

Government Defeat in Lords on Coroners and Justice Bill

Wednesday 21/10/2009

On 21/10/2009 the government had a defeat in the House of Lords on an amendment to the Coroners and Justice Bill: To insert a clause making intercept evidence admissible in inquests, so that certain deaths can be dealt within the coronial system instead of through private inquiries.

This was defeat number 21 in the parliamentary session.

| Breakdown of Votes | For Govt | Against Govt | Total | No vote |
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| Conservative | 0 | 70 | 70 | 121 |
| Labour | 114 | 0 | 114 | 99 |
| Liberal Democrat | 0 | 51 | 51 | 20 |
| Crossbench | 11 | 35 | 46 | 135 |
| Bishops | 0 | 0 | 0 | 22 |
| Other | 3 | 2 | 5 | 18 |
| Total | 128 | 158 | 286 | 415 |

Conservative Votes with the Government

Conservative Votes against the Government

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| Baroness Anelay of St Johns | Lord Astor of Hever | Lord Bates |
| Baroness Bottomley of Nettlestone | Viscount Bridgeman | Baroness Byford |
| Earl Cathcart | Lord Colwyn | Lord Cope of Berkeley |
| Lord De Mauley | Lord Denham | Lord Dixon-Smith |
| Lord Eden of Winton | Lord Elton | Earl Ferrers |
| Baroness Fookes | Lord Freud | Baroness Gardner of Parkes |
| Lord Geddes | Lord Glenarthur | Lord Glentoran |
| Baroness Hanham | Lord Henley | Lord Higgins |
| Baroness Hooper | Lord Howe of Aberavon | Earl Howe |
| Lord Hunt of Wirral | Lord Inglewood | Lord James of Blackheath |
| Lord Kimball | Baroness Knight of Collingtree | Lord Lawson of Blaby |
| Earl Lindsay | Lord Lucas | Lord Luke |
| Lord MacGregor of Pulham Market | Lord Mackay of Clashfern | Lord Marland |
| Lord Mayhew of Twysden | Lord McColl of Dulwich | Duke of Montrose |
| Baroness Morris of Bolton | Baroness Noakes | Lord Norton of Louth |
| Baroness O'Cathain | Earl Onslow | Baroness Oppenheim-Barnes |
| Lord Patten | Baroness Rawlings | Lord Renfrew of Kaimsthorpe |
| Lord Renton of Mount Harry | Lord Roberts of Conwy | Baroness Seccombe |
| Earl Selborne | Lord Selkirk of Douglas | Lord Selsdon |
| Baroness Sharples | Lord Shaw of Northstead | Lord Sheikh |
| Earl Shrewsbury | Lord Skelmersdale | Lord Stewartby |
| Lord Strathclyde | Lord Taylor of Holbeach | Viscount Trenchard |
| Viscount Ullswater | Baroness Verma | Lord Wakeham |
| Baroness Wilcox | | |

Labour Votes with the Government

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| Lord Acton | Baroness Adams of Craigielea | Lord Ahmed |
| Baroness Andrews | Lord Archer of Sandwell | Lord Bach |
| Lord Bassam of Brighton | Lord Berkeley | Lord Bernstein of Craigweil |
| Baroness Billingham | Lord Bilston | Lord Borrie |
| Lord Boyd of Duncansby | Lord Bradley | Lord Brett |
| Lord Brooke of Alverthorpe | Lord Brookman | Lord Brooks of Tremorfa |
| Lord Campbell-Savours | Lord Clark of Windermere | Lord Clinton-Davis |
| Lord Corbett of Castle Vale | Baroness Crawley | Lord Davies of Coity |
| Lord Davies of Oldham | Lord Davies of Abersoch | Lord Desai |
| Lord Donoughue | Lord Elder | Lord Evans of Parkside |
| Lord Evans of Temple Guiting | Lord Falconer of Thoroton | Baroness Falkender |
| Baroness Farrington of Ribbleton | Lord Faulkner of Worcester | Lord Filkin |
| Lord Foulkes of Cumnock | Baroness Gale | Lord Gavron |
| Baroness Gibson of Market Rasen | Lord Giddens | Baroness Gould of Potternewton |
| Lord Grantchester | Lord Grocott | Lord Harris of Haringey |
| Lord Harrison | Lord Hart of Chilton | Lord Haskel |
| Lord Haworth | Baroness Henig | Baroness Hilton of Eggardon |
| Baroness Hollis of Heigham | Lord Howarth of Newport | Baroness Howells of St Davids |
| Lord Hoyle | Lord Hughes of Woodside | Lord Janner of Braunstone |
| Baroness Jay of Paddington | Baroness Jones of Whitchurch | Lord Jones |
| Lord King of West Bromwich | Baroness Kingsmill | Baroness Kinnock Holyhead |
| Lord Kinnock | Lord Kirkhill | Lord Lipsey |
| Lord Macdonald of Tradeston | Lord MacKenzie of Culkein | Lord Mackenzie of Framwellgate |
| Baroness Massey of Darwen | Lord Maxton | Baroness McDonagh |
| Baroness McIntosh of Hudnall | Lord McIntosh of Haringey | Lord McKenzie of Luton |
| Lord Moonie | Lord Morgan | Baroness Morgan of Drefelin |
| Lord Morris of Aberavon | Lord Morris of Manchester | Baroness Morris of Yardley |
| Lord Morris of Handsworth | Lord O'Neill of Clackmannan | Lord Parekh |
| Lord Patel of Blackburn | Baroness Pitkeathley | Lord Ponsonby of Shulbrede |
| Baroness Prosser | Lord Puttnam | Baroness Quin |
| Lord Radice | Baroness Ramsay of Cartvale | Baroness Rendell of Babergh |
| Lord Robertson of Port Ellen | Lord Rosser | Baroness Royall of Blaisdon |
| Lord Sawyer | Baroness Scotland of Asthal | Viscount Simon |
| Lord Soley | Lord Strabolgi | Lord Sugar |
| Baroness Taylor of Bolton | Lord Temple-Morris | Baroness Thornton |
| Lord Tunnicliffe | Baroness Turner of Camden | Baroness Uddin |
| Baroness Warwick of Undercliffe | Lord West of Spithead | Baroness Wilkins |
| Lord Williams of Elvel | Lord Woolmer of Leeds | Lord Young of Norwood Green |

