

Research Briefing

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Conflict in Ukraine: A Parliamentary reading list (2014 - present)



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Summary

The current conflict in Ukraine began on 24 February 2022 when Russian military forces entered the country from Belarus, Russia and Crimea.

Prior to the invasion, there had already been eight years of conflict in eastern Ukraine between Ukrainian Government forces and Russia-backed separatists.

This reading list provides links to Commons Library papers, Committee reports, parliamentary material and UK Government press releases related to the conflict in Ukraine since 2014.

This paper will be regularly updated.

For an overview of the progress of the current conflict, see Commons Library research briefing [Ukraine conflict: An overview](#).

1 Commons Library papers

Below is a list of Commons Library papers relevant to the conflict in Ukraine, and wider UK relations with Russia, since 2014.

The conflict in Ukraine

This webpage features Commons Library research relating to the conflict in Ukraine, including sanctions, energy security, international legal issues, NATO, and implications for the UK.

1.1 Relevant Library papers

President Biden's foreign policy: One year in **CBP-9447 | 9 February 2022**

This briefing looks at how President Joe Biden's foreign policy has in his first year lived up to his campaign promises, his other major foreign policy achievements and the challenges ahead.

Belarus: One year on from the disputed Presidential election **CBP-9334 | 5 October 2021**

It has been just over one year since the disputed Presidential election in Belarus and President Lukashenko has consolidated his grip on power. What is the human rights situation in the country now and how has the West responded?

Crisis averted in Ukraine? **CBP-9205 | 26 April 2021**

Russia recently announced that its military forces that have been building up in Crimea and on the borders of Ukraine in the last few weeks would be withdrawn by 1 May 2021. Russia said its forces had been deployed on exercise, a justification which has been questioned by many analysts. Whether Russia will fully implement its commitment to withdrawal also remains to be seen.

[The imprisonment of Alexei Navalny](#)

CBP-9137 | 16 March 2021

Demonstrations over the imprisonment of Russian opposition activist Alexei Navalny have died down for now, but commentators argue that Vladimir Putin's legitimacy is wearing thin.

[Belarus: where next?](#)

CBP-9002 | 14 September 2020

The August presidential election in Belarus led to the biggest demonstrations since the country's independence. The outcome is still not clear.

[Belarus: 2020 presidential election](#)

CBP-8979 | 8 September 2020

Belarus held a presidential election on Sunday 9 August 2020. In the weeks leading up to the election there were large rallies against the incumbent president. In the weeks since the election took place, protests have continued amid allegations of widespread vote-rigging as President Lukashenko secured a sixth term in office.

[Magnitsky legislation](#)

CBP-8374 | 20 July 2020

Stronger legislation providing for sanctions against corrupt officials who commit gross human rights abuse has been passed, and the UK's first Magnitsky sanctions have been announced.

[Eastern Ukraine: dashed hopes?](#)

CBP-8949 | 25 June 2020

The election of a new president in 2019 raised the prospect of a resolution to the conflict in eastern Ukraine.

[Sanctions policy and implementation](#)

CDP-0218 (2019) | 30 September 2019

Briefing for the House of Commons debate on the UK Government's sanctions policy and implementation that took place on 3 October 2019.

[Russian annexation of Crimea](#)

CDP-0093 (2019) | 18 April 2019

Briefing for the House of Commons debate on the Russian annexation of Crimea that took place on 24 April 2019.

[Cool conflicts in Russia's near neighbourhood](#)

CBP-8477 | 21 January 2019

For many former Soviet States, proximity to a resurgent Russia has given rise to territorial conflicts and thousands of deaths. This paper looks at the areas of conflict, the causes of the conflicts, Russia's role and international attempts to broker peace.

[Russian intelligence services and special forces](#)

CBP-8430 | 4 December 2018

Russian intelligence services hit the front pages to an unprecedented degree in October 2018.

[The future of sanctions](#)

CBP-8402 | 26 September 2018

The UK has a new legislative framework for imposing sanctions post-Brexit. What effect would the UK's departure from the EU have on sanctions policy here and in the EU? What is the broader international outlook?

[The Salisbury incident](#)

CDP-0204 (2018) | 10 September 2018

Briefing for the House of Commons debate on the Salisbury incident. The debate took place on 12 September 2018.

[Russia and the Council of Europe](#)

CDP-0179 (2018) | 13 July 2018

Briefing for the House of Commons debate on Russia and the Council of Europe that took place on 18 July 2018.

[Russian Federation activity in the UK and globally](#)

CDP-0159 (2018) | 26 June 2018

Briefing for the House of Commons debate on Russian Federation activity in the UK and globally that took place on 28 June 2018.

[Sanctions against Russia – in brief](#)

CBP-8284 | 12 April 2018

With the alleged chemical weapons deployment in Syria and the poisoning incident in Salisbury, pressure has increased for further sanctions against Russia. But what measures are already in place?

[National security and Russia](#)

CBP-8271 | 26 March 2018

On 26 March 2018 the House of Commons debated national security and Russia.

[Russia 2017](#)

CBP-8157 | 20 December 2017

Theresa May had some sharp words for Russia in her speech to the Lord Mayor's Banquet in November 2017.

[Russian interference in UK politics and society](#)

CDP-0255 (2017) | 19 December 2017

Briefing for the House of Commons debate on Russian interference in UK politics and society that took place on 21 December 2017.

Situation in Ukraine

CDP-0260 (2017) | 18 December 2017

Briefing for the House of Commons debate on the situation in Ukraine that took place on 20 December 2017.

Ukrainian Holodomor

CDP-0213 (2017) | 3 November 2017

Briefing for the House of Commons debate on the Ukrainian Holodomor that took place on 7 November 2017.

Russia's Rearmament Programme

CBP-7877 | 24 January 2017

Over the last decade Russia has been implementing an extensive rearmament programme. Its aims are considered to be ambitious within the context of Russia's economic situation and the status of its domestic military-industrial base. What has been achieved thus far, and is the rearmament programme likely to realise its aims by 2020?

Donald Trump on foreign and defence policy

CBP-7780 | 15 November 2016

With Donald Trump being elected President of the United States, this paper predicts the effect of his victory on US foreign policy.

NATO's military response to Russia: November 2016 update

CBP-7276 | 4 November 2016

To counter increased assertiveness by Russia along NATO's eastern flank, the alliance adopted its Readiness Action Plan in 2014. This briefing paper explains the main elements with a specific focus on the UK military contribution.

Russian foreign and security policy

CBP-7646 | 5 July 2016

How is Russian foreign policy made, and what are the motive forces behind it? How does that play out around the world and in Russian relations with the West?

UK relations with Russia 2016

CBP-7541 | 21 March 2016

The findings of the Litvinenko Inquiry put the spotlight on UK-Russian relations.

Ukraine – summary of developments in 2015 and 2016

CBP-7479 | 22 January 2016

Has Ukraine turned the corner?

Sanctions over the Ukraine conflict

SN-6951 | 11 March 2015

The EU announced broad economic sanctions against Russia on 29 July 2014 including restrictions on some Russian banks' ability to borrow money in EU financial markets, and an arms embargo.

Russia and the Council of Europe

SN-6953 | 5 March 2015

What has the Council of Europe done about Russia's poor human rights record or the alleged Russian action in Ukraine?

International help for the government of Ukraine

SN-7098 | 9 February 2015

Violence has been increasing in eastern Ukraine, leading to calls for the West to arm the Ukrainian government. But Ukraine is also close to financial meltdown.

Ukraine: towards a frozen conflict?

SN-6978 | 9 September 2014

The conflict in Ukraine has caused more than 3,000 deaths since it broke out in March 2014. The EU and the US have imposed sanctions and more are pending, while NATO has stepped up its presence in Eastern Europe. A stable solution may be elusive, however

Russia and Ukraine – update June 2014

SN-6923 | 25 June 2014

Ukraine is due to sign its agreement with the EU on 27 June; Russia's reaction is awaited.

Ukraine, Crimea and Russia

RP14-16 | 17 March 2014

In November 2013 the Ukrainian government decided not to sign a planned Association Agreement with the EU and demonstrations ensued in the capital Kiev. The 'Euromaidan' demonstrations turned violent in early 2014 and in February, some European foreign ministers mediated a compromise, involving a unity government and early elections.

