On 23/04/2012 the government had a defeat in the House of Lords on an amendment to the Legal Aid, Sentencing and Punishment of Offenders Bill: To require that the types of evidence accepted for access to legal aid in domestic abuse cases be widened, and that the expiration period for submission of such evidence be extended.

This was defeat number 47 in the parliamentary session.

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Conservative Votes with the Government

- Lord Ahmad of Wimbledon
- Lord Ashton of Hyde
- Lord Bates
- Lord Blencathra
- Lord Brittan of Spennithorne
- Baroness Browning
- Earl Caithness
- Baroness Chalker of Wallasey
- Lord Cormack
- Baroness Cumberlege
- Lord Dixon-Smith
- Viscount Eccles
- Lord Faulks
- Baroness Fookes
- Lord Framlingham
- Lord Freud
- Lord Geddes
- Lord Glentoran
- Viscount Goschen
- Lord Hamilton of Epsom
- Lord Henley
- Lord Hill of Oareford
- Lord Howard of Rising
- Baroness Anelay of St Johns
- Lord Astor of Hever
- Baroness Berridge
- Lord Bowness
- Lord Brooke of Sutton Mandeville
- Baroness Buscombe
- Lord Campbell of Alloway
- Lord Colwyn
- Earl Courtown
- Lord De Mauley
- Lord Dobbs
- Lord Eden of Winton
- Lord Fink
- Lord Forsyth of Drumlean
- Lord Fraser of Carmyllie
- Lord Gardiner of Kimble
- Lord Glenarthur
- Lord Gold
- Lord Grade of Yarmouth
- Baroness Hanham
- Baroness Heyhoe Flint
- Earl Home
- Lord Howe of Aberavon
- Earl Arran
- Earl Attlee
- Lord Black of Brentwood
- Viscount Bridgeman
- Lord Brougham and Vaux
- Baroness Byford
- Earl Cathcart
- Lord Cope of Berkeley
- Lord Crickhollow
- Lord Deben
- Baroness Eaton
- Lord Elton
- Lord Flight
- Lord Fowler
- Lord Freeman
- Baroness Gardner of Parkes
- Lord Glendebrook
- Lord Goodlad
- Lord Green of Hurstpierpoint
- Lord Harris of Peckharn
- Lord Higgins
- Baroness Hooper
- Earl Howe
Lord Howell of Guildford
Lord Jenkin of Roding
Lord Lamont of Lerwick
Lord Lexden
Earl Liverpool
Lord Lyell
Lord MacLaurin of Knebworth
Lord Marland
Lord McColl of Dulwich
Lord Moore of Lower Marsh
Baroness Neville-Jones
Lord Northbrook
Baroness Oppenheim-Barnes
Baroness Perry of Southwark
Lord Reay
Lord Risby
Lord Ryder of Wensum
Baroness Seccombe
Lord Selborne
Baroness Shephard of Northwold
Baroness Stedman-Scott
Lord Strathclyde
Lord Trimble
Viscount Ullswater
Lord Wakeham
Lord Wei
Viscount Younger of Leckie

Lord Hunt of Wirral
Baroness Jenkins of Kennington
Lord Lang of Monkton
Earl Lindsay
Baroness Morris of Bolton
Baroness Newlove
Lord Norton of Louth
Earl Selborne
Baroness Sharles
Lord Skelmersdale
Lord Stewartby
Lord Taylor of Holbeach
Baroness Verma
Baroness Warsi
Baroness Wheatcroft

Lord Inglewood
Lord King of Bridgwater
Lord Lawson of Blaby
Lord Lingfield
Lord Luke
Lord Mackay of Clashfern
Lord Mancroft
Lord Mayhew of Twysden
Duke of Montrose
Lord Naseby
Baroness Noakes
Baroness O’Cathain
Baroness Rawlings
Lord Ribeiro
Lord Rotherwick
Lord Sassoon
Lord Selkirk of Douglas
Lord Sherki
Lord Spicer
Baroness Stowell of Beeston
Lord Trefgarne
Lord Tugendhat
Lord Wakeham
Baroness Wilcox

