

# Crime and Policing Bill

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## RUNNING LIST OF ALL AMENDMENTS ON THIRD READING

*Tabled up to and including  
20 March 2026*

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[Amendments marked ★ are new or have been altered]

### After Clause 101

LORD HANSON OF FLINT

- ★ After Clause 101, insert the following new Clause –
- “Taking down intimate image content**
- (1) The Online Safety Act 2023 is amended as follows.
- (2) In section 10 (regulated user-to-user services: safety duties about illegal content) after subsection (3) insert –
- “(3A) A duty to operate a service using proportionate systems and processes designed to take down –
- (a) content in relation to which an intimate image content report is made to the provider (see section 20A(2)), and
- (b) any other content identified by the provider as the same, or substantially the same, as that content,
- as soon as reasonably practicable, and no later than 48 hours, after the provider receives the report (unless subsection (3B) applies).
- (3B) This subsection applies if the provider considers that –
- (a) the content is not intimate image content, or
- (b) the person making the report is not –
- (i) the subject of the content, or
- (ii) a person acting on that person’s behalf.”

- (3) After section 20 (duty about content reporting) insert –
- “20A Reporting of intimate image content**
- (1) The duty in section 20(2) includes a duty to operate a service using systems and processes that allow users and affected persons to easily make an intimate image content report to the provider.
- (2) An “intimate image content report” is a report which –
- (a) declares that content present on the service is intimate image content,
  - (b) declares that the report is made by –
    - (i) the subject of the content, or
    - (ii) a person acting on that person’s behalf,
  - (c) provides sufficient information about the content for the provider to identify it,
  - (d) provides contact details for the person making the report, and
  - (e) complies with any other requirements specified in regulations made by the Secretary of State.
- (3) The Secretary of State may by regulations make provision about how the requirements in subsection (2)(a) to (d) are to be met.”
- (4) In section 21 (duties about complaints procedures) after subsection (2) insert –
- “(2A) The duty in subsection (2) includes a duty to operate an expedited complaints procedure in relation to complaints within subsection (4)(a), (b)(i) or (b)(ii) that –
- (a) are made by users or affected persons who have made an intimate image content report (see section 20A(2)), and
  - (b) are about the content to which the report relates.”
- (5) In section 27 (regulated search services: safety duties about illegal content) after subsection (3) insert –
- “(3A) A duty to operate a service using proportionate systems and processes designed to ensure that individuals are no longer able to encounter –
- (a) search content in relation to which an intimate image content report is made to the provider (see section 31A(2)), and
  - (b) any other search content identified by the provider as the same, or substantially the same, as that content,
- as soon as reasonably practicable, and no later than 48 hours, after the provider receives the report (unless subsection (3B) applies).
- (3B) This subsection applies if the provider considers that –
- (a) the search content is not intimate image content, or
  - (b) the person making the report is not –
    - (i) the subject of the content, or
    - (ii) a person acting on that person’s behalf.”

- (6) After section 31 (duty about content reporting) insert –
- “31A Reporting of intimate image content**
- (1) The duty in section 31(2) includes a duty to operate a service using systems and processes that allow users and affected persons to easily make an intimate image content report to the provider.
- (2) An “intimate image content report” is a report which –
- (a) declares that search content is intimate image content,
  - (b) declares that the report is made by –
    - (i) the subject of the content, or
    - (ii) a person acting on that person’s behalf,
  - (c) provides sufficient information about the search content for the provider to identify it,
  - (d) provides contact details for the person making the report, and
  - (e) complies with any other requirements specified in regulations made by the Secretary of State.
- (3) The Secretary of State may by regulations make provision about how the requirements in subsection (2)(a) to (d) are to be met.”
- (7) In section 32 (duties about complaints procedures) after subsection (2) insert –
- “(2A) The duty in subsection (2) includes a duty to operate an expedited complaints procedure in relation to complaints within subsection (4)(a), (b)(i) or (b)(ii) that –
- (a) are made by users or affected persons who have made an intimate image content report (see section 31A(2)), and
  - (b) are about the search content to which the report relates.”
- (8) In section 59 (meaning of “illegal content” etc) after subsection (10) insert –
- “(10A) “Intimate image content” means content that amounts to an offence under section 66B(1), (2) or (3) of the Sexual Offences Act 2003 (sharing intimate image of a person without consent).”