2014 Ukraine crisis

SN-6834 | 24 February 2014

Ukrainian President Yanukovich has fled Kiev and his whereabouts is unknown. The opposition has appointed a new president, while Western nations are hurrying to prepare financial support since the Ukrainian economy is in difficulties. Western leaders fear Russian military intervention.

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Committee reports

[The Ukraine Effect: The impact of Russia's invasion of Ukraine on the UK-EU relationship](#), 1st Report of Session 2023–24, European Affairs Committee, HL Paper 48, 31 January 2024

[Guns for gold: the Wagner Network exposed](#), Seventh Report of Session 2022–23, Foreign Affairs Committee, HC 167 incorporating HC 1248, 26 July 2023

[The cost of complacency: illicit finance and the war in Ukraine: Government Response to the Committee's Second Report](#), Third Special Report of Session 2022–23, Foreign Affairs Committee, HC 688, 26 October 2022

[The cost of complacency: illicit finance and the war in Ukraine](#), Second Report of Session 2022–23, Foreign Affairs Committee, HC 168, 30 June 2022

[Defeating Putin: the development, implementation and impact of economic sanctions on Russia: Government Response to the Committee's Twelfth Report of Session 2021–22](#), First Special Report of Session 2022–23, Treasury Committee, HC 321, 9 June 2022

[Defeating Putin: the development, implementation and impact of economic sanctions on Russia](#), Twelfth Report of Session 2021–22, Treasury Committee, HC 1186, 23 March 2022

[Russia and Ukraine border tensions: Government Response to the Committee's First Report](#), Third Special Report of Session 2021–22, Defence Committee, HC 725, 23 September 2021

[Russia and Ukraine border tensions](#), First Report of Session 2021–22, Defence Committee, HC 167, 6 July 2021

[Government Response to the Intelligence and Security Committee of Parliament Report 'Russia'](#), The Prime Minister, CP 275, July 2020

[Russia](#), Intelligence and Security Committee of Parliament, HC 632, 21 July 2020

[The United Kingdom's relations with Russia: Government Response to the Committee's Seventh Report of Session 2016–17](#), First Special Report of Session 2017–19, Foreign Affairs Committee, HC 332, 21 September 2017

[The United Kingdom's relations with Russia](#), Seventh Report of Session 2016–17, Foreign Affairs Committee, HC 120, 2 March 2017

Russia: Implications for UK defence and security: Government Response to the Committee's First Report of Session 2016–17, Fourth Special Report of Session 2016–17, Defence Committee, HC 668, 15 September 2016

Russia: Implications for UK defence and security, First Report of Session 2016–17, Defence Committee, HC 107, 5 July 2016

The EU and Russia: before and beyond the crisis in Ukraine, 6th Report of Session 2014–15, European Union Committee (HL), HL Paper 115, 20 February 2015

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Ministerial statements

[Ukraine and Georgia](#)

16 May 2024 | House of Lords | 838 cc694-8

Lords statement on Russia's aggression relating to Ukraine and the situation in Georgia.

[Russia](#)

14 May 2024 | House of Lords | 838 cc520-9

Lords statement regarding measures that His Majesty's Government will take in response to the reckless and dangerous activities of the Russian Government across Europe and now suspected here in the UK.

[Russia](#)

08 May 2024 | House of Commons | 749 cc583-591

Statement on measures that His Majesty's Government will take in response to the reckless and dangerous activities of the Russian Government across Europe and now suspected here in the UK.

[Ukraine](#)

29 Feb 2024 | House of Lords | 836 cc1234-1246

Lords statement on Ukraine.

[Ukraine](#)

28 Feb 2024 | House of Lords | 836 cc1126-1136

Lords statement on the conflict in Ukraine.

[Ukraine](#)

28 Feb 2024 | House of Commons | 746 cc341-353

Statement on Ukraine.

[Ukraine](#)

22 Feb 2024 | House of Commons | 745 cc885-895

Statement on the conflict in Ukraine.

[UK Sanctions Strategy](#)

22 Feb 2024 | House of Commons | HCWS281

Written statement on HM Government's first sanctions strategy.

[Ukraine War Anniversary – Trade and Business Support](#)

22 Feb 2024 | House of Commons | HCWS282

Written statement on trade and business support to Ukraine.

Extending Trade Measures to support the Ukrainian Economy

08 Feb 2024 | House of Commons | HCWS252

Written statement on extending trade measures to support the Ukrainian economy.

UK Export Finance support for Ukraine

16 Jan 2024 | House of Commons | HCWS185

Written statement on UK Export Finance (UKEF) support for Ukraine.

Ukraine

19 Dec 2023 | House of Lords | 834 cc1020-1

Lords statement on the war in Ukraine.

Ukraine

28 Nov 2023 | House of Lords | 834 cc1025-9

Lords statement on the war in Ukraine.

UK Sanctions Regime: Russia and Belarus

14 Nov 2023 | House of Lords | 834 cc391-5

Lords statement on the effectiveness of the implementation of the UK sanctions regime against Russia and Belarus.

Treaty on Conventional Armed Forces in Europe

08 Nov 2023 | House of Commons | HCWS4

Written statement on Russia's withdrawal from the Treaty on Conventional Armed Forces in Europe (CFE).

War in Ukraine

25 Oct 2023 | House of Lords | 833 cc651-5

Lords statement on the war in Ukraine.

G20 Summit

12 Sep 2023 | House of Lords | 832 cc909-919

Lords statement on the G20 Summit in India.

G20 Summit

11 Sep 2023 | House of Commons | 737 cc681-697

Statement on the G20 Summit in India.

Military Support to Ukraine

20 Jul 2023 | House of Commons | HCWS987

Written statement on military support to Ukraine.

Defence Command Paper Refresh

19 Jul 2023 | House of Lords | 831 cc2427-2442

Lords statement on the publication of the refreshed Defence Command Paper.

[NATO Summit](#)

18 Jul 2023 | House of Lords | 831 cc2291-2304

Lords statement on the NATO summit in Vilnius.

[Defence Command Paper Refresh](#)

18 Jul 2023 | House of Commons | 736 cc785-805

Statement on the refreshed defence Command Paper.

[NATO Summit](#)

13 Jul 2023 | House of Commons | 736 cc492-508

Statement on the NATO summit in Vilnius.

[Situation in Russia and Ukraine Recovery Conference](#)

26 Jun 2023 | House of Lords | 831 cc546-560

Lords statement on the Ukraine recovery conference.

[Situation in Russia](#)

26 Jun 2023 | House of Commons | 735 cc37-51

Statement on the situation in Russia.

[Ukraine Recovery Conference](#)

22 Jun 2023 | House of Commons | 734 cc958-970

Statement on the Ukraine recovery conference.

[New Loan Guarantees to Support Ukraine](#)

21 Jun 2023 | House of Commons | HCWS873

Written statement on a Departmental Minute setting out details of a new liability undertaken by the FCDO.

[European Political Community](#)

19 Jun 2023 | House of Commons | HCWS856

Written statement on the European Political Community (EPC) summit in Chisinau, Moldova.

[Homes for Ukraine Scheme Update](#)

12 Jun 2023 | House of Commons | HCWS840

Written statement on the homes for Ukraine scheme.

[Trade Measures to Support the Moldovan Economy](#)

05 Jun 2023 | House of Commons | HCWS817

Written statement on trade measures to support the Moldovan economy.

[G7 Summit](#)

24 May 2023 | House of Lords | 830 cc924-936

Lords statement on the G7 summit in Japan.

[G7 Summit](#)

22 May 2023 | House of Commons | 733 cc23-40
Statement on the G7 summit in Japan.

[Ukraine](#)

15 May 2023 | House of Lords | 830 cc80-93
Lords statement on Russia's attacks on civilians and critical national infrastructure in Ukraine.

[Ukraine](#)

11 May 2023 | House of Commons | 732 cc471-485
Statement on Russia's attacks on civilians and critical national infrastructure in Ukraine.

[Ukraine](#)

02 May 2023 | House of Lords | 829 cc1404-7
Lords statement on the war in Ukraine.

[Vladimir Kara-Murza](#)

19 Apr 2023 | House of Lords | 829 cc737-740
Lords statement on the trial of Vladimir Kara-Murza.

[Office of Financial Sanctions Implementation update](#)

30 Mar 2023 | House of Commons | HCWS700
Written statement on an Office of Financial Sanctions Implementation update.

[UK-Ukraine Digital Trade Agreement – Signature](#)

20 Mar 2023 | House of Commons | HCWS647
Written statement on the signing of a Digital Trade Agreement (DTA) with Ukraine.

