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HOUSE OF LORDS PUBLIC BILL SESSIONAL STATISTICS FOR SESSION 2005-2006

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Table 1: Summary

	Total	Total receiving Royal Assent	Total amended in the House of Lords
Bills brought from House of Commons			
Government Bills Private Members' Bills Total Commons Bills	35 3 38	35 3 38	21 0 21
Bills introduced in the House of Lords			
Government Bills Private Members' Bills Total Lords Bills	18 18 36	18 0 18	17 2 19
Total	74	56	40

Table 2: Government Bills brought from the House of Commons

Title	Amendments tabled	Amendments made	Government defeats
Animal Welfare	237	74	0
Armed Forces	327	78	0
Childcare	147	19	0
Civil Aviation	90	14	2
Consolidated Fund	0	0	0
Consolidated Fund (Appropriation)	0	0	0
Consolidated Fund (Appropriation) (No. 2)	0	0	0
Consolidated Fund (Appropriation) (No. 3)	0	0	0
Consumer Credit	60	5	0
Council Tax (New Valuation Lists for England)	11	0	0
Education and Inspections	693	240	0
Electoral Administration	448	171	1
European Union (Accessions)	4	0	0
Finance	0	0	0
Finance (No. 2)	0	0	0
Government of Wales	378	103	6
Health	205	58	0
Housing Corporation (Delegation) etc.	0	0	0
Identity Cards	445	74	8
Immigration, Asylum and Nationality	206	42	0
Legislative and Regulatory Reform	207	46	0
London Olympic Games and Paralympic Games	126	20	0
National Insurance Contributions	41	0	0
National Lottery	86	7	1
Natural Environment and Rural Communities	518	77	0
Northern Ireland	7	0	0
Northern Ireland (Miscellaneous Provisions)	55	6	2
Police and Justice	499	165	6
Racial and Religious Hatred	43	4	1
Regulation of Financial Services (Land Transactions)	0	0	0
Terrorism	264	53	3
Terrorism (Northern Ireland)	1	0	0
Transport (Wales)	23	0	0
Violent Crime Reduction	304	128	1
Work and Families	45	1	0
Total	5470	1385	31

Note: This table includes proceedings in Grand Committee (see Table 12) but excludes proceedings on Consideration of Commons Amendments (see Table 11).

Table 3: Private Members' Bills brought from the House of Commons

Title	Amendments tabled	Amendments made
Climate Change and Sustainable Energy Emergency Workers (Obstruction)	0	0
International Development (Reporting and Transparency) Total	0	0

Table 4: Money and Supply Bills (invariably introduced in the House of Commons)

Money and Supply Bills

Consolidated Fund (Appropriation)
Consolidated Fund (Appropriation) (No. 2)
Consolidated Fund (Appropriation) (No. 3)
Finance
Finance (No. 2)

Table 5: Government Bills introduced in the House of Lords

Title	Amendments tabled	Amendments made	Government defeats
Charities	264	160	1
Children and Adoption	206	71	0
Commissioner for Older People (Wales)	172	54	0
Commons	434	146	0
Companies (formerly Company Law Reform)	1926	827	5
Compensation	178	37	1
Criminal Defence Service	30	15	1
Equality	511	189	1
Fraud	70	8	0
Merchant Shipping (Pollution)	7	2	0
NHS Redress	136	31	1
Road Safety	309	69	5
Safeguarding Vulnerable Groups	298	176	0
Total	4541	1785	15

Note: This table includes proceedings in Grand Committee (see Table 12) but excludes proceedings on Consideration of Commons Amendments (see Table 11). Privilege amendments are not included.

Table 6: Private Members' Bills introduced in the House of Lords

Title	Amendments tabled	Amendments made
Assisted Dying for the Terminally III Borough Freedom (Family Succession) Constitutional Reform (Prerogative Powers and Civil Service etc.) Disabled Persons (Independent Living) Dynamic Demand Appliances Estate Agents (Independent Redress Scheme) European Union (Implication of Withdrawal) Fishery Limits (United Kingdom) Harbours Interception of Communications (Admissibility of Evidence) Life Peerages (Disclaimer) Lighter Evenings (Experiment) Parliament (Participation of Members of the House of Commons) Piped Music and Showing of Television Programmes) Police (Northern Ireland) Powers of Entry etc. Scotland (Petitions for a Referendum on Independence) Scottish Parliament (Candidates)	0 0 12 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0 0 5 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Total	18	7

Note: Privilege amendments are not included.

