

Employment Rights Bill

AMENDMENT
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[Supplementary to the Seventh Marshalled List]

Amendment
No.

After Clause 56

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215ZA★ After Clause 56, insert the following new Clause—

“Section 56: consultation requirement

- (1) Before section 56 comes into force, the Secretary of State must consult such persons as they consider appropriate, including—
 - (a) representatives of trade unions, and
 - (b) representatives of employers,on the use of digital communication methods as part of access agreements under section 56.
- (2) The Secretary of State must publish the outcome of that consultation.
- (3) Section 56 may not come into force until the outcome of the consultation under subsection (2) has been published.”

Member's explanatory statement

This amendment requires the Secretary of State to consult on the role of digital communication in trade union access agreements and to publish the outcome before the relevant provisions come into force.

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