[New Loan Guarantees to Support Ukraine](#)

15 Mar 2023 | House of Commons | HCWS635
Written statement on new loan guarantees to support Ukraine.

[Integrated Review Refresh](#)

14 Mar 2023 | House of Lords | 828 cc1259-1272
Lords statement on the 2023 integrated review refresh.

[Integrated Review Refresh](#)

13 Mar 2023 | House of Commons | 729 cc539-559
Statement on the 2023 integrated review refresh.

[Trade Measures to support the Ukrainian Economy](#)

23 Feb 2023 | House of Commons | HCWS578
Written statement on trade measures to support Ukraine.

Wagner Group: Sanctions Regime

26 Jan 2023 | House of Lords | 827 cc325-9

Lords statement on reports that the UK Government assisted Wagner Group head Yevgeny Prigozhin in circumventing the UK sanctions regime.

Ukraine Update

26 Jan 2023 | House of Commons | 726 cc1199-1210

Statement on Ukraine.

Ukraine: Update

19 Jan 2023 | House of Lords | 826 cc1978-1992

Lords statement on the situation in Ukraine.

Ukraine: Update

16 Jan 2023 | House of Commons | 726 cc34-51

Statement on the situation in Ukraine.

Ukraine

21 Dec 2022 | House of Lords | 826 cc1191-1203

Lords statement on Ukraine.

Ukraine

20 Dec 2022 | House of Commons | 725 cc153-171

Statement on Ukraine.

Homes for Ukraine Scheme: Update

14 Dec 2022 | House of Commons | HCWS447

Written statement on the Homes for Ukraine scheme.

G20

17 Nov 2022 | House of Lords | 825 cc1077-1090

Lords statement on the G20 summit in Indonesia.

Missile Incident in Poland

17 Nov 2022 | House of Lords | 825 cc990-9

Lords statement on the missile strike in Poland overnight.

G20

17 Nov 2022 | House of Commons | 722 cc825-843

Statement on the G20 summit in Indonesia.

Missile Incident in Poland

16 Nov 2022 | House of Commons | 722 cc685-697

Statement on the missile strike in Poland overnight.

Ukraine

01 Nov 2022 | House of Lords | 825 cc126-139

Lords statement on the situation in Ukraine.

[Ukraine](#)

31 Oct 2022 | House of Commons | 721 cc621-636

Statement on the situation in Ukraine.

[Ukraine](#)

20 Oct 2022 | House of Lords | 824 cc1265-1274

Lords statement on the ongoing conflict in Ukraine.

[Ukraine Update](#)

20 Oct 2022 | House of Commons | 720 cc858-873

Statement on the ongoing conflict in Ukraine.

[Ukraine](#)

12 Oct 2022 | House of Lords | 824 cc785-9

Lords Statement on the Government policy to deter and, if required, respond to the use of nuclear weapons by President Putin.

[Ukraine Update](#)

05 Sep 2022 | House of Lords | 824 cc72-84

Lords statement on progress in Ukraine and UK support to date.

[Ukraine Update](#)

05 Sep 2022 | House of Commons | 719 cc26-43

Statement on progress in Ukraine.

[Military Support to Ukraine](#)

21 Jul 2022 | House of Commons | HCWS259

Written statement on an update of equipment that the UK is providing to the armed forces of Ukraine.

[NATO Accession: Sweden and Finland](#)

07 Jul 2022 | House of Lords | 823 cc1142-1152

Lords statement on support for Sweden and Finland's accession to NATO.

[Continued Support to Ukraine](#)

05 Jul 2022 | House of Commons | HCWS182

Written statement outlining further details on the UK-led training programme of Ukrainian armed forces announce by the Prime Minister on his recent visit to Kyiv.

[UK-Ukraine Infrastructure Summit](#)

22 Jun 2022 | House of Commons | HCWS124

Written statement on the outcomes of the UK-Ukraine Infrastructure Summit held in London on Friday 17 June 2022.

[Homes for Ukraine: Update](#)

22 Jun 2022 | House of Commons | HCWS123

Written statement on the Homes for Ukraine scheme.

Ukraine: UK and NATO Military Commitment

21 Jun 2022 | House of Lords | 823 cc198-202

Lords statement on the UK's and NATO's military commitment to Ukraine.

Ukraine Update

16 Jun 2022 | House of Commons | 716 cc451-460

Statement on support for Ukraine.

Contingent Liability Notification: Ukraine Guarantee

06 Jun 2022 | House of Commons | HCWS74

Written statement describing a liability the Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office (FCDO) are undertaking to support the economic stability of Ukraine.

Ukraine: UK Military Support

11 May 2022 | House of Lords | 822 cc23-7

Lords statement on UK military support to Ukraine.

Homes for Ukraine: Visa Application Centres

28 Apr 2022 | House of Lords | 821 cc375-9

Lords statement on the working of the visa application centres in relation to the Homes for Ukraine scheme.

Ukraine Update

27 Apr 2022 | House of Lords | 821 cc339-358

Lords statement on the current situation and the steps being taken to further Government support for the Ukrainian people.

Ukraine Update

25 Apr 2022 | House of Commons | 712 cc461-478

Statement on the current situation and the steps that we are taking to further Government support for the Ukrainian people.

Ukraine: Rape as a Weapon of War

01 Apr 2022 | House of Lords | 820 cc1783-7

Lords statement on Ukraine with particular reference to the use of rape as a weapon of war.

Homes for Ukraine Scheme

31 Mar 2022 | House of Lords | 820 cc1777-1782

Lords statement on the Homes for Ukraine scheme.

Ukraine Refugee Visas

31 Mar 2022 | House of Lords | 820 cc1773-7

Lords statement on visas for Ukrainian refugees.

[Contingent Liability Notification: Ukraine Guarantee](#)

31 Mar 2022 | House of Commons | HCWS751

Statement on a departmental Minute which describes a liability the Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office (FCDO) are undertaking to support the economic stability of Ukraine after the Russian invasion in March 2022.

[Ukraine](#)

30 Mar 2022 | House of Lords | 820 cc1626-1639

Lords statement on the NATO and G7 leaders' meetings in Brussels last week.

[Statement of Changes in Immigration Rules](#)

29 Mar 2022 | House of Commons | HCWS736

Statement of Changes in Immigration Rules.

[Speaker's Statement](#)

28 Mar 2022 | House of Commons | 711 c541

Speaker's statement on letter received from the Speaker of the Ukraine Parliament.

[Ukraine](#)

28 Mar 2022 | House of Commons | 711 cc591-607

Statement on the NATO and G7 leaders' meetings in Brussels last week.

[Speaker's Statement](#)

17 Mar 2022 | House of Commons | 710 cc1039-1040

Speaker's statement on meetings with the Ukraine Parliament.

[UK suspension of exchange of tax information with Russia and Belarus](#)

17 Mar 2022 | House of Commons | HCWS697

Statement on UK suspension of tax information with Russia and Belarus

[UKEF Update](#)

15 Mar 2022 | House of Commons | HCWS678

Statement on UKEF support to Ukraine.

[Home Office Visas for Ukrainians](#)

10 Mar 2022 | House of Lords | 819 cc1596-1601

Lords statement on refugees from Ukraine.

[Ukraine Update](#)

10 Mar 2022 | House of Lords | 819 cc1584-1596

Lords statement on the situation in Ukraine and Her Majesty's Government's support to the Government in Kyiv.

[Ukraine: Urgent Refugee Applications](#)

09 Mar 2022 | House of Lords | 819 cc1429-1433

Lords statement on Ukrainian urgent refugee applications.

[Addendum](#)

08 Mar 2022 | Speaker's statements | 710 cc303-4

Address by President Zelensky of Ukraine to Members of the House of Commons.

[Russia's Attack on Ukraine](#)

03 Mar 2022 | House of Commons | 709 cc1195-1210

Statement on culture as the third front in the Ukrainian war.

[Ukraine](#)

02 Mar 2022 | House of Lords | 819 cc890-906

Lords statement on Ukraine.

[Sanctions](#)

01 Mar 2022 | House of Lords | 819 cc682-697

Lords statement on support for Ukraine.

[Ukraine](#)

01 Mar 2022 | House of Commons | 709 cc915-944

Statement on Ukraine.

