM) (P)</b>					Mr Peter Bone
Commons: (45)	*1R: 5.7.2010 (not printed)		<i>Prov 2R: 30.3.2012 (1)</i>		
<b>FACE COVERINGS (REGULATION) (B17)</b>					Mr Philip Hollobone
Commons: (20)	*1R: 30.6.2010	<i>Prov 2R: 2.12.2011 (2)</i>			
<b>FINANCE (G)</b>					David Gauke
Commons: (3)	*1R: 28.6.2010	2R: 6.7.2010	Comm: 12, 13 & 15.7.2010		3R: 20.7.2010
Lords: ( )	*1R: 21.7.2010	2R: 26.7.2010	*CN: 26.7.2010	*3R: 26.7.2010	
*RA: 27.7.2010 (Ch. 31)					
<b>FINANCE (NO. 2) ACT</b>					
<b>FINANCE (NO. 2) (G)</b>					Mr David Gauke
Commons: (72, 100)	*1R: 15.9.2010 (not printed)	2R: 11.10.2010	PBC: 19, 26 & 28.10.2010		
Rep: 8.11.2010	3R: 8.11.2010				
Lords: ( )	*1R: 9.11.2010	2R: 22.11.2010	*CN: 22.11.2010	*3R: 22.11.2010	
<b>FINANCIAL SERVICES (REGULATION OF DEPOSITS AND LENDING) (T)</b>					Mr Douglas Carswell
Commons: (71)	1R: 15.9.2010	<i>Prov 2R: 30.3.2012 (2)</i>			
<b>FINANCIAL SERVICES (UNFAIR TERMS IN CONSUMER CONTRACTS) (B16)</b>					Lorely Burt
Commons: (19)	*1R: 30.6.2010 (Withdrawn)				
<b>FIRE SAFETY (PROTECTION OF TENANTS) (B11)</b>					Mr Adrian Sanders
Commons: (14)	*1R: 30.6.2010	<i>Prov 2R: 21.1.2011 (7)</i>			
<b>FIXED-TERM PARLIAMENTS (G)</b>					Mr Nick Clegg
Commons: (64, 119)	*1R: 22.7.2010	2R: 13.9.2010	*Prog: 13.9.2010	Comm: 16.11.2010	
*Prog: 24.11.2010	Comm: 24.11; 1.12.2010		<i>Prov Rep: No date</i>		
<b>FOREIGN PRISONERS (REPATRIATION) (T)</b>					Mr Philip Hollobone
Commons: (54)	1R: 13.7.2010 (not printed)		<i>Prov 2R: 24.2.2012 (1)</i>		
<b>FREEDOM OF INFORMATION (AMENDMENT) (T)</b>					Tom Brake
Commons: (68)	1R: 7.9.2010	<i>Prov 2R: 21.1.2011 (6)</i>			

FURTHER AND HIGHER EDUCATION (ACCESS) (P) Commons: (83) *1R: 21.10.2010 (not printed) <i>Prov 2R: 4.3.2011 (2)</i>	Mr Christopher Chope
GANGMASTERS LICENSING (EXTENSION TO CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY) (B8) Commons: (11) *1R: 30.6.2010 <i>Prov 2R: 28.1.2011 (2)</i>	David Hamilton
GRANDPARENTS (ACCESS RIGHTS) (T) Commons: (110) <i>Prov 1R: 23.11.2010 (not printed) Prov 2R: 17.6.2011 (11)</i>	Andrew Percy
HEALTH AND SAFETY AT WORK (AMENDMENT) (P) Commons: (92) *1R: 21.10.2010 (not printed) <i>Prov 2R: 15.7.2011 (1)</i>	Mr Christopher Chope
HEALTH AND SAFETY CONSULTANTS (QUALIFICATIONS) (P) Commons: (89) *1R: 21.10.2010 (not printed) <i>Prov 2R: 8.7.2011 (1)</i>	Mr Christopher Chope
HOUSE OF COMMONS DISQUALIFICATION (AMENDMENT) (T) Commons: (80) 1R: 19.10.2010 (not printed) <i>Prov 2R: 28.1.2011 (1)</i>	Mr Peter Bone
HOUSE OF LORDS REFORM [HL] (L) Lords: (8) *1R: 26.5.2010 2R: 3.12.2010 <i>Prov Comm: No date</i>	Lord Steel of Aikwood
HUMAN TRAFFICKING (BORDER CONTROL) (P) Commons: (49) *1R: 5.7.2010 (not printed) <i>Prov 2R: 17.2.2012 (1)</i>	Mr Peter Bone
<b>IDENTITY DOCUMENTS (G)</b> Commons: (1) *1R: 26.5.2010 2R: 9.6.2010 *Prog: 9.6.2010 Theresa May / Baroness Neville-Jones *Prog: 15.9.2010 Rep: 15.9.2010 3R: 15.9.2010 PBC: 29.6; 1 & 6.7.2010 Lords: (19) *1R: 5.10.2010 2R: 18.10.2010 Comm**: 1 & 3.11.2010 Rep: 17.11.2010 3R: 24.11.2010 Commons: () <i>Prov LA: 14.12.2010</i>	
ILLEGALLY LOGGED TIMBER (PROHIBITION OF IMPORT, SALE OR DISTRIBUTION) (P) Commons: (74) *1R: 16.9.2010 (not printed) <i>Prov 2R: 4.2.2011 (3)</i>	Caroline Lucas
LAWFUL INDUSTRIAL ACTION (MINOR ERRORS) (B1) Commons: (4) *1R: 30.6.2010 <i>Prov 2R: 17.6.2011 (7)</i>	John McDonnell
LEGISLATION (TERRITORIAL EXTENT) (B7) Commons: (10) *1R: 30.6.2010 (not printed) <i>Prov 2R: 11.2.2011 (1)</i>	Harriett Baldwin
LIVE MUSIC [HL] (L) Lords: (12) 1R: 7.7.2010 <i>Prov 2R: No date</i>	Lord Clement-Jones
<b>LOANS TO IRELAND (G)</b> Commons: (125) 1R: 9.12.2010 <i>Prov 2R: 15.12.2010 Prov Comm: 15.12.2010</i> <i>Prov Rep: 15.12.2010 Prov 3R: 15.12.2010</i>	Mr George Osborne
<b>LOCAL GOVERNMENT [HL] (G)</b> Lords: (2) *1R: 26.5.2010 2R: 30.6.2010 Comm: 14.7.2010 Rep: 28.7.2010 3R: 5.10.2010 Commons: (75) *1R: 11.10.2010 2R: 21.10.2010 *Prog: 21.10.2010 PBC: 2.11.2010 Rep: 25.11.2010 3R: 25.11.2010	Baroness Hanham / Mr Eric Pickles
LOCAL GOVERNMENT OMBUDSMAN (AMENDMENT) (P) Commons: (86) *1R: 21.10.2010 (not printed) <i>Prov 2R: 18.3.2011 (5)</i>	Mr Christopher Chope
LOCAL REFERENDUMS (P) Commons: (66) *1R: 26.7.2010 (not printed) <i>Prov 2R: 10.6.2011 (5)</i>	Zac Goldsmith
LOW HAZARD WORKPLACES (RISK ASSESSMENT EXEMPTION) (P) Commons: (87) *1R: 21.10.2010 (not printed) <i>Prov 2R: 24.6.2011 (1)</i>	Mr Christopher Chope
MARINE NAVIGATION AIDS [HL] (L) Lords: (9) *1R: 26.5.2010 <i>Prov 2R: No date</i>	Lord Berkeley
MEDICAL INSURANCE (TAX RELIEF) (P) Commons: (50) *1R: 5.7.2010 (not printed) <i>Prov 2R: 10.2.2012 (1)</i>	Mr Peter Bone

MINIMUM WAGE (AMENDMENT) (P) Commons: (29) *1R: 5.7.2010 (not printed) Prov 2R: 4.3.2011 (1)	Mr Christopher Chope
NATIONAL HEALTH SERVICE REDRESS (AMENDMENT) (P) Commons: (96) *1R: 21.10.2010 (not printed) Prov 2R: 9.9.2011 (1)	Mr Christopher Chope
<b>NATIONAL INSURANCE CONTRIBUTIONS (G)</b> Commons: (79) *1R: 14.10.2010 2R: 23.11.2010 *Prog: 23.11.2010 PBC: 2, 7 & 9.12.2010	Mr Chancellor of the Exchequer
NATIONAL PARK AUTHORITIES (P) Commons: (34) *1R: 5.7.2010 (not printed) Prov 2R: 1.4.2011 (2)	Mr Christopher Chope
NATIONAL SERVICE (P) Commons: (37) *1R: 5.7.2010 (not printed) Prov 2R: 16.3.2012 (1)	Mr Philip Hollobone
ONSHORE WIND TURBINES (PROXIMITY OF HABITATION) (T) Commons: (108) Prov 1R: 17.11.2010 (not printed) Prov 2R: 10.6.2011 (4)	Chris Heaton-Harris
PARLIAMENT (AMENDMENT) (T) Commons: (97) 1R: 26.10.2010 (not printed) Prov 2R: 4.3.2011 (3)	Mr Christopher Chope
PARLIAMENTARY STANDARDS (AMENDMENT) (P) Commons: (60) *1R: 20.7.2010 Prov 2R: 16.12.2010	Adam Afriyie
<b>PARLIAMENTARY VOTING SYSTEM AND CONSTITUENCIES (G)</b> Commons: (63) *1R: 22.7.2010 2R: 6.9.2010 *Prog: 6.9.2010 *MR: 6.9.2010 *Prog: 12.10.2010 Comm: 12 & 18.10.2010 *Prov Prog: 19.10.2010 Comm: 19, 20 & 25.10.2010 Prog: 1.11.2010 Rep: 1 & 2.11.2010 3R: 2.11.2010 Lords: () 1R: 3.11.2010 2R: 15 & 16.11.2010 Prov Comm: 30.11; 6, 8, 13 & 15.12.2010	Mr Nick Clegg / Lord McNally
PLANNING (DEVELOPER BONDS) (T) Commons: (99) 1R: 27.10.2010 (not printed) Prov 2R: 17.6.2011 (8)	Justin Tomlinson
PLANNING (OPENCAST MINING SEPARATION ZONES) (B12) Commons: (15) *1R: 30.6.2010 (not printed) Prov 2R: 11.2.2011 (2)	Andrew Bridgen
<b>POLICE REFORM AND SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY (G)</b> Commons: (116) *1R: 30.11.2010 Prov 2R: 13.12.2010	Mrs Theresa May
POLICE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SERVICE (REDUNDANCY) (T) Commons: (81) 1R: 20.10.2010 (not printed) Prov 2R: 14.10.2011	Mark Reckless
<b>POSTAL SERVICES (G)</b> Commons: (78) *1R: 13.10.2010 2R: 27.10.2010 *Prog: 27.10.2010 *MR: 27.10.2010 PBC: 9, 11, 16, 18, 23, 25 & 30.11; 2, 7 & 9.12.2010	Secretary Vince Cable
PROTECTION OF LOCAL SERVICES (PLANNING) (B18) Commons: (21) *1R: 30.6.2010 (not printed) Prov 2R: 21.1.2011 (3)	Nigel Adams
PUBLIC BODIES (DISPOSAL OF ASSETS) (P) Commons: (32) *1R: 5.7.2010 (not printed) Prov 2R: 17.6.2011 (3)	Mr Christopher Chope
PUBLIC BODIES (SUSTAINABLE FOOD) (B9) Commons: (12) *1R: 30.6.2010 Prov 2R: 21.1.2011 (5)	Joan Walley
<b>PUBLIC BODIES [HL] (G)</b> Lords: (25) *1R: 28.10.2010 2R: 9.11.2010 Comm: 23 & 29.11.2010 Prov Comm: 1 & 14.12.2010	Lord Taylor of Holbeach
PUBLIC LIBRARIES AND MUSEUMS ACT 1964 (AMENDMENT) (T) Commons: (118) 1R: 1.12.2010 Prov 2R: 17.6.2011 (12)	Alison McGovern
PUBLIC SERVICES (SOCIAL ENTERPRISE AND SOCIAL VALUE) (B3) Commons: (6) *1R: 30.6.2010 2R: 19.11.2010 (1) Prov PBC: No date	Chris White

