

Government Defeat in Lords on Social Security (Up-rating of Benefits) Bill

Tuesday 02/11/2021

On 02/11/2021 the government had a defeat in the House of Lords on an amendment to the Social Security (Up-rating of Benefits) Bill: To remove provisions that would break the earnings link in the pensions 'triple lock' for tax year 2022-23, instead providing that the Secretary of State can adjust the relevant earnings level to take into account the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic.

This was defeat number 32 in the parliamentary session.

Breakdown of Votes	For Govt	Against Govt	Total	No vote
Conservative	165	3	168	96
Labour	0	99	99	72
Liberal Democrat	0	64	64	21
Crossbench	11	41	52	135
Bishops	0	0	0	24
Other	2	13	15	40
Total	178	220	398	388

Conservative Votes with the Government

Lord Agnew of Oulton	Lord Altrincham	Baroness Anelay of St Johns
Lord Arbuthnot of Edrom	Lord Ashton of Hyde	Lord Astor of Hever
Baroness Barran	Lord Benyon	Baroness Berridge
Lord Bethell	Lord Blencathra	Baroness Bloomfield of Hinton Waldrist
Lord Borwick	Baroness Brady	Lord Brougham and Vaux
Baroness Browning	Lord Brownlow of Shurlock Row	Baroness Buscombe
Lord Caine	Earl Caiithness	Lord Callanan
Lord Carrington of Fulham	Earl Cathcart	Lord Chadlington
Baroness Chisholm of Owlpen	Lord Choudrey	Lord Colgrain
Lord Colwyn	Earl Courtown	Lord Crathorne
Lord Cruddas	Baroness Cumberlege	Lord Davies of Gower
Lord De Mauley	Lord Deighton	Lord Dobbs
Earl Dundee	Lord Dunlop	Baroness Eccles of Moulton
Viscount Eccles	Baroness Evans of Bowes Park	Lord Fairfax of Cameron
Baroness Fairhead	Baroness Fall	Lord Farmer
Lord Fellowes of West Stafford	Lord Finkelstein	Lord Flight
Baroness Fookes	Lord Forsyth of Drumlean	Baroness Foster of Oxton
Lord Framlingham	Lord Freud	Lord Frost
Lord Geddes	Lord Gilbert of Panteg	Lord Glendonbrook
Lord Godson	Baroness Goldie	Lord Goodlad
Lord Grade of Yarmouth	Lord Greenhalgh	Lord Griffiths of Fforestfach
Lord Grimstone of Boscobel	Lord Hamilton of Epsom	Lord Hannan of Kingsclere

Baroness Harding of Winscombe	Lord Harlech	Lord Haselhurst
Lord Hayward	Lord Henley	Lord Herbert of South Downs
Lord Hodgson of Astley Abbotts	Baroness Hodgson of Abinger	Lord Holmes of Richmond
Baroness Hooper	Lord Horam	Lord Howard of Rising
Earl Howe	Lord Howell of Guildford	Lord Hunt of Wirral
Lord James of Blackheath	Baroness Jenkin of Kennington	Lord Kamall
Lord Keen of Elie	Lord King of Bridgwater	Lord Kirkham
Lord Lamont of Lerwick	Lord Lancaster of Kimbolton	Lord Lang of Monkton
Lord Lansley	Earl Leicester	Lord Leigh of Hurley
Lord Lexden	Lord Lilley	Earl Lindsay
Lord Lingfield	Lord Livingston of Parkhead	Lord Lucas
Lord Mancroft	Baroness Manzoor	Lord Marland
Lord McLoughlin	Baroness Meyer	Baroness Morgan of Cotes
Baroness Morris of Bolton	Lord Naseby	Lord Nash
Baroness Neville-Jones	Baroness Neville-Rolfe	Baroness Nicholson of Winterbourne
Baroness Noakes	Lord Norton of Louth	Lord O'Shaughnessy
Lord Parkinson of Whitley Bay	Lord Patten	Baroness Pidding
Lord Polak	Lord Popat	Lord Porter of Spalding
Lord Price	Lord Randall of Uxbridge	Baroness Rawlings
Lord Reay	Baroness Redfern	Lord Risby
Lord Robathan	Baroness Rock	Baroness Sanderson of Welton
Lord Sandhurst	Lord Sarfraz	Lord Sassoon
Baroness Sater	Baroness Scott of Bybrook	Baroness Seccombe
Baroness Shackleton of Belgravia	Lord Sharpe of Epsom	Lord Sheikh
Lord Sherbourne of Didsbury	Lord Smith of Hindhead	Baroness Stedman-Scott
Lord Stewart of Dirleton	Baroness Stowell of Beeston	Lord Strathclyde
Baroness Sugg	Lord Suri	Lord Taylor of Holbeach
Lord Trefgarne	Viscount Trenchard	Lord Trimble
Lord True	Lord Tugendhat	Lord Udney-Lister
Lord Vaizey of Didcot	Baroness Vere of Norbiton	Baroness Verma
Baroness Warsi	Lord Wasserman	Lord Wharton of Yarm
Lord Willetts	Baroness Williams of Trafford	Lord Wolfson of Tredegar
Baroness Wyld	Lord Young of Cookham	Viscount Younger of Leckie

