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|   | Total     | Total receiving<br>Royal Assent | Total amended<br>in the House of Lords |
|---|-----------|---------------------------------|--|
| <b>Bills brought from House of Commons</b>    |           |                                 |  |
| Government Bills                              | 24        | 23                              | 15                                     |
| Private Members' Bills                        | 13        | 13                              | 1                                      |
| Total Commons Bills                           | 37        | 36                              | 16                                     |
| <b>Bills introduced in the House of Lords</b> |           |                                 |  |
| Government Bills                              | 10        | 10                              | 9                                      |
| Private Members' Bills                        | 16        | 0                               | 7                                      |
| Total Lords Bills                             | 26        | 10                              | 16                                     |
| <b>Total</b>                                  | <b>63</b> | <b>46</b>                       | <b>32</b>                              |

**Table 2: Government Bills brought from the House of Commons**

| <b>Title</b>  | <b>Amendments tabled</b> | <b>Amendments made</b> | <b>Government defeats</b> |
|---|--------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|
| Anti-social Behaviour   | 425                      | 76                     | 0                         |
| Communications  | 981                      | 296                    | 5                         |
| Community Care (Delayed Discharges etc.)                        | 234                      | 53                     | 7                         |
| Consolidated Fund   | 0                        | 0                      | 0                         |
| Consolidated Fund (No. 2)                                       | 0                        | 0                      | 0                         |
| Consolidated Fund (Appropriation)                               | 0                        | 0                      | 0                         |
| Consolidated Fund (Appropriation) (No. 2)                       | 0                        | 0                      | 0                         |
| Criminal Justice  | 1211                     | 567                    | 16                        |
| Electricity (Miscellaneous Provisions)                          | 28                       | 3                      | 0                         |
| European Parliament (Representation)                            | 43                       | 22                     | 0                         |
| European Union (Accessions)                                     | 2                        | 1                      | 0                         |
| Extradition   | 707                      | 267                    | 4                         |
| Finance   | 0                        | 0                      | 0                         |
| Fire Services   | 81                       | 2                      | 0                         |
| Health and Social Care (Community Health and Standards)         | 1079                     | 295                    | 8                         |
| Health (Wales)  | 22                       | 0                      | 0                         |
| Hunting   | 32                       | 9                      | 0                         |
| Income Tax (Earnings and Pensions)                              | 0                        | 0                      | 0                         |
| Industrial Development (Financial Assistance)                   | 0                        | 0                      | 0                         |
| Local Government  | 448                      | 56                     | 3                         |
| Northern Ireland Assembly Elections                             | 0                        | 0                      | 0                         |
| Northern Ireland Assembly (Elections and Periods of Suspension) | 5                        | 3                      | 0                         |
| Railways and Transport Safety                                   | 123                      | 12                     | 1                         |
| Regional Assemblies (Preparations)                              | 240                      | 46                     | 1                         |
| <b>Total</b>  | <b>5661</b>              | <b>1708</b>            | <b>45</b>                 |

**Note:** This table excludes proceedings on Consideration of Commons Amendments (see Table 7).

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

| <b>Title</b>  | <b>Amendments<br/>tabled</b> | <b>Amendments<br/>made</b> |
|---|------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Aviation (Offences)                                   | 0                            | 0                          |
| Co-operatives and Community Benefit Societies         | 4                            | 4                          |
| Dealing in Cultural Objects (Offences)                | 0                            | 0                          |
| Female Genital Mutilation                             | 0                            | 0                          |
| Fireworks   | 4                            | 0                          |
| Household Waste Recycling                             | 0                            | 0                          |
| Human Fertilisation and Embryology (Deceased Fathers) | 0                            | 0                          |
| Legal Deposit Libraries                               | 0                            | 0                          |
| Marine Safety   | 0                            | 0                          |
| National Lottery (Funding of Endowments)              | 0                            | 0                          |
| Ragwort Control                                       | 2                            | 0                          |
| Sunday Working (Scotland)                             | 0                            | 0                          |
| Sustainable Energy                                    | 12                           | 0                          |
| <b>Total</b>  | <b>22</b>                    | <b>4</b>                   |

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

### **Money and Supply Bills**

Consolidated Fund  
Consolidated Fund (No. 2)  
Consolidated Fund (Appropriation)  
Consolidated Fund (Appropriation) (No. 2)  
Finance  
Income Tax (Earnings and Pensions)