RECALL OF ELECTED REPRESENTATIVES (P) Commons: (67) *1R: 26.7.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 10.6.2011 (6)</i>	Zac Goldsmith
RE-EXPORT CONTROLS [HL] (L) Lords: (5) *1R: 26.5.2010 2R: 3.12.2010	<i>Prov Comm: 21.12.2010</i>	Lord Alton of Liverpool
REFERENDUM (EUROPEAN UNION) [HL] (L) Lords: (18) *1R: 27.7.2010	<i>Prov 2R: No date</i>	Lord Willoughby de Broke
REFERENDUMS (P) Commons: (30) *1R: 5.7.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 18.3.2011 (3)</i>	Mr Christopher Chope
REGULATORY AUTHORITIES (LEVEL OF CHARGES) (P) Commons: (33) *1R: 5.7.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 13.5.2011 (1)</i>	Mr Christopher Chope
REHABILITATION OF OFFENDERS (AMENDMENT) [HL] (L) Lords: (11) 1R: 29.6.2010	<i>Prov 2R: No date</i>	Lord Dholakia
REPORTING OF INJURIES, DISEASES AND DANGEROUS OCCURRENCES REGULATION (P) Commons: (84) *1R: 21.10.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 17.12.2010 (1)</i>	Mr Christopher Chope
RESIDENTIAL ROADS (ADOPTION BY LOCAL AUTHORITIES) (P) Commons: (36) *1R: 5.7.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 4.11.2011 (1)</i>	Mr Philip Hollobone
RETURN OF ASYLUM SEEKERS (APPLICATIONS FROM CERTAIN COUNTRIES) (P) Commons: (39) *1R: 5.7.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 2.12.2011 (1)</i>	Mr Philip Hollobone
RIGHTS (P) Commons: (43) *1R: 5.7.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 16.12.2011 (1)</i>	Mr Philip Hollobone
ROAD TRAFFIC ACCIDENT (PERSONAL INJURY) (AMENDMENT) (P) Commons: (95) *1R: 21.10.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 11.3.2011 (1)</i>	Mr Christopher Chope
ROYAL COMMISSION (LONDON) (T) Commons: (76) <i>Prov 1R: 12.10.2010</i> (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 17.6.2011 (6)</i>	Mr Gareth Thomas
SAFE STANDING (FOOTBALL STADIA) (T) Commons: (121) 1R: 7.12.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 17.6.2011 (13)</i>	Mr Don Foster
SAFETY OF MEDICINES (T) Commons: (59) 1R: 20.7.2010	<i>Prov 2R: 21.1.2011 (10)</i>	Mr David Amess
SALE OF PARK HOMES (P) Commons: (93) *1R: 21.10.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 1.4.2011 (3)</i>	Mr Christopher Chope
SALE OF TICKETS (SPORTING AND CULTURAL EVENTS) (B10) Commons: (13) *1R: 30.6.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 21.1.2011 (2)</i>	Mrs Sharon Hodgson
<b>SAVINGS ACCOUNTS AND HEALTH IN PREGNANCY GRANT (G)</b> Commons: (73) *1R: 15.9.2010 (not printed) 2R: 26.10.2010 *Prog: 26.10.2010 PBC: 2, 4, 9 & 11.11.2010 Rep: 22.11.2010 3R: 22.11.2010 Lords: (30) *1R: 23.11.2010 <i>Prov 2R: 7.12.2010</i> CN: 7.12.2010 3R: 7.12.2010		Mr George Osborne
<b>SCOTLAND (G)</b> Commons: (115) *1R: 30.11.2010	<i>Prov 2R: No date</i>	Michael Moore
SECURED LENDING REFORM (B20) Commons: (23) *1R: 30.6.2010	<i>Prov 2R: 21.1.2011 (11)</i>	George Eustice
SELF-EMPLOYMENT (RISK ASSESSMENT EXEMPTION) (P) Commons: (88) *1R: 21.10.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 1.7.2011 (1)</i>	Mr Christopher Chope
SENTENCING (REFORM) (P) Commons: (44) *1R: 5.7.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 2.3.2012 (1)</i>	Mr Philip Hollobone

SEX AND RELATIONSHIPS EDUCATION (T) Commons: (69) 1R: 8.9.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 11.2.2011 (3)</i>	Chris Bryant
SHARED PARENTING ORDERS (P) Commons: (56) *1R: 13.7.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 17.6.2011 (4)</i>	Mr Brian Binley
SNOW CLEARANCE (P) Commons: (51) *1R: 5.7.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 11.11.2011 (1)</i>	Mr Peter Bone
SPORTS GROUNDS SAFETY AUTHORITY (B14) Commons: (17) *1R: 30.6.2010 2R: 22.10.2010 (2) *MR: 15.11.2010		Jonathan Lord
<b>SUPERANNUATION (G)</b> Commons: (58) 1R: 15.7.2010 2R: 7.9.2010 *Prog: 7.9.2010 PBC: 14 & 16.9.2010 Rep: 13.10.2010 3R: 13.10.2010 Lords: () *1R: 14.10.2010 2R: 26.10.2010 Comm**: 10.11.2010 Rep: 1.12.2010 <i>Prov 3R: 7.12.2010</i> Commons: (123) <i>Prov LA: 14.12.2010</i>		Francis Maude / Lord Wallace of Saltair
SUPPORT AND PROTECTION FOR ELDERLY PEOPLE AND ADULTS AT RISK OF ABUSE (T) Commons: (105) 1R: 10.11.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 17.6.2011 (10)</i>	Mr Nigel Dodds
SUSTAINABLE LIVESTOCK (B2) Commons: (5) *1R: 30.6.2010	<i>Prov 2R: 10.6.2011 (3)</i>	Robert Flello
TAXATION FREEDOM DAY (P) Commons: (41) *1R: 5.7.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 25.11.2011 (1)</i>	Mr Philip Hollobone
<b>TERRORIST ASSET-FREEZING ETC. [HL] (G)</b> Lords: (15, 20, 24) *1R: 15.7.2010 2R: 27.7.2010 Comm: 6.10.2010 Rep: 25.10.2010 3R: 1.11.2010 Commons: (102) *Prov 1R: 2.11.2010 2R: 15.11.2010 *Prog: 15.11.2010 *MR: 15.11.2010 PBC: 23.11.2010 <i>Prov Rep: 14.12.2010 Prov 3R: 14.12.2010</i>		Lord Sassoon / Mr Mark Hoban
TORTURE (DAMAGES) [HL] (L) Lords: () <i>Prov 1R: 24.11.2010</i>		Lord Archer of Sandwell
TRAINING WAGE (P) Commons: (28) *1R: 5.7.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 18.3.2011 (2)</i>	Mr Christopher Chope
TRANSPARENT TAXATION (RECEIPTS) (P) Commons: (53) *1R: 5.7.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 20.1.2012 (1)</i>	Mr Peter Bone
TRIBUNALS (MAXIMUM COMPENSATION AWARDS) (P) Commons: (31) *1R: 5.7.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 17.6.2011 (2)</i>	Mr Christopher Chope
UNITED KINGDOM PARLIAMENTARY SOVEREIGNTY (P) Commons: (26) *1R: 5.7.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 18.3.2011 (1)</i>	Mr Christopher Chope
VOLUNTEERING (P) Commons: (94) *1R: 21.10.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 10.6.2011 (2)</i>	Mr Christopher Chope
WASTE RECYCLING (END USE REGISTER) (P) Commons: (117) *1R: 30.11.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 21.1.2011 (9)</i>	Peter Bottomley
WIND TURBINES (MINIMUM DISTANCES FROM RESIDENTIAL PREMISES) [HL] (L) Lords: (17) *1R: 26.7.2010	<i>Prov 2R: No date</i>	Lord Reay
WRECK REMOVAL CONVENTION (B15) Commons: (18) *1R: 30.6.2010 2R: 19.11.2010 (3)		Dr Thérèse Coffey
YOUNG OFFENDERS (PARENTAL RESPONSIBILITY) (P) Commons: (38) *1R: 5.7.2010 (not printed)	<i>Prov 2R: 9.3.2012 (1)</i>	Mr Philip Hollobone

**Presentation and Publication of Public Bills and Acts  
6 – 10 December 2010**

**Presentation of Bills (not yet published by Parliament)**

Date	Title and type of Bill	Bill No.
8.12	Armed Forces Bill (G)	122
8.12	Consolidated Fund(G)	111
8.12	Council Housing (Local Financing Pathfinders)	124
9.12	Loans to Ireland (G)	125
7.12	Safe Standing (Football Stadia) (T)	121

**Bills published after presentation**

Date	Title and type of Bill	Bill No.	ISBN	Price £
None				

**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 2010 – 2011**

Date of Royal Assent	Title	Ch No.	ISBN	Price £
27.7	Appropriation (No. 3) Act 2010 (G)	30	010 5430100	15.50
27.7	Finance (No. 2) Act 2010 (G)	31	010 5431107	5.75
27.7	Academies Act 2010 (G)	32	0105432104	5.75

**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/>

**Full text of Public General Acts since 1988**

[www.opsi.gov.uk/acts.htm](http://www.opsi.gov.uk/acts.htm)

**Church of England Measures**

[www.cofe.anglican.org/about/churchlawlegis/measures/](http://www.cofe.anglican.org/about/churchlawlegis/measures/)

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## **Draft Bills under consideration or published during 2010–11 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 2010/11 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](http://www.parliament.uk/bills/draftbills.cfm). This page links to electronic copies of the draft bills and related publications including select committee reports on the draft bills.

