

# Government Defeat in Lords on Digital Economy Bill

Wednesday 22/02/2017

On 22/02/2017 the government had a defeat in the House of Lords on an amendment to the Digital Economy Bill: To insert a clause to require telecommunication service providers to offer customers the opportunity to place a financial cap on their monthly bills upon entering a contract, and to switch mobile providers at no extra cost in accordance with OFCOM rules.

This was defeat number 18 in the parliamentary session.

<b>Breakdown of Votes</b>	<b>For Govt</b>	<b>Against Govt</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>No vote</b>
<b>Conservative</b>	179	0	179	75
<b>Labour</b>	0	128	128	76
<b>Liberal Democrat</b>	0	70	70	32
<b>Crossbench</b>	15	37	52	129
<b>Bishops</b>	0	2	2	25
<b>Other</b>	4	7	11	32
<b>Total</b>	<b>198</b>	<b>244</b>	<b>442</b>	<b>369</b>

## Conservative Votes with the Government

Lord Ahmad of Wimbledon	Baroness Altmann	Baroness Anelay of St Johns
Lord Arbuthnot of Edrom	Lord Ashton of Hyde	Lord Astor of Hever
Earl Attlee	Lord Baker of Dorking	Lord Balfe
Lord Bates	Lord Bell	Baroness Bertin
Lord Black of Brentwood	Lord Blencathra	Baroness Bloomfield of Hinton Waldrist
Lord Borwick	Lord Bourne of Aberystwyth	Lord Brabazon of Tara
Baroness Brady	Viscount Bridgeman	Lord Bridges of Headley
Lord Brougham and Vaux	Baroness Browning	Baroness Buscombe
Baroness Byford	Lord Caine	Earl Caithness
Lord Callanan	Lord Carrington of Fulham	Earl Cathcart
Lord Cavendish of Furness	Lord Colwyn	Lord Cope of Berkeley
Lord Cormack	Earl Courtown	Baroness Couttie
Lord Crathorne	Baroness Cumberlege	Lord De Mauley
Lord Deighton	Lord Dixon-Smith	Lord Dobbs
Earl Dundee	Lord Dunlop	Baroness Eaton
Baroness Eccles of Moulton	Viscount Eccles	Baroness Evans of Bowes Park
Lord Fairfax of Cameron	Baroness Fall	Lord Farmer
Lord Faulks	Lord Fellowes of West Stafford	Lord Fink
Baroness Finn	Lord Flight	Baroness Fookes
Lord Forsyth of Drumlean	Lord Framlingham	Lord Fraser of Corriearth
Lord Freeman	Lord Gadhia	Lord Gardiner of Kimble
Baroness Gardner of Parkes	Lord Geddes	Lord Glenarthur
Lord Gold	Baroness Goldie	Lord Goodlad
Lord Green of Hurstpierpoint	Lord Griffiths of Fforestfach	Viscount Hailsham

Lord Hamilton of Epsom	Baroness Hanham	Lord Harris of Peckham
Lord Henley	Lord Hill of Oareford	Lord Hodgson of Astley Abbotts
Baroness Hodgson of Abinger	Lord Holmes of Richmond	Earl Home
Baroness Hooper	Lord Horam	Earl Howe
Lord Howell of Guildford	Lord Hunt of Wirral	Lord Inglewood
Lord James of Blackheath	Baroness Jenkin of Kennington	Lord Keen of Elie
Lord King of Bridgwater	Lord Lamont of Lerwick	Lord Lang of Monkton
Lord Lansley	Lord Lawson of Blaby	Lord Leigh of Hurley
Lord Lexden	Earl Lindsay	Lord Lingfield
Earl Liverpool	Lord Lucas	Lord Lupton
Lord MacGregor of Pulham Market	Lord Mackay of Clashfern	Lord MacLaurin of Knebworth
Lord Magan of Castletown	Baroness Manzoor	Lord Marland
Lord Maude of Horsham	Lord McColl of Dulwich	Lord McInnes of Kilwinning
Baroness McIntosh of Pickering	Baroness Mobarik	Duke of Montrose
Baroness Morris of Bolton	Lord Moynihan	Lord Naseby
Lord Nash	Baroness Neville-Jones	Baroness Neville-Rolfe
Baroness Newlove	Lord Northbrook	Lord Norton of Louth
Lord O'Shaughnessy	Baroness O'Cathain	Baroness Oppenheim-Barnes
Baroness Pidding	Lord Polak	Lord Popat
Lord Porter of Spalding	Lord Prior of Brampton	Baroness Rawlings
Baroness Redfern	Lord Renfrew of Kaimsthorn	Lord Ribeiro
Viscount Ridley	Lord Risby	Lord Robathan
Baroness Rock	Lord Ryder of Wensum	Lord Sassoon
Baroness Scott of Bybrook	Baroness Seccombe	Earl Selborne
Lord Selkirk of Douglas	Lord Selsdon	Baroness Shackleton of Belgravia
Baroness Sharples	Lord Sheikh	Lord Sherbourne of Didsbury
Baroness Shields	Lord Shinkwin	Lord Skelmersdale
Lord Smith of Hindhead	Lord Spicer	Baroness Stedman-Scott
Lord Sterling of Plaistow	Baroness Stowell of Beeston	Lord Strathclyde
Baroness Stroud	Baroness Sugg	Lord Suri
Lord Swinfen	Lord Taylor of Holbeach	Lord Tebbit
Lord Trefgarne	Viscount Trenchard	Lord Trimble
Lord True	Baroness Vere of Norbiton	Baroness Verma
Lord Wakeham	Lord Wasserman	Lord Wei
Baroness Wilcox	Baroness Williams of Trafford	Lord Wolfson of Aspley Guise
Lord Young of Cookham	Viscount Younger of Leckie	