[Economic Crime \(Transparency and Enforcement\) Bill](#)

01 Mar 2022 | House of Commons | HCWS653

Statement on introducing the Economic Crime (Transparency and Enforcement) Bill.

[Sanctions](#)

28 Feb 2022 | House of Commons | 709 cc709-734

Statement on support for Ukraine.

[Speaker's Statement](#)

28 Feb 2022 | House of Commons | 709 c685

Statement on the withdrawal of an invitation to the Russian ambassador to address the APPG on Russia, the suspension of the Russian Federation's right of representation in the Council of Europe, and further events in the House in support of Ukraine.

[Ukraine](#)

24 Feb 2022 | House of Commons | 709 cc563-589

Statement on Ukraine.

[Ukraine](#)

22 Feb 2022 | House of Commons | 709 cc173-197

Statement on the situation in Ukraine.

[[Clarification](#), 23 Feb 2022 | HCWS627]

Ukraine

21 Feb 2022 | House of Commons | 709 cc23-42

Statement on Russia's actions towards Ukraine.

Ukraine Update

10 Feb 2022 | House of Commons | HCWS608

Statement on the package of defensive weapons the UK is sending to Ukraine.

Russia: Sanctions

31 Jan 2022 | House of Commons | 708 cc55-69

Statement on tackling Russia's aggression against Ukraine.

Ukraine

25 Jan 2022 | House of Commons | 707 cc861-879

Statement on the United Kingdom's response to the situation in Ukraine.

Ukraine

17 Jan 2022 | House of Commons | 707 cc59-74

Statement on the situation in Ukraine.

Russia

06 Jan 2022 | House of Commons | 706 cc169-184

Statement on what the government are doing to tackle Russia's actions towards Ukraine.

Exercises in the Black Sea

24 Jun 2021 | House of Commons | HCWS122

Statement on the passage of Royal Navy warships through Ukrainian territorial waters.

Armed Forces Training Update

04 Nov 2019 | House of Commons | HCWS84

Statement on the UK's military training mission in Ukraine: Operation Orbital.

NATO's Enhanced Forward Presence

28 Mar 2017 | House of Commons | HCWS563

Statement on the UK's contribution to NATO's Enhanced Forward Presence in the Baltic States and Poland.

Ukraine: Update

18 Jan 2016 | House of Commons | HCWS471

Statement describing a further gifting package which the UK intends to make to the Government of Ukraine.

Ministry of Defence Support to Ukraine

19 Nov 2015 | House of Commons | HCWS317

Statement concerning a further gifting package which the UK intends to make to the Government of Ukraine.

Ukraine: Operation Orbital

12 Oct 2015 | House of Commons | HCWS218

Statement updating the House on the UK's support for the Ukrainian armed forces.

Ministry of Defence Support to Ukraine

06 Mar 2015 | House of Commons | HCWS354

Statement describing a gifting package which the UK intends to make to the Government of Ukraine.

Ukraine

25 Feb 2015 | House of Lords | 759 cc1653-7

Lords statement on the deployment of UK personnel to train Ukrainian forces.

Ukraine

10 Feb 2015 | House of Commons | 592 cc616-633

Statement on the situation in Ukraine.

Ukraine

18 Nov 2014 | House of Lords | 757 cc16-8WS

Statement describing a gifting package which the UK intends to make to the Government of Ukraine.

Gifting of Non-lethal Equipment to Ukraine

17 Oct 2014 | House of Commons | 586 cc53-4WS

Statement describing a gifting package which the UK intends to make to the Government of Ukraine.

Ukraine (Flight MH17) and Gaza

21 Jul 2014 | House of Commons | 584 cc1148-1184

Statement on the loss of Malaysia Airlines flight MH17 and the ongoing crisis in Israel and Gaza.

EU-Ukraine Association Agreement

26 Jun 2014 | House of Commons | 583 cc28-9WS

Statement on the EU-Ukraine Association Agreement.

Ukraine

13 May 2014 | House of Commons | 580 cc574-590

Statement on recent events in Ukraine.

Ukraine

28 Apr 2014 | House of Commons | 579 cc536-554

Statement on the crisis in Ukraine.

Ukraine

04 Mar 2014 | House of Commons | 576 cc754-780

Statement on the situation in Ukraine.

Ukraine, Syria and Iran

24 Feb 2014 | House of Commons | 576 cc123-46

Statement on the situation in Ukraine and Syria and on relations with Iran.

Ukraine

30 Jan 2014 | House of Commons | 574 cc43-4WS

Statement on the situation in Ukraine and the UK Government's response.

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Urgent Questions

[Ukraine and Georgia](#)

15 May 2024 | 750 cc259-268

Urgent question on Russia's aggression relating to Ukraine and the situation in Georgia.

[Ukraine: Military Equipment](#)

27 Feb 2024 | 746 cc135-146

Urgent question on international supplies of military equipment and ammunition to Ukraine.

[Ukraine](#)

19 Dec 2023 | 742 cc1253-1263

Urgent question on the war in Ukraine.

[Ukraine](#)

28 Nov 2023 | 741 cc701-711

Urgent question on the war in Ukraine.

[UK Sanctions Regime: Russia and Belarus](#)

9 Nov 2023 | 740 cc250-253

Urgent question on the effectiveness of the implementation of the UK sanctions regime against Russia and Belarus.

[War in Ukraine](#)

24 Oct 2023 | 738 cc731-742

Urgent question on the war in Ukraine.

[Ukraine](#)

27 Apr 2023 | 731 cc930-940

Urgent question on the war in Ukraine.

[Vladimir Kara-Murza](#)

17 Apr 2023 | 731 cc33-41

Urgent question on the trial of Vladimir Kara-Murza.

[Wagner Group: Sanctions Regime](#)

25 Jan 2023 | 726 cc1013-1025

Urgent question on reports that the UK Government assisted Wagner Group head Yevgeny Prigozhin in circumventing the UK sanctions regime.

[Ukraine](#)

11 Oct 2022 | 720 cc23-35

Urgent question on the Government policy to deter and, if required, respond to the use of nuclear weapons by President Putin.

[Ukraine: UK and NATO Military Commitment](#)

20 Jun 2022 | 716 cc555-566

Urgent question on the UK's and NATO's military commitment to Ukraine.

[Ukraine: UK Military Support](#)

11 May 2022 | 714 cc131-140

Urgent question on UK military support to Ukraine.

[Homes for Ukraine: Visa Application Centres](#)

28 Apr 2022 | 712 cc871-883

Urgent question on the working of the visa application centres in relation to the Homes for Ukraine scheme.

[Homes for Ukraine Scheme](#)

31 Mar 2022 | 711 cc1009-1017

Urgent question on the Homes for Ukraine scheme.

[Ukraine Refugee Visas](#)

31 Mar 2022 | 711 cc997-1009

Urgent question on visas for Ukrainian refugees.

[Rape as a Weapon of War in Ukraine](#)

31 Mar 2022 | 711 cc987-997

Urgent question on Ukraine with particular reference to the use of rape as a weapon of war.

[Refugees from Ukraine](#)

10 Mar 2022 | 710 cc466-485

Urgent question on refugees from Ukraine.

[Ukraine: Urgent Refugee Applications](#)

08 Mar 2022 | 710 cc197-217

Urgent question on Ukrainian urgent refugee applications.

[Ukraine](#)

25 Feb 2022 | 709 cc619-634

Urgent question military situation in Ukraine.

[Russia Sanctions Legislation](#)

10 Feb 2022 | 708 cc1087-1094

Urgent question on the status of Russian sanctions legislation the Government said would be put in place by 10 February.

Ukraine

07 Dec 2021 | 705 cc187-198

Urgent question on the situation in Ukraine.

Ukraine-Russia Relations

27 Nov 2018 | 650 cc157-170

Urgent question on Russian action in the sea of Azov and the subsequent declaration of martial law in parts of Ukraine.

Service Personnel (Ukraine)

25 Feb 2015 | 593 cc320-330

Urgent question on the deployment of UK personnel to train Ukrainian forces.

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Parliamentary debates

[Russia \(Sanctions\) \(EU Exit\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2024](#)

19 Mar 2024 | House of Lords | 837 cc48-56GC

Lords motion to consider. Agreed to on question.

[Russia \(Sanctions\) \(EU Exit\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2024](#)

14 Mar 2024 | Committee proceedings - Debates on delegated legislation - Delegated Legislation Committee proceedings | House of Commons

Motion to consider. Agreed to on question.