None

## 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 bill committee (If two dates are given the last is the date on which the committee reported)
OBC	Bill committed to an opposed bill committee (If several dates are given the last is the date on which the committee reported)
Rep	Report stage (House of Commons only)
3R	Third Reading
In.	Instruction to Committee
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

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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 or the Printed Paper 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. Any such petitions will be noted below until they gain a 1<sup>st</sup> 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: Annette Toft (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 3R: 18.3.2010

Commons: (2009-10) 1R: 18.3.2010 2R: 30.3.2010 *Prov UBC: No date*

Commons: (2010-11) BR: 16.6.2010

Lords: (2010-11) BR: 21.6.2010 *Prov BR: 28.7.2010*

Commons: (2010-11) BR: 28.6.2010 UBC: 21.7.2010 *Prov 3R: 26.7.2010*

RA: 27.7.2010 (Ch. v)

(No petitions were deposited against this Bill in either House)

### **ALLHALLOWS STAINING CHURCH**

### **BANK OF IRELAND (UK) PLC** (Sharpe Pritchard)

(The first petitioning period will begin in January 2011. The dates will be announced in the week of 20 December 2010.)

### **CANTERBURY CITY COUNCIL** (Sharpe Pritchard)

Commons: (2007-08) 1R: 22.1.2008 2R: 12.6.2008 (Deb adj) 2R: 29.10.2008

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 2R: No date

Lords: (2010-11) BR: 10.6.2010 1R: 13.7.2010 2R: 19.10.2010 (Debate)

In: 19.10.2010 (Debate)

*Prov OBC: No date*

Commons: (2010-11) BR: 5.7.2010 BR: 13.7.2010

(The Bill is opposed. There is 1 petition outstanding. No petitions were deposited in the House of Commons)

### **CITY OF LONDON (VARIOUS POWERS)** (Winckworth Sherwood)

(The first petitioning period will begin in January 2011. The dates will be announced in the week of 20 December 2010.)

### **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

Lords: (2010-11) BR: 10.6.2010 *Prov OBC: No date*

Commons (2010-11) BR: 5.7.2010

(The Bill is opposed. 1 petition is 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 2R: 23.3.2010 *Prov UBC: No date*

Commons: (2010-11) BR: 16.6.2010 UBC: 20.7.2010 *Prov 3R: 26.7.2010*

Lords: (2010-11) BR: 21.6.2010 BR: 28.6.2010

RA: 27.7.2010 (Ch. iv)

(No petitions were deposited against this Bill in either House)

### **KENT COUNTY COUNCIL (FILMING ON HIGHWAYS)**

**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*  
 Lords: (2010-11) BR: 10.6.2010 BR: 28.6.2010 2R: 19.10.2010 (Debate)  
 In: 19.10.2010 (Debate) *Prov OBC: No date*  
 Commons: (2010-11) BR: 17.6.2010 BR: 28.6.2010  
 (The Bill is opposed. There is 1 petition outstanding. No petitions were deposited in the House of 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  
 Commons: (2010-11) BR: 23.6.2010 BR: 1.7.2010 2R: 13.10.2010  
 Lords (2010-11) BR: 29.6.2010 BR: 1.7.2010  
 ( The Bill was opposed in HL. There are currently 3 petitions outstanding in 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  
 Lords: (2010-11) BR: 15.6.2010 BR: 28.6.2010 *Prov 3R: No date*  
 Commons (2010-11) BR: 22.6.2010  
 (The Bill was opposed in the Lords. There will be an opportunity to petition against the Bill when it reaches the House of Commons)

**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  
 Lords: (2010-11) BR: 10.6.2010 1R: 13.7.2010 2R: 19.10.2010 (Debate)  
 In: 19.10.2010 (Debate) *OBC: No date*  
 Commons: (2010-11) BR: 5.7.2010 BR: 13.7.2010  
 (The Bill is opposed. There is 1 petition outstanding. No petitions were deposited 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  
 Commons (2010-11) BR 17.6.2010 BR: 28.6.2010  
 Lords: (2010-11) BR: 28.6.2010 2R: 19.10.2010 (Debate) In: 19.10.2010 (Debate)  
*Prov OBC: No date*  
 (The Bill is opposed. There is 1 petition outstanding. No petitions were deposited in the House of Commons)

**TRANSPORT FOR LONDON (Eversheds LLP)**

(The first petitioning period will begin in January 2011. The dates will be announced in the week of 20 December 2010.)

**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	<i>Prov 3R: No date</i>	
Commons: (2009-10)	BR: 8.12.2009		
Lords: (2010-11)	BR: 15.6.2010	BR: 28.6.2010	<i>Prov 3R: No date</i>
Commons: (2010-11)	BR 22.6.2010		

**N.B. Three petitions for Bills were deposited on or before 29 November 2010:**

Bank of Ireland (UK) plc  
City of London (Various Powers)  
Transport for London

The examination of the Bills will be on Monday 20 December 2010.

## 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](http://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 10 December 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
8.3.10	Draft Legislative Reform (Industrial and Provident Societies and Credit Unions) Order 2010	–	HC 506 (b)	Super-Affirmative	A revised draft order should be laid	25.6.10	–
10.3.10	Draft Legislative Reform (Licensing) (Interim Authority Notices etc.) Order 2010	–	HC 507(d)	Negative	Affirmative	19.7.10	19.7.10
25.10.10	Draft Legislative Reform (Civil Partnership) Order 2010	–	–	Negative	Affirmative	–	–

**Remedial Orders, Draft Remedial Orders and Urgent Procedure Remedial Orders:  
Proceedings as at 10 December 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**

<b>Date Laid</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Jnt Cttee on Human Rights: Report &amp; Recommendation</b>
26.7	The Asylum and Immigration (Treatment of Claimants, etc) Act 2004 (Remedial) Order 2010	HC 599, HL 54 ISBN: 010 8472831 That a draft order should be laid

**Draft Orders**

<b>Date Laid</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Jnt Cttee on Human Rights: Report &amp; Recommendation</b>	<b>Lords Consideration</b>	<b>Commons Consideration</b>
None				

**Urgent Orders**

<b>Date Laid</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Jnt Cttee on Human Rights: Report &amp; Recommendation</b>	<b>Lords Consideration</b>	<b>Commons Consideration</b>
None				

## Northern Ireland Legislation: proceedings as at 10 December 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/](http://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:**

<p><b>U</b> Urgent Procedure  <b>G</b> Northern Ireland Grand committee  <b>A</b> Approved</p>	<p><b>D</b> Delegated Legislation Committee  <b>O</b> Northern Ireland Order Grand Committee  <b>N</b> Negative Procedure</p>
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Title and SI No.	Consultation on Proposal	(Draft) Order Laid	Commons	Lords	Privy Council
Electoral Law (Polling Station Scheme) (Northern Ireland) Regulations 2010 (S.I. 1532)		10.6.2010 (N)			
Draft Control of Donations and Regulation of Loans etc. (Extension of the Prescribed Period) (Northern Ireland) Order 2010		30.6.2010	21.7.2010 (D)	26.7.2010 (A)	
Draft Local Elections (Northern Ireland) Order 2010		25.10.2010	17.11.2010	24.11.2010	
Draft Northern Ireland Assembly (Elections) (Amendment) Rules 2010		25.10.2010	17.11.2010	24.11.2010	

**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*

**Title of Bill or Act**

**Date Laid**

**Royal Assent**

None

## Transport and Works Act 1992 Orders

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

**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](http://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
Ashton Vale to Temple Meads and Bristol City Centre Rapid Transit Order	10.06.10	Bircham Dyson Bell	
Chiltern Railways (Bicester to Oxford Improvements) Order (Modified 08.09.2010)	06.01.2010	Eversheds LLP	
Heathrow Airtrack Order	24.07.2009	Winckworth Sherwood	
Ipswich Barrier Order	20.05.2010	Bircham Dyson Bell	
Llangollen and Corwen Railway Order	17.09.2009	Winckworth Sherwood	
Lynn and Inner Dowsing Offshore Wind Farms (Amendment) Order	19.05.2010	Eversheds LLP	
Midland Metro (No. 1) Order	17.02.2010	Winckworth Sherwood LLP	2010/No.1722 Made 29.06.0
Network Rail (Hitchin (Cambridge Junction)) Order	01.10.2009	Bircham Dyson Bell	
Network Rail (Nuneaton North Chord) Order	30.07.2009	Winckworth Sherwood LLP	2010/No.1721 Made 29/6/10
Nottingham Express Transit System (Amendment) Order	2.08.2010	Bircham Dyson Bell	
River Humber (The Deep Tidal Stream Generator) Order	19.05.2010	Entec UK Ltd	
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	Application withdrawn

## 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](http://www.publications.parliament.uk/pa/cm/stand.htm)

Other General Committee debates. [www.publications.parliament.uk/pa/cm/othstn.htm](http://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
Draft House of Lords Reform	Bill laid	Issue 3 p23
Finance (No. 2)	28.10.10	Issue 13, p30; Issue 14 p31
Identity Documents	6.7.2010	Issue 5 p25; Issue 6 p30
Local Government	2.11.2011	Issue 15 p34
National Insurance Contributions	9.12.2011	Issue 19 p37, Issue 20 p38
Postal Services	9.12.2011	Issue 16 p33; Issue 19 p37
Savings Accounts and Health in Pregnancy	11.11.2011	Issue 15 p34; Issue 17 p34
Sports Ground Safety Authority		Issue 20 p38
Superannuation	16.9.2010	Issue 11, p27; Issue 12 p30
Terrorist Asset-Freezing etc.	23.11.10	Issue 18 p36; Issue 19 p37