**Table 5: Government Bills introduced in the House of Lords**

| <b>Title</b>                                | <b>Amendments<br/>tabled</b> | <b>Amendments<br/>made</b> | <b>Government<br/>defeats</b> |
|---|------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Arms Control and Disarmament (Inspections)  | 1                            | 0                          | 0                             |
| Courts                                      | 563                          | 270                        | 8                             |
| Crime (International Co-operation)          | 347                          | 94                         | 1                             |
| Licensing                                   | 810                          | 60                         | 9                             |
| National Minimum Wage (Enforcement Notices) | 7                            | 3                          | 0                             |
| Northern Ireland (Monitoring Commission)    | 32                           | 3                          | 1                             |
| Police (Northern Ireland)                   | 181                          | 85                         | 0                             |
| Sexual Offences                             | 962                          | 351                        | 2                             |
| Waste and Emissions Trading                 | 255                          | 18                         | 2                             |
| Water                                       | 579                          | 165                        | 3                             |
| <b>Total</b>                                | <b>3737</b>                  | <b>1049</b>                | <b>26</b>                     |

**Note:** This table excludes proceedings on Consideration of Commons Amendments (see Table 7). Privilege amendments are not included.

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

| <b>Title</b>                                       | <b>Amendments tabled</b> | <b>Amendments made</b> |
|--|--------------------------|------------------------|
| Equality   | 12                       | 9                      |
| European Union (Implications of Withdrawal)        | 0                        | 0                      |
| Greater London Authority Act 1999 (Repeal)         | 0                        | 0                      |
| Harbours   | 20                       | 14                     |
| High Hedges  | 38                       | 17                     |
| House of Lords (Amendment)                         | 0                        | 0                      |
| Ministerial and other Salaries (Amendment)         | 0                        | 0                      |
| Patient (Assisted Dying)                           | 0                        | 0                      |
| Patients' Protection                               | 10                       | 8                      |
| Prevention of Driving under the Influence of Drugs | 0                        | 0                      |
| Public Services (Disruption)                       | 4                        | 4                      |
| Road Traffic (Amendment)                           | 9                        | 9                      |
| Taxation (Information)                             | 0                        | 0                      |
| Voting Age (Reduction to 16)                       | 0                        | 0                      |
| Wild Mammals (Protection)(Amendment)               | 0                        | 0                      |
| Wild Mammals (Protection)(Amendment)(No. 2)        | 8                        | 6                      |
| <b>Total</b>                                       | <b>101</b>               | <b>67</b>              |

**Note:** Privilege amendments are not included.

**Table 7: Proceedings on Consideration of Commons Amendments etc.**

**Part I – Lords Government Bills**

| <b>Title</b>              | <b>Motions and Lords<br/>amendments tabled in the<br/>Lords</b> | <b>Lords<br/>Motions and<br/>amendments<br/>agreed to</b> | <b>Government<br/>and defeats</b> |
|---------------------------|---|---|-----------------------------------|
| Courts                    | 4   | 4   | 0                                 |
| Licensing                 | 34  | 22  | 1                                 |
| Police (Northern Ireland) | 18  | 3   | 0                                 |
| Sexual Offences           | 11  | 6   | 1                                 |
| Water                     | 6   | 0   | 0                                 |
| <b>Total</b>              | <b>73</b>   | <b>35</b>   | <b>2</b>                          |

**Part II – Commons Government Bills**

| <b>Title</b>  | <b>Motions and Lords<br/>amendments tabled in the<br/>Lords</b> | <b>Lords<br/>Motions and<br/>amendments<br/>agreed to</b> | <b>Government<br/>and defeats</b> |
|---|---|---|-----------------------------------|
| Communications  | 28  | 27  | 0                                 |
| Community Care (Delayed Discharges etc.)                | 18  | 7   | 0                                 |
| Criminal Justice  | 53  | 53  | 7                                 |
| European Parliament (Representation)                    | 1   | 1   | 0                                 |
| Extradition   | 6   | 6   | 0                                 |
| Health and Social Care (Community Health and Standards) | 74  | 31  | 2                                 |
| Local Government  | 7   | 7   | 1                                 |
| Railways and Transport Safety                           | 1   | 1   | 0                                 |
| <b>Total</b>  | <b>188</b>  | <b>133</b>  | <b>10</b>                         |
| <b>Total</b>  | <b>261</b>  | <b>168</b>  | <b>12</b>                         |