Labour Votes against the Government**Liberal Democrat Votes with the Government****Liberal Democrat Votes against the Government**

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| Lord Addington | Lord Alderdice | Baroness Barker |
| Baroness Bonham-Carter of Yarnbury | Lord Bradshaw | Lord Burnett |
| Lord Carlile of Berriew | Lord Chidgey | Lord Clement-Jones |
| Lord Cotter | Lord Dholakia | Lord Dykes |
| Viscount Falkland | Baroness Falkner of Margravine | Baroness Garden of Frognal |
| Earl Glasgow | Lord Goodhart | Lord Greaves |
| Baroness Hamwee | Baroness Harris of Richmond | Lord Jones of Cheltenham |
| Lord Kirkwood of Kirkhope | Lord Lee of Trafford | Lord Lester of Herne Hill |
| Baroness Linklater of Butterstone | Lord Livsey of Talgarth | Lord MacLennan of Rogart |
| Baroness Maddock | Earl Mar and Kellie | Lord McNally |
| Lord Methuen | Baroness Miller of Chilthorne Domer | Baroness Neuberger |
| Lord Newby | Baroness Northover | Lord Razzall |
| Lord Redesdale | Lord Rennard | Baroness Scott of Needham Market |
| Baroness Sharp of Guildford | Lord Shutt of Greetland | Lord Smith of Clifton |
| Lord Steel of Aikwood | Lord Taverne | Lord Thomas of Gresford |
| Baroness Thomas of Winchester | Baroness Tonge | Lord Tope |
| Lord Wallace of Tankerness | Lord Wallace of Saltaire | Baroness Walmsley |

Crossbench Votes with the Government

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| Lord Birt | Baroness D'Souza | Lord Elystan-Morgan |
| Lord Haskins | Baroness Howarth of Breckland | Lord Martin Springburn |
| Baroness Meacher | Viscount Montgomery of Alamein | Lord Patel |
| Lord Woolf | Baroness Young of Hornsey | |

Crossbench Votes against the Government

Baroness Boothroyd
Lord Chorley
Viscount Craigavon
Baroness Emerton
Baroness Greengross
Lord Hylton
Earl Listowel
Baroness Masham of Ilton
Baroness O'Neill of Bengarve
Lord Ramsbotham
Baroness Stern
Baroness Warnock

Baroness Butler-Sloss
Baroness Coussins
Lord Crisp
Lord Fellowes
Lord Greenway
Lord Jay of Ewelme
Lord Lloyd of Berwick
Lord Monson
Lord Palmer
Lady Saltoun of Abernethy
Viscount Tenby
Lord Williamson of Horton

Lord Cameron of Dillington
Lord Craig of Radley
Lord Eames
Baroness Finlay of Llandaff
Baroness Howe of Idlicote
Lord Kilclooney
Countess of Mar
Baroness Murphy
Lord Pannick
Viscount Slim
Lord Walpole

Bishop Votes with the Government**Bishop Votes against the Government****Other Votes with the Government**

Baroness Ford

Lord Rooker

Lord Smith of Finsbury

Other Votes against the Government

Lord Pearson of Rannoch

Lord Stoddart of Swindon