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

#### Membership announcements and changes:

None

### General Committee Meetings 6 – 10 December 2010

#### Monday 6 December

None

#### Tuesday 7 December

NIGC	The implications for Northern Ireland of the Government's Comprehensive Spending Review
PBC	National Insurance Contributions Bill (2 <sup>nd</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sittings; Clauses 1-7 Agreed)
PBC	Postal Services Bill (17 <sup>th</sup> & 18 <sup>th</sup> Sittings; Clauses 30-43 Agreed; Schedules 3-4 Agreed)
1 <sup>st</sup> DLC	Draft Mutilations (Permitted Procedures) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2010

**Wednesday 8 December**

None

**Thursday 9 December**

PBC National Insurance Contributions Bill (4<sup>th</sup> Sitting; Clauses 8-15 Agreed; Bill to be reported)

PBC Postal Services Bill (19<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup> Sittings; Clause 45-79 Agreed; Clause 80 Agreed, as amended; Clauses 81-91 Agreed; Schedules 5-12 Agreed; Bill, as amended, to be reported)

**Friday 10 December**

None

**Forthcoming General Committee Meetings  
13 – 17 December 2010**

**Monday 13 December**

- ECB European Union Document No. 10823/10 and Addendum 1, relating to the Green Paper on Corporate Governance in Financial Institutions and Remuneration Policies, 4.30pm, Room 10
- 1<sup>st</sup> DLC Draft Road Safety (Financial Penalty Deposit) (Appropriate Amount) (Amendment) Order 2010, 4.30pm, Room 9
- 2<sup>nd</sup> DLC Tobacco Products (Descriptions of Products) (Amendment) Order 2010, (S.I., 2010, No. 2852), 4.30pm, Room 12

**Tuesday 14 December**

- ECB European Union Documents Nos. 9193/10, 10346/10 and Addenda 1–2 and 10561/10 and Addendum 1, relating to the Draft Regulation on the Financial Regulation, 4.30pm, Room 10

**Wednesday 15 December**

None

**Thursday 16 December**

None

**Friday 17 December**

None

## Select Committees

Select Committees are set up to examine the work of Government Departments, and now constitute the main investigatory system by which the House oversees the exercise of Government responsibilities and the development of public policy and expenditure.

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

Select Committee membership: [www.parliament.uk/directories/hciolists/selmem.cfm](http://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](http://www.parliament.uk/parliamentary_committees/parliamentary_committees16.cfm)

For further information on Select Committees see HCIO Factsheet P2 produced by the House of Commons Information Office, available in hardcopy on request or to download from the Parliament website.

### Membership announcements and changes:

#### Joint Committee on Consolidation Bills:

Mr Robert Buckland  
Damian Collins  
Charlie Elphicke  
Jesse Norman

Martin Caton  
Jim Dobbin  
Paul Farrelly  
Sir Robert Smith

Mrs Jenny Chapman  
Mr Stephen Dorrell  
Yvonne Fovargue  
Justin Tomlinson

#### Joint Committee on the National Security Strategy:

Mr James Arbuthnot  
Sir Alan Beith  
Paul Murphy  
Sir Malcolm Rifkind

Mr Adrian Bailey  
Malcolm Bruce  
Richard Ottaway  
Keith Vaz

Margaret Beckett  
Fabian Hamilton  
Mark Pritchard  
Mr Tim Yeo

Lord Cope of Berkeley  
Lord Harris of Haringey  
Baroness Ramsay of Cartvale  
Lord Waldegrave of North Hill

Lord Fellowes  
Lord Lee of Trafford  
Lord Sterling of Plaistow

Lord Foulkes of Cumnock  
Baroness Manningham-Buller  
Baroness Taylor of Bolton

## Select Committee Meetings 6 – 10 December 2010

### Monday 6 December

#### Backbench Business

Subject: Proposals for backbench debates  
Witnesses: Members of Parliament

#### Communities and Local Government

Subject: Local authority publicity  
Witnesses: Cllr Gerald Vernon-Jackson, Deputy Chair, Local Government Association, Jules Pipe, Chair, London Councils, John Findlay, Chief Executive, NALC; Lynne Anderson, Communications Director, The Newspaper Society, Simon Edgley, Managing Director, Trinity Mirror Southern, Michelle Stanistreet, Deputy General Secretary, NUJ, and Roy Greenslade, Commentator (at 5.00pm); Rt Hon Grant Shapps MP, Minister for Housing and Local Government, Department for Communities and Local Government (at 5.40pm)

#### European Scrutiny

Subject: European Union Bill  
Witnesses: David Lidington MP, Minister for Europe, Foreign and Commonwealth Office

#### Treasury

Subject: Autumn forecast  
Witnesses: Robert Chote, Chair, Graham Parker CBE, Member, and Professor Stephen Nickell CBE, Member, Budget Responsibility Committee, Office for Budget Responsibility

**Administration**

Subject: Catering Services in the House of Commons

Witnesses: Duncan Ackery, Consultant, EP Evolution; Rupert Ellwood, International Growth Manager, Waitrose (at 5.30pm)

**Tuesday 7 December**

**Treasury**

Subject: Competition and Choice in Banking; Financial Regulation

Witnesses: Eric Daniels, Group Chief Executive, and Helen Weir CBE, Group Executive Director, Retail, Lloyds Banking Group, Stephen Hester, Group Chief Executive, Royal Bank of Scotland Group (at 10.45am); Benny Higgins, Chief Executive, Tesco Bank (at 11.45am)

**Energy and Climate Change**

Subject: The Big Six Energy Companies

Witnesses: Mark Hanafin, Managing Director of Energy, Centrica, Paul Spence, Director of Strategy and Regulation, EDF Energy, Paul Golby, CEO, E.ON UK, Volker Beckers, CEO, RWE npower, Alistair Philips-Davies, Energy Supply Director, Scottish and Southern Energy, and John Campbell, Director of Energy Wholesale, Scottish Power

**Communities and Local Government**

Subject: Localism

Witnesses: Lorraine Roberts, Interim Director, London Civic Forum, Stian Westlake, Executive Director of Policy and Research, NESTA, Commission for Rural Communities and Community Development Foundation

**Transport**

Subject: Transport and the economy

Witnesses: British Air Transport Association, Association of Train Operating Companies, UK Major Ports Group and Chartered Institute of Logistics and Transport; RAC Foundation, ADEPT, and Stagecoach (at 10.50am); Professor Roger Vickerman, Royal Town Planning Institute and Local Government Association (at 11.40am)

**International Development**

Subject: The Future of CDC

Witnesses: Equity for Africa, University of Manchester, Sierra Investment Fund; Oxfam and Private Eye (at 11.45 am)

**Business, Innovation and Skills**

Subject: Government Assistance to Industry

Witnesses: Mark Prisk MP, Minister of State for Business and Enterprise, Department for Business, Enterprise and Skills

**Public Accounts**

Subject: Cancer Services

Witnesses: Sir David Nicholson KCB, Chief Executive, NHS, Christine Connelly, Chief Information Officer and Professor Sir Mike Richards, National Clinical Director for Cancer and End of Life Care, Department of Health

**Public Administration**

Subject: Smaller Government: What do Ministers do?

Witnesses: Norman Baker MP, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State, and Mike Penning MP, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State, Department for Transport; William Rickett, and Dan Corry (at 11.30am)

**Health**

Subject: Commissioning

Witnesses: The Patients Association, National Voices, MIND, and Age UK; Local Government Association, UNISON Healthcare, Association of Directors of Public Health, and NHS Partners Network (at 11.45am)

**Home Affairs**

Subject: Police use of Tasers

Witnesses: Kevin Coles, Managing Director, Pro-Tect Systems; Assistant Chief Constable Simon Chesterman, ACPO lead, Assistant Chief Constable Andy Adams, Kent Police (at approximately 11.30am); Home Office Scientific Development Branch and Home Office officials (at 12 noon)

**Culture, Media and Sport**

Subject: Funding of the arts and heritage

Witnesses: Barbara Hayes, Deputy Chief Executive, and Richard Combes, Head of Policy, Authors' Licensing & Collecting Society Ltd, Jim Parker, Registrar, Public Lending Right, and Stella Duffy, Author

**Wednesday 8 December**

**Education**

Subject: The role and performance of Ofsted

Witnesses: Eleanor Schooling, Association for Directors of Children's Services, Professor Nick Frost, Leeds Metropolitan University; The Daycare Trust, The Fostering Network and National Children's Bureau (at 10.30am)

**Treasury**

Subject: Autumn forecast

Witnesses: Rt Hon George Osborne MP, Chancellor of the Exchequer

**European Scrutiny**

Subject: European Union Bill

Witnesses: Professor Simon Hix, European and Comparative Politics, Department of Government, London School of Economics; Professor Ken Minogue, Emeritus Professor of Political Science, London School of Economics (at 3.30pm)

**Foreign Affairs**

Subject: Role of the FCO in UK Government

Witnesses: Professor the Lord Hennessy of Nympsfield FBA, Attlee Professor of Contemporary British History, Queen Mary College, University of London; Rt Hon Lord Jay GCMG, FCO Permanent Under-Secretary 2002-2006 (at 3.30pm)

**Scottish Affairs**

Subject: Postal Services in Scotland

Witnesses: Consumer Focus Scotland; National Federation of Subpostmasters (at 3.30pm)

**Environmental Audit**

Subject: Green Investment Bank

Witnesses: RegenSW, Consumer Focus, Co-operative Bank, and Woodland Trust

**Northern Ireland Affairs**

Subject: Corporation Tax

Witnesses: Federation of Small Businesses

**Environment, Food and Rural Affairs**

Subject: The impact of Common Agricultural Policy reform on UK agriculture

Witnesses: The Royal Society for the Protection of Birds, and The Campaign to Protect Rural England; Tenant Farmers Association (at 4.15pm)

**Procedure**

Subject: Ministerial Statements to Parliament

Witnesses: Mark Durkan MP Jane Ellison MP Paul Flynn MP Duncan Hames MP Mr Nick Raynsford MP

**Public Accounts**

Subject: DWP Official Error

Witnesses: Sir Leigh Lewis KCB, Permanent Secretary, John Oliver, Director of Benefit Performance, and Ruth Owen, Chief Operating Officer, Jobcentre Plus, Department for Work and Pensions

**Thursday 9 December**

**Political and Constitutional Reform**

Subject: Prospects for codifying the relationship between central and local government

Witnesses: Local Authority Chief Executives: Andrea Hill, Suffolk, Sir Howard Bernstein, Manchester, and Stephen Hughes, Birmingham

**Friday 10 December**

None

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

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Select committees marked with \* will be taken by BBC Parliament

Recorded information about forthcoming select and standing committee meetings over the next two sitting days is available on: [Tel 020 7219 2033]. Please note: The decision of a Committee to sit in public may be rescinded, and the place altered without notice and Committees which sit at short notice may not be included in this list.