**Note:** Privilege amendments are not included.

**Table 8: Grand Committee proceedings**

| <b>Title</b>                           | <b>Amendments<br/>tabled</b> | <b>Amendments<br/>made</b> |
|--|------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Crime (International Co-operation)     | 218                          | 54                         |
| Electricity (Miscellaneous Provisions) | 15                           | 0                          |
| European Parliament (Representation)   | 29                           | 17                         |
| Extradition                            | 325                          | 66                         |
| Fire Services                          | 45                           | 2                          |
| Health (Wales)                         | 21                           | 0                          |
| Local Government                       | 305                          | 17                         |
| Police (Northern Ireland)              | 66                           | 13                         |
| Railways and Transport Safety          | 82                           | 0                          |
| Waste and Emissions Trading            | 159                          | 0                          |
| Water                                  | 298                          | 37                         |
| <b>Total</b>                           | <b>1563</b>                  | <b>206</b>                 |

**Table 9: Amendments by stage**

|   | <b>Amendments<br/>tabled</b> | <b>Amendments<br/>made</b> | <b>Government<br/>defeats</b> |
|---|------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------|
| <b>Committee of the whole House</b>                 |                              |                            |                               |
| Lords Bills (Government)                            | 1326                         | 228                        | 5                             |
| Lords Bills (Private Members' Bills)                | 64                           | 39                         | 0                             |
| Commons Bills (Government)                          | 2318                         | 413                        | 14                            |
| Commons Bills (Private Members' Bills)              | 20                           | 4                          | 0                             |
| Total   | 3728                         | 684                        | 19                            |
| <b>Grand Committee</b>                              |                              |                            |                               |
| Lords Bills (Government)                            | 741                          | 104                        | 0                             |
| Lords Bills (Private Members' Bills)                | -                            | -                          | -                             |
| Commons Bills (Government)                          | 822                          | 102                        | 0                             |
| Commons Bills (Private Members' Bills)              | -                            | -                          | -                             |
| Total   | 1563                         | 206                        | 0                             |
| <b>Re-Commitment</b>                                |                              |                            |                               |
| Lords Bills (Government)                            | 16                           | 3                          | 0                             |
| Commons Bills (Government)                          | -                            | -                          | -                             |
| <b>Report</b>                                       |                              |                            |                               |
| Lords Bills (Government)                            | 1367                         | 576                        | 15                            |
| Lords Bills (Private Members' Bills)                | 27                           | 24                         | 0                             |
| Commons Bills (Government)                          | 2014                         | 791                        | 20                            |
| Commons Bills (Private Members' Bills)              | 2                            | 0                          | 0                             |
| Total   | 3410                         | 1391                       | 35                            |
| <b>Third Reading</b>                                |                              |                            |                               |
| Lords Bills (Government)                            | 287                          | 138                        | 6                             |
| Lords Bills (Private Members' Bills)                | 10                           | 4                          | 0                             |
| Commons Bills (Government)                          | 507                          | 402                        | 11                            |
| Commons Bills (Private Members' Bills)              | -                            | -                          | -                             |
| Total   | 804                          | 544                        | 17                            |
| <b>Consideration of Commons Amendments<br/>etc.</b> |                              |                            |                               |
| Lords Bills (Government)                            | 73                           | 35                         | 2                             |
| Lords Bills (Private Members' Bills)                | -                            | -                          | -                             |
| Commons Bills (Government)                          | 188                          | 133                        | 10                            |
| Commons Bills (Private Members' Bills)              | -                            | -                          | -                             |
| Total   | 261                          | 168                        | 12                            |
| <b>Totals</b>                                       | <b>9782</b>                  | <b>2996</b>                | <b>83</b>                     |

**Table 10: Divisions**

**Divisions by Bill**

| <b>Title</b>  | <b>Number of Divisions</b> |
|---|----------------------------|
| Anti-social Behaviour                                   | 6                          |
| Communications  | 10                         |
| Community Care (Delayed Discharges etc.)                | 7                          |
| Courts  | 19                         |
| Crime (International Co-operation)                      | 6                          |
| Criminal Justice  | 43                         |
| Extradition   | 10                         |
| Fire Services   | 3                          |
| Health and Social Care (Community Health and Standards) | 16                         |
| Hunting   | 6                          |
| Licensing   | 17                         |
| Local Government  | 14                         |
| Northern Ireland (Monitoring Commission)                | 2                          |
| Police (Northern Ireland)                               | 6                          |
| Railways and Transport Safety                           | 2                          |
| Regional Assemblies (Preparations)                      | 14                         |
| Sexual Offences   | 9                          |
| Waste and Emissions Trading                             | 2                          |
| Water   | 15                         |
| <b>Total</b>  | <b>207</b>                 |

