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To consider and report on the following (and any additional matter added under Rule 6.1.5A)—

(a) matters relating to equal opportunities, and upon the observance of equal opportunities within the Parliament; and

(b) matters relating to human rights.

(c) matters relating to civil justice within the responsibility of the Cabinet Secretary for Justice.

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(a) “equal opportunities” includes the prevention, elimination or regulation of discrimination between persons on grounds of sex or marital status, on racial grounds or on grounds of disability, age, sexual orientation, language or social origin or of other personal attributes, including beliefs or opinions such as religious beliefs or political opinions; and

(b) “human rights” includes Convention rights (within the meaning of section 1 of the Human Rights Act 1998) and other human rights as for example contained in any international convention, treaty or other international instrument ratified by the United Kingdom.

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