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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	21	20	10
Private Members' Bills	4	3	1
Total Commons Bills	25	23	11
Bills introduced in the House of Lords			
Government Bills	9	9	7
Private Members' Bills	22	1	3
Total Lords Bills	31	10	10
Total	56	33	21

Table 2: Government Bills brought from the House of Commons

Title	Amendments tabled	Amendments made	Government defeats
Consolidated Fund	0	0	0
Consolidated Fund (Appropriation)	0	0	0
Consolidated Fund (Appropriation) (No. 2)	0	0	0
Corporate Manslaughter and Corporate Homicide	161	35	1
Digital Switchover (Disclosure of Information)	48	1	0
Finance	0	0	0
Fraud (Trials without a Jury)	0	0	1
Greater London Authority	299	38	2
Income Tax	0	0	0
Investment Exchanges and Clearing Houses	1	0	0
Justice and Security (Northern Ireland)	72	8	0
Local Government and Public Involvement in Health	1083	313	1
Northern Ireland (St Andrews Agreement)	44	0	0
Northern Ireland (St Andrews Agreement) (No. 2)	0	0	0
Offender Management	204	65	6
Pensions	212	75	4
Planning-gain Supplement (Preparations)	0	0	0
Rating (Empty Properties)	0	0	0
Statistics and Registration Service	306	74	2
UK Borders	147	21	0
Welfare Reform	234	58	1
Total	2811	688	18

Note: This table includes proceedings in Grand Committee (see Table 11) but excludes proceedings on Consideration of Commons Amendments (see Table 10).

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

Title	Amendments tabled	Amendments made
Building Societies (Funding) and Mutual Societies (Transfers)	7	7
Freedom of Information (Amendment)	0	0
Sustainable Communities	0	0
Vehicle Registration Marks	1	0
Total	8	7

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

Money and Supply Bills

Consolidated Fund
Consolidated Fund (Appropriation)
Consolidated Fund (Appropriation) (No. 2)
Finance
Income Tax
Planning-gain Supplement (Preparations)
Rating (Empty Properties)

Table 5: Government Bills introduced in the House of Lords

Title	Amendments tabled	Amendments made	Government defeats
Concessionary Bus Travel	103	10	0
Consumers, Estate Agents and Redress	278	85	0
Further Education and Training	148	55	1
International Tribunals (Sierra Leone)	0	0	0
Legal Services	1184	689	6
Mental Health	215	66	6
Parliament (Joint Departments)	3	0	0
Serious Crime	352	86	2
Tribunals, Courts and Enforcement	278	92	0
Total	2561	1083	15

Note: This table includes proceedings in Grand Committee (see Table 11) but excludes proceedings on Consideration of Commons Amendments (see Table 10). Privilege amendments are not included.

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

Title	Amendments tabled	Amendments made
Alcohol Labelling	0	0
Bailiffs (Licensing)	0	0
Cluster Munitions (Prohibition)	0	0
Corruption	0	0
Development Orders (Microgeneration) [<i>formerly Energy Efficiency and Microgeneration</i>]	7	3
Disabled Persons (Independent Living)	39	39
European Union (Implication of Withdrawal)	0	0
European Union (Information, etc.)	5	0
Forced Marriage (Civil Protection)	35	28
Government Spending (Website)	0	0
House of Lords	0	0
House of Lords (Amendment)	0	0
Interception of Communications (Admissibility of Evidence)	0	0
Leasehold Information	0	0
Palliative Care	0	0
Parliamentary Constituencies (Amendment)	0	0
Piped Music etc. (Hospitals)	0	0
Public Demonstrations (Repeals)	0	0
Royal Commission (Slavery)	0	0
Television Advertising (Food)	0	0
Torture (Damages)	0	0
Victims of Overseas Terrorism	0	0
Total	86	70

Note: Privilege amendments are not included.

**Table 7:
Amendments by stage**

	Amendments tabled	Amendments made	Government defeats
Committee of the whole House			
Lords Bills (Government)	609	30	1
Lords Bills (Private Members' Bills)	51	42	0
Commons Bills (Government)	1273	269	8
Commons Bills (Private Members' Bills)	8	7	0
Total	1941	348	9
Grand Committee			
Lords Bills (Government)	460	28	0
Lords Bills (Private Members' Bills)	26	21	0
Commons Bills (Government)	583	46	0
Commons Bills (Private Members' Bills)	-	-	-
Total	1069	95	0
Report			
Lords Bills (Government)	1382	945	14
Lords Bills (Private Members' Bills)	9	7	0
Commons Bills (Government)	819	285	8
Commons Bills (Private Members' Bills)	0	0	0
Total	2210	1237	22
Third Reading			
Lords Bills (Government)	110	80	1
Lords Bills (Private Members' Bills)	0	0	0
Commons Bills (Government)	136	88	1
Commons Bills (Private Members' Bills)	0	0	0
Total	246	168	2
Consideration of Commons Amendments etc.			
Lords Bills (Government)	56	39	5
Lords Bills (Private Members' Bills)	-	-	-
Commons Bills (Government)	37	24	5
Commons Bills (Private Members' Bills)	-	-	-
Total	93	63	10
Totals	5559	1911	43