**Divisions by Stage**

| <b>Stage</b>                        | <b>Number of Divisions</b> |
|-------------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Second Reading                      | 1                          |
| Committee of the whole House        | 55                         |
| Recommitment                        | 2                          |
| Report                              | 88                         |
| Third Reading                       | 37                         |
| Consideration of Commons Amendments | 24                         |
| <b>Total</b>                        | <b>207</b>                 |

**Table 11: Government defeats**

| Title                                       | No. of defeats | Stage name                   | Subject matter   | Voting figures | Reversed by HC           |
|---|----------------|------------------------------|--|----------------|--------------------------|
| Communications                              | 5              | Report                       | Amdt 1: general duties of OFCOM – safeguarding interests of the citizen irrespective of changes in market power.   | C179;<br>NC75  | Yes with<br>amds in lieu |
|   |                |                              | Amdt 5: widen OFCOM’s remit to play specific role in respect of the roll-out and take-up of broadband.   | C113;<br>NC111 | Yes with<br>amdt in lieu |
|   |                |                              | Amdt 182: power of OFCOM to prevent advertising which may be “misleading, harmful or offensive” as opposed to “unsuitable”.  | C158;<br>NC117 | Yes with<br>amds in lieu |
|   |                |                              | Amdt 198A: prohibition on media licence ownership by religious groups.   | C115;<br>NC99  | Yes with<br>amds in lieu |
|   |                | Third Reading                | Amdt 8: need for defined boundaries between consumer panel and content board.  | C158;<br>NC141 | No                       |
| Community Care<br>(Delayed Discharges etc.) | 7              | Committee of the whole House | Amdt 12: delay implementation of bill by one year.   | C152;<br>NC123 | Yes                      |
|   |                |                              | Amdt 67: requirement of Secretary of State to specify to the bodies charged with inspection of health and social services to monitor bill’s impact on patients and their carers. | C110;<br>NC109 | Yes                      |
|   |                | Report                       | Amdt 1: mental health services to be exempt from re-imburement regime.   | C124;<br>NC113 | Yes with<br>amds in lieu |
|   |                |                              | Amdt 3: right of refusal for referral to social services, should people not wish to use them.  | C142;<br>NC131 | Yes                      |
|   |                | Third Reading                | Amdt 10: duties of responsible NHS bodies – exclusion of weekends and public holidays from days of discharge from hospital.  | C134;<br>NC119 | Yes with<br>amdt         |
|   |                |                              | Amdt 13: creation of incentives to prevent NHS discharging patients inappropriately.   | C145;<br>NC112 | Yes                      |

|                                    |    |                              |  |                |               |
|------------------------------------|----|------------------------------|--|----------------|---------------|
|                                    |    |                              | Amdt 16: review of Act after five years.   | C145;<br>NC115 | Yes           |
| Courts                             | 8  | Committee of the whole House | Amdt 14: duty (as opposed to discretion) on Lord Chancellor to provide, equip, maintain and manage courthouses, offices and other accommodation.   | C100;<br>NC92  | Yes           |
|                                    |    |                              | Amdt 132: fees setting – access to justice reforms to go ahead with adequate resources.  | C37;<br>NC36   | Yes           |
|                                    |    |                              | Amdt 132C: when recovering fees, the Lord Chancellor may not seek to recover judicial salaries.  | C90;<br>NC87   | Yes           |
|                                    |    | Report                       | Amdt 22: functions of courts boards – Lord Chancellor to submit reasons for rejecting a business plan as drawn up by a courts board.   | C98;<br>NC83   | No            |
|                                    |    |                              | Amdt 25: consultation of courts boards – at least two (not one) members to be magistrates.   | C95;<br>NC85   | Yes with amdt |
|                                    |    |                              | Amdt 58: Lord Chancellor to have regard to the needs of local residents having access to a magistrates' court.   | C90;<br>NC89   | No            |
|                                    |    | Third Reading                | Amdt 1: ensure that courts boards are local in their extent and effect.  | C136;<br>NC115 | Yes with amdt |
|                                    |    |                              | Amdt 16: disqualification of lay justices who are members of local authorities – compatibility with Article 6 of the European Convention on Human Rights requiring right to an independent and impartial tribunal. | C141;<br>NC122 | Yes           |
| Crime (International Co-operation) | 1  | Third Reading                | Amdt 6: prevention by police or customs officer conducting surveillance to question a person under surveillance.   | C122;<br>NC117 | No            |
| Criminal Justice                   | 23 | Committee of the whole House | Clause 4 s/p: use of telephones for review of police detention.  | C115;<br>NC117 | Yes           |
|                                    |    |                              | Amdt 48: minimum age for drug testing.   | C114;<br>NC97  | Yes           |
|                                    |    |                              | Clause 41 s/p: application by defendant for trial to be conducted without jury.  | C136;<br>NC210 | No            |