Conservative Votes against the Government
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Labour Votes with the Government
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Labour Votes against the Government
Baroness Adams of Craigielea
Baroness Andrews
Baroness Bakewell
Lord Berkeley
Lord Blatch
Lord Boateng
Lord Bragg
Lord Brookman
Lord Carter of Coles
Lord Clinton-Davis
Baroness Corston
Lord Davies of Stamford
Lord Desai
Lord Donoughue
Lord Dubs
Lord Evans of Parkside
Lord Faulkner of Worcester
Lord Fowler of Bishop Auckland
Lord Gavron
Lord Glasman
Lord Gordon of Strathblane
Lord Glenbar
Lord Griffiths of Burry Port

Lord Adonis
Baroness Armstrong of Hill Top
Lord Barnett
Lord Bhattacharya
Baroness Blackstone
Lord Borrie
Lord Brennan
Lord Browne
Lord Christopher
Baroness Cohen of Pimlico
Baroness Crawley
Lord Davies of Oldham
Lord Dixon
Baroness Drake
Lord Elder
Lord Falconer of Thoroton
Lord Filkin
Baroness Foulkes of Cumnock
Baroness Gibson of Market Rasen
Baroness Golding
Baroness Goudie
Lord Graham of Edmonton
Lord Grocott

Lord Ahmed
Lord Bach
Lord Bassam of Brighton
Baroness Billingham
Baroness Blood
Lord Bradley
Lord Brooke of Alverthorpe
Lord Campbell-Savours
Lord Clark of Windermere
Lord Collins of Highbury
Lord Davies of Coity
Baroness Dean of Thornton-le-Fylde
Baroness Donaghy
Lord Drayson
Lord Evans of Temple Guiting
Baroness Farrington of Ribbleton
Baroness Ford
Baroness Gale
Lord Giddens
Lord Goldsmith
Baroness Gould of Potternewton
Lord Grenfell
Viscount Hanworth
Lord Harris of Haringey
Lord Haworth
Baroness Henig
Lord Howarth of Newport
Lord Hoyle
Lord Hunt of Kings Heath
Baroness Jay of Paddington
Lord Jones
Lord Kennedy of Southwark
Lord King of West Bromwich
Lord Knight of Weymouth
Lord Levy
Lord Lipsey
Lord Macdonald of Tradeston
Baroness Massey of Darwen
Lord McFall of Alcluith
Lord Mitchell
Baroness Morgan of Ely
Baroness Morris of Yardley
Lord Myres
Lord Parekh
Lord Peston
Lord Ponsonby of Shulbrede
Lord Puttnam
Baroness Ramsay of Cartvale
Baroness Rendell of Babergh
Lord Rowlands
Baroness Scotland of Asthal
Baroness Sherlock
Baroness Smith of Basildon
Baroness Symons of Vernham Dean
Lord Temple-Morris
Lord Triesman
Baroness Turner of Camden
Baroness Warwick of Undercliff
Baroness Whitaker
Lord Wills
Lord Woolmer of Leeds

Lord Hart of Chilton
Baroness Hayter of Kentish Town
Baroness Hilton of Eggardon
Baroness Howells of St Davids
Baroness Hughes of Stratford
Lord Irvine of Lairg
Lord Joffe
Lord Jordan
Baroness Kennedy of The Shaws
Baroness Kinnoch of Holyhead
Lord Layard
Baroness Liddell of Coatdyke
Baroness Lister of Burtersett
Lord Mackenzie of Framwellgate
Lord Maxton
Baroness McIntosh of Hudnall
Lord Monks
Baroness Morgan of Huyton
Lord Morris of Handsworth
Lord Noon
Lord Patel of Blackburn
Baroness Piteathley
Lord Prescott
Baroness Quin
Lord Rea
Lord Richard
Baroness Royall of Blaisdoun
Lord Sewel
Baroness Thornton
Lord Taylor of Blackburn
Baroness Wall of New Barnet
Lord West of Spithead
Lord Whitty
Lord Winston
Baroness Worthington