**Table 8:
Divisions**

Divisions by Bill

Title	Number of Divisions
Concessionary Bus Travel	1
Consumers, Estate Agents and Redress	2
Corporate Manslaughter and Corporate Homicide	6
Fraud (Trials without a Jury)	1
Further Education and Training	2
Greater London Authority	6
Justice and Security (Northern Ireland)	1
Legal Services	16
Local Government and Public Involvement in Health	6
Mental Health	7
Northern Ireland (St Andrews Agreement)	3
Offender Management	11
Pensions	7
Serious Crime	7
Statistics and Registration Service	7
Tribunals, Courts and Enforcement	1
UK Borders	3
Welfare Reform	2
Total	89

Divisions by Stage

Stage	Number of Divisions
Second Reading	1
Committee of the whole House	18
Report	47
Third Reading	8
Consideration of Commons Amendments	15
Total	89

**Table 9:
Government defeats**

Title	No. of defeats	Stage name	Subject matter	Voting figures	Reversed by HC
Corporate Manslaughter and Corporate Homicide	5	Report	Amdt 3: The appropriate Crown body shall be responsible for any deaths or injuries to individuals held in custody.	C223; NC 127	Yes (with amdts in lieu)
		Consideration of Commons Amendments	Motion A1: There shall be a duty of care for anyone held in custody.	C227; NC 136	Yes (with amdts in lieu)
			Motion A1: There shall be a duty of care for anyone held in custody.	C183; NC 145	Yes (with amdts in lieu)
			Motion A1: There shall be a duty of care for anyone held in custody.	C179; NC 142	Yes (with amdts in lieu)
			Motion A1: There shall be a duty of care for anyone held in custody.	C186; NC 157	Yes (with amdts in lieu)
Fraud (Trials without a Jury)	1	Second Reading	Amdt to 2a motion to postpone 2a for 6 months.	C216; NC 143	No
Further Education and Training	2	Report	Amdt 34: leave out clause 17: accountability and transparency under which the Learning and Skills Council operates and its relationship with further education institutions, together with its powers to intervene in the running of a college.	C187; NC 135	Yes (with amdts in lieu)
		Consideration of Commons Amendments	Amdt 1A: restrict the powers of the Learning and Skills Council to intervene in the running of a school.	C 159; NC 157	Yes (with amdts in lieu)
Greater London Authority	2	Report	Amdt 3: Mayor of London not to serve more than two terms in office.	C177; NC159	Yes
			Amdt 21: any budget must be approved by a majority of the London Assembly.	C115; NC108	Yes

Legal Services	9	Report	Amdt 7: appointment of Chairman of the Legal Services Board to be made by the Lord Chancellor with the concurrence of the Lord Chief Justice.	C175; NC134	Yes (with amdts in lieu)
			Amdt 119: action should be taken against an approved regulator if he fails to reach objectives.	C184; NC 132	Yes (with amdt in lieu)
			Amdt 174: ensure that the Legal Services Board does not micromanage any regulator.	C169; NC 130	Yes (with amdt in lieu)
			Amdt 354: anybody exonerated following an investigation or litigation by the Office of Legal Complaints should not be penalised.	C183; NC127	Yes
			Amdt 383: delegation of complaints handling to an approved regulator by a direction of the Legal Services Board.	C185; NC135	Yes
		Third Reading	Amdt 3: licensing authority to consider likely impact of proposed applications on access to justice.	C213; NC145	Yes
		Consideration of Commons Amendments	Amdt 4A: limits exemption to the provision by a trade union of legal services ancillary or incidental to its principal function.	C174; NC138	Yes (with amdt in lieu)
			Amdt 15A: Legal Services Board to intervene only when action, or inaction, of an approved regulator is deemed inappropriate.	C180; NC138	Yes (with amdts in lieu)
			Amdts 74A to 77: top officials to be moved only with the concurrence of the Lord Chief Justice.	C142; NC119	Yes (with amdt in lieu)
Local Government and Public Involvement in Health	1	Report	Amdt 79A: a leader and other persons shall not be directly elected to a local authority executive.	C183; NC140	No
Mental Health	6	Committee of the whole House	Amdt 6: ensuring that mentally ill who have full decision-making powers could not be forced to have treatment.	C225; NC119	Yes
		Report	Amdt 3: establish categories that shall not be	C216; NC128	Yes (with