|  |  |                                     |  |                |                       |
|--|--|-------------------------------------|--|----------------|-----------------------|
|  |  |                                     | Amdt 136: double jeopardy – judicial authorisation of a reinvestigation into an acquitted person’s case.   | C132;<br>NC112 | Yes                   |
|  |  |                                     | Amdt 138: probing the expression “tends to show” in evidence of bad character.   | C113;<br>NC90  | Yes with amdt         |
|  |  |                                     | Amdt 139: more specific expression that would cover the circumstances in which “bad character” could be used in evidence.                                  | C102;<br>NC81  | Yes with amdt         |
|  |  |                                     | Clause 107 s/p: admissibility of hearsay evidence.   | C110;<br>NC109 | Yes with amdt         |
|  |  |                                     | Amdt 195B: specified offences involving a significant risk of serious harm to members of the public.   | C137;<br>NC120 | Yes                   |
|  |  |                                     | Amdt 203A: duty to release prisoners – where the sentence is less than four years or two-thirds of his sentence.   | C110;<br>NC109 | Yes                   |
|  |  |                                     | Amdt 230ZA: duty of probation officers to consult with magistrates.  | C145;<br>NC110 | Yes                   |
|  |  | Report                              | Amdt 15: new clause – destruction of fingerprints and samples.   | C103;<br>NC101 | Yes                   |
|  |  |                                     | Amdt 70: leave out clause 47 – meaning of “terminating ruling”.  | C104;<br>NC101 | No                    |
|  |  |                                     | Amdt 174A: new clause – evidence of bad character.   | C182;<br>NC111 | Yes with amdt         |
|  |  |                                     | Amdt 186: leave out clause 92 – offences committed by defendant when a child.  | C125;<br>NC113 | Yes with amdt         |
|  |  |                                     | Amdt 202: limit on magistrates’ courts’ forces will not come into effect before the national roll out of the “custody plus order”.                         | C129;<br>NC120 | Yes                   |
|  |  |                                     | Amdt 225: remove juvenile offenders from sentencing framework proposed by Schedule 19 (determination of minimum term relating to mandatory life sentence). | C202;<br>NC113 | Yes with amdt in lieu |
|  |  | Consideration of Commons Amendments | Amdt 32B: leave out clause 41 - application by defendant for trial to be conducted without jury.   | C196;<br>NC125 | No                    |

|   |    |                              |  |                |                          |
|---|----|------------------------------|--|----------------|--------------------------|
|   |    |                              | Amdt 33G: leave out clause 42 – applications by prosecution for certain lengthy or complex trials to be conducted without jury.            | C197;<br>NC125 | Yes with<br>amds         |
|   |    |                              | Amdt 34C: leave out clause 43 – application by prosecution for trial to be conducted without jury where danger of jury tampering.          | C187;<br>NC135 | Yes with<br>amds         |
|   |    |                              | Amdt 114B: new clause – evidence of bad character.   | C190;<br>NC112 | Yes with<br>amds         |
|   |    |                              | Amdt 32D: application by defendant for trial to be conducted without jury.   | C160;<br>NC116 | No                       |
|   |    |                              | Amdt 33P: leave out clause 42 – applications by prosecution for certain lengthy or complex trials to be conducted without jury.            | C160;<br>NC116 | Yes with<br>amds         |
|   |    |                              | Amdt 131U: bad character – propensity evidence admissible in cases.  | C166;<br>NC115 | Yes with<br>amds         |
| Extradition   | 4  | Report                       | Amdt 16: information contained in arrest warrant.  | C112;<br>NC106 | Yes with<br>amds         |
|   |    |                              | Amdt 70: convictions in absentia.  | C127;<br>NC113 | Yes with<br>amdt in lieu |
|   |    |                              | Amdt 74: new clause – minimum procedural rights – European arrest warrant (variable standards of criminal procedure).                      | C125;<br>NC122 | Yes                      |
|   |    |                              | Amdt 161: dual criminality rule.   | C115;<br>NC107 | No                       |
| Health and Social Care (Community Health and Standards) | 10 | Committee of the whole House | Amdt 35: using an electoral system to be specified by the Secretary of State   | C92;<br>NC76   | Yes with<br>amdt         |
|   |    | Report                       | Amdt 2: leave out clause 1 – establishment of NHS foundation trusts.   | C150;<br>NC100 | Yes with<br>amds         |
|   |    |                              | Amdt 145: new clause – appeals allowing the govt to specify in regulations appeal or review mechanisms against decisions by the regulator. | C111;<br>NC94  | Yes                      |
|   |    |                              | Amdt 245: all NHS foundation trusts to have a patients' forum.   | C106;<br>NC127 | No                       |
|   |    |                              | Amdt 272: independence of CHAI and CSCI.   | C155;<br>NC113 | No                       |

