

GOVERNMENT WHIPS' OFFICE HOUSE OF LORDS

TODAY'S LISTS TUESDAY 22 JULY 2025

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Business in the Chamber at 2.30pm

Prayers by the Bishop of Newcastle (5 minutes)

Introduction

Lord Case will be introduced

Oral Questions (40 minutes)

- *Earl Russell to ask His Majesty's Government what impact they anticipate reallocating £2.5 billion of Great British Energy's planned budget for nuclear energy generation development will have on its ability to deliver on its planned objectives. **(Lord Wilson of Sedgfield, DESNZ)**
- * Lord Young of Cookham to ask His Majesty's Government what progress has been made by the Independent Commission into Adult Social Care. **(Baroness Blake of Leeds, DHSC)**
- * Baroness Kramer to ask His Majesty's Government what progress has been made in making givinostat available to boys living with Duchenne muscular dystrophy to slow down degeneration particularly becoming unable to walk. **(Baroness Blake of Leeds, DHSC)**

*Lord Empey to ask His Majesty's Government what assessment they have made of the 'pull factors' attracting migrants to enter the United Kingdom illegally. **(Lord Hanson of Flint, HO)**

Business expected to be brief

Crown Estate (Wales) Bill (Private Members' Bill) – Report – Lord Wigley

Main Business

The following three motions and the amendments to the first motion are expected to be debated together:

Enterprise Act 2002 (Mergers Involving Newspaper Enterprises and Foreign Powers) Regulations 2025 – Debate and Approval Motion – Baroness Twycross

- Amendment to the motion in the name of Baroness Twycross – Lord Fox
- Amendment to the motion in the name of Baroness Twycross – Baroness Stowell of Beeston

Enterprise Act 2002 (Amendment of Section 58 Considerations) Order 2025 – Debate and Approval Motion – Baroness Twycross

Enterprise Act 2002 (Definition of Newspaper) Order 2025 – Debate and Approval Motion – Baroness Twycross

Universal Credit Bill (Money Bill) – Second Reading and Remaining Stages – Baroness Sherlock

- **Second Reading Amendment Motion –
Baroness Bennett of Manor Castle**

Advisory backbench speaking time: 5 minutes

Speakers:

- B Sherlock
- V Younger of Leckie
- B Tyler of Enfield
- B Bennett of Manor Castle
- 5 B Grey-Thompson
- B Andrews
- Bp Newcastle
- L Rook
- B Browning
- 10 L Hendy
- B Shawcross-Wolfson (Maiden)
- L Elliott of Mickel Fell
- B Lister of Burtersett
- B Brinton
- 15 L Sikka
- L Evans of Rainow
- B Bryan of Partick (Valedictory)
- B Ritchie of Downpatrick
- B Scott of Needham Market
- 20 L Liddle

L Palmer of Childs Hill

B Stedman-Scott

B Sherlock

B Bennett of Manor Castle

Estimated rising time

The House is expected to rise at around 10pm

Notes:

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