Table 7: Consolidation Bills (invariably introduced in the House of Lords)

Title	Amendments tabled	Amendments made
National Health Service	7	7
National Health Service (Wales)	6	6
National Health Service (Consequential Provisions)	4	4
Parliamentary Costs	0	0
Wireless Telegraphy	1	1
Total	18	18

Table 8: Amendments by stage

	Amendments tabled	Amendments made	Government defeats
Committee of the whole House Lords Bills (Government) Lords Bills (Private Members' Bills) Commons Bills (Government) Commons Bills (Private Members' Bills) Total	621	105	0
	14	3	0
	2465	477	7
	0	0	0
	3100	585	7
Grand Committee Lords Bills (Government) Lords Bills (Private Members' Bills) Commons Bills (Government) Commons Bills (Private Members' Bills) Total	2211	674	0
	-	-	-
	1005	60	0
	-	-	-
	3216	734	0
Joint Committee Lords Bills (Government)	18	18	0
Re-Commitment Lords Bills (Government) Commons Bills (Government) Total	-	-	-
	22	6	0
	22	6	0
Report Lords Bills (Government) Lords Bills (Private Members' Bills) Commons Bills (Government) Commons Bills (Private Members' Bills) Total	1379	797	11
	4	4	0
	1604	611	20
	0	0	0
	2987	1412	31
Third Reading Lords Bills (Government) Lords Bills (Private Members' Bills) Commons Bills (Government) Commons Bills (Private Members' Bills) Total	330	209	4
	0	0	0
	374	231	4
	0	0	0
	704	440	8
Consideration of Commons Amendments etc. Lords Bills (Government) Lords Bills (Private Members' Bills) Commons Bills (Government) Commons Bills (Private Members' Bills) Total	40	17	5
	-	-	-
	56	37	10
	-	-	-
	96	54	15
Totals	10143	3249	61

Table 9: Divisions

Divisions by Bill

Title	Number of Divisions
Armed Forces	7
Assisted Dying for the Terminally III	1
Charities	8
Childcare	4
Children and Adoption	2
Civil Aviation	9
Commons	4
Companies (formerly Company Law Reform)	12
Compensation	3
Consumer Credit	1
Council Tax (New Valuation Lists for England)	1
Criminal Defence Service	1
Education and Inspections	12
Electoral Administration	6
Equality	1
Government of Wales	12
Health	4
Identity Cards	21
Immigration, Asylum and Nationality	1
Legislative and Regulatory Reform	3
London Olympic Games and Paralympic Games	1
National Lottery	2
Natural Environment and Rural Communities	8
NHS Redress	3
Northern Ireland (Miscellaneous Provisions)	3
Police and Justice	13
Racial and Religious Hatred	2
Road Safety	15
Terrorism	10
Violent Crime Reduction	10
Work and Families	1
Total	181

Divisions by Stage

Stage	Number of Divisions
Second Reading	1
Committee of the whole House	26
Recommitment	0
Report	89
Third Reading	41
Consideration of Commons Amendments	24
Total	181