**Forthcoming Select Committee Meetings  
13 – 17 December 2010**

**Monday 13 December**

<b>Treasury</b> Subject: European Financial Regulation Witnesses: Michael Barnier, European Commissioner for Internal Market and Services	3:00pm	The Thatcher Room, Portcullis House
<b>Committees on Arms Export Controls</b> Subject: Strategic Export Controls Witnesses: Amnesty International UK, Oxfam GB, Saferworld; Export Group for Aerospace and Defence (EGAD) (at 5.00pm)	4:00pm	Committee Room 5, Palace of Westminster
<b>Back Bench Business</b> Subject: Proposals for backbench debates Witnesses: Members of Parliament	4:00pm	Committee Room 8, Palace of Westminster
<b>Administration</b> Subject: Catering Services in the House of Commons Witnesses: Hamish Cook, Chief Executive and Managing Directors' Representative International, Spotless Group; Simon Dobson, Managing Director, Delaware North Companies UK (Ltd) at 5.30pm)	5:00pm	Committee Room 16, Palace of Westminster
<b>Justice</b> Subject: The work of the MoJ and its resources Witnesses: Sir Suma Chakrabarti KCB, Permanent Secretary, Helen Edwards CBE, Director General Justice Policy Group, and Ann Beasley CBE, Director General Finance, Ministry of Justice	5:00pm	The Wilson Room, Portcullis House

**Tuesday 14 December**

<b>Education</b> Subject: The Spending Review settlement for the Department for Education and The Schools White Paper 2010 Witnesses: Rt Hon Michael Gove MP, Secretary of State for Education, and David Bell, The Permanent Secretary, Department for Education	9:30am	The Thatcher Room, Portcullis House
<b>Treasury</b> Subject: Competition and choice in the banking sector Witnesses: Vernon Hill, Vice Chairman, Metro Bank	10:00am	The Wilson Room, Portcullis House
<b>Transport</b> Subject: Transport and the economy Witnesses: Rt Hon Theresa Villiers MP, Minister of State, Department for Transport	10:15am	Committee Room 6, Palace of Westminster
<b>Justice</b> Subject: Draft Sentencing Guidelines on Assault and the work of the council Witnesses: Lord Justice Leveson, Chairman, Sentencing Council	10:15am	Committee Room 5, Palace of Westminster
<b>Welsh Affairs</b> Subject: S4C Witnesses: Rheon Tomos, Vice Chairman, and Arwell Ellis Owen, Acting Chief Executive, S4C	10:30am	Committee Room 15, Palace of Westminster
<b>International Development</b> Subject: The Future of CDC Witnesses: Richard Laing, CEO, Richard Gillingwater CBE, Chairman and Rod Evison, Managing Director, Africa, CDC plc	10:30am	Committee Room 20, Palace of Westminster
<b>Public Accounts</b> Subject: Ofcom: the effectiveness of converged regulation Witnesses: Ed Richards, Chief Executive, Ofcom	10:30am	Committee Room 16, Palace of Westminster

<p><b>Culture, Media and Sport</b>                  Subject: London 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Games                  Witnesses: Lord Coe, Chairman, and Paul Deighton, Chief Executive, London Organising Committee of the Olympic and Paralympics Games, John Armit CBE, Chairman, and David Higgins, Chief Executive, Olympic Delivery Authority; Tim Reddish OBE, Chairman, British Paralympic Association, and Lord Moynihan, Chairman, British Olympic Association (at 12 noon)</p>	<p>10:45am</p>	<p>The Grimond Room, Portcullis House</p>
<p><b>Energy and Climate Change</b>                  Subject: The Revised Draft National Policy Statements on Energy                  Witnesses: Royal Society for the Protection of Birds, Campaign to Protect Rural England, Friends of the Earth; Nuclear Industry Association, Royal Town Planning Institute, Energy UK, Citibank and Renewable Energy Association (at 11.45am)</p>	<p>11:00am</p>	<p>Committee Room 17, Palace of Westminster</p>
<p><b>Home Affairs</b>                  Subject: (i)The Government’s review of counter-terrorism; (ii) The work of the Home Secretary                  Witnesses: (i) Lord Macdonald of River Glaven, Independent overseer of the Review of Counter-Terrorism and Security Powers; (ii) Rt Hon Theresa May MP, Home Secretary (at 12.40pm)</p>	<p>12:15pm</p>	<p>Committee Room 8, Palace of Westminster</p>
<p><b>Joint Committee on Human Rights</b>                  Subject: Policing and Protest                  Witnesses: National Campaign against Fees and Cuts and National Union of Students; Association of Chief Police Officers and Metropolitan Police Service (at 1.00pm)</p>	<p>12:30pm</p>	<p>Committee Room 4A, Palace of Westminster</p>
<p><b>Scottish Affairs</b>                  Subject: Postal Services in Scotland                  Witnesses: Mutuo; Unite and Communication Workers Union (at 3.00pm)</p>	<p>2:30pm</p>	<p>Committee Room 6, Palace of Westminster</p>
<p><b>Wednesday 15 December</b></p>		
<p><b>Health</b>                  Subject: Commissioning                  Witnesses: Rt Hon Andrew Lansley CBE MP, Secretary of State, Dame Barbara Hakin DBE, National Managing Director of Commissioning Development, and Dr David Colin-Thomé OBE, National Director for Primary Care, Department of Health</p>	<p>9:15am</p>	<p>Committee Room 8, Palace of Westminster</p>
<p><b>European Scrutiny</b>                  Subject: European Union Bill Inquiry                  Witnesses: Sir John Grant KCMG, former UK Permanent Representative to the European Union</p>	<p>9:30am</p>	<p>Committee Room 16, Palace of Westminster</p>
<p><b>Education</b>                  Subject: Looked-after children                  Witnesses: Jon Fayle, Chair, National Association of Independent Reviewing Officers, David Holmes, Chief Executive, British Association for Adoption and Fostering, Dr Roger Morgan OBE, Children’s Rights Director for England, and Maxine Wrigley, Chief Executive, A National Voice; Tim Loughton MP, Parliamentary Under-Secretary for State, Department for Education (at 10.30am)</p>	<p>9:30am</p>	<p>The Wilson Room, Portcullis House</p>
<p><b>Public Administration</b>                  Subject: Work of the First Civil Service Commissioner and Commissioner for Public Appointments                  Witnesses: Rt Hon Dame Janet Paraskeva DBE, First Civil Service Commissioner, and Dame Janet Gaymer DBE QC, Commissioner for Public Appointments</p>	<p>10:15am</p>	<p>Committee Room 6, Palace of Westminster</p>
<p><b>Science and Technology</b>                  Subject: Technology Innovation Centres                  Witnesses: Dr David Bembo, Member of Council, Association for University Research and Industry Links, Dr Tim Bradshaw, Head of Enterprise &amp; Innovation, Confederation of British Industry, Professor Ric Parker FEng, Director of Research &amp; Technology, Rolls-Royce Group, and Patrick Reeve, Chair of the BVCA Venture Capital Public Policy Committee, British Private Equity and Venture Capital Association</p>	<p>10:15am</p>	<p>The Thatcher Room, Portcullis House</p>

<b>Justice</b> Subject: Access to Justice and Sentencing Witnesses: Rt Hon Kenneth Clarke QC MP, Lord Chancellor and Secretary of State, Ministry of Justice	10:30am	The Grimond Room, Portcullis House
<b>Culture, Media and Sport</b> Subject: BBC Annual Report and Accounts 2009-10 Witnesses: Mark Thompson, Director General, BBC, and Sir Michael Lyons, Chairman, BBC Trust	10:45am	Committee Room 15, Palace of Westminster
<b>Defence</b> Subject: Operations in Afghanistan Witnesses: Rt Hon Liam Fox MP, Secretary of State for Defence	2:30pm	The Grimond Room, Portcullis House
<b>Scottish Affairs</b> Subject: Postal Services in Scotland Witnesses: Royal Mail Group; Ofcom, Postcomm (at 3.30pm); Edward Davey MP, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State, Department for Business, Innovation and Skills (at 4.15pm)	2:30pm	Committee Room 8, Palace of Westminster
<b>Environment, Food and Rural Affairs</b> Subject: The use of cloned animals and their offspring in agriculture Witnesses: Mr James Paice MP, Minister of State for Agriculture, Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs and Rt Hon Lord Rooker, Chairman, Food Standards Agency	3:00pm	Committee Room 6, Palace of Westminster
<b>Energy and Climate Change</b> Subject: UN Climate Change Negotiations in Cancun Witnesses: Rt Hon Chris Huhne MP, Secretary of State, Department of Energy and Climate Change	3:15pm	The Thatcher Room, Portcullis House
<b>Public Accounts</b> Subject: Major Projects Report 2010 Witnesses: Ursula Brennan, Permanent Under-Secretary, General Kevin O'Donoghue, Chief of Defence Materiale, Vice Admiral Paul Lambert, Deputy Chief of Defence Staff (Equipment Capability), and Andrew Tyler, Chief Operating Officer, Defence Equipment and Support, Ministry of Defence	3:30pm	Committee Room 15, Palace of Westminster
<b>Foreign Affairs</b> Subject: Role of the FCO in UK Government Witnesses: Rt Hon David Miliband MP and Rt Hon Sir Malcolm Rifkind MP, former Foreign Secretaries	3:30pm	The Wilson Room, Portcullis House

**Thursday 16 December**

**Political and Constitutional Reform**

Subject: Prospects for codifying the relationship between central and local government

Witnesses: Bill Moyes, Institute for Government and Jessica Crowe, Centre for Public Scrutiny; Simon Parker, New Local Government Network, and Jessica Crowe, Centre for Public Scrutiny (at 10.30am); and Sir Simon Milton, Greater London Authority (at 11.00am)

10:00am

The Wilson Room,  
Portcullis House

**Public Accounts**

Subject: Procurement of the M25 private finance contract

Witnesses: Martin Capstick, Director, Strategic Roads and National Networks, Dept of Transport, Graham Dalton, Chief Executive, Highways Agency, Ginny Clarke, Chief Highways Engineer and Network Services Director

10:15am

Committee Room  
15, Palace of  
Westminster

**Friday 17 December**

None

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

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Select committees marked with \* will be taken by BBC Parliament

Recorded information about forthcoming select and standing committee meetings over the next two sitting days is available on: [Tel 020 7219 2033]. Please note: The decision of a Committee to sit in public may be rescinded, and the place altered without notice and Committees which sit at short notice may not be included in this list.