			considered to be a “mental disorder”.		amdt)
			Amdt 4: any medical treatment given to a person suffering from a mental disorder to be defined as treatment likely to alleviate that disorder.	C186; NC115	Yes (with amdt)
			Amdt 5: fully qualified medical practitioner is involved in renewal of detention and community treatment orders.	C 147; NC108	Yes (with amdt in lieu)
			Amdt 25: in an application for admission and treatment for a mental disorder for young persons, there should be an assessment by a specialist medical practitioner.	C201; NC126	Yes
			Amdt 33B: community treatment orders can only be issued following examination by a medical practitioner.	C173; NC140	Yes
Offender Management	6	Committee of the whole House	Amdt 48: those given powers to provide assistance to the courts and the Parole Board for England and Wales shall ensure such assistance does not give rise to a conflict of interest.	C114; NC 94	Yes (with amdt in lieu)
			Amdt 59: Trust shall only be established or abolished following the approval of a resolution by each House of Parliament.	C140; NC126	Removed by Lords at Rpt stage
			Amdt 62: the membership of a probation trust shall include a local magistrate and a local councillor for the area in which it carries out its functions.	C120; NC116	Reversed by Lords at 3a stage
			Amdt 99: Secretary of State must publish a report setting out the reasons for exposing the core offender management tasks.	C170; NC125	Yes
		Report	Amdt 4: probation boards and trusts should have power to commission probation services.	C173; NC131	Yes (with amdt in lieu)
			Amdt 28: Secretary of State to lay before Parliament a report on managing offenders and	C190; NC135	Yes

			the probation service.		
Pensions	5	Committee of the whole House	Amdt 65: amount of minimum retirement income to be set each financial year by the Chancellor of Exchequer.	C145; NC140	Yes
			Amdt 68: amalgamate the management of the Financial Assistance Scheme and Pension Protection Scheme.	C181; NC126	Yes
		Report	Amdt 2: allow voluntary contributions to be made for any period in a person's working life for up to nine years.	C179; NC86	Yes
		Third Reading	Amdt 1: Pensions Act to be subject to post-legislative scrutiny.	C141; NC138	Yes (with amdts in lieu)
		Consideration of Commons Amendments	Motion E1: establish post-legislative scrutiny of the Pensions Act.	C186; NC143	Yes (with amdts in lieu)
Serious Crime	2	Report	Amdt 21: allow for use of intercept evidence in criminal prosecutions.	C182; NC121	Yes
			Amdt 119: power to search for firearms.	C185; NC138	Yes
Statistics and Registration Service	3	Committee of the whole House	Amdt 8: Statistics Board should be accountable to the Cabinet Office, not the Treasury.	C186; NC130	Yes (with amdts in lieu)
			Amdt 42: Statistics Board to have ultimate control of the release and pre-release of statistics.	C196; NC133	Yes
		Consideration of Commons Amendments	Motion C1: Statistics Board should set all rules for the release of statistics without government intervention.	C181; NC151	Yes (with amdts in lieu)
Welfare Reform	1	Report	Amdt 16: independent report to be laid before Parliament annually for the first five years to gauge whether assessments relating to entitlement are effective.	C150; NC133	No
Total	43				

Table 10: 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
Consumers, Estate Agents and Redress	0	0	0
Further Education and Training	7	7	1
Legal Services	37	24	3
Mental Health	8	8	0
Serious Crime	4	0	0
Tribunals, Courts and Enforcement	0	0	0
Total	56	39	4

Part II – Commons Government Bills

Title	Motions and amendments tabled in the Lords	Lords Motions and amendments agreed to	Government defeats
Corporate Manslaughter and Corporate Homicide	7	4	4
Greater London Authority	2	2	0
Justice and Security (Northern Ireland)	4	1	0
Offender Management	11	7	0
Pensions	8	6	1
Statistics and Registration Service	5	4	1
Total	37	24	6
Total	93	63	10

Note: Privilege amendments are not included.