[Homes for Ukraine Scheme: Potential Extension](#)

06 Feb 2024 | House of Commons | 745 cc27-50WH

Motion that this House has considered the potential merits of extending the Homes for Ukraine

[Ukraine](#)

26 Jan 2024 | House of Lords | 835 cc929-988

Lords motion to take note of the situation in Ukraine. Agreed to on question.

[Russia \(Sanctions\) \(EU Exit\) \(Amendment\) \(No. 4\) Regulations 2023](#)

23 Jan 2024 | House of Lords | 835 cc185-192GC

Lords motion to consider. Agreed to on question.

[Dementia Services in Ukraine](#)

10 Jan 2024 | House of Commons | 743 cc135-142WH

Motion that this House has considered the potential merits of UK support for dementia services in Ukraine. Agreed to on question.

[Ukrainian Holodomor](#)

23 Nov 2023 | House of Lords | 834 cc887-904

Lords motion to take note of the case for recognising the Ukrainian Holodomor as a genocide. Agreed to on question.

[Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe](#)

17 Oct 2023 | House of Lords | 833 cc152-164

Lords question for short debate on what assessment they have made of the current state of the Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe; and what steps they are taking to secure its future.

[Ukraine](#)

21 Sep 2023 | House of Lords | 832 cc1564-1623

Lords motion to take note of the situation in Ukraine. Agreed to on question.

[Ukraine](#)

11 Sep 2023 | House of Commons | 737 cc698-745

Motion that this House has considered the situation in Ukraine. Agreed to on question.

[Russia \(Sanctions\) \(EU Exit\) \(Amendment\) \(No. 3\) Regulations 2023](#)

19 Jul 2023 | House of Lords | 831 cc314-321GC

Lords motion to consider. Agreed to on question.

[Sanctions](#)

19 Jul 2023 | House of Commons | 736 cc945-956

Motion that the Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) (Amendment) (No. 3) Regulations 2023 (SI, 2023, No. 713), dated 27 June, a copy of which was laid before this House on 29 June, be approved. Agreed to on question.

[Illicit Finance: War in Ukraine](#)

13 Jul 2023 | House of Commons | 736 cc549-571

Motion that this House notes the Second Report of the Foreign Affairs Committee, “The cost of complacency: illicit finance and the war in Ukraine”, HC 168, and the other work by Committees of this House on the war in Ukraine.

[NATO Summit: Vilnius](#)

06 Jul 2023 | House of Commons | 735 cc403-424WH

Motion that this House has considered the NATO Parliamentary Assembly and NATO Summit 2023 in Vilnius. Agreed to on question.

[Russia \(Sanctions\) \(EU Exit\) \(Amendment\) \(No. 2\) Regulations 2023](#)

05 Jul 2023 | House of Lords | 831 cc145-150GC

Lords motion to consider. Agreed to on question.

[Republic of Belarus \(Sanctions\) \(EU Exit\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2023](#)

28 Jun 2023 | House of Lords | 831 cc81-9GC

Lords motion to consider. Agreed to on question.

[Repurposing Russian Assets to Rebuild Ukraine](#)

27 Jun 2023 | House of Commons | 735 cc218-251

Motion that this House condemns Russia’s illegal invasion of Ukraine and commends the recent commitments made by the Government to support Ukraine’s recovery during the Ukraine Recovery Conference 2023.

[Ukrainian Holodomor](#)

25 May 2023 | House of Commons | 733 cc504-520

Motion that this House believes that the Holodomor was a genocide against the Ukrainian people.

Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) (Amendment) Regulations 2023

16 May 2023 | House of Lords | 830 cc7-15GC

Lords motion to consider. Agreed to on question.

Ukraine: Special Tribunal

09 May 2023 | House of Commons | 732 cc103-119WH

Motion that this House has considered the potential merits of a special tribunal on **Ukraine**. Agreed

Russian Assets: Seizure

14 Mar 2023 | House of Commons | 729 cc773-802

Motion calling on the Government to lay before Parliament proposals for the seizure of Russian state assets with the purpose of using such assets to provide support for Ukraine.

Ukrainian Refugees: Homelessness

14 Mar 2023 | House of Commons | 729 cc756-773

Motion that this House calls upon His Majesty's Government to support Ukrainian refugees living in the United Kingdom, to prevent homelessness amongst this group where possible and ensure it is brief, rare and non-recurrent where it cannot be avoided; and urges His Majesty's Government to work with partner organisations and local authorities to ensure refugees facing and experiencing homelessness are supported during their time living in the UK. Agreed to on question.

Ukrainian Holodomor and the War in Ukraine

07 Mar 2023 | House of Commons | 729 cc75-90WH

Motion that this House has considered the Ukrainian Holodomor and the war in **Ukraine**. Agreed

Homes for Ukraine Scheme Anniversary

01 Mar 2023 | House of Commons | 728 cc317-335WH

Motion that this House has considered the anniversary of the Homes for Ukraine scheme. Agreed

Ukraine

20 Feb 2023 | House of Commons | 728 cc57-97

Motion that this House has considered the situation in Ukraine. Agreed to on question.

Ukraine

09 Feb 2023 | House of Lords | 827 cc1352-1429

Lords motion to take note of the situation in Ukraine. Agreed to on question.

[Seizure of Russian State Assets and Support for Ukraine](#)

07 Feb 2023 | House of Commons | 727 cc795-9

Ten minute rule motion for leave to bring in a Bill. Agreed to on question. Presentation and first reading (Bill 245). To be read a second time on 24 February.

[Russia's Grand Strategy](#)

19 Jan 2023 | House of Commons | 726 cc585-630

Motion that this House has considered the matter of Russia's grand strategy. Agreed to on question.

[Ukraine: Tactical Nuclear Weapons](#)

01 Dec 2022 | House of Lords | 825 cc1948-1980

Lords motion to take note of the war in Ukraine, including the threatened use of tactical nuclear weapons. Agreed to on question.

[War in Ukraine: Illicit Finance](#)

17 Nov 2022 | House of Commons | 722 cc335-380WH

Motion that this House has considered the second report of the Foreign Affairs Committee, The cost of complacency: illicit finance and the war in Ukraine, HC 169, and the Government response, HC 688.

[Ukraine](#)

14 Nov 2022 | House of Commons | 722 cc452-487

Motion that this House has considered the situation in Ukraine.

[Russia \(Sanctions\) \(EU Exit\) \(Amendment\) \(No. 11\) Regulations 2022](#)

12 Oct 2022 | House of Lords | 824 cc837-850GC

Lords motion to approve, considered with Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) (Amendment) (No. 12) Regulations 2022, the Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) (Amendment) (No. 13) Regulations 2022, and the Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) (Amendment) (No. 14) Regulations 2022. Agreed to on question.

[Ukraine](#)

22 Sep 2022 | House of Commons | 719 cc854-915

Motion that this House has considered the situation in Ukraine. Agreed to on question.

[Food Insecurity in Developing Countries due to Blockade of Ukrainian Ports](#)

21 Jul 2022 | House of Lords | 823 cc2052-2097

Lords motion to take note of (1) the impact of the Russian blockade of Ukrainian ports on food insecurity in developing countries, and (2) its contribution to the danger of famine in (a) the Horn of Africa, and (b) East Africa. Agreed to on question.

War in Ukraine: UK Farming and Food Production

20 Jul 2022 | House of Commons | 718 cc299-319WH

Motion that this House has considered the effect of the war in Ukraine on UK farming and food production. Agreed to on question.

Ukraine Refugees: Mothers and Dependent Children Arriving in the UK

07 Jul 2022 | House of Lords | 823 cc318-336GC

Lords question for short debate on what assessment the Government have made of the needs of mothers and dependent children arriving from Ukraine as refugees, particularly regarding their (1) welfare, (2) subsistence, (3) safety, (3) health, (4) schooling, and (5) path towards self-reliance.

Homes for Ukraine: Child Refugees

22 Jun 2022 | House of Commons | 716 cc341-364WH

Motion that this House has considered the Homes for Ukraine scheme and child refugees. Agreed to on question.

Ukraine: Defence Relationships

09 Jun 2022 | House of Lords | 822 cc1249-1291

Lords motion to take note of (1) the impact of the conflict in Ukraine, (2) the implications for the Integrated Defence Review, and (3) the case for the United Kingdom strengthening (a) its relationships with the European Union and other European allies, and (b) its commitment to NATO. Agreed to on question.

