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Sources for Question 1

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Source A

In the BBC's 'Meet the Lords' television series, it was claimed that some peers claim their full daily allowance of £300 despite contributing very little to the work of the House of Lords. However, the programme also highlighted some of the important duties carried out by peers, from debating and voting on legislation to their work in committees. An example of this is the work of Lord Dubs, and his campaign to push through an amendment to the Immigration Bill to allow unaccompanied refugee children into the UK.

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Source B

Number of government defeats in the House of Lords

1992–1997	1997–2001	2001–2005	2005–2010	2010–2015	2015–April 2017
62	108	245	175	100	98

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