**House of Lords Committees: Forthcoming Public Meetings  
13 – 17 December 2010**

Further enquiries about Lords Committees can be made to the Lords Committee Office: 020 7219 2940

**Monday 13 December**

**Internal Market, Energy and Transport (EU Sub-Committee B)** 4:05pm  
Witnesses: Karen Clements, British Chambers of Commerce.

**Tuesday 14 December**

**Economic and Financial Affairs, and International Trade (EU Sub-Committee A)** 11:00am  
Witnesses: Mark Hoban MP, Financial Secretary, HM Treasury.

**Economic Affairs** 3:35pm

Subject: Auditors: Market concentration and their role  
Witnesses: Lord Sharman; Dr Ian Peters, Chief Executive, Institute of Internal Auditors and Ms Sarah Blackburn, Member of the Institute of Internal Auditors.

**Science and Technology: Sub-Committee I** 3:50pm

Subject: Behaviour Change  
Witnesses: Ms Liz Owen, Head of Customer Insight, Department of Energy and Climate Change; Ms Sara Eppel, Head of Sustainable Products and Consumers, DEFRA; and other witnesses tbc.

**Wednesday 15 December**

**Constitution** 10:45am

Witnesses: The Lord Chief Justice, Lord Judge.

**Home Affairs (EU Sub-Committee F)** 11:00am

Witnesses: Rob Wainwright, Director, Europol.

**Agriculture, Fisheries and Environment (EU Sub-Committee D)** 11:00am

Subject: Innovation in EU Agriculture

Witnesses: James Clarke, Science and Business Development Manager, ADAS.

**Thursday 16 December**

**Social Policies and Consumer Protection (EU Sub-Committee G)** 10:00am

Subject: Grassroots Sport and the EU

Witnesses: Representatives of Rugby Union.

**Friday 17 December**

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 2010-11 unless otherwise stated.  
 Cm numbers refer to papers in the Command series.  
 HL 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**

<b>Date Received</b>	<b>Committee</b>	<b>Subject</b>	<b>Witnesses</b>	<b>Date Heard</b>	<b>Paper No and ISBN</b>	<b>Price £</b>
None						

**(B) Select Committee Reports**

<b>Date Received</b>	<b>Committee</b>	<b>Subject</b>	<b>HC Paper and ISBN</b>	<b>Price £</b>
9.12.10	Business, Innovation and Skills	1 <sup>st</sup> , The New Local Enterprise Partnerships: an Initial Assessment	HC 434 0215 555526	23.00
9.12.10	European Scrutiny	9 <sup>th</sup> , Report of Session 2010-11	HC 428 0215 555533	17.50
9.12.10	European Scrutiny	10 <sup>th</sup> , The EU Bill and Parliamentary sovereignty Volume I: Report	HC 633-I	-
9.12.10	European Scrutiny	10 <sup>th</sup> , The EU Bill and Parliamentary sovereignty Volume II: Written evidence	HC 633-II	-
9.12.10	Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments	9 <sup>th</sup> , Report t of Session 2010-11	HL Paper 68 HC 354	2.00
9.12.10	Public Accounts	8 <sup>th</sup> , Customer First Programme: Delivery of Student Finance	HC 424 0215 555496	11.00
7.12.10	Transport	1 <sup>st</sup> , Drink and drug driving law	HC 460 0215 555458	17.50

**(C) Government Responses to Select Committee Reports**

<b>Date Received</b>	<b>Committee</b>	<b>Details of Original Report</b>	<b>HC Paper or Cm No of response</b>	<b>Price £</b>
7.12.10	Defence	The Strategic Defence and Security Review [345]	HC 638 0215 555519	4.50

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

<b>Date Received</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Paper No and ISBN</b>	<b>Price £</b>
6.12.10	Examination of the forecasts prepared by the Office for Budget Responsibility for 29 November 2010	HC 653 010 2965575	8.25
9.12.10	The impact of the 2007-08 changes to public service pensions	HC 662 010 2965582	14.75

## 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](http://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](http://www.parliament.uk/what_s_on/hoc_news4.cfm)

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### Administration

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**INQUIRY**

Catering Services in the House of Commons

**STAGE & NOTES**

Oral evidence in progress  
Next evidence session 13 December

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### Arms Export Control

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**INQUIRY**

Strategic Export Controls

**STAGE & NOTES**

Oral evidence in progress  
Next evidence session 13 December

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### Business, Innovation and Skills

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**INQUIRY**

Comprehensive Spending Review  
Government Assistance to Industry  
  
Local Enterprise Partnership  
Rebalancing the Economy  
  
Sheffield Forgemasters

**STAGE & NOTES**

Report in preparation  
Oral evidence concluded  
Report in preparation  
Report published 9 December  
Inquiry announced  
Deadline for submissions 10 January 2011  
Report to be published 14 December

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### Communities and Local Government

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**INQUIRY**

Abolition of Regional Spatial Strategies  
Audit and inspection of local authorities  
  
Local Authority Publicity  
  
Localism

**STAGE & NOTES**

Oral evidence in progress  
Inquiry announced  
Deadline for submissions 6 January 2011  
Oral evidence concluded  
Report in preparation  
Oral evidence in progress

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**Culture, Media and Sport**

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<b>INQUIRY</b>	<b>STAGE &amp; NOTES</b>
BBC Annual Report and Accounts	Report in preparation
BBC Licence Fee Settlement	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 15 December
Channel 4 Annual Report	Report to be published 14 December
DCMS Accounts 2009-10 and the responsibilities of the Secretary of State	Report in preparation
Football Governance	Inquiry announced Deadline for submissions 26 January 2011
Funding of the Arts and Heritage	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 25 January 2011
London 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Games	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 14 December
Protection of Intellectual Property Rights Online	Inquiry announced Deadline for submissions 23 March 2011

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**Defence**

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<b>INQUIRY</b>	<b>STAGE &amp; NOTES</b>
The appointment of the new Chief of the Defence Staff	Report in preparation
Ensuring success in Afghanistan: the role of the UK Armed Forces	Deadline for submissions closed
Operations in Afghanistan	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 15 December
The Strategic Defence and Security Strategy	Report published 6 December

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**Education**

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<b>INQUIRY</b>	<b>STAGE &amp; NOTES</b>
Behaviour and discipline in schools	Oral evidence concluded Report in preparation
Building Schools for the Future and further capital spending	Report in preparation
Looked-after children	One-off oral evidence session 15 December
The role and performance of Ofsted	Oral evidence in progress
Schools White Paper 2010	One-off oral evidence session 14 December
Services for young people	Inquiry announced Deadline for submissions 15 December
Spending Review settlement for Dept. for Education	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 14 December

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### Energy and Climate Change

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<b>INQUIRY</b>	<b>STAGE &amp; NOTES</b>
Electricity Market Reform	Inquiry announced Deadline for submissions 6 January 2011
Emissions Performance Standards	Report published 2 December
Energy usage of extending British Summer Time	Report in preparation
Revised Draft Policy Statements on Energy	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 14 December
Shale Gas	Inquiry announced Deadline for submissions 13 January 2011
UK Deepwater Drilling – implications of the Gulf of Mexico oil spill	Report in preparation
UN Climate Change Negotiations in Cancun	Oral evidence in progress

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### Environment, Food and Rural Affairs

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<b>INQUIRY</b>	<b>STAGE &amp; NOTES</b>
Common Agricultural Policy	Oral evidence in progress
Comprehensive Spending Review	Report in preparation
DEFRA's priorities and annual accounts	Report in preparation
Farming in the Uplands	Report in preparation
Future flood and water management legislation	Report in preparation
Marine Policy Statement	Report in preparation
National Policy Statement on Waste Water	Inquiry announced Deadline for submissions 5 January 2011
Use of cloned animals and their offspring in agriculture	One-off oral evidence session 15 December

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### Environmental Audit

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<b>INQUIRY</b>	<b>STAGE &amp; NOTES</b>
Embedding sustainable development across Government	Oral evidence in progress
Green Investment Bank	Oral evidence in progress
Impact of UK overseas aid on environmental protection and climate change adaptation and mitigation	Inquiry announced Deadline for submissions 17 December
Sustainable Development and Structural Reform Plan	Report in preparation

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### Foreign Affairs

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<b>INQUIRY</b>	<b>STAGE &amp; NOTES</b>
Developments in UK Foreign Policy	Report in preparation
FCO Performance and Finances	Oral evidence concluded Report in preparation
FCO Public Diplomacy: The Olympics	Report in preparation
Role of FCO in UK Government	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 15 December
The UK's foreign policy towards Afghanistan and Pakistan	Report in preparation

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**Health**

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**INQUIRY**

Commissioning

Complaints and Litigation

Public Expenditure

The responsibilities of the Secretary of State for Health

Revalidation of Doctors

**STAGE & NOTES**

Oral evidence in progress  
Next evidence session 15 December

Inquiry announced  
Deadline for submissions 21 December

Report in preparation

Report in preparation

Report in preparation

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**Home Affairs**

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**INQUIRY**

Comprehensive Spending review

Extradition

Firearms Control

Government's Review of Counter-Terrorism

HM Chief Inspector of Constabulary

Lessons from the American experience of policing

Police and Crime Commissioners

Police use of Tasers

Rules governing enforced removal from the UK

Unauthorised Tapping into or Hacking of Mobile Communications

Work of the Child Exploitation and Online Protection (CEOP) Centre

Work of the Home Office

Work of the Home Secretary

Work of the National Policing Improvement Agency

Work of the UK Border Agency

**STAGE & NOTES**

Report in preparation

One off oral evidence session concluded  
Report in preparation

Report in preparation

Oral evidence in progress  
Next evidence session 14 December

Report in preparation

One off oral evidence session concluded  
Report in preparation

Report published 1 December

One off oral evidence session concluded  
Report in preparation

Report in preparation

Inquiry announced  
Written evidence only

Report in preparation

Report in preparation

One off oral evidence session 14 December

Report in preparation

Report in preparation

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**International Development**