Table 10: Government defeats

Title	No. of defeats	Stage name	Subject matter	Voting figures	Reversed by HC
Charities	1	Report	Amdt 10: ensure the Charity Commission is independent of ministers when appointing staff.	C166; NC134	No
Civil Aviation	4	Report	Amdt 1: encouragement to reduce noise emissions from aircraft.	C141; NC128	Yes with amdts in lieu
			Amdt 6: maintain existing limits on the movement of aircraft at night.	C167; NC127	Yes with amdt in lieu
		Consideration of Commons Amendments	Motion A1: introduction of service charge at airports to help reduce noise pollution.	C178; NC150	Yes with amdts in lieu
			Motion B1: introduction of measures to reduce the number of night flights.	C185; NC128	Yes with amdt in lieu
Companies (formerly Company Law Reform)	6	Report	Amdt 59: all persons holding shares in a regulated company shall be entitled to receive information and documents whether or not they own the shares directly or via an ISA or a PEP.	C153; NC146	Yes
			Amdt 223: recognition of the specialist position of independent charity examiners.	C142; NC120	Yes
			Amdt 272: allow proper safeguards are in place within organisations before information that may be considered confidential can be released into the public domain.	C123; NC117	Yes
		Third Reading	Amdt 82: Freedom of Information Act to apply to those bodies to whom the Secretary of State has delegated functions.	C147; NC125	No
			Amdt 96: leave out clause 876: information about exercise of voting rights towards institutional	C125; NC120	Yes

			investors.		
		Consideration of Commons Amendments	Amdt 954A: role of the Public Oversight Board when dealing with company auditors.	C116; NC104	No
Compensation	1	Report	Amdt 4: apologies, offers of treatment or other redress shall not of themselves amount to an admission of negligence or breach of statutory duty.	C157; NC144	No
Criminal Defence Service	1	Report	Amdt 3: allow right of appeal for eligibility for legal aid to be made to a court.	C145; NC137	Yes
Electoral Administration	2	Third Reading	Amdt 4: requirement of signature and date of birth to be included in all (not just postal) voters' registration.	C167; NC144	Yes
		Consideration of Commons Amendments	Amdt 8B: requirement of signature and date of birth to be included in all (not just postal) voters' registration.	C156; NC147	Yes
Equality	1	Third Reading	Amdt 14: remove prohibition of harassment.	C216; NC126	No
Government of Wales	6	Committee of the whole House	Amdt 17: qualification and entitlement to stand for election.	C133; NC114	Yes
		Report	Amdt 11: Assembly Commission to have cross party participation.	C194; NC133	Yes with amdt in lieu
			Amdt 13: representation on committees should fairly reflect the balance of political parties in the Assembly.	C181; NC131	Yes with amdts in lieu
			Amdt 15: rename "Audit Committee" as "Accounts Committee".	C155; NC127	Yes with amdt in lieu
		Third Reading	Amdt 4: ensure that an order which has a retrospective effect is not to the detriment of those who have benefited from or acted in reliance on the state of law before such an order was made.	C110; NC106	Yes

			Amdt 9: reduce Secretary of State's powers to override a decision made by the Assembly and ensure that only Parliament can overrule that decision.	C142; NC105	Yes
Identity Cards	12	Committee of the whole House	Amdt 9: only people and organisations that reasonably require proof of identification shall be entitled to ask for it.	C141; NC 127	No
		Report	Amdt 1: identity cards scheme not to take effect until the implementation costs have been agreed by Parliament.	C237; NC156	Yes with amdt in lieu
			Amdt 4: all data kept under the scheme should be absolutely secure.	C206; NC144	Yes with amdt in lieu
			Amdt 6: restrictions to be placed on the purposes and uses of identity cards.	C194; NC141	Yes
			Amdt 38: identity cards should be voluntary, not compulsory.	C186; NC142	Yes with amdts in lieu
			Amdt 46: ensure that transition from a voluntary ID cards system to a compulsory scheme is made by primary legislation.	C198; NC140	No
			Amdt 76A: Information Commissioner to be appointed by the Crown on recommendation of the Secretary of State.	C155; NC138	Yes
			Amdt 85: National Identity Scheme Commissioner to ensure reports are laid before Parliament.	C145; NC139	Yes
		Consideration of Commons Amendments	Amdt D1: ID cards to be voluntary.	C227; NC166	Yes with amdts in lieu
			Amdt A1: ID cards to be voluntary.	C218; NC183	Yes with amdts in lieu
			Amdt D1: ID cards to be voluntary.	C211; NC175	Yes with amdts in lieu