Table 11: Grand Committee proceedings

Title	Amendments tabled	Amendments made
Concessionary Bus Travel	64	0
Consumers, Estate Agents and Redress	175	10
Corporate Manslaughter and Corporate Homicide	106	3
Digital Switchover (Disclosure of Information)	30	1
Forced Marriage (Civil Protection)	26	21
Further Education and Training	72	3
Greater London Authority	155	6
Justice and Security (Northern Ireland)	55	0
Tribunals, Courts and Enforcement	149	15
UK Borders	102	18
Welfare Reform	135	18
Total	1069	95

Table 12: Bills receiving Royal Assent

Title of Act	Chapter no.
Northern Ireland (St Andrews Agreement)	53 (2006)
Consolidated Fund	54
Investment Exchanges and Clearing Houses	55
Appropriation	1 (2007)
Planning-gain Supplement (Preparations)	2
Income Tax	3
Northern Ireland (St Andrews Agreement)	4
Welfare Reform	5
Justice and Security (Northern Ireland)	6
International Tribunals (Sierra Leone)	7
Digital Switchover (Disclosure of Information)	8
Rating (Empty Properties)	9
Appropriation (No. 2)	10
Finance	11
Mental Health	12
Concessionary Bus Travel	13
Vehicle Registration Marks	14
Tribunals, Courts and Enforcement	15
Parliament (Joint Departments)	16
Consumers, Estate Agents and Redress	17
Statistics and Registration Service	18
Corporate Manslaughter and Corporate Homicide	19
Forced Marriage (Civil Protection)	20
Offender Management	21
Pensions	22
Sustainable Communities	23
Greater London Authority	24
Further Education and Training	25
Building Societies (Funding) and Mutual Societies (Transfers)	26
Serious Crime	27
Local Government and Public Involvement in Health	28
Legal Services	29
UK Borders	30

Table 13: Bills not receiving Royal Assent

Fell

Lords Government Bills

Fraud (Trials without a Jury)

Defeated on 2a

Lords Private Members' Bills

Alcohol Labelling

Not proceeded with after 2a

Bailiffs (Licensing)

Not proceeded with after 1a

Cluster Munitions (Prohibition)

Fell in Commons

Corruption

Fell in Commons

Development Orders (Microgeneration) [*formerly Energy Efficiency and Microgeneration*]

Not proceeded with after cwh

Disabled Persons (Independent Living)

Fell in Commons

European Union (Implications of Withdrawal)

Not proceeded with after 2a

European Union (Information, etc.)

Fell in Commons

Government Spending (Website)

Fell in Commons

House of Lords

Not proceeded with after 2a

House of Lords (Amendment)

Not proceeded with after 2a

Interception of Communications (Admissibility of Evidence)

Not proceeded with after 2a

Leasehold Information

Not proceeded with after 1a

Palliative Care

Fell in Commons

Parliamentary Constituencies (Amendment)

Fell in Commons

Piped Music etc. (Hospitals)

Fell in Commons

Public Demonstrations (Repeals)

Not proceeded with after 2a

Royal Commission (Slavery)

Not proceeded with after 1a

Television Advertising (Food)

Not proceeded with after 2a

Torture (Damages)

Not proceeded with after 1a

Victims of Overseas Terrorism

Fell in Commons

Commons Private Members' Bills

Freedom of Information (Amendment)

Not proceeded with after 1a

Table 14: Special features

Title	Special features
Consolidated Fund (Appropriation) Consolidated Fund (Appropriation) (No. 2) Development Orders (Microgeneration)	Enacted as Appropriation Act 2007. Enacted as Appropriation (No. 2) Act 2007. 22/3/07: as a result of amendments at cwh, short title changed from “Energy Efficiency and Microgeneration Bill”
Energy Efficiency and Microgeneration	22/3/07: as a result of amendments at cwh, short title changed to “Development Orders (Microgeneration) Bill”
Forced Marriage (Civil Protection)	5/2/07: first pmb (and second ever) to be committed to gc since Areas of Outstanding Natural Beauty [HL] in session 1998-99.
Fraud (Trials without a Jury)	20/3/07: dilatory (“6-month”) amdt to motion for 2a agreed to on division (C216; NC143); first govt bill to be defeated on 2a since Criminal Justice (Mode of Trial) (No. 2) Bill in session 1999-2000.
Freedom of Information (Amendment) House of Lords Income Tax	Commons pmb not taken up in Lords. 20/7/07: Queen’s Consent given on 2a. 21/2/07: 2a copy of bill not printed, but Explanatory Notes printed as HL Paper 52.
Northern Ireland (St Andrews Agreement)	22/11/06: cwh marshalled list HL Bill 8-I produced in-House as manuscript with all amendments starred.
Northern Ireland (St Andrews Agreement) (No. 2)	27/3/07: 2a copy not printed. Enacted as Northern Ireland (St Andrews Agreement) Act 2007.
Planning-gain Supplement (Preparations)	5/3/07: unusual procedure of following 2a with cwh negated (with remaining stages to follow separately).

NOTES

The following acronyms and shorthand terms are used:

1a	First Reading
2a	Second Reading
3a	Third 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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