

Government Defeat in Lords on Higher Education and Research Bill

Wednesday 08/03/2017

On 08/03/2017 the government had a defeat in the House of Lords on an amendment to the Higher Education and Research Bill: To insert a clause requiring the Secretary of State to introduce a scheme to provide information about the quality of education and teaching provided by higher education institutions, replacing the proposed scheme to give ratings to such institutions.

This was defeat number 25 in the parliamentary session.

| Breakdown of Votes | For Govt | Against Govt | Total | No vote |
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| Conservative | 173 | 2 | 175 | 77 |
| Labour | 0 | 128 | 128 | 74 |
| Liberal Democrat | 0 | 76 | 76 | 26 |
| Crossbench | 6 | 63 | 69 | 111 |
| Bishops | 1 | 1 | 2 | 25 |
| Other | 6 | 10 | 16 | 30 |
| Total | 186 | 280 | 466 | 343 |

Conservative Votes with the Government

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| Lord Ahmad of Wimbledon | Baroness Altmann | Baroness Anelay of St Johns |
| Lord Arbuthnot of Edrom | Earl Arran | Lord Astor of Hever |
| Earl Attlee | Lord Baker of Dorking | Lord Bates |
| Lord Bell | Baroness Berridge | Lord Black of Brentwood |
| Lord Blencathra | Baroness Bloomfield of Hinton Waldrist | Lord Borwick |
| Baroness Bottomley of Nettlestone | Lord Bourne of Aberystwyth | Lord Bowness |
| Lord Brabazon of Tara | Baroness Brady | Viscount Bridgeman |
| Lord Brougham and Vaux | Baroness Browning | Baroness Buscombe |
| Baroness Byford | Earl Caithness | Lord Callanan |
| Lord Carrington of Fulham | Earl Cathcart | Lord Cavendish of Furness |
| Baroness Chisholm of Owlpen | Lord Colwyn | Lord Cope of Berkeley |
| Earl Courtown | Baroness Coultie | Lord Crathorne |
| Lord Crickhowell | Lord Deighton | Lord Dixon-Smith |
| Lord Dobbs | Earl Dundee | Lord Dunlop |
| Baroness Eaton | Baroness Eccles of Moulton | Viscount Eccles |
| Lord Elton | Lord Fairfax of Cameron | Baroness Fall |
| Lord Faulks | Lord Fellowes of West Stafford | Lord Fink |
| Baroness Finn | Lord Flight | Baroness Fookes |
| Lord Forsyth of Drumlean | Lord Framlingham | Lord Freeman |
| Lord Gardiner of Kimble | Baroness Gardner of Parkes | Lord Geddes |
| Lord Gilbert of Panteg | Lord Gold | Baroness Goldie |
| Lord Goodlad | Lord Green of Hurstpierpoint | Lord Hague of Richmond |
| Viscount Hailsham | Lord Hamilton of Epsom | Baroness Hanham |
| Baroness Harding of Winscombe | Lord Hayward | Baroness Helic |

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| Lord Henley | Lord Higgins | Baroness Hodgson of Abinger |
| Lord Hodgson of Astley Abbotts | Lord Holmes of Richmond | Earl Home |
| Baroness Hooper | Lord Horam | Lord Howard of Rising |
| Lord Howard of Lympne | Earl Howe | Lord Howell of Guildford |
| Lord Hunt of Wirral | Lord Inglewood | Lord James of Blackheath |
| Lord Keen of Elie | Lord King of Bridgwater | Lord Kirkhope of Harrogate |
| Lord Lamont of Lerwick | Lord Lang of Monkton | Lord Lansley |
| Lord Leigh of Hurley | Lord Lexden | Earl Lindsay |
| Earl Liverpool | Lord Livingston of Parkhead | Marquess of Lothian |
| Lord Lupton | Lord MacGregor of Pulham Market | Lord Mackay of Clashfern |
| Lord MacLaurin of Knebworth | Lord Magan of Castletown | Lord Mancroft |
| Baroness Manzoor | Lord Marland | Lord Marlesford |
| Lord McColl of Dulwich | Lord McInnes of Kilwinning | Baroness McIntosh of Pickering |
| Baroness Mobarik | Baroness Mone | Baroness Morris of Bolton |
| Lord Moynihan | Lord Naseby | Lord Nash |
| Baroness Neville-Jones | Baroness Neville-Rolfe | Baroness Nicholson of Winterbourne |
| Lord Northbrook | Lord O'Shaughnessy | Baroness O'Cathain |
| Lord Palumbo | Baroness Pidding | Lord Polak |
| Lord Popat | Lord Porter of Spalding | Lord Price |
| Lord Prior of Brampton | Baroness Rawlings | Baroness Redfern |
| Viscount Ridley | Lord Risby | Lord Robathan |
| Baroness Rock | Lord Sanderson of Bowden | Baroness Scott of Bybrook |
| Baroness Seccombe | Lord Selkirk of Douglas | Lord Selsdon |
| Baroness Shackleton of Belgravia | Baroness Sharples | Lord Sheikh |
| Baroness Shephard of Northwold | Lord Sherbourne of Didsbury | Baroness Shields |
| Lord Shinkwin | Lord Skelmersdale | Lord Smith of Hindhead |
| Lord Spicer | Baroness Stedman-Scott | Baroness Stowell of Beeston |
| Lord Strathclyde | Baroness Stroud | Baroness Sugg |
| Lord Suri | Lord Taylor of Holbeach | Lord Tebbit |
| Lord Trefgarne | Viscount Trenchard | Lord Trimble |
| Lord True | Viscount Ullswater | Baroness Verma |
| Lord Wakeham | Lord Wei | Baroness Wheatcroft |
| Baroness Wilcox | Lord Willetts | Baroness Williams of Trafford |
| Lord Young of Cookham | Viscount Younger of Leckie | |

