Government Defeat in Lords on European Union Bill
Wednesday 15/06/2011

On 15/06/2011 the government had a defeat in the House of Lords on an amendment to the European Union Bill: To introduce a "sunset clause" to make the requirement for a referendum to be held before certain powers can be transferred from the UK to the EU expire after the next general election, and to require parliamentary approval of any order to renew this.

This was defeat number 20 in the parliamentary session.

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Conservative Votes with the Government
Baroness Anelay of St Johns Earl Arran Earl Astor of Hever Lord Astor of Hever
Earl Attlee Lord Baker of Dorking Baroness Beridge Lord Boswell of Aynho
Lord Black of Brentwood Lord Blencathra Lord Brougham and Vaux Baroness Byford
Viscount Bridgeman Lord Brooke of Sutton Mandeville Baroness Chalker of Wallasey
Baroness Browning Baroness Buscombe Lord Cormack
Earl Caithness Earl Cathcart Lord De Mauley
Lord Colwyn Lord Cope of Berkeley Baroness Eaton
Earl Courtown Lord Crathorne
Lord Dixon-Smith Lord Dobbs
Viscount Eccles Baroness Eccles of Moulton Lord Eden of Winton
Lord Edmiston Lord Elton
Lord Feldman Lord Feldman of Elstree Lord Faulks
Lord Flight Baroness Fookes Lord Forsyth of Drumlean
Lord Fowler Lord Framlingham Lord Fraser of Carmyllie
Lord Freeman Lord Freud Lord Gardiner of Kimble
Baroness Gardner of Parkes Lord Geddes Lord Glendonbrook
Lord Goodlad Viscount Goschen Lord Grade of Yarmouth
Lord Hamilton of Epsom Baroness Hanham Lord Harris of Peckham
Lord Henley Baroness Heyhoe Flint Lord Higgins
Lord Hill of Careford Lord Hodgson of Ashley Abbotts Earl Home
Lord Howard of Rising Lord Howard of Lympne Earl Howe
Lord Howell of Guildford Lord Hunt of Wirral
Lord Jenkin of Roding Baroness Jenkin of Kennington Lord James of Blackheath
Baroness Knight of Collingtree Lord Lamont of Lerwick Lord King of Bridgwater
Lord Leach of Fairford Lord Lexden Lord Lang of Monkton
Earl Liverpool Lord Luke Lord Lingfield
Lord MacGregor of Pulham Market Lord Mackay of Clashfern Lord Lyell
Lord Mancroft Lord Maples Lord Magan of Castletown
Lord Mawhinney Lord Mayhew of Twysden Lord Marland
Duke of Montrose Baroness Morris of Bolton Lord McColl of Dulwich
Lord Naseby Baroness Newlove Lord Moylan
Lord Norton of Louth Baroness O’Cathain Baroness Noakes
Baroness Perry of Southwark Baroness Rawlings Baroness Oppenheim-Barnes
Lord Reay
Conservative Votes against the Government
Lord Brittan of Spennithorne Lord Deben Lord Heseltine
Lord Jopling

Labour Votes with the Government
Lord Gilbert

Labour Votes against the Government
Baroness Adams of Craigielea Lord Adonis Lord Ahmed
Baroness Armstrong of Hill Top Lord Anderson of Swansea Lord Ahmed
Lord All Lord Bach Lord Ahmed
Lord Bassam of Brighton Lord Berkeley Lord Andrew
Lord Boateng Lord Boyd of Duncansby Lord Andrew
Lord Brennan Lord Brooke of Alverthorpe Lord Andrew
Lord Browne Lord Campbell-Savours Lord Andrew
Lord Clarke of Hampstead Lord Clinton-Davis Lord Andrew
Lord Corbett of Castle Vale Baroness Corston Lord Andrew
Lord Davies of Coity Lord Dixon Lord Andrew
Baroness Dean of Thornton-le-Fylde Lord Dubes Lord Andrew
Lord Donoughue Lord Falconor of Thornton Baroness Farrington of Ribbleton
Lord Evans of Temple Guiting Lord Filkin Lord Andrew
Lord Faulkner of Worcester Lord Foulkes of Cumnock Baroness Gale
Baroness Gibson of Market Rasen Lord Giddens Lord Andrew
Baroness Golding Lord Goldsmith Lord Andrew
Baroness Goudie Baroness Gould of Potternewton Lord Andrew
Lord Grenfell Lord Grocott Lord Andrew
Lord Hart of Chilton Lord Haworth Baroness Hayter of Kentish Town
Baroness Healy of Primrose Hill Baroness Henig Baroness Hilton of Eggardon
Lord Hollick Baroness Hollis of Heigham Lord Andrew
Baroness Howells of St Davids Lord Hoyle Lord Andrew
Lord Hunt of Kings Heath Lord Irvine of Lairg Lord Andrew
Lord Jones Baroness Jones of Whitchurch Lord Judd
Baroness Kennedy of The Shaws Lord Kennedy of Southwark Lord Andrew
Baroness King of Bow Lord King of West Bromwich Lord Andrew
Baroness Kinnoch of Holyhead Lord Kirkhill Lord Andrew
Lord Layard Lord Lea of Crondall Lord Andrew
Lord Liddle Baroness Lister of Burtersett Lord Andrew
Lord MacKenzie of Culkein Lord Mackenzie of Framwellgate Baroness Massey of Darwen
Lord Maxton Lord MacAvoy Lord Andrew
Lord McFall of Alcluith Baroness McIntosh of Hudnall Lord Andrew
Lord Moonie Baroness Morgan of Ely Lord Andrew
Lord Morris of Manchester Lord Morris of Handsworth Baroness Nye
Lord Parekh Lord Patel of Bradford Lord Andrew
Lord Pendry Baroness Pitkeathley Lord Andrew
Lord Penzomby of Shulbrede Baroness Prosser Baroness Quin
Lord Radice Baroness Ramsay of Carvadale Lord Andrew
Baroness Rendell of Babergh Lord Richard Lord Andrew
Lord Rowlands Baroness Royall of Blaisdon Lord Andrew
Baroness Scotland of Asthal Lord Sewel Lord Andrew
Baroness Sherlock Viscount Simon Lord Andrew
Baroness Smith of Gilmorehill Lord Snape Lord Andrew
Lord Stevenson of Balmacara Lord Stone of Blackheath Baroness Symons of Vernham Dean
Baroness Taylor of Bolton Lord Taylor of Blackburn Lord Andrew
Baroness Thornton Lord Tomlinson Lord Andrew
Lord Tryesman Lord Turnicilfe Lord Andrew
Baroness Turner of Camden Baroness Wall of New Barnet Lord Andrew
Lord Warner
Baroness Warwick of Undercliffe  Baroness Wheeler  Baroness Whitaker
Lord Wills  Lord Wood of Anfield  Lord Woolmer of Leeds
Lord Young of Norwood Green