			Amdt to Motion A: when applying for a passport by 31 December 2011, an individual may also apply for an ID card (but <i>must</i> following that date).	C219; NC191	Yes with amdts in lieu
National Lottery	1	Report	Amdt 1: Ministers not to have a say in how lottery money is allocated and spent.	C118; NC116	Yes with amdt in lieu
NHS Redress	2	Report	Amdt 22: any investigation on behalf of aggrieved patients should examine facts and not apportion blame.	C149; Nc133	Yes with amdt in lieu
		Consideration of Commons Amendments	Amdt 4A: allow for independent oversight when seeking to redress patients' grievances.	C149; NC133	Yes with amdt in lieu
Northern Ireland (Miscellaneous Provisions)	2	Report	Amdt 9: extending categories of permissible political doners to non-Northern Ireland nationals.	C148; NC111	Yes
			Amdt 12: allow Houses of Parliament to vote on suggested amendments to a draft Order in Council, then to be considered by the Secretary of State.	C148; NC113	Yes
Police and Justice	8	Committee of the whole House	Amdt 14: merger of police forces subject to consent of relevant police authorities.	C198; NC130	Yes
			Amdt 186: suspension of existing extradition procedure between UK and USA until the US Senate has ratified extradition treaty.	C218; NC116	Yes with amdts in lieu
			Amdt 187: district judge to decide whether a wanted person is to be tried in the UK if the person is not to be set free.	C192; NC109	Yes with amdts in lieu
		Report	Amdt 38: remove powers of Secretary of State from deciding whether a police force is "failing".	C144; NC125	Yes
			Amdt 66: removal of clause which extends conditional cautions beyond reparation and rehabilitation to include wider punitive conditions.	C207; NC146	Yes with amdts in lieu

			Amdt 87: give the Chief Inspector of Prisons more freedom to decide what aspects of a prison he wishes to take into account when producing a report.	C211; NC98	Yes with amdts in lieu
		Consideration of Commons Amendments	Amdt D1: ensure equality of provisions between UK and USA when extraditing individuals.	C189; NC152	Yes with amdts in lieu
			Amdt F1: If an offence was committed partly in UK, a court shall have the power to order that proceedings shall take place in a UK court.	C171; NC138	Yes with amdts in lieu
Racial and Religious Hatred	1	Committee of the whole House	Amdt 1: remove the words "abusive" and "insulting" from proposed offence.	C260; NC111	No
Road Safety	8	Report	Amdt 1: allow income raised from safety camera enforcement to be used by the relevant local transport authority to improve road safety.	C166; NC125	Yes with amdts in lieu
			Amdt 14: requirement of retro-reflective tape to be fixed to the side of new heavy goods vehicles.	C163; NC146	Yes
			Amdt 38: removal of clause relating to compulsory surrender of old-form licences.	C166; NC158	Yes
			Amdt 50: development potentially affecting traffic over a level crossing.	C175; NC146	No
		Third Reading	Amdt 4: remove provision for mandatory prison sentence as a result of careless driving.	C159; NC153	Yes
		Consideration of Commons Amendments	Amdt 1A: allow for more transparency concerning the distribution of speed camera revenue.	C129; NC101	Yes with amdts in lieu
			Amdt 5A: requirement of retro-reflective tape to be fixed to the side of new heavy goods vehicles.	C112; NC96	Yes
			Amdt 6A: custodial sentence to be imposed on a driving offence only if intent is proven.	C104; NC89	Yes
Terrorism	3	Report	Amdt 8: oppose new criminal offence of	C270; NC144	Yes with

			"glorification" of acts of terrorism.		amdts in lieu
			Amdt 17: offence to disseminate a terrorist publication with the intention of directly or indirectly encouraging terrorism.	C234; NC134	Yes with amdts in lieu
		Third Reading	Amdt 4: establish judicial oversight when issuing a notice concerning transmission of "unlawful terrorism-related" material by internet service provider.	C148; NC147	Yes with amdts in lieu
		Consideration of Commons Amendments	Amdt 5: definition of "indirect encouragement".	C160; NC156	Yes with amdts in lieu
Violent Crime Reduction	1		Amdt 89: a local authority cannot pre-empt the outcome of an action plan by establishing an alcohol disorder zone.	C135; NC131	Yes
Total	61				

Table 11: Proceedings on Consideration of Commons Amendments etc.