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**INQUIRY**

DFID Annual Report & Resource Accounts 2009-10

Future of the CDC Group plc

Future of DFID's programme in India

The Humanitarian Response to the Pakistan Floods

The 2010 Millennium Development Goals Review Summit

The World Bank

**STAGE & NOTES**

Report in preparation

Oral evidence in progress  
Next evidence session 14 December

Inquiry announced  
Deadline for submissions closed

Inquiry announced  
Deadline for submissions 14 December

Report in preparation

Oral evidence concluded  
Report in preparation

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**Joint Committee on Human Rights**

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**INQUIRY**

Government's Human Rights Policy  
Policing and protests

**STAGE & NOTES**

Oral evidence in progress  
Oral evidence in progress  
Next evidence session 14 December

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**Justice**

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**INQUIRY**

Access to Justice and Sentencing Proposals  
  
Court closures and other issues within the Minister's remit  
Draft sentencing guideline on assault  
Judicial Appointments  
Role of the Probation Service  
Work of the Commissioner for Victims and Witnesses  
The work of the Legal Services Commission  
  
The work of the Lord Chief justice  
The work of the Ministry of Justice  
The working of the Family Courts

**STAGE & NOTES**

Inquiry announced  
Deadline for submissions 15 December  
  
Report in preparation  
  
Oral evidence in progress  
Report in preparation  
Oral evidence in progress  
Report in preparation  
Oral evidence concluded  
Report in preparation  
Report in preparation  
Report in preparation  
Oral evidence in progress

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**Northern Ireland**

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**INQUIRY**

Bloody Sunday Inquiry  
Corporation Tax in Northern Ireland

**STAGE & NOTES**

Report in preparation  
Oral evidence in progress

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**Political and Constitutional Reform**

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**INQUIRY**

The process of Government formation after the 2010 General Election  
  
Prospects for codifying the relationship between central and local government

**STAGE & NOTES**

Report in preparation  
  
Oral evidence in progress  
Next evidence session 9 December

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**Public Accounts**

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**INQUIRY**

**STAGE & NOTES**

Academies Programme	Report in preparation
Accounting Officer Accountability	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 19 January 2011
Bilateral Support to Primary Education	Report in preparation
BIS: The Customer First Programme: Delivery of student finance	Report published 7 December
Cancer services	Oral evidence concluded Report in preparation
Central Government use of Consultants	Report in preparation
Community Care Grant	Report to be published 16 December
Comprehensive Spending Review	Oral evidence concluded Report in preparation
DWP official error	Oral evidence concluded Report in preparation
Educating the next generation of scientists	Report in preparation
Financing PFI projects in the credit crisis and the Treasury's response	Report published 9 December
Government funding for developing renewable energy technologies	Report published 30 November
Health Landscape Review	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 25 January 2011
HMRC 2009-10 Accounts	Report in preparation
HMRC Civil Investigations	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 26 January 2011
HMT: Asset Protection Scheme	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 14 December
M25 widening PFI contract	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 16 December
Major Projects Report 2010	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 15 December
Major trauma care in England	Report in preparation
Managing offenders on short custodial sentences	Report in preparation
Ministry of Justice Financial Management Report	Report in preparation
NHS Productivity	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 18 January 2011
Ofcom: the effectiveness of converged regulation	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 14 December
PFI housing and hospitals	Report in preparation
Strategic financial management of the defence budget	Report to be published 14 December
Value for money savings	Report in preparation
Youth Justice	Oral evidence in progress Next evidence session 12 January 2011

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**Public Administration**

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**INQUIRY**

Smaller Government: Quangos

Smaller Government: What do Ministers do?

Work of the Cabinet Office

**STAGE & NOTES**

Report in preparation

Oral evidence concluded  
Report in preparation

Report in preparation

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**Science and Technology**

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**INQUIRY**

Climactic Research Unit's E-mails

Government Office for Science Annual review 2009

Scientific advice and evidence in emergencies

Setting the scene

Spending Review 2010

Strategically important metals

Technology Innovation Centres

The new UK Space Agency

UK Centre for Medical Research and Innovation

**STAGE & NOTES**

Report in preparation

Report in preparation

Oral evidence concluded  
Report in preparation

Report in preparation

Oral evidence in progress

Inquiry announced  
Deadline for submissions 17 December

Oral evidence in progress  
Next evidence session 15 December

Report in preparation

Inquiry announced  
Deadline for submissions 12 January 2011

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**Scottish Affairs**

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**INQUIRY**

Implications for Scotland of both the Strategic Defence and Security Review and the Comprehensive Spending Review

Postal services in Scotland

Supporting Scotland's Economy

UK Border Agency in Scotland

Video Games Industry in Scotland

**STAGE & NOTES**

Report in preparation

Oral evidence in progress  
Next evidence session 14 December

Oral evidence in progress

Inquiry announced  
Written evidence invited

Report in preparation

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**Transport**

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**INQUIRY**

Bus Services after the Spending Review

Cost of motor insurance

Drink and Drug Driving Law

Effective road and traffic management

Licensing of taxis and private hire vehicles

Maritime and Coastguard Agency

Priorities for transport

Transport and the Economy

Transport and the outcome of the Comprehensive Spending Review

**STAGE & NOTES**

Inquiry announced  
Deadline for submissions 4 January 2011

Oral evidence in progress  
Next evidence session 11 January 2011

Report published 2 December

Inquiry announced  
Deadline for submissions 18 January 2011

Inquiry announced  
Deadline for submissions 20 December

Inquiry announced  
Deadline for submissions 17 January 2011

Report in preparation

Oral evidence in progress  
Next evidence session 14 December

Report in preparation

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**Treasury**

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**INQUIRY**

Bank of England May 2010, Inflation Report

Competition and Choice in the Banking System

Comprehensive Spending Review

European Financial Regulation

Financial Regulation

Fundamental principles of Tax Policy

Retail Distribution Review

November Inflation Report

**STAGE & NOTES**

Report in preparation

Oral evidence in progress  
Next evidence session 14 December

Report published 26 November

Oral evidence in progress  
Next evidence session 13 December

Oral evidence concluded  
Report in preparation

Inquiry announced  
Deadline for submissions 14 January 2011

Inquiry announced  
Deadline for submissions 17 January 2011

Report in preparation

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**Welsh Affairs**

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**INQUIRY**

Future of the Newport Passport Office

Investment in Wales

SC4

Severn Crossing Tolls

**STAGE & NOTES**

Report in preparation

Inquiry announced  
Deadline for submissions closed

Oral evidence in progress  
Next evidence session 14 December

Report in preparation

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**Work and Pensions**

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**INQUIRY**

Changes to Housing Benefit announced in the June 2010 Budget

White Paper on Universal Credit

The Work Programme: providers and contracting arrangements

Youth unemployment and the Future Jobs Fund

**STAGE & NOTES**

Report in preparation

Inquiry announced  
Deadline for submissions 16 December

Inquiry announced  
Deadline for submissions closed

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

Work and Pensions	Disability Living Allowance reform Copies from: DLA Reform Team Department for Work and Pensions 1 <sup>st</sup> Floor Caxton House Tothill Street London SW1H 9NA Email: <a href="mailto:consultation.dlareform@dwp.gsi.gov.uk">consultation.dlareform@dwp.gsi.gov.uk</a> Tel: 020 744 97688 Comments by 14 February 2011	7.12.10
Justice	Breaking the Cycle: Effective Punishment, Rehabilitation and Sentencing of Offenders Copies from: Ministry of Justice 102 Petty France London SW1H 9AJ Tel: 020 3334 3555 Website: <a href="http://www.justice.gov.uk">http://www.justice.gov.uk</a> Comments by 4 march 2011	7.12.10

**Impact Assessments received since the last Bulletin**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Contact</b>
9.12.10	The Genetically Modified Organisms (Contained Use) (Amendment) Regulations 2010	Craig Bell Health and Safety Executive Floor 5 S.2 Redgrave Court Merton Road, Bootle Merseyside. L20 7HS Tel: 0151 951 3325 E-mail: craig.bell@hse.gsi.gov.uk
9.12.10	Housing Benefit: Changes to the Local Housing Allowance Arrangements	Department for Work and Pensions 4 <sup>th</sup> Floor Caxton House Tothill Street London. SW1H 9DA Tel: 020 7340 4000 Website: dwp.gov.uk

**Other Papers**

Business, Innovation and Skills: Draft Higher Education (Higher Amount) (England) Regulations 2010, Cm 7986, ISBN: 010 1798624, £5.75

Education: Review of the Office of the Children's Commissioner (England), Cm 7981, ISBN: 010 1798129, £27.25

Parliamentary Contributory Pension Fund: Account 2009-2010, HC 660, ISBN: 010 2968842, £9.75

Service Personnel & Veterans Agency: Annual Report and Accounts 2009/10, HC 216, ISBN: 010 2968200, £14.75

Sports Scotland National Lottery Distribution Fund: Annual Report and Accounts 2009/10, HC 625, ISBN: 010 2952346, £9.75

## 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](http://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](http://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](http://europa.eu/index_en.htm)

### European Committee A

European Union Document No. 14768/10, relating to a Commission Communication to the European Parliament and the Council—Facing the challenge of the safety of offshore oil and gas activities, was referred to European Committee A on 10 November 2010 by the European Scrutiny Committee [7th Report of Session 2010-11, HC 428-vii, Chapter 1]. – *awaiting consideration*

European Union Document No. 15277/10, relating to a report from the Commission to the European Parliament and the Council on Animal Cloning for Food, was referred to European Committee A on 24 November 2010 by the European Scrutiny Committee – *awaiting consideration*

### European Committee B

An Unnumbered Explanatory Memorandum dated 31 March 2010 submitted by the Department for International Development, relating to the Second Revision of the Cotonou Agreement was referred to European Committee B on 8 September 2010 by the European Scrutiny Committee. [1st Report of Session 2010-11, HC 428-i, Chapter 1]. – *awaiting consideration*