***Member's explanatory statement***

*This new clause amends the Online Safety Act 2023 to impose new duties about removing content which is reported to providers as intimate image content.*

LORD HANSON OF FLINT

- ★ After Clause 101, insert the following new Clause –

**“Taking down intimate image content: consequential amendments**

- (1) The Online Safety Act 2023 is amended as follows.
- (2) In section 10 (regulated user-to-user services: safety duties about illegal content) –
- (a) in subsection (4) for “and (3)” substitute “to (3A)”; and
  - (b) in subsection (5) –

- (i) the words from “each paragraph” to the end become paragraph (a);
  - (ii) at the end of that paragraph insert “, and
    - (b) subsection (3A).”;
  - (c) in subsection (7) for “subsection (2) or (3)” substitute “subsections (2) to (3A)”.
- (3) In section 23(5) (record-keeping and review duties) for “or (3)”, in the first place it occurs, substitute “, (3) or (3A)”.
- (4) In section 27 (regulated search services: safety duties about illegal content) –
- (a) in subsection (4) for “and (3)” substitute “to (3A)”;
  - (b) in subsection (7) for “subsection (2) or (3)” substitute “subsections (2) to (3A)”.
- (5) In section 34(5) (record-keeping and review duties), for “or (3)”, in the first place it occurs, substitute “, (3) or (3A)”.
- (6) In section 59(14) (meaning of “illegal content” etc) for “and “priority illegal content”” substitute “, “priority illegal content” and “intimate image content””.
- (7) In section 71(2)(a)(i) (duty not to take down content except in accordance with terms of service: exceptions) for “or (3)” substitute “, (3) or (3A)”.
- (8) In section 136(5) (confirmation decisions: proactive technology) –
- (a) in paragraph (a) for “or (3)” substitute “, (3) or (3A)”;
  - (b) in paragraph (c) for “or (3)” substitute “, (3) or (3A)”.
- (9) In section 237 (index of defined terms) at the appropriate place insert –
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| “intimate image content (in Part 3) | section 59”. |
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- (10) In Schedule 4 (codes of practice) –
- (a) in paragraph 9(1) for “or (3)” substitute “, (3) or (3A)”;
  - (b) in paragraph 9(3) for “or (3)” substitute “, (3) or (3A)”;
  - (c) in paragraph 13(3)(a) for “or (3)” substitute “, (3) or (3A)”;
  - (d) in paragraph 13(3)(c) for “or (3)” substitute “, (3) or (3A)”.

***Member's explanatory statement***

*This new clause makes amendments to the Online Safety Act 2023 which are consequential on those made by my new clause (Taking down intimate image content).*

**Clause 107**

BARONESS BERTIN

★ Clause 107, page 145, leave out lines 28 to 34

## BARONESS BERTIN

- ★ Clause 107, page 146, line 29, leave out “in a way mentioned in section 67E[subsection removed]” and insert “as defined in section 27 (family relationships) of the Sexual Offences Act 2003”

## BARONESS BERTIN

- ★ Clause 107, page 147, line 4, leave out “in a way mentioned in section 67E[subsection removed]” and insert “as defined in section 27 (family relationships) of the Sexual Offences Act 2003”

**Clause 263**

## LORD HANSON OF FLINT

- ★ Clause 263, page 325, line 38, at end insert –  
“(ma) sections (*Taking down intimate image content*) and (*Taking down intimate image content: consequential amendments*);”

***Member's explanatory statement***

*This amendment provides for the specified new clauses to have UK extent.*

## LORD HANSON OF FLINT

- ★ Clause 263, page 326, line 15, at end insert –  
“(z4a) section 207(9);”

***Member's explanatory statement***

*This amendment gives UK extent to the specified provision, since it amends an Act which has UK extent.*

**Schedule 2**

## LORD HANSON OF FLINT

- ★ Schedule 2, page 341, line 24, leave out “extension” and insert “closure”

***Member's explanatory statement***

*This amendment (and my other amendment to Schedule 2) corrects an amendment to section 78 of the Anti-social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014 to refer to a closure notice instead of an extension notice.*

## LORD HANSON OF FLINT

- ★ Schedule 2, page 341, line 26, leave out “extension” and insert “closure”

***Member's explanatory statement***

*See my other amendment to Schedule 2.*



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