Part I – Lords Government Bills

Title	Motions and amendments tabled in the Lords	Lords Motions and amendments agreed to	Government defeats
Charities	1	0	0
Companies (formerly Company Law Reform)	15	4	1
Compensation	4	0	0
Criminal Defence Service	0	0	0
Equality	0	0	0
NHS Redress	9	4	1
Road Safety	8	6	3
Safeguarding Vulnerable Groups	3	3	0
Total	40	17	5

Part II - Commons Government Bills

Title	Motions and amendments tabled in the Lords	Lords Motions and amendments agreed to	Government defeats
Civil Aviation Electoral Administration Government of Wales Identity Cards National Lottery Police and Justice Terrorism Violent Crime Reduction	7 3 7 15 1 11 11	4 2 6 11 1 8 4	2 1 0 4 0 2 1 0
Total	56	37	10
Total	96	54	15

Note: Privilege amendments are not included.

Table 12: Grand Committee proceedings

Title	Amendments tabled	Amendments made
Animal Welfare	174	30
Childcare	95	0
Children and Adoption	166	67
Civil Aviation	53	4
Commissioner for Older People (Wales)	118	37
Commons	304	78
Companies (formerly Company Law Reform)	1224	387
Compensation	112	6
Consumer Credit	41	1
Council Tax (New Valuation Lists for England)	6	0
Criminal Defence Service	11	0
Electoral Administration	184	8
European Union (Accessions)	4	0
Health	137	10
Immigration, Asylum and Nationality	93	4
London Olympic Games and Paralympic Games	88	0
Merchant Shipping (Pollution)	6	2
National Insurance Contributions	41	0
NHS Redress	84	3
Northern Ireland (Miscellaneous Provisions)	41	3
Safeguarding Vulnerable Groups	186	94
Terrorism (Northern Ireland)	1	0
Transport (Wales)	21	0
Work and Families	26	0
Total	3216	734

Table 13: Bills receiving Royal Assent

Title of Act	Chapter no.
Appropriation (No. 3)	21 (2005)
Finance (No. 2)	22
Consolidated Fund	23
Regulation of Financial Services (Land Transactions)	24
Racial and Religious Hatred	1 (2006)
European Union (Accessions)	2
Equality	3
Terrorism (Northern Ireland)	4
Transport (Wales)	5
Appropriation Council Tay (New Valuation Lists for England)	6 7
Council Tax (New Valuation Lists for England) Merchant Shipping (Pollution)	8
Criminal Defence Service	9
National Insurance Contributions	10
Terrorism	11
London Olympic Games and Paralympic Games	12
Immigration, Asylum and Nationality	13
Consumer Credit	14
Identity Cards	15
Natural Environment and Rural Communities	16
Northern Ireland	17
Work and Families	18
Climate Change and Sustainable Energy	19
Children and Adoption	20
Childcare	21
Electoral Administration	22 23
National Lottery	23 24
Appropriation (No. 2) Finance	2 4 25
Commons	26
Housing Corporation (Delegation) etc.	27
Health	28
Compensation	29
Commissioner for Older People (Wales)	30
International Development (Reporting and Transparency)	31
Government of Wales	32
Northern Ireland (Miscellaneous Provisions)	33
Civil Aviation	34
Fraud	35
Wireless Telegraphy	36
Parliamentary Costs Violent Crime Reduction	37
Emergency Workers (Obstruction)	38 39
Education and Inspections	39 40
National Health Service	41
National Health Service (Wales)	42
National Health Service (Consequential Provisions)	43
NHS Redress	44
Animal Welfare	45
Companies (formerly Company Law Reform)	46
Safeguarding Vulnerable Groups	47

Police and Justice	48
Road Safety	49
Charities	50
Legislative and Regulatory Reform	51
Armed Forces	52

Table 14: Bills not receiving Royal Assent

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Lords Private Members' Bills

Assisted Dying for the Terminally III Borough Freedom (Family Succession)

Constitutional Reform (Prerogative Powers and Civil Service etc.)