Ukraine

25 May 2022 | House of Commons | 715 cc343-389

Motion that this House has considered Ukraine. Agreed to on question.

Georgia and the War in Ukraine

24 May 2022 | House of Commons | 715 cc99-114WH

Motion, That this House has considered Georgia and the war in Ukraine. Agreed to on question. Sitting adjourned without Question put.

Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) (Amendment) (No. 9) Regulations 2022

23 May 2022 | House of Lords | 822 cc29-37GC

Lords motion to consider. Agreed to on question.

Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) (Amendment) (No. 7) Regulations 2022

28 Apr 2022 | House of Lords | 821 cc373-5

Lords motion to approve. Agreed to on question.

Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) (Amendment) (No. 7) Regulations 2022

26 Apr 2022 | House of Lords | 821 cc35-46GC

Lords motions to consider. Agreed to on question.

Ukraine

26 Apr 2022 | House of Commons | 712 cc689-707

Motion, That this House has considered the situation in Ukraine. Agreed to on question. (Part 2 of 2.)

Ukraine

26 Apr 2022 | House of Commons | 712 cc469-520

Motion, That this House has considered the situation in Ukraine. Debate adjourned. (Part 1 of 2.)

Ukraine: Refugees

06 Apr 2022 | House of Lords | 820 cc295-326GC

Lords motion to take note of Her Majesty's Government's plans to support refugees from Ukraine. Agreed to on question.

Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) (Amendment) (No. 4) Regulations

22 Mar 2022 | House of Lords Grand Committee | 820 cc131-143GC

Lords motion to consider. Agreed to on question.

Ukraine

15 Mar 2022 | House of Commons | 710 cc797-862

Motion that this House has considered the situation in Ukraine.

Ukrainian Refugees

14 Mar 2022 | House of Commons | 710 cc191-232WH

Motion that this House has considered e-petition 609530 relating to arrangements for Ukrainian refugees to enter the UK. Sitting adjourned without Question put.

Economic Crime (Transparency and Enforcement) Bill

14 Mar 2022 | House of Lords | 820 cc34-112

Lords committee stage. Clauses 1 to 65 agreed to. Schedules 1 to 5 agreed to. Bill reported without amendment.

Economic Crime (Transparency and Enforcement) Bill

09 Mar 2022 | House of Lords | 819 cc1483-1539

Lords second reading. Agreed to on question. Committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

Economic Crime (Transparency and Enforcement) Bill

07 Mar 2022 | House of Commons | 710 cc24-81

Allocation of time motion. Second reading. Agreed to on question. Bill committed to a Committee of the Whole House. Further proceedings postponed. Money resolution. Queen's consent signified. Agreed to on question.

Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022

03 Mar 2022 | House of Lords | 819 cc991-1008

Lords motion to approve. Agreed to on question.

Support for Ukraine and Countering Threats from Russia

02 Mar 2022 | House of Commons | 709 cc1097-1144

Fourteenth Opposition Day debate (part two). Motion that this House condemns Russia's illegal invasion of Ukraine; stands in solidarity with Ukrainians in their resistance to Russia's invasion of their sovereign state; supports the UK providing further defensive military, humanitarian and other assistance to Ukraine; recognises the importance of international unity against Russian state aggression; and calls on the Government to ensure that the United Kingdom's NATO defence and security obligations are fulfilled to counter the threats from Russia. Agreed to on question.

Sanctions

01 Mar 2022 | House of Commons | 709 cc991-3

Motion, That the Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 (SI, 2022, No. 194), and the Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) (Amendment) (No. 3) Regulations 2022 (SI, 2022, No. 195), both dated 28 February 2022, copies of which were laid before this House on 28 February, be approved. Agreed to on question.

Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) (Amendment) Regulations 2022

24 Feb 2022 | House of Lords | 819 cc349-365

Lords motion to approve. Amendment to regret debated and withdrawn. Original motion agreed to on question.

Relationship with Russia and China

24 Feb 2022 | House of Commons | 709 cc503-533

Motion that this House calls on the Government to develop separate but aligned cross-Government strategies for both Russia and China; and further calls on the Government to support the international order, working with allies across the globe to develop an approach to Russia and China that, whilst recognising their separate legitimate interests, ensures a robust defence of both UK interests and democratic values. Agreed to on question.

Countering Russian Aggression and Tackling Illicit Finance

23 Feb 2022 | House of Commons | 709 cc327-377

Thirteenth Opposition day debate (part one). Motion that this House expresses solidarity with the people of Ukraine, and supports their sovereignty and Ukraine's territorial integrity; condemns Russian aggression and emphasises the UK's commitment to NATO; resolves to end illicit finance that rewards and sustains the Putin regime in Russia; calls on the Government to introduce an Economic Crime Bill, an Overseas Entities Bill and a register of beneficial ownership by the end of March 2022; and further calls on the Foreign Secretary to make a statement to this House on the implementation

of the recommendations of the Intelligence and Security Committee's Russia Report, HC 632, published on 21 July 2020. Agreed to on question.

Sanctions

22 Feb 2022 | House of Commons | 709 c292

Motion, That the Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (SI, 2022, No. 123), dated 10 February 2022, a copy of which was laid before this House on 10 February, be approved. Agreed to on question.

Russia's Grand Strategy

06 Jan 2022 | House of Commons | 706 cc204-251

Motion that this House has considered Russia's grand strategy. Motion lapsed.

Ukrainian NATO Membership

08 Dec 2021 | House of Commons | 705 cc101-121WH

Motion that this House has considered British support for Ukraine's membership of NATO. Agreed.

Ukraine

17 May 2021 | House of Commons | 695 cc512-520

Agreed to on question.

Nord Stream 2 Pipeline

10 Mar 2021 | House of Commons | 690 cc1386-978

Agreed to on question.

Russian Annexation of Crimea

24 Apr 2019 | House of Commons | 658 cc289-310WH

Motion that this House has considered the Russian annexation of Crimea. Agreed to on question.

Ukraine

17 Dec 2018 | House of Lords | 794 cc135-152GC

Lords question for short debate on what assessment they have made of the current situation in Ukraine.

Russia and the Council of Europe

18 Jul 2018 | House of Commons | 645 cc101-123WH

Motion, that this House has considered Russia and the Council of Europe. Agreed to on question.

Nord Stream 2

17 Jul 2018 | House of Commons | 645 cc88-100WH

That this House has considered Nord Stream 2. Sitting suspended without Question put (Standing Order no. 10(14)).

Russia

29 Jan 2018 | House of Lords | 788 cc1345-1370

Lords question for short debate on what is the UK Government's current strategy towards relations with Russia.

Ukraine

20 Dec 2017 | House of Commons | 633 cc369-392WH

Motion that this House has considered the situation in Ukraine. Motion lapsed.

Ukrainian Holodomor

07 Nov 2017 | House of Commons | 630 cc543-560WH

Motion that this House has considered the Ukrainian Holodomor. Agreed to on question.

Organisation for Security and Co-operation in Europe

30 Mar 2017 | House of Lords | 782 cc81-96GC

Lords question for short debate on what assessment they have made of the future role of the Organisation for Security and Co-operation in Europe, in the light of the continued conflict in the east of Ukraine and the annexation of Crimea by the Russian Federation.

Anglo-Russian Relations

04 May 2016 | House of Commons | 609 cc140-155WH

Motion that this House has considered Anglo-Russian relations. Agreed to on question. Sitting adjourned without Question put.

EU and Russia (EUC Report)

24 Mar 2015 | House of Lords | 760 cc1322-1385

Lords motion to take note of the report of the European Union Committee on The EU and Russia: before and beyond the crisis in Ukraine (HL 115). Agreed to on question.

Russian Membership of the Council of Europe

11 Mar 2015 | House of Commons | 594 cc65-86WH

Adjournment debate on Russian membership of the Council of Europe.

Ukraine (UK Relations with Russia)

11 Dec 2014 | House of Commons | 589 cc1054-1086

Sixteenth backbench debate (part two). Motion that this House has considered Ukraine and UK

Russia

16 Oct 2014 | House of Lords | 756 cc306-342

Lords motion to take note of the role of Russia and the states of the former Soviet Union in upholding international law and democratic principles. Agreed to on question.