|           |    |                                     |   |                 |                          |
|-----------|----|-------------------------------------|---|-----------------|--------------------------|
|           |    | Third Reading                       | Amdt 1: impact of foundation trusts on local health care.   | C153;<br>NC119  | Yes with<br>amdt         |
|           |    |                                     | Amdt 2: borrowing code for foundation trusts under clause 12 (prudential borrowing code).   | C177;<br>NC122  | Yes                      |
|           |    |                                     | Amdt 4: power of regulator to cap hospital expenditure.   | C189;<br>NC124  | Yes                      |
|           |    | Consideration of Commons Amendments | Amdt 1B: leave out clause 1 – establishment of NHS foundation trusts.   | C169;<br>NC127  | Yes with<br>amdt         |
|           |    |                                     | Amdt 161CC: leave out schedule 1 – constitution of public benefit corporations.   | C169;<br>NC100  | Yes with<br>amdt         |
| Licensing | 10 | Committee of the whole House        | Amdt 147: intervention by residents' elected representatives to oppose all-night drinking licences.   | C112;<br>NC111  | Yes                      |
|           |    | Report                              | Amdt 8: broaden exemption for music that is incidental to other activities, from recorded to all forms of music (live or recorded).   | C151;<br>NC115  | Yes                      |
|           |    |                                     | Amdt 13: provision of entertainment in educational establishments directly connected with establishment's activities is not to be regarded as provision for regulated entertainment for purposes of this bill.                | C169;<br>NC107  | Yes                      |
|           |    |                                     | Amdt 20: introduction of a central licensing authority or register.   | C143;<br>NC111  | Yes                      |
|           |    |                                     | Amdt 23: duties of licensing authorities – removal of prevention of public nuisance as licensing objective; to be replaced by one which is a balance between area's amenity and leisure benefits to be derived from premises. | C135;<br>NC99   | Yes                      |
|           |    |                                     | Amdt 40: inclusion of interests in register.  | C99;<br>NC92    | No                       |
|           |    |                                     | Amdt 51: power of licensing authority to refuse application for premises licence.   | C98;<br>NC97    | Yes with<br>amdt         |
|           |    |                                     | Amdt 221: children under 14 allowed into premises only when accompanied by adult.   | C 184;<br>NC111 | Yes with<br>amdt in lieu |
|           |    | Third Reading                       | Amdt 13: exemption of certain types of entertainment from   | C150;<br>NC120  | Yes with<br>amdt         |

|  |   |                                     |   |             |                       |
|--|---|-------------------------------------|---|-------------|-----------------------|
|  |   |                                     | licensing.  |             |                       |
|  |   | Consideration of Commons Amendments | Amdt 62A: licensing regulation not to apply to small events where live music is played.   | C128; NC113 | Yes with amdt in lieu |
| Local Government                         | 4 | Third Reading                       | Amdt 2: leave out provision requiring an amount equal to the whole or part of a capital receipt to be paid to the Secretary of State.     | C133; NC118 | Yes with amdt in lieu |
|  |   |                                     | Amdt 5: new clause – provisions of Part 2 to apply only to local authorities as identified as overspending their budget by more than 10%. | C145; NC126 | Yes                   |
|  |   |                                     | Amdt 9: redressing means of making transitions self-financing.  | C139; NC119 | Yes                   |
|  |   | Consideration of Commons Amendments | Amdt 3B: retention and pooling of capital receipts arising from right-to-buy sales.   | C139; NC118 | Yes with amdt in lieu |
| Northern Ireland (Monitoring Commission) | 1 | Committee of the whole House        | Amdt 16 – new clause – Secretary of State’s powers in exceptional circumstances.  | C129; NC117 | No                    |
| Railways and Transport Safety            | 1 | Third Reading                       | Amdt 10: requirement of Secretary of State to place a permanent traffic regulation order on national trails.                              | C132; NC110 | Yes with amdt in lieu |
| Regional Assemblies (Preparations)       | 1 | Committee of the whole House        | Amdt 18: consideration by Secretary of State to the level of interest in a referendum before directing a local government review.         | C110; NC86  | No                    |
| Sexual Offences                          | 3 | Report                              | Amdt 14: defendant in rape etc. cases to enjoy same right to anonymity as is by complainant.  | C109; NC105 | Yes                   |
|  |   |                                     | Amdt 164: creation of offence of sexual activity in a public lavatory.  | C133; NC95  | Yes with amdt         |
|  |   | Consideration of Commons Amendments | Amdt 1C: anonymity of defendant as long as he has not been charged.   | C101; NC79  | Yes                   |
| Waste and Emissions Trading              | 2 | Third Reading                       | Amdt 13: co-operative relationship between disposal and collection authorities in areas of two-tier local government.                     | C115; NC99  | Yes                   |
|  |   |                                     | Amdt 18: requirement to maintain selected biodegradable waste at 98 degrees Celsius for a minimum of two hours before storage.            | C125; NC107 | Yes                   |