Disabled Persons (Independent Living)

Dynamic Demand Appliances

Estate Agents (Independent Redress Scheme) European Union (Implications of Withdrawal)

Fishery Limits (United Kingdom)

Harbours

Interception of Communications (Admissibility of Evidence)

Life Peerages (Disclaimer) Lighter Evenings (Experiment)

Parliament (Participation of Members of the House of Commons)

Piped Music and Showing of Television Programmes

Police (Northern Ireland)
Powers of Entry etc.

Scotland (Petitions for a Referendum on Independence)

Scottish Parliament (Candidates)

Dilatory motion agreed to on 2a

Fell in Commons Fell in Commons

Not proceeded with after 2a

Fell in Commons
Fell in Commons

Not proceeded with after 1a

Fell in Commons Fell in Commons

Not proceeded with after 2a Not proceeded with after 1a

Fell in Commons Fell in Commons Fell in Commons

Fell in Commons

Not proceeded with after 1a Not proceeded with after 2a Not proceeded with after 2a

Table 15: Special features

Bill re-committed

Electoral Administration

Other special features

Assisted Dying for the Terminally III

Charities

Title

Childcare

Companies (formerly Company Law

Reform)

Compensation

Consolidated Fund (Appropriation) Consolidated Fund (Appropriation) (No. 2) Consolidation Fund (Appropriation) (No. 3) **Electoral Administration**

Finance Finance (No. 2) Health **Identity Cards**

London Olympic Games and Paralympic

Games

National Health Service

National Health Service (Wales)

National Health Service (Consequential

Provisions)

House of Commons)

Road Safety

Terrorism

Special features

12/5/06: 2a dilatory (6 month) motion agreed to on division (C 148; NC 100); first such motion for a pmb since Welfare of Pigs (No. 2) Bill in session 1997-98. 28/6/05 (cwh day 1): amdt 15 disagreed to on division

pursuant to SO 57 – equal numbers: C 93; NC 93. 12/6/06 (rpt): amdt 9 disagreed to on division pursuant

to SO 57 – equal numbers: C 147; NC 147. Lords 2a copy printed as 2 volume bill.

Numbering of amdts in 6th marshalled list altered. 13 days in gc (beating previous record of 11 for Energy

Bill and Pensions Bill in session 2003-04).

Short title changed to "Companies Bill" in Commons. Commons Amendments number 1029 amdts. Act contains 1300 clauses and 16 Schedules. 18/7/06: Commons Amendments printed pursuant to

SO 51(2).

Enacted as Appropriation (No. 3) Act 2005.

Enacted as Appropriation Act 2006.

Enacted as Appropriation (No. 2) Act 2006. 3/5/06: Committee (on recommitment) motion in

respect of amdts on loans.

Enacted as Finance (No. 2) Act 2005.

Enacted as Finance Act 2006.

19/6/06 (rpt day 1): amdt 5 non-whipped division. 30/1/06 (rpt day 3): amdt 76 disagreed to on division pursuant to SO 57 – equal numbers: C 155; NC 155. Introduced in Commons as London Olympics Bill: short

title amended on Commons rpt.

Consolidation: see also National Health Service (Wales) Bill [HL] and linked to National Health Service

(Consequential Provisions) Bill [HL].

Consolidation: see also National Health Service Bill

[HL] and linked to National Health Service

(Consequential Provisions) Bill [HL].

Ancillary to National Health Service Bill [HL] and National Health Service (Wales) Bill [HL].

Parliament (Participation of Members of the First preamble to a public bill since Brunei (Appeals)

Bill [HL] 1989.

29/11/05 (rpt day 2): amdt 58A disagreed to pursuant to

SO 54 (tellers not appointed on division)

25/1/06 (rpt day 2): amdt 77 non-whipped division.

NOTES

The following acronyms and shorthand terms are used:

1aFirst Reading2aSecond Reading3aThird Reading

cwh Committee of the whole House

gc Grand Committee

Rpt Report

cca Consideration of Commons Amendments

Amdt(s) Amendment(s)
govt government
No. Number
n/m not moved
s/p stand part

pmb Private members' bill SO Standing Order C Contents NC Not Contents HL House of Lords

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