

Crown Estate Bill [HL]

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[Supplementary to the Marshalled List]

After Clause 2

LORD BERKELEY

After Clause 2, insert the following new Clause—

“Accounts to be annually submitted to the Treasury

In section 2 of the Crown Estate Act 1961, omit subsection (1) and insert—

“(1A) The Commissioners must submit accounts of the receipts and disbursements of the Crown Estate to the Treasury annually, in such form and accompanied by such explanations as the Treasury may from time to time require and direct; and the annual account of receipts and disbursements must be laid before Parliament within one calendar month after the first meeting of Parliament subsequent to the first day of January in every year.””

Member's explanatory statement

This amendment adjusts the requirement on Commissioners to lay their accounts before Parliament annually to match the requirement on the Duchy of Lancaster, as set out in the Duchies of Lancaster and Cornwall (Accounts) Act 1838.

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