European Documents No. 11048/10, relating to a Draft Agreement, No. 11172/10, relating to a Council Decision on the conclusion of the Agreement and No. 11173/10, relating to a Council Decision on the signature of the Agreement between the European Union and the United States of America on the Processing and Transfer of Financial Payment Messaging Data from the European Union to the United States of America for the purposes of the Terrorist Finance Tracking Program was referred to European Committee B on 8 September 2010 by the European Scrutiny Committee. [1st Report of Session 2010-11, HC 428-i, Chapter 6]. – *awaiting consideration*

European Documents No. 9606/10, relating to a Council Regulation establishing a European financial stabilisation mechanism and No. 12119/10, relating to a Draft amending budget No. 7 to the general budget 2010—Statement of expenditure by Section—Section III—Commission was referred to European Committee B on 8 September 2010 by the European Scrutiny Committee. [1st Report of Session 2010-11, HC 428-i, Chapter 9] – *awaiting consideration*

European Union Document No. 8399/10 and Addenda 1–5, relating to a proposal for the regulation on the citizens’ initiative was referred to European Committee B on 8 September 2010 by the European Scrutiny Committee. [1st Report of Session 2010-11, HC 428-i, Chapter 3] – *awaiting consideration*

European Union Documents No. 9231/10, relating to a Council recommendation on broad guidelines for the economic policies of the Member States and of the Union—Part I of the Europe 2020 Integrated Guidelines and No. 9233/10, relating to a Proposal for a Council Decision on guidelines for the employment policies of the Member States—Part II of the Europe 2020 Integrated Guidelines was referred to European Committee B on 8 September 2010 by the European Scrutiny Committee. [1st Report of Session 2010-11, HC 428-i, Chapter 9] – *to be considered at 4.30pm on 10 January 2011*

European Union Documents No. 9193/10, relating to a Commission Report on the functioning of the Interinstitutional Agreement on budgetary discipline and sound financial management, No. 10346/10 and Addenda 1–2, relating to a Commission Communication: “More or less controls? Striking the right balance between the administrative costs of control and the risk of error” and No. 10561/10 and Addendum, relating to a Draft Regulation on the Financial regulation applicable to the general budget of the European Union (recast), were referred to European Committee B on 15 September 2010 by the European Scrutiny Committee [2nd Report of Session 2010-11, HC 428-ii, Chapter 1] – *to be considered at 4.30pm on 14 December 2010*

European Union Documents No. 12393/10 and Addenda 1 and 2, relating to protection of the European Union’s financial interests, No. 13075/10 and Addendum, relating to an Annual Report to the discharge report on internal audits carried out in 2009, and an Unnumbered Explanatory Memorandum dated 22 October 2010 submitted by HM Treasury, relating to the Annual Report 2010: European Anti-Fraud Office, were referred to European Committee B on 3 November 2010 by the European Scrutiny Committee [5th Report of Session 2010-11, HC 428-v, Chapter 1] – *awaiting consideration*

European Union Document No. 10823/10 and Addendum 1, relating to the Green Paper on corporate governance in financial institutions and remuneration policies, were referred to European Committee B on 17 November 2010 by the European Scrutiny Committee [8th Report of Session 2010-11, HC 428-viii, Chapter 1] – *to be considered at 4.30pm on 13 December 2010*

European Union Document No. 12564/10 and Addenda 1 and 2, relating to a Draft Directive on the right to information in criminal proceedings, was referred to European Committee B on 24 November 2010 by the European Scrutiny Committee [9th Report of Session 2010-11, HC 428-ix, Chapter 3] – *considered 2<sup>nd</sup> December 2010*

European Union Document No. 15282/10 and Addendum, relating to a Commission Communication: Taxation of the Financial Sector, was referred to European Committee B on 24 November 2010 by the European Scrutiny Committee [9th Report of Session 2010-11, HC 428-ix, Chapter 2] – *awaiting consideration*

European Union Document No. 16797/10, relating to a Commission Communication, The EU Internal Security Strategy in Action: Five steps towards a more secure Europe, was referred to European Committee B on 8 December 2010 by the European Scrutiny Committee. – *awaiting consideration*

Unnumbered Explanatory Memorandum dated 24 November 2010, submitted by the Department for International Development, relating to the European Court of Auditors’ Annual Report on Activities Funded by the Seventh, Eighth and Ninth European Development Funds (EDFs) and Unnumbered Explanatory Memorandum, dated 25 November 2010, submitted by HM Treasury, relating to the European Court of Auditors’ Annual Report on Implementation of the Budget concerning the financial year 2009, together with European Union Documents No. 9193/10, No. 10346/10 and Addenda 1 and 2 and No. 10561/10 and Addendum, relating to Financial Management, already referred to the Committee on 15 September, was referred to European Committee B, on 8 December 2010, by the European Scrutiny Committee – *awaiting consideration*

### **European Committee C**

None

### **To be considered on the floor of the House**

None

**Early Day Motions tabled between  
3 – 10 December 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

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6.12.10	1136	Gareth Johnson	AWARD OF NOBEL PRIZE FOR MEDICINE AND THE DEVELOPMENT OF IVF
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6.12.10	1138	Mr Marsha Singh	MEN'S HEALTH
6.12.10	1139	Bob Russell	SALARIES OF SENIOR MEMBERS OF THE INDEPENDENT PARLIAMENTARY STANDARDS AUTHORITY
6.12.10	1140	Anas Sarwar	HUMAN RIGHTS IN THE GAMBIA
6.12.10	1141	Caroline Lucas	REFORM OF THE BANKING SYSTEM
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6.12.10	1143	Mr David Amess	HUMANITARIAN SITUATION IN CAMP ASHRAF
6.12.10	1144	Mr David Amess	RT HON. ANN WIDDECOMBE AND ANTON DU BEKE (STRICTLY COME DANCING)
6.12.10	1145	Robert Halfon	IRAN'S NUCLEAR PROGRAMME
6.12.10	1146	John McDonnell	UK UNCUT CAMPAIGN
6.12.10	1147	Mr John Baron	IMPACT OF TRAVEL ON CHILDREN WITH CANCER
6.12.10	1148	Dr Julian Huppert	SCIENTIFIC EXPERTISE ON THE ADVISORY COUNCIL ON THE MISUSE OF DRUGS
7.12.10	1149	Charlotte Leslie [R]	SURGEONS' WORKING HOURS
7.12.10	1150	Valerie Vaz	MEASUREMENT AND PUBLICATION OF HEALTHCARE OUTCOMES
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7.12.10	1152	Austin Mitchell	NEWSQUEST NEWSPAPERS GROUP
7.12.10	1153	Keith Vaz	GENDER EQUALITY IN SUCCESSION TO THE THRONE
7.12.10	1154	Andrew Rosindell	DAIRY COUNCIL CEREMONY OF THE CHRISTMAS CHEESES 2010
7.12.10	1155	Mr Michael Meacher	ALTERNATIVE BUDGET STRATEGY
8.12.10	1156	Keith Vaz	VIDEO GAMES AND ADDICTION
8.12.10	1157	Keith Vaz	GE LIGHTING SITE, LEICESTER
8.12.10	1158	Zac Goldsmith	MISSING PEOPLE'S MISSING RIGHTS CAMPAIGN
8.12.10	1159	Helen Goodman	SALE OF AUCKLAND CASTLE AND ZURBARÁN PAINTINGS
8.12.10	1160	Robert Halfon	SUPPORT FOR SPECIAL CONSTABLES

8.12.10	1161	Jeremy Corbyn	REZA SHAHABI (No. 2)
8.12.10	1162	Steve Rotheram	30 <sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF THE DEATH OF JOHN LENNON
8.12.10	1163	Tracey Crouch	RADIO CAROLINE
8.12.10	1164	Andrew Rosindell	A DOG IS FOR LIFE, NOT JUST FOR CHRISTMAS
9.12.10	1165	Jim Dobbin	PARENT CHOICE AND SEX AND RELATIONSHIP EDUCATION
9.12.10	1166	Dan Rogerson	HUMAN RIGHTS SITUATION OF SABIAN MANDAEANS AND OTHER MINORITY RELIGIOUS GROUPS IN IRAQ
9.12.10	1167	Mr Adrian Sanders [R]	INSULIN PUMP PROVISION
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9.12.10	1173	Dr Alan Whitehead	IMPLEMENTATION OF SUSTAINABILITY STANDARDS FOR BIOFUELS
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**State of the Parties in the House of Commons as at 10 December 2010**

<b>Conservative</b>	305	<b>Alliance</b> (Naomi Long)	1
<b>Labour</b>	253	<b>Green</b> (Caroline Lucas)	1
<b>Liberal Democrat</b>	57	<b>Independent</b> (Lady Sylvia Hermon, Eric Illsley, Rt Hon. Dr Denis MacShane)	3
<b>Scottish National Party / Plaid Cymru</b> (SNP – Messrs Robertson, Weir, Wishart, MacNeil, Hosie & Ms Whiteford/ PC – Messrs Llwyd, Edwards, H Williams)	9	<b>The Speaker and 3 Deputies</b> (Rt Hon John Bercow, Mr Lindsay Hoyle CWM; Mr Nigel Evans, 1 <sup>st</sup> DCWM; Dawn Primarolo, 2 <sup>nd</sup> DCWM)	4 (Do not normally vote)
<b>Democratic Unionist Party</b> (Messrs Campbell, Dodds, Donaldson, McCreagh, Paisley Jr, Shannon, Simpson, Wilson)	8	<b>Vacant Seat:</b> Oldham East and Saddleworth	1
<b>Sinn Fein</b> (Messrs Adams, Doherty, McGuinness, Murphy & Ms Gildernew)	5 (Have not taken their seats and cannot vote)	<b>Total number of seats</b>	<b>650</b>
<b>Social Democratic &amp; Labour Party</b> (Messrs Durkan, McDonnell & Ms Ritchie)	3	<b>Current working Government Majority</b> (305 Conservative and 57 Liberal Democrat MPs less 279 of all other parties – excludes Speaker, Deputy Speakers and Sinn Fein)	<b>84</b>

The total number of women MPs is 143: (Con 49; LD 7; Lab 81; Green 1; SNP 1; SDLP 1; SF 1; Alliance 1; Ind 1)

**Abbreviations:**

CWM – Chairman of Ways and Means  
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Oldham East and Saddleworth	Election was void				

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