#### **Conservative Votes against the Government**

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#### **Labour Votes with the Government**

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Lord Anderson of Swansea	Baroness Andrews	Baroness Armstrong of Hill Top
Baroness Bakewell	Lord Bassam of Brighton	Lord Berkeley
Lord Bhattacharyya	Baroness Blackstone	Lord Blunkett
Lord Bradley	Lord Bragg	Lord Brookman
Lord Campbell-Savours	Lord Carter of Coles	Lord Cashman
Baroness Chakrabarti	Viscount Chandos	Lord Clark of Windermere
Lord Clarke of Hampstead	Lord Clinton-Davis	Baroness Cohen of Pimlico
Lord Collins of Highbury	Baroness Corston	Lord Cunningham of Felling
Lord Darling of Roulanish	Lord Davies of Oldham	Lord Desai
Baroness Donaghy	Baroness Drake	Lord Evans of Watford
Baroness Farrington of Ribbleton	Lord Faulkner of Worcester	Lord Foster of Bishop Auckland
Lord Foulkes of Cumnock	Baroness Gale	Lord Giddens
Lord Glasman	Baroness Golding	Lord Goldsmith
Lord Gordon of Strathblane	Lord Grantchester	Lord Hain

Viscount Hanworth	Lord Harris of Haringey	Lord Harrison
Baroness Hayter of Kentish Town	Baroness Healy of Primrose Hill	Baroness Henig
Lord Hollick	Baroness Hollis of Heigham	Lord Howarth of Newport
Baroness Howells of St Davids	Lord Howie of Troon	Lord Hoyle
Lord Hughes of Woodside	Lord Hunt of Kings Heath	Lord Jones
Baroness Jones of Whitchurch	Lord Jordan	Baroness Jewell
Lord Judd	Lord Kennedy of Southwark	Baroness Kingsmill
Lord Kinnock	Baroness Kinnock of Holyhead	Lord Kirkhill
Lord Knight of Weymouth	Baroness Lawrence of Clarendon	Lord Lea of Crondall
Lord Lennie	Lord Liddle	Lord Lipsey
Baroness Lister of Burtersett	Lord Lympne	Lord Macdonald of Tradeston
Lord MacKenzie of Culkein	Lord Maxton	Lord McAvoy
Baroness McDonagh	Baroness McIntosh of Hudnall	Lord Mendelsohn
Lord Mitchell	Lord Monks	Baroness Morgan of Huyton
Lord Morgan	Lord Morris of Handsworth	Baroness Morris of Yardley
Lord Murphy of Torfaen	Baroness Nye	Lord O'Neill of Clackmannan
Lord Pendry	Baroness Pitkeathley	Lord Ponsonby of Shulbrede
Lord Prescott	Baroness Prosser	Baroness Quin
Baroness Rebuck	Lord Reid of Cardowan	Lord Rooker
Lord Rosser	Lord Rowlands	Baroness Royall of Blaisdon
Lord Sawyer	Baroness Sherlock	Viscount Simon
Baroness Smith of Basildon	Lord Smith of Leigh	Lord Snape
Lord Soley	Lord Stevenson of Balmacara	Lord Stone of Blackheath
Baroness Symons of Vernham Dean	Baroness Taylor of Bolton	Baroness Thornton
Lord Tomlinson	Lord Touhig	Lord Turnberg
Lord Watson of Invergowrie	Lord Watts	Lord West of Spithead
Baroness Wheeler	Baroness Whitaker	Lord Whitty
Lord Williams of Elvel	Lord Woolmer of Leeds	Baroness Worthington
Lord Young of Norwood Green	Baroness Young of Old Scone	

