

Select Committee on Statutory Instruments

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Powers

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The Select Committee on Statutory Instruments (SCSI) is appointed to consider statutory instruments made in exercise of powers granted by Act of Parliament. It carries out the same duties as the Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments in respect of those instruments laid before and subject to proceedings in the House of Commons only.

The role of the SCSI, whose membership is drawn from the House of Commons, is to assess the technical qualities of each instrument that falls within its remit and to decide whether to draw the special attention of the House to any instrument on one or more of the following grounds:

i. that it imposes, or sets the amount of, a charge on public revenue or that it requires payment for a licence, consent or service to be made to the Exchequer, a government department or a public or local authority, or sets the amount of the payment;

- ii. that its parent legislation says that it cannot be challenged in the courts;
- iii. that it appears to have retrospective effect without the express authority of the parent legislation;
- iv. that there appears to have been unjustifiable delay in publishing it or laying it before Parliament;
- v. that there appears to have been unjustifiable delay in sending a notification under the proviso to section 4(1) of the Statutory Instruments Act 1946, where the instrument has come into force before it has been laid;
- vi. that there appears to be doubt about whether there is power to make it or that it appears to make an unusual or unexpected use of the power to make;
- vii. that its form or meaning needs to be explained;
- viii. that its drafting appears to be defective;
- ix. or on any other ground which does not go to its merits or the policy behind it.

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Instruments reported

At its meeting on 8 December 2025 the Committee scrutinised a number of instruments in accordance with Standing Orders. It was agreed that the special attention of the House of Commons should be drawn to none of those considered.

Instruments not reported

The Committee has considered the instruments set out in the Annex to this Report, none of which were required to be reported.

Annex

Instruments requiring affirmative approval

S.I. Number	S.I. Title
S.I. 2025/1253	The Corporation Tax Act 2010 (Part 8C) (Amendment) Regulations 2025
S.I. 2025/1199	The Customs Tariff (Establishment) (EU Exit) (Amendment) Regulations 2025

Instruments subject to annulment

S.I. Number	S.I. Title
S.I. 2025/1158	The Customs Tariff (Preferential Trade Arrangements) (Amendment) Regulations 2025
S.I. 2025/1146	The Economic Crime (Anti-Money Laundering) Levy (Amendment) Regulations 2025
S.I. 2025/1144	The Income Tax (Pay As You Earn) (Amendment No. 2) Regulations 2025

Formal Minutes

Monday 8 December 2025

Members present

Sir Bernard Jenkin, in the Chair

Lewis Atkinson

Helena Dollimore

Gareth Snell

Report consideration

Draft Report (*Eleventh Report*), proposed by the Chair, brought up and read.

Ordered, That the draft Report be read a second time, paragraph by paragraph.

Annex agreed to.

Resolved, That the Report be the Eleventh Report of the Committee to the House.

Ordered, That the Chair make the Report to the House.

Adjournment

Adjourned to a day and time to be fixed by the Chair.

List of Reports from the Committee during the current Parliament

All publications from the Committee are available on the [publications page](#) of the Committee's website.

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Number	Title	Reference
10th	Tenth Report of Session 2024–26 - No Statutory Instruments Reported	HC 294-x
9th	Ninth Report of Session 2024–25 - No Statutory Instruments Reported	HC 294-ix
8th	Eighth Report of Session 2024–25 - 1 Statutory Instrument Reported	HC 294-viii
7th	Seventh Report of Session 2024–25 - 1 Statutory Instrument Reported	HC 294-vii
6th	Sixth Report of Session 2024–25 - No Statutory Instruments Reported	HC 294-vi
5th	Fifth Report of Session 2024–25 - No Statutory Instruments Reported	HC 294-v
4th	Fourth Report of Session 2024–25 - 1 Statutory Instrument Reported	HC 294-iv
3rd	Third Report of Session 2024–25 - No Statutory Instruments Reported	HC 294-iii
2nd	Second Report of Session 2024–25 - No Statutory Instruments Reported	HC 294-ii
1st	First Report of Session 2024–25 - 1 Statutory Instrument Reported	HC 294-i