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and Immigration) Bill**

**Northern Ireland
(Executive Formation) Bill**

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- (i) To report whether the provisions of any bill inappropriately delegate legislative power, or whether they subject the exercise of legislative power to an inappropriate degree of parliamentary scrutiny;
- (ii) To report on documents and draft orders laid before Parliament under or by virtue of:
 - (a) sections 14 and 18 of the Legislative and Regulatory Reform Act 2006,
 - (b) section 7(2) or section 19 of the Localism Act 2011, or
 - (c) section 5E(2) of the Fire and Rescue Services Act 2004;

and to perform, in respect of such draft orders, and in respect of subordinate provisions orders made or proposed to be made under the Regulatory Reform Act 2001, the functions performed in respect of other instruments and draft instruments by the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments; and

- (iii) To report on documents and draft orders laid before Parliament under or by virtue of:
 - (a) section 85 of the Northern Ireland Act 1998,
 - (b) section 17 of the Local Government Act 1999,
 - (c) section 9 of the Local Government Act 2000,
 - (d) section 98 of the Local Government Act 2003, or
 - (e) section 102 of the Local Transport Act 2008.

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Eighth Report

SAFETY OF RWANDA (ASYLUM AND IMMIGRATION) BILL

1. The only delegated powers in this Bill are in clause 8, which provides for provisions of the Bill to be extended by Order in Council to the Channel Islands and the Isle of Man. There is nothing in that clause which we would wish to draw to the attention of the House.

NORTHERN IRELAND (EXECUTIVE FORMATION) BILL

2. This Bill does not contain any delegations of legislative power.

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