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#### Liberal Democrat Votes with the Government

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Lord Alderdice	Baroness Bakewell of Hardington Mandeville	Baroness Barker
Baroness Benjamin	Baroness Bonham-Carter of Yarnbury	Baroness Bowles of Berkhamsted
Baroness Brinton	Lord Bruce of Bennachie	Baroness Burt of Solihull
Lord Campbell of Pittenweem	Lord Chidgey	Lord Clement-Jones
Lord Cotter	Lord Dholakia	Baroness Doocey
Baroness Falkner of Margravine	Baroness Featherstone	Lord Foster of Bath
Lord Fox	Baroness Garden of Frognal	Lord German
Earl Glasgow	Lord Goddard of Stockport	Baroness Grender
Baroness Hamwee	Baroness Harris of Richmond	Baroness Humphreys
Lord Hussain	Baroness Hussein-Ece	Baroness Janke
Baroness Jolly	Lord Kirkwood of Kirkhope	Baroness Kramer
Lord Lee of Trafford	Baroness Ludford	Lord MacLennan of Rogart
Baroness Miller of Chilthorne Domer	Lord Newby	Baroness Northover
Lord Oates	Lord Paddick	Lord Palmer of Childs Hill
Baroness Parminter	Baroness Pinnock	Lord Purvis of Tweed
Baroness Randerson	Lord Redesdale	Lord Rennard
Lord Roberts of Llandudno	Baroness Scott of Needham Market	Lord Shipley
Lord Shutt of Greetland	Lord Stephen	Lord Stoneham of Droxford
Lord Storey	Lord Strasburger	Lord Taverne
Lord Teverson	Baroness Thomas of Winchester	Lord Thomas of Gresford
Baroness Thornhill	Viscount Thurso	Lord Tope
Lord Tyler	Baroness Tyler of Enfield	Lord Wallace of Saltaire

Lord Wallace of Tankerness  
Lord Wrigglesworth

Baroness Walmsley

Lord Willis of Knaresborough

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**Crossbench Votes with the Government**

Lord Bew

Baroness Butler-Sloss

Baroness Campbell of Surbiton

Viscount Falkland

Lord Greenway

Earl Hay of Kinnoull

Lord Jay of Ewelme

Earl Lytton

Lord Ramsbotham

Viscount Slim

Lord St John of Bletso

Lord Stirrup

Lord Turnbull

Viscount Waverley

Baroness Young of Hornsey

**Crossbench Votes against the Government**

Lord Aberdare

Lord Alton of Liverpool

Lord Bilimoria

Viscount Brookeborough

Earl Clancarty

Viscount Colville of Culross

Lord Craig of Radley

Viscount Craigavon

Lord Cromwell

Lord Curry of Kirkharle

Lord Eames

Lord Elystan-Morgan

Baroness Finlay of Llandaff

Lord Freyberg

Lord Hameed

Lord Hannay of Chiswick

Lord Haskins

Baroness Hayman

Baroness Howe of Idlicote

Lord Kerslake

Baroness Kidron

Countess of Mar

Baroness Masham of Ilton

Baroness Morgan of Drefelin

Baroness Murphy

Baroness O'Neill of Bengarve

Lord Patel

Baroness Prashar

Lord Rees of Ludlow

Lord Rowe-Beddoe

Earl Sandwich

Lord Singh of Wimbledon

Duke of Somerset

Baroness Stern

Lord Warner

Lord Williams of Baglan

Lord Woolf

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**Bishop Votes with the Government**

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Bishop of Chester

Bishop of Leeds

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**Other Votes with the Government**

Lord Empey

Lord Kalms

Lord Laird

Lord Rogan

**Other Votes against the Government**

Lord Ahmed

Lord Browne of Belmont

Lord Loomba

Baroness Tonge

Lord Truscott

Baroness Uddin

Lord Wigley

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