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| Water        | 3         | Report | Amdt 1: duty to conserve water resources.   | C89;<br>NC76 | Yes |
|              |           |        | Amdt 2: protection of inland surface, transitional, coastal waters and groundwater through implementation of Water Framework Directive. | C94;<br>NC89 | Yes |
|              |           |        | Amdt 15: Environment Agency to have regard to trickle irrigation in relation to abstraction licences.                                   | C91;<br>NC89 | Yes |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>83</b> |        |   |              |     |

**Table 12: Bills receiving Royal Assent**

| <b>Title of Act</b>   | <b>Chapter no.</b> |
|---|--------------------|
| Consolidated Fund (No. 2)                                       | 43 (2002)          |
| Appropriation (No. 2)   | 44                 |
| Income Tax (Earnings and Pensions)                              | 1 (2003)           |
| Consolidated Fund   | 2                  |
| Northern Ireland Assembly Elections                             | 3                  |
| Health (Wales)  | 4                  |
| Community Care (Delayed Discharges etc.)                        | 5                  |
| Police (Northern Ireland)                                       | 6                  |
| European Parliament (Representation)                            | 7                  |
| National Minimum Wage (Enforcement Notices)                     | 8                  |
| Electricity (Miscellaneous Provisions)                          | 9                  |
| Regional Assemblies (Preparations)                              | 10                 |
| Industrial Development (Financial Assistance)                   | 11                 |
| Northern Ireland Assembly (Elections and Periods of Suspension) | 12                 |
| Appropriation   | 13                 |
| Finance   | 14                 |
| Co-operatives and Community Benefit Societies                   | 15                 |
| Marine Safety   | 16                 |
| Licensing   | 17                 |
| Sunday Working (Scotland)                                       | 18                 |
| Aviation (Offences)   | 19                 |
| Railways and Transport Safety                                   | 20                 |
| Communications  | 21                 |
| Fireworks   | 22                 |
| National Lottery (Funding of Endowments)                        | 23                 |
| Human Fertilisation and Embryology (Deceased Fathers)           | 24                 |
| Northern Ireland (Monitoring Commission)                        | 25                 |
| Local Government  | 26                 |
| Dealing in Cultural Objects (Offences)                          | 27                 |
| Legal Deposit Libraries   | 28                 |
| Household Waste Recycling                                       | 29                 |
| Sustainable Energy  | 30                 |
| Female Genital Mutilation                                       | 31                 |
| Crime (International Co-operation)                              | 32                 |
| Waste and Emissions Trading                                     | 33                 |
| Arms Control and Disarmament (Inspections)                      | 34                 |
| European Union (Accessions)                                     | 35                 |
| Fire Services   | 36                 |
| Water   | 37                 |
| Anti-social Behaviour   | 38                 |
| Courts  | 39                 |
| Ragwort Control   | 40                 |
| Extradition   | 41                 |
| Sexual Offences   | 42                 |
| Health and Social Care (Community Health and Standards)         | 43                 |
| Criminal Justice  | 44                 |

## Table 13: Bills not receiving Royal Assent

### Fell

#### a) Government Bills

Hunting Not proceeded with after day 2 in cwh

#### b) Lords Private Members' Bills

|  |                             |
|--|-----------------------------|
| Equality   | Fell in Commons             |
| European Union (Implications of Withdrawal)        | Not proceeded with after 2a |
| Greater London Authority Act 1999 (Repeal)         | Not proceeded with after 1a |
| Harbours   | Fell in Commons             |
| High Hedges  | Fell in Commons             |
| House of Lords (Amendment)                         | Not proceeded with after 1a |
| Ministerial and other Salaries (Amendment)         | Not proceeded with after 2a |
| Patient (Assisted Dying)                           | Not proceeded with after 2a |
| Patients' Protection                               | Fell in Commons             |
| Prevention of Driving under the Influence of Drugs | Not proceeded with after 2a |
| Public Services (Disruption)                       | Fell in Commons             |
| Road Traffic (Amendment)                           | Fell in Commons             |
| Taxation (Information)                             | Fell in Commons             |
| Voting Age (Reduction to 16)                       | Fell in Commons             |
| Wild Mammals (Protection) (Amendment) (No. 2)      | Fell in Commons             |