Lord Haskel
Baroness Healy of Primrose Hill
Baroness Hollis of Heigham
Lord Howie of Troon
Lord Hughes of Woodside
Lord Janner of Braunstone
Baroness Jones of Whitchurch
Lord Judd
Lord Kestenbaum
Lord Kinnock
Lord Lea of Crondall
Lord Liddle
Baroness Mallalieu
Lord McAvoy
Lord McKenzie of Luton
Lord Moonie
Baroness Nye
Lord Pendry
Baroness Plant of Highfield
Baroness Prosser
Lord Radice
Lord Reid of Cardowan
Lord Rossler
Lord Sawyer
Lord Sheldon
Baroness Smith of Gilmorehill
Baroness Taylor of Bolton
Baroness Wheeler
Lord Williams of Elvel
Lord Wood of Anfield
Lord Young of Norwood Green

**Liberal Democrat Votes with the Government**

Lord Addington
Lord Ashdown of Norton-sub-Hamdon
Baroness Bonham-Carter of Yarnbury
Lord Carlile of Berriew
Lord Cotter
Baroness Falkner of Margravine
Lord German
Baroness Hamwee
Baroness Hussein-Ece
Lord Kirkwood of Kirkhope
Lord Lester of Herne Hill
Lord Maclennan of Rogart
Lord Marks of Henley-on-Thames
Baroness Miller of Chilthorne Domer
Lord Oakeshott of Seagrove Bay

Lord Alderdice
Lord Barker
Baroness Brinton
Lord Chidgey
Lord Dholakia
Lord Fearn
Earl Glasgow
Baroness Harris of Richmond
Baroness Jolly
Baroness Kramer
Baroness Linklater of Butterstone
Baroness Maddock
Lord McNally
Lord Newby
Lord Palmer of Childs Hill

Lord Allan of Hallam
Baroness Benjamin
Lord Burnett
Lord Clement-Jones
Baroness Doocey
Baroness Garden of Frognal
Lord Goodhart
Lord Hussain
Lord Jones of Cheltenham
Lord Lee of Trafford
Lord Loomba
Earl Mar and Kellie
Lord Methuen
Baroness Northover
Baroness Parminter
Liberal Democrat Votes against the Government

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Crossbench Votes with the Government
Lord Aberdare Viscount Craigavon Lord Dear
Lord Greenway Lord Kakkar Lord Lloyd of Berwick
Lord Luce Lord Palmer Lord Ramsbotham
Lord Rowe-Beddoe Lord St John of Bletso Lord Sutherland of Houndwood
Lord Thomas of Swynerton Lord Walton of Detchant Lord Wilson of Tillyorn

Crossbench Votes against the Government
Lord Adebowale Viscount Allenby of Megiddo Lord Alton of Liverpool
Lord Best Lord Bichard Lord Butler of Brockwell
Baroness Butler-Sloss Earl Clancarty Lord Crisp
Baroness Deech Lord Eystyn-Morgan Earl Erroll
Viscount Falkland Lord Fellowes Baroness Finlay of Llandaff
Baroness Greengross Baroness Grey-Thompson Lord Hannay of Chiswick
Lord Harries of Pentregarth Baroness Hayman Lord Hennessy of Nympsfield
Baroness Hollins Lord Hylton Lord Imbert
Lord Laming Earl Listowel Lord Low of Dalston
Countess of Mar Lord Martin of Springburn Baroness Masham of Ilton
Lord McCluskey Baroness Meacher Baroness Morgan of Drefelin
Baroness O’Loan Lord Pannick Lord Patel
Baroness Prashar Viscount Slim Baroness Stern
Viscount Tenby Lord Walpole Lord Williamson of Horton
Lord Woolf Baroness Young of Hornsey

Bishop Votes with the Government

Bishop of Bath and Wells Bishop of Chester Bishop of Hereford
Bishop of Manchester Bishop of Norwich Bishop of St Edmundsbury and Ipswich

Bishop Votes against the Government

Other Votes with the Government
Lord Empey Lord Maginnis of Drumglass

Other Votes against the Government
Lord Browne of Belmont Lord Rooker Lord Smith of Finsbury
Lord Stoddart of Swindon Baroness Tonge Lord Wigley

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