**Liberal Democrat Votes with the Government**
Lord Addington  Lord Alderdice  Lord Allan of Hallam
Lord Ashdown of Norton-sub-Hamdon  Baroness Barker  Baroness Benjamin
Baroness Bonham-Carter of Yarnbury  Baroness Brinton  Lord Burnett
Lord Dholakia  Baroness Doocye  Baroness Falkner of Margravine
Baroness Garden of Frognal  Lord German  Baroness Hamwee
Baroness Harris of Richmond  Lord Hussein  Baroness Hussein-Ece
Baroness Jolly  Lord Jones of Cheltenham  Lord Kirkwood of Kirkhope
Baroness Kramer  Lord Lee of Trafford  Lord Loomba
Lord Macdonald of River Glaven  Baroness Maddock  Earl Mar and Kellie
Lord Marks of Henley-on-Thames  Lord McNally  Baroness Nicholson of Winterbourne
Baroness Northover  Lord Palmer of Childs Hill  Baroness Parminter
Lord Redesdale  Lord Rennard  Lord Roberts of Llandudno
Baroness Scott of Needham Market  Lord Sharkey  Lord Shipley
Lord Shutt of Greentland  Lord Stephen  Baroness Thomas of Winchester
Lord Thomas of Gresford  Lord Tope  Baroness Tyler of Enfield
Lord Wallace of Saltaire  Lord Wallace of Tankerness  Lord Willis of Knaresborough

**Liberal Democrat Votes against the Government**
Lord Avebury  Lord Cotter  Lord Dykes
Earl Glasgow  Lord Goodhart  Lord Greaves
Lord Lester of Herne Hill  Lord Maclean of Rogart  Baroness Miller of Chilthorne Domer
Lord Oakeshott of Seagrove Bay  Lord Rodgers of Quarry Bank  Lord Smith of Clifton
Lord Steel of Akwood  Lord Strasburger  Lord Taverne
Lord Teverson  Baroness Tonge  Lord Tordoff
Baroness Williams of Crosby

**Crossbench Votes with the Government**
Viscount Brookeborough  Viscount Craigavon  Baroness Deech
Viscount Falkland  Lord Freyberg  Lord Greenway
Lord Kakkar  Lord Kilclooney  Lord Laming
Earl Listowel  Baroness Masham of Ilton  Lord Patel
Viscount Slim

**Crossbench Votes against the Government**
Lord Armstrong of Ilminster  Lord Best  Lord Cameron of Dillington
Earl Clancarty  Lord Elystan-Morgan  Baroness Finlay of Llandaff
Lord Hall of Birkenhead  Lord Hennay of Chiswick  Lord Haskins
Lord Hennessy of Nympsfield  Baroness Howarth of Breckland  Baroness Howe of Idlicote
Lord Kerr of Kinlochard  Lord Low of Dalston  Lord Martin of Springburn
Baroness Meacher  Viscount Montgomery of Alamein  Baroness O'Neill of Bengarve
Lord Pannick  Lady Saltoun of Abernethy  Lord St John of Bletso
Lord Stevens of Kirkwhelpington  Lord Thomas of Swynnerton  Baroness Valentine
Lord Walpole  Lord Williamson of Horton

**Bishop Votes with the Government**
Bishop of Chester

**Bishop Votes against the Government**
Bishop of Blackburn

**Other Votes with the Government**
Lord Empey  Lord Pearson of Rannoch  Lord Rogan
Lord Stoddart of Swindon  Lord Willoughby de Broke

**Other Votes against the Government**
Lord Browne of Belmont  Lord Laird  Lord Rooker
Lord Watson of Invergowrie  Lord Wigley

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