Conservative Votes against the Government

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| Lord Lucas | Duke of Wellington |
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Labour Votes with the Government

Labour Votes against the Government

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| Baroness Adams of Craigielea | Lord Anderson of Swansea | Baroness Andrews |
| Baroness Armstrong of Hill Top | Baroness Bakewell | Lord Bassam of Brighton |
| Lord Beecham | Lord Berkeley | Baroness Blackstone |
| Lord Blunkett | Lord Bradley | Lord Bragg |
| Lord Brooke of Alverthorpe | Lord Brookman | Lord Campbell-Savours |
| Lord Carter of Coles | Lord Cashman | Baroness Chakrabarti |
| Viscount Chandos | Lord Christopher | Lord Clark of Windermere |
| Lord Clinton-Davis | Baroness Cohen of Pimlico | Lord Collins of Highbury |
| Baroness Corston | Baroness Crawley | Lord Cunningham of Felling |
| Lord Darling of Roulanish | Lord Davies of Oldham | Lord Davies of Stamford |
| Baroness Donaghy | Baroness Drake | Lord Dubs |
| Lord Elder | Baroness Farrington of Ribbleton | Lord Foster of Bishop Auckland |
| Lord Foulkes of Cumnock | Baroness Gale | Lord Giddens |
| Baroness Golding | Lord Gordon of Strathblane | Baroness Goudie |
| Lord Grantchester | Lord Grocott | Lord Hain |
| Viscount Hanworth | Lord Harris of Haringey | Lord Harrison |

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| Lord Haskel | 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 Howarth of Newport |
| Baroness Howells of St Davids | Lord Hoyle | Lord Hughes of Woodside |
| Lord Irvine of Lairg | Baroness Jay of Paddington | Baroness Jones of Whitchurch |
| Lord Jordan | Baroness Jowell | Lord Judd |
| Lord Kennedy of Southwark | Baroness Kinnock of Holyhead | Lord Kinnock |
| Lord Kirkhill | Lord Knight of Weymouth | Lord Lea of Crondall |
| Lord Lennie | Baroness Liddell of Coatdyke | Lord Liddle |
| Lord Lipsey | Baroness Lister of Burtersett | Lord MacKenzie of Culkein |
| Baroness Massey of Darwen | Lord Maxton | Lord McAvoy |
| Baroness McIntosh of Hudnall | Lord McKenzie of Luton | Lord Mendelsohn |
| Lord Monks | Lord Morris of Handsworth | Baroness Morris of Yardley |
| Lord Morris of Aberavon | Lord Murphy of Torfaen | Lord O'Neill of Clackmannan |
| Lord Patel of Bradford | Lord Pendry | Baroness Pitkeathley |
| Lord Prescott | Baroness Prosser | Baroness Quin |
| Baroness Ramsay of Cartvale | Lord Rea | Lord Reid of Cardowan |
| Lord Richard | Lord Robertson of Port Ellen | Lord Rooker |
| Lord Rosser | Lord Rowlands | Baroness Royall of Blaisdon |
| Lord Sawyer | Baroness Sherlock | Viscount Simon |
| Baroness Smith of Basildon | Lord Snape | Lord Soley |
| Lord Stevenson of Balmacara | Lord Stone of Blackheath | Baroness Taylor of Bolton |
| Baroness Thornton | Lord Tomlinson | Lord Touhig |
| Lord Triesman | Lord Tunnicliffe | Lord Watson of Invergowrie |
| Lord Watts | Lord West of Spithead | Baroness Wheeler |
| Baroness Whitaker | Lord Whitty | Lord Winston |
| Lord Woolmer of Leeds | Baroness Young of Old Scone | |