Ukraine, Middle East, North Africa and Security

10 Sep 2014 | House of Commons | 585 cc912-1012

Motion that this House has considered Ukraine, Middle East, North Africa and security. Agreed

Ukraine

03 Apr 2014 | House of Lords | 753 cc308-323GC

Lords question for short debate on what is their assessment of the political situation in Ukraine.

Ukraine

18 Mar 2014 | House of Lords | 753 cc99-154

Lords motion to take note of the situation in Ukraine. Agreed to on question.

Ukraine

18 Mar 2014 | House of Commons | 577 cc649-700

Motion to consider. Agreed to on question.

6 UK Government press releases

6.1 Recent press releases

A full list of press releases related to the conflict in Ukraine (from November 2021 to present) is available in the dedicated page on gov.uk: [Russian invasion of Ukraine: UK government response](#)

The UK Government also has a dedicated page bringing together a collection of material on UK sanctions against Russia: [UK sanctions following Russia's invasion of Ukraine](#)

6.2 Historical press releases

[Russian aggression against Ukraine: UK response to OSCE](#)

8 July 2021

Ambassador Neil Bush responds to Ambassadors Çevik and Grau and discusses OSCE's efforts in response to Russia's ongoing aggression against Ukraine.

[UK signs agreement to support enhancement of Ukrainian naval capabilities](#)

23 June 2021

In a trilateral agreement signed onboard HMS Defender, which was in Odesa as part of the Carrier Strike Group deployment, the UK, Ukraine and industry will collaborate to boost Ukraine's naval capabilities.

[Calling on Russia to immediately cease its aggression against Ukraine and end its occupation of Crimea](#)

2 June 2021

Joint Statement Following Russia's Informal Arria-formula Meeting on Ukraine.

[Russia's ongoing violations of human rights in illegally annexed Crimea, Ukraine: UK statement](#)

20 May 2021

Ms. Nicola Murray, Deputy Head of the UK Delegation to the OSCE, condemns ongoing human rights violations, including the persecution of Crimean Tatars, in illegally annexed Crimea.

Ukraine: G7 Foreign Ministers' statement

12 April 2021

A statement from the Foreign Ministers of Canada, France, Germany, Italy, Japan, the United Kingdom, the United States of America and the High Representative of the European Union.

PM call with President Zelenskyy

5 April 2021

Prime Minister Boris Johnson spoke to the President of Ukraine, Volodymyr Zelenskyy, this evening.

Ukraine: G7 foreign ministers' statement

18 March 2021

The foreign ministers of G7 countries unite to condemn Russia's continued actions to undermine Ukraine's sovereignty, territorial integrity and independence.

Defending the sovereignty and territorial integrity of Ukraine

17 March 2021

Joint Statement Following Russia's Arria-formula Meeting on the Situation in Crimea.

Seventh anniversary of Russia's illegal annexation of Crimea: UK statement

4 March 2021

Ambassador Neil Bush speaks about Russia's illegal annexation of Crimea in 2014 at the OSCE Permanent Council.

Urging unwavering support for Ukraine's sovereignty

23 February 2021

Statement by Ambassador Jonathan Allen at the General Assembly debate on the situation in the temporarily occupied territories of Ukraine.

Foreign Secretary reaffirms UK's solidarity with Ukraine on seventh anniversary of illegal annexation of Crimea

20 February 2021

The UK will remain at the forefront of international efforts to end Russia's illegitimate control of the Crimean peninsula.

Respecting Ukraine's independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity

11 February 2021

Statement by Ambassador Barbara Woodward at the Security Council briefing on the Minsk Agreement.

Russia's ongoing aggression against Ukraine and illegal annexation of Crimea: UK statement

10 December 2020

Delivered by Ambassador Neil Bush at the OSCE Permanent Council.

[Joint Press Statement on Ukraine](#)

2 December 2020

Joint Press Statement on Ukraine by the United Kingdom, United States and Estonian Missions to the UN.

[PM reaffirms the UK's staunch commitment to Ukraine's sovereignty](#)

8 October 2020

PM Boris Johnson and Ukrainian President Volodymyr Zelenskyy will sign a landmark Strategic Partnership Agreement which paves the way for stronger cooperation between the UK and Ukraine.

[Defence Secretary welcomes Ukraine receiving NATO Enhanced Opportunity Partner status](#)

12 June 2020

Ukraine has been granted increased access to opportunities that will help maintain and deepen cooperation between Allies and partners.

[Standing behind Ukraine and supporting Ukrainian sovereignty](#)

20 February 2020

Statement by Mungo Woodfield at the UN General Assembly.

[Supporting Ukraine's independence](#)

18 February 2020

Statement by Ambassador Karen Pierce, UK Permanent Representative to the UN, at the Security Council briefing on Ukraine.

[UK statement on Russia's ongoing aggression against Ukraine](#)

5 February 2020

Delivered by Graham Townsend, Senior Military Adviser of the UK Delegation to the OSCE, at the OSCE Forum for Security Cooperation.

[PM call with President Zelenskyy](#)

22 August 2019

Prime Minister Boris Johnson had a call with Ukraine's President Zelenskyy.

[Russia's aggressive tactics in the face of Ukraine's work towards peace and democracy](#)

25 April 2019

Statement by Ambassador Jonathan Allen, UK Deputy Permanent Representative to the UN, at the Security Council Briefing on the situation in Ukraine.

[Foreign Secretary statement on the fifth anniversary of the illegal annexation of Crimea](#)

18 March 2019

Five years ago, Russia illegally annexed the peninsula of Crimea in a blatant land grab from Ukraine.

Standing united behind Ukraine's sovereignty

20 February 2019

Statement by Ambassador Karen Pierce at the General Assembly debate on the situation in the temporarily occupied territories of Ukraine.

Repeated violations of Ukraine's territorial integrity by Russia

12 February 2019

Statement by Ambassador Jonathan Allen, UK Deputy Permanent Representative to the UN, at the Security Council Briefing on Ukraine.

Defence Secretary reaffirms support to Ukraine in the face of Russian aggression

22 December 2018

The Defence Secretary visited the crew of HMS Echo docked at the Ukrainian port of Odesa.

G7 Foreign Ministers' statement on recent events near Kerch Strait

30 November 2018

The Foreign Ministers of the G7 countries issued a statement on Russia's actions against Ukraine in the Kerch Strait.

Condemning Russia's use of force on Ukrainian vessels

26 November 2018

Statement by Ambassador Jonathan Allen, UK Deputy Permanent Representative to the UN, at the Security Council Briefing on Ukraine.

Maritime training deployments to deepen UK-Ukraine defence partnership

21 November 2018

Defence Secretary Gavin Williamson meets Minister of Defence of Ukraine Stepan Poltorak in London.

Joint Statement of the Ministry of Defence of United Kingdom and Ukraine

21 November 2018

Joint Statement of the Ministry of Defence of Ukraine and the Ministry of Defence of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

UK calls on Russia to allow ships access to Ukraine's ports

20 November 2018

The UK has joined calls for Russia to stop delaying or preventing access for ships to the Sea of Azov, following a discussion at the EU Foreign Affairs Council.

UK committed to Ukraine's sovereignty and territorial integrity

30 October 2018

Statement by Ambassador Karen Pierce, UK Permanent Representative to the United Nations, at the Security Council Briefing on Ukraine.

[Human Rights Council 39: UK Statement on Ukraine](#)

25 September 2018

The UK highlighted Russia's failures to protect human rights in illegally annexed Crimea and raised its concerns regarding the welfare of 72 Ukrainian political prisoners.

[UK supports US declaration condemning the illegal annexation of Crimea](#)

25 July 2018

US Secretary of State Mike Pompeo reiterated the US stance against Russia's illegal annexation of Crimea.

[Delivering long-term peace in Ukraine](#)

29 May 2018

Statement by Ambassador Karen Pierce, UK Permanent Representative to the UN, at the Security Council briefing on Ukraine.

[UK trains over 5,000 Ukrainian Armed Forces](#)

5 July 2017

UK has directly trained over 5,000 members of Ukraine's Armed Forces, 1,000 more than initially targeted, the Defence Secretary has confirmed.

[Foreign Secretary welcomes progress towards peace in Ukraine](#)

23 September 2016

Boris Johnson hails as a good start the signing of a framework agreement for the disengagement of forces in eastern Ukraine.

[PM meeting with Ukrainian President Petro Poroshenko](#)

8 July 2016

David Cameron met with the Ukrainian President at the NATO Summit in Warsaw where he reaffirmed the UK's commitment to Ukraine's sovereignty.