### Withdrawn

#### Lords Private Members' Bills

Wild Mammals (Protection) (Amendment) Withdrawn after 1a

**Table 14: Special features**

**Bill re-committed**

Water On conclusion of rpt, bill re-committed to cwh in respect of new amdts relating to fluoridation; SO 47 dispensed with so remaining stages taken on same day as cwh recommitment.

**Opposed stages**

Community Care (Delayed Discharges etc.) Non-killer amdt to 2a motion tabled by Lord Clement-Jones; after debate amdt withdrawn.  
 Extradition Amdt to gc motion tabled by Viscount Bledisloe to commit Part 1 of bill to cwh; disagreed to on division C94 NC172.  
 Fire Services Amdt to motion postponing 2a for six months tabled by Lord McCarthy defeated on division C4 NC61.

**Other special features**

| Title                                     | Special features   |
|---|--|
| Communications                            | Printed as two volume bill.<br>Cwh: day 4 – 1 govt amdt withdrawn and 3 amdts n/m; day 6 – 1 govt amdt n/m.  |
| Consolidated Fund                         | Enacted as Consolidated Fund (No. 2) Act 2002.   |
| Consolidated Fund (No. 2)                 | Enacted as Consolidated Fund Act 2003.   |
| Consolidation Fund (Appropriation)        | Enacted as Appropriation (No. 2) Act 2002.   |
| Consolidated Fund (Appropriation) (No. 2) | Enacted as Appropriation Act 2003.   |
| Criminal Justice                          | Cwh: day 4 – 1 govt amdt n/m; day 10 – amdt 230ZA divided upon but as quorum of 30 not present, question not decided and House resumed pursuant to SO 58.<br>11 days in cwh.<br>Rpt: day 2 – 52 govt amdts n/m; day 3 – 4 govt amdts n/m.<br>HL Bill 126 (Commons insistence) printed pursuant to SO 51. |
| Extradition                               | 9 days in gc.  |
| Finance                                   | Printed as two volume bill.<br>SO 47 dispensed with.   |
| Fire Services                             | Human Rights statement not received, so 2a copy printed without it.  |
| Hunting                                   | Cwh: day 1 – divisions on amdts 1, 4 and 20 (all agreed to) unwhipped; day 2 – divisions on amdts 25 (agreed to), clause 5 stand part and 28 unwhipped.  |
| Income Tax (Earnings and Pensions)        | Printed as two volume bill.<br>SO 47 dispensed with.   |
| Local Government                          | GC: day 6 – 1 govt amdt withdrawn and 1 n/m; day 7 – 5 govt amdts withdrawn.   |
| Northern Ireland Assembly Elections       | SO 47 dispensed with.  |
| Northern Ireland Assembly (Elections and  | 2a copy printed pursuant to SO 51(1).  |

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| Periods of Suspension)   | Cwh – 1 govt amdt n/m.<br>AAC copy printed in-House and with no bill number.<br>No AOR copy printed.  |
| Northern Ireland (Monitoring Commission)<br>Patient (Assisted Dying)<br>Patients' Protection | SO 47 dispensed with.<br>2a – 48 speakers.<br>Cwh – amdt agreed to pursuant to SO 54 (tellers for<br>Not Contents not appointed). Rare instance of cwh<br>taken as dinner break business and adjourned. |
| Sexual Offences  | Rpt: day 1 – 4 govt amdts n/m; day 2 – 1 govt amdt<br>withdrawn.  |
| Wild Mammals (Protection) (Amendment)  | Bill withdrawn and No. 2 bill introduced.   |

## NOTES

The following acronyms and shorthand terms are used:

|         |                                     |
|---------|-------------------------------------|
| 1a      | First Reading                       |
| 2a      | Second Reading                      |
| Cwh     | Committee of the whole House        |
| Gc      | Grand Committee                     |
| Rpt     | Report                              |
| 3a      | Third Reading                       |
| CCA     | Consideration of Commons Amendments |
| AAC     | As Amended in Committee             |
| AOR     | Amended on Report                   |
| 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                        |

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