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Remit

The Joint Committee on Statutory Instruments (JCSI) is appointed to consider statutory instruments made in exercise of powers granted by Act of Parliament. Instruments not laid before Parliament are included within the Committee's remit; but local instruments and instruments made by devolved administrations are not considered by JCSI unless they are required to be laid before Parliament.

The role of the JCSI, whose membership is drawn from both Houses of Parliament, is to assess the technical qualities of each instrument that falls within its remit and to decide whether to draw the special attention of each 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 any other ground which does not go to its merits or the policy behind it.

The Committee usually meets weekly when Parliament is sitting.

Publications

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Committee staff

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Instruments not reported

At its meeting on 14 July 2021 the Committee considered the instruments set out in the Annex to this Report, none of which was required to be reported to both Houses.

Annex

Draft Instruments requiring affirmative approval

Draft	Ecodesign for Energy-Related Products and Energy Information (Lighting Products) Regulations 2021
Draft	Ecodesign for Energy-Related Products and Energy Information (Amendment) Regulations 2021
Draft	Licensing Act 2003 (2020 UEFA European Championship Licensing Hours) Order 2021
Draft	Terrorism Act 2000 (Proscribed Organisations) (Amendment) (No. 2) Order 2021

Instruments subject to annulment

S.I. 2021/665	Allocation of Housing and Homelessness (Eligibility) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2021
S.I. 2021/666	Queen Elizabeth II Conference Centre Trading Fund (Variation) Order 2021

Instruments not subject to parliamentary proceedings not laid before Parliament

S.I. 2021/671	Financial Services Act 2021 (Commencement No. 1) Regulations 2021
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Formal Minutes

Wednesday 14 July 2021

Virtual meeting

Members present:

Jessica Morden (*in the Chair*)

Baroness D’Souza	Baroness Newlove
Baroness Gale	Lord Rowe-Beardoe
Lord Haskel	Baroness Scott of Needham Market
John Lamont	Richard Thomson

Draft 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 Ninth Report of the Committee to the House.

Ordered, That the Chair make the Report to the House of Commons and that the Report be made to the House of Lords.

[Adjourned till Wednesday 21 July at 3.40 p.m.]