[Foreign Secretary denounces Russia's continued illegal annexation of Crimea](#)

21 March 2016

Foreign Secretary calls for Russia to return Crimea to Ukraine two years after illegal annexation.

[Statement from Desmond Swayne on situation in Ukraine](#)

25 September 2015

Development Minister responds to news that UN and international aid agencies have been ordered to leave separatist-controlled areas of Ukraine.

[Minister for Europe calls for lasting ceasefire in Ukraine](#)

5 September 2015

On the anniversary of the signing of the first Minsk deal, David Lidington has called for a full and lasting ceasefire in eastern Ukraine.

"There is no military solution; the Minsk agreements are the only way that stability can be restored in eastern Ukraine"

5 June 2015

Statement by Ambassador Matthew Rycroft of the UK Mission to the UN at the UN Security Council Meeting on Ukraine.

Foreign Secretary condemns Crimea 'referendum' one year on

22 March 2015

Foreign Secretary denounces Russia's illegal annexation of Crimea.

"Russia has suffered strategic derailment through its adventure in Ukraine"

20 March 2015

Writing in the Wall Street Journal, UK Ambassador to NATO, Sir Adam Thomson, argued that the West would not forget Crimea, one year on.

PM video conference on the Minsk agreements

4 March 2015

David Cameron held a video conference call yesterday to discuss how Europe and the USA should work together to enforce the Minsk agreements.

"OSCE Monitoring Mission in Ukraine is essential to the implementation of the Minsk agreements"

24 February 2015

Statement by Ambassador Mark Lyall Grant of the UK Mission to the UN at the Annual OSCE Debate.

£15m British boost for humanitarian efforts in Ukraine

23 February 2015

Britain will release £15 million in emergency assistance to provide food, blankets, emergency shelter and basic medical supplies to vulnerable and displaced Ukrainians, Prime Minister David Cameron announced today.

Support to separatists "undermines Russia's denials about their military presence in Ukraine"

27 January 2015

Following the shelling of Mariupol, NATO strongly condemned the escalation of violence by Russian-backed separatists in eastern Ukraine.

"The Security Council has to make very clear where it stands against the profoundly dangerous path that Russia is pursuing in east Ukraine"

26 January 2015

Statement by Ambassador Mark Lyall Grant of the UK Mission to the UN, to the Security Council Meeting on Ukraine.

"It is important that this Council continues to pay the closest attention to the situation in Ukraine"

21 January 2015

Statement by Ambassador Mark Lyall Grant of the UK Mission to the UN, to the Security Council Meeting on Ukraine.

"The situation in Ukraine continues to be a severe threat to international peace and security"

12 November 2014

Statement by Ambassador Lyall Grant of the UK Mission to the UN, to the Security Council meeting on Ukraine.

Foreign Secretary call to Ukrainian Foreign Minister Klimkin

12 November 2014

The Foreign Secretary has restated UK support for Ukraine in a call to Ukrainian Foreign Minister Klimkin.

UK remains deeply concerned by the situation in Ukraine

24 October 2014

Statement by Ambassador Lyall Grant of the UK Mission to the UN to the Security Council Briefing on Ukraine.

"The UK is deeply alarmed by the escalation of Russian military intervention in eastern Ukraine"

28 August 2014

Statement by Ambassador Lyall Grant, UK Mission to the UN, at the Security Council Meeting on Ukraine.

Russian Ambassador summoned to FCO over reported military incursion into Ukraine

15 August 2014

Ambassador asked to account for reports overnight of Russian military vehicles crossing the border into Ukraine.

"As we speak Russia is building up its forces on the Ukrainian border"

15 August 2014

Intervention by Ambassador Lyall Grant of the UK Mission to the UN, to the Security Council Meeting on Ukraine.

G7 leaders: statement on Ukraine

30 July 2014

The G7 leaders have issued a joint statement on the ongoing situation in Ukraine.

Foreign Secretary welcomes Ukraine peace plan

20 June 2014

Foreign Secretary William Hague welcomes east Ukraine ceasefire and calls on Russia to support President Poroshenko's peace plan.

Foreign Secretary calls for calm in eastern Ukraine

3 May 2014

Foreign Secretary William Hague calls for de-escalation of tension in eastern Ukraine ahead of his visit next week.

"Worsening instability in Ukraine is in no-one's long term interests"

2 May 2014

Statement by Ambassador Lyall Grant of the UK Mission to the UN, to the Security Council meeting on the situation in Ukraine.

"We urge Russia to abandon the dangerous course it is pursuing and implement the Geneva agreement"

30 April 2014

Statement by Ambassador Lyall Grant of the UK Mission to the UN, to the UN Security Council meeting on Ukraine.

G7 leaders' statement on Ukraine: April 2014

26 April 2014

Joint statement from G7 leaders about the ongoing situation in Ukraine and additional sanctions on Russia.

Foreign Secretary gives 'cautious welcome' to Ukraine agreement

18 April 2014

Foreign Secretary William Hague has said yesterday's agreement on the next steps in Ukraine should be welcomed, but quick progress is needed.

"The United Kingdom is fully committed to supporting Ukraine"

16 April 2014

Statement by Ambassador Lyall Grant of the UK Mission to the UN, to the UN Security Council meeting on the Situation in Ukraine.

UK Statement to the OSCE Permanent Council on the situation in Ukraine

14 April 2014

Ambassador Dominic Schroeder's statement to the OSCE PC on the situation in Ukraine.

"UK is gravely concerned by events in Eastern Ukraine"

14 April 2014

Statement by Ambassador Lyall Grant of the UK Mission to the UN, to the Security Council Meeting on the Situation in Ukraine.

Foreign Secretary welcomes UN vote to support Crimea

27 March 2014

Foreign Secretary William Hague backs UN resolution to respect Ukrainian territorial integrity.

[Foreign Secretary speaks with Ukrainian Prime Minister Yatsenyuk](#)

25 March 2014

Foreign Secretary William Hague called Ukrainian Prime Minister Yatsenyuk to outline UK support for Ukraine.

[Joint G7 statement from The Hague on Ukraine](#)

24 March 2014

The leaders of the G7 made a joint statement on Ukraine following their meeting in The Hague.

[Foreign Secretary condemns Russia's recognition of Crimea as a 'sovereign state'](#)

17 March 2014

The Kremlin has this evening announced that President Putin has signed a decree recognising Crimea as a sovereign state.

[UK responds to Russia's Security Council veto on Ukraine resolution](#)

15 March 2014

UK Ambassador tells UN: Russia stands isolated in UN and international community and a referendum tomorrow can have no credibility.

[UK Statement to the OSCE Permanent Council on growing tensions in the Crimean Peninsula](#)

14 March 2014

Ambassador Dominic Schroeder's statement to the OSCE Permanent Council on the continuing situation in Ukraine.

[Statement of G7 leaders on Ukraine](#)

12 March 2014

Statement calling on the Russian Federation to cease all efforts to change the status of Crimea.

[PM call with President Putin](#)

9 March 2014

The Prime Minister called President Putin to discuss the situation in Ukraine.

[Update on efforts to bring Russia and Ukraine into talks](#)

5 March 2014

Foreign Secretary William Hague underlines difficulties but says there is sufficient willingness to continue trying to bring Russia and Ukraine into talks.

[Foreign Secretary sets out importance of diplomatic progress on Ukraine](#)

5 March 2014

William Hague says UK is taking every diplomatic opportunity to try to bring Russia and Ukraine into direct contact.

"Government in Kiev is legitimate and has been overwhelmingly endorsed by the Ukrainian parliament"

4 March 2014

Statement by Ambassador Lyall Grant of the UK Mission to the UN, to the Security Council meeting on Ukraine.

Joint statement on Ukraine

3 March 2014

A joint statement from the leaders of Canada, France, Germany, Italy, Japan, the United Kingdom and the United States and the President of the European Council and President of the European Commission.

"We condemn any act of aggression against Ukraine"

1 March 2014

Statement by Ambassador Lyall Grant of the UK Mission to the UN, to the UN Security Council meeting on the situation in Ukraine.

Foreign Secretary calls for de-escalation of tensions in Ukraine

1 March 2014

Foreign Secretary William Hague deeply concerned at the escalation of tensions in Ukraine, and the decision of the Russian parliament to authorise military action.

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