Conservative Votes against the Government

Baroness Altmann	Lord Balfe	Lord Kirkhope of Harrogate
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Labour Votes with the Government

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Lord Adonis	Lord Anderson of Swansea	Baroness Andrews
Baroness Armstrong of Hill Top	Lord Bassam of Brighton	Lord Berkeley
Baroness Blake of Leeds	Baroness Blower	Lord Blunkett
Lord Boateng	Lord Bradley	Lord Bragg
Lord Browne of Ladyton	Baroness Bryan of Partick	Lord Campbell-Savours
Lord Carter of Coles	Baroness Chakrabarti	Baroness Chapman of Darlington
Lord Coaker	Lord Collins of Highbury	Baroness Corston
Lord Cunningham of Felling	Lord Davies of Oldham	Lord Davies of Brixton
Baroness Donaghy	Baroness Drake	Lord Dubs
Lord Eatwell	Lord Elder	Lord Falconer of Thoroton
Lord Faulkner of Worcester	Baroness Gale	Lord Glasman
Baroness Golding	Lord Griffiths of Burry Port	Lord Grocott
Lord Hain	Viscount Hanworth	Lord Harris of Haringey
Lord Haworth	Baroness Hayman of Ullock	Baroness Hayter of Kentish Town
Baroness Healy of Primrose Hill	Lord Hendy	Baroness Henig
Lord Hollick	Lord Howarth of Newport	Lord Hunt of Kings Heath
Baroness Jay of Paddington	Lord Jones	Baroness Jones of Whitchurch

Lord Kennedy of Southwark	Lord Khan of Burnley	Baroness Lawrence of Clarendon
Lord Layard	Lord Lennie	Lord Levy
Baroness Lister of Burtersett	Baroness Mallalieu	Lord Maxton
Lord McAvoy	Baroness McIntosh of Hudnall	Lord McNicol of West Kilbride
Baroness Merron	Lord Monks	Baroness Morris of Yardley
Baroness Osamor	Baroness Pitkeathley	Lord Ponsonby of Shulbrede
Baroness Primarolo	Baroness Quin	Baroness Ramsay of Cartvale
Baroness Rebuck	Lord Reid of Cardowan	Baroness Ritchie of Downpatrick
Lord Robertson of Port Ellen	Lord Rooker	Lord Rosser
Lord Sawyer	Baroness Sherlock	Lord Sikka
Baroness Smith of Basildon	Lord Snape	Viscount Stansgate
Lord Stevenson of Balmacara	Baroness Thornton	Lord Tomlinson
Lord Touhig	Lord Triesman	Lord Tunnicliffe
Lord Turnberg	Lord Watson of Invergowrie	Lord Watts
Baroness Wheeler	Baroness Whitaker	Lord Whitty
Baroness Wilcox of Newport	Lord Wood of Anfield	Baroness Young of Old Scone

Liberal Democrat Votes with the Government

Liberal Democrat Votes against the Government

Lord Addington	Lord Allan of Hallam	Lord Alliance
Baroness Bakewell of Hardington Mandeville	Baroness Barker	Lord Beith
Baroness Brinton	Baroness Burt of Solihull	Lord Campbell of Pittenweem
Lord Chidgey	Lord Clement-Jones	Lord Dholakia
Baroness Doocey	Baroness Featherstone	Lord Foster of Bath
Lord Fox	Baroness Garden of Frognal	Lord German
Lord Goddard of Stockport	Baroness Grender	Baroness Hamwee
Baroness Harris of Richmond	Baroness Humphreys	Lord Hussain
Baroness Hussein-Ece	Baroness Janke	Baroness Jolly
Lord Jones of Cheltenham	Baroness Kramer	Lord Lee of Trafford
Baroness Ludford	Lord Marks of Henley-on-Thames	Lord McNally
Lord Newby	Baroness Northover	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 Scriven	Lord Sharkey	Baroness Sheehan
Lord Shipley	Baroness Smith of Newnham	Lord Stoneham of Droxford
Lord Storey	Lord Strasburger	Lord Stunell
Baroness Suttie	Lord Taverne	Lord Thomas of Gresford
Baroness Thomas of Winchester	Baroness Thornhill	Lord Tope
Baroness Tyler of Enfield	Lord Wallace of Saltaire	Baroness Walmsley
Lord Willis of Knaresborough		

Crossbench Votes with the Government

Lord Boyce	Viscount Brookeborough	Lord Brown of Eaton-under-Heywood
Lord Chartres	Lord Craig of Radley	Lord Hope of Craighead
Lord Kakkar	Earl Kinnoull	Lord Patel
Lord Ravensdale	Lord Trees	

Crossbench Votes against the Government

Lord Aberdare	Lord Adebowale	Lord Alton of Liverpool
Lord Best	Lord Bichard	Lord Birt
Lord Broers	Baroness Bull	Lord Butler of Brockwell
Baroness Butler-Sloss	Earl Clancarty	Viscount Craigavon
Lord Dannatt	Baroness D'Souza	Lord Dykes

