

House of Lords (Hereditary Peers) Bill

AMENDMENT

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IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE HOUSE

[Supplementary to the Third Marshalled List]

After Clause 1

BARONESS MOBARIK

After Clause 1, insert the following new Clause—

“Life peerages to be nominated by party groups

On the day on which this Act is passed, the Prime Minister must recommend to His Majesty the King that—

- (a) 46 individuals nominated by the Leader of the Conservative Party in the House of Lords,
- (b) 33 individuals nominated by the Crossbench Convenor,
- (c) 4 individuals nominated by the Leader of the Labour Party in the House of Lords, and
- (d) 4 individuals nominated by the Leader of the Liberal Democrat Party in the House of Lords

be granted a life peerage under section 1 of the Life Peerages Act 1958.”

Member's explanatory statement

This amendment would require the Prime Minister to give groups in Parliament the ability to nominate individuals to be appointed as life peers to replace the number of hereditary peers in their group. This could include reappointing some hereditary peers as life peers.

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