Liberal Democrat Votes with the Government

Liberal Democrat Votes against the Government

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| Lord Addington | Lord Alderdice | Lord Ashdown of Norton-sub-Hamdon |
| Baroness Bakewell of Hardington Mandeville | Baroness Barker | Baroness Benjamin |
| Baroness Bonham-Carter of Yarnbury | Baroness Bowles of Berkhamsted | Lord Bradshaw |
| Baroness Brinton | Lord Bruce of Bannachie | Lord Burnett |
| Baroness Burt of Solihull | Lord Campbell of Pittenweem | Lord Chidgey |
| Lord Cotter | Lord Dholakia | Baroness Falkner of Margravine |
| Lord Fox | Baroness Garden of Frognal | Lord German |
| Earl Glasgow | Lord Goddard of Stockport | Baroness Hamwee |
| Baroness Harris of Richmond | Baroness Humphreys | Lord Hussain |
| Baroness Hussein-Ece | Baroness Janke | Baroness Jolly |
| Lord Jones of Cheltenham | Lord Kirkwood of Kirkhope | Baroness Kramer |
| Lord Lee of Trafford | Baroness Ludford | Lord MacLennan of Rogart |
| Baroness Maddock | Lord McNally | Lord Newby |
| Baroness Northover | Lord Oates | Lord Paddick |
| Lord Palmer of Childs Hill | Baroness Parminter | Baroness Pinnock |
| Lord Purvis of Tweed | Baroness Randerson | Lord Razzall |
| Lord Redesdale | Lord Rennard | Lord Roberts of Llandudno |
| Lord Rodgers of Quarry Bank | Lord Sharkey | Baroness Sheehan |
| Lord Shipley | Baroness Smith of Newnham | Lord Steel of Aikwood |
| Lord Stephen | Lord Stoneham of Droxford | Lord Storey |
| Baroness Suttie | Lord Taverne | Lord Taylor of Goss Moor |
| Lord Teverson | Lord Thomas of Gresford | Baroness Thomas of Winchester |
| Baroness Thornhill | Viscount Thurso | Lord Tope |
| Lord Tyler | Baroness Tyler of Enfield | Lord Wallace of Saltair |

Lord Wallace of Tankerness
Lord Wrigglesworth

Baroness Walmsley

Lord Willis of Knaresborough

Crossbench Votes with the Government

Lord Dear
Earl Lytton

Lord Dykes
Lord Northbourne

Earl Erroll
Earl Sandwich

Crossbench Votes against the Government

Lord Aberdare
Lord Bew
Lord Broers
Baroness Butler-Sloss
Lord Craig of Radley
Lord Curry of Kirkharle
Lord Eames
Lord Fellowes
Baroness Grey-Thompson
Baroness Hayman
Lord Hylton
Lord Kakkar
Lord Krebs
Lord Lisvane
Lord Mair
Lord Mawson
Lord Oxburgh
Lord Rees of Ludlow
Duke of Somerset
Lord Trees
Lord Wilson of Tillyorn

Lord Armstrong of Ilminster
Lord Bichard
Lord Brown of Eaton-under-Heywood
Lord Cameron of Dillington
Viscount Craigavon
Baroness Deech
Lord Elystan-Morgan
Baroness Finlay of Llandaff
Lord Hannay of Chiswick
Lord Hennessy of Nympsfield
Lord Jay of Ewelme
Lord Kerr of Kinlochard
Baroness Lane-Fox of Soho
Lord Low of Dalston
Countess of Mar
Baroness Meacher
Baroness Prashar
Lord Rowe-Beddoe
Baroness Stern
Lord Warner
Baroness Wolf of Dulwich

Lord Berkeley of Knighton
Lord Bilimoria
Lord Burns
Earl Clancarty
Lord Cromwell
Baroness D'Souza
Viscount Falkland
Lord Greenway
Earl Hay of Kinnoull
Lord Hope of Craighead
Lord Judge
Lord Kilclooney
Earl Listowel
Lord Luce
Baroness Masham of Ilton
Baroness O'Neill of Bengarve
Lord Ramsbotham
Viscount Slim
Lord Stirrup
Viscount Waverley
Lord Woolf

Bishop Votes with the Government

Bishop of Oxford

Bishop Votes against the Government

Bishop of Chester

Other Votes with the Government

Lord Browne of Belmont
Lord Hay of Ballyore

Lord Empey
Lord Morrow

Lord Gadhia
Lord Rogan

Other Votes against the Government

Lord Ahmed
Lord Loomba
Baroness Tonge
Lord Wigley

Lord Carlile of Berriew
Lord Mackenzie of Framwellgate
Lord Truscott

Baroness Jones of Moulsecomb
Lord Smith of Finsbury
Baroness Uddin

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