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Questions tabled on Friday 28 August 2020

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Questions for Answer on Tuesday 1 September

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Sir Edward Davey** (Kingston and Surbiton): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, pursuant to the Prime Minister's oral contribution of 15 July 2020, Official Report, col. 1514, when he plans to publish a (a) timetable for the establishment of and (b) a draft terms of reference for the independent inquiry on the Government's response to the covid-19 outbreak; and if he will make a statement. [Transferred] (76567)
- 2N **Sir Edward Davey** (Kingston and Surbiton): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, pursuant to the Prime Minister's oral contribution of 15 July 2020, Official Report, col. 1514, if he will ensure that the panel members for the independent inquiry on the Government's response to the covid-19 outbreak are from diverse groups. [Transferred] (76568)
- 3N **Sir Edward Davey** (Kingston and Surbiton): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, pursuant to the Prime Minister's oral contribution of 15 July 2020, Official Report, col. 1514, which Department will have responsibility for establishing the independent inquiry on the Government's response to the covid-19 outbreak. [Transferred] (76569)
- 4N **Sir Edward Davey** (Kingston and Surbiton): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, pursuant to the Prime Minister's oral contribution of 15 July 2020, Official Report, col. 1514, how many civil servants will be allocated to supporting the independent inquiry on the Government's response to the covid-19 outbreak. [Transferred] (76570)

- Sir Edward Davey (Kingston and Surbiton): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, pursuant to the Prime Minister's oral contribution of 15 July 2020, Official Report, col. 1514, what the annual budget will be of the independent inquiry on the Government's response to the covid-19 outbreak.
- Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what assessment his Department has made of trends in the number of disabled people working from home as a result of the covid-19 outbreak or in response to the Government's covid-19 guidance on shielding during the covid-19 outbreak.

 [Transferred] (77709)
- 7N **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, how many Sikh community engagement roles are being advertised for the 2021 Census. [Transferred] (76830)
- 8N **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, how many Punjabi speaking community engagement roles are being advertised for the 2021 Census. [Transferred] (76831)
- 9 Preet Kaur Gill (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, how much the Government has invested in middle income countries through the Prosperity Fund in each of the last five years. [Transferred] (77759)
- 10N Dame Cheryl Gillan (Chesham and Amersham): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what plans he has to record autism in the Labour Force Survey.

 [Transferred] (76553)
- 11N **Neil Gray** (Airdrie and Shotts): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether Ministerial sign off was required for the award of the focus group contract to Public First. [Transferred] (76729)
- 12N **Neil Gray** (Airdrie and Shotts): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, on what date the contract for focus group work was awarded to Public First.

 [Transferred] (76730)
- 13N **Neil Gray** (Airdrie and Shotts): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether he met with representatives from Public First in the six months prior to the award of the focus group contract to that company.

 [Transferred] (76731)
- 14N **Neil Gray** (Airdrie and Shotts): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, which (a) Minister or (b) official initiated discussions with Public First on the focus group contract. [Transferred] (76732)

- 15N **Neil Gray** (Airdrie and Shotts): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, how many contracts his Department has awarded for focus group work in the last two years; what the value was of each of those contracts; and to which companies those contracts were awarded. [Transferred] (76733)
- 16N **Robert Halfon** (Harlow): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, if his Department will review the limit of 30 people attending wedding ceremonies as the covid-19 lockdown restrictions are eased.

 [Transferred] (76667)
- 17N Robert Halfon (Harlow): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what his timescale is for further updating the policy on restrictions on the number of guests at wedding ceremonies as the covid-19 lockdown restrictions are eased.

 [Transferred] (76668)
- 18N Helen Hayes (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what his timetable is for introduction of the Smart Freight Service before the end of the transition period.

 [Transferred] (76800)
- 19N Helen Hayes (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, with reference to The Border with the European Union: Importing and Exporting Goods, published on 13 July 2020, what his timescale is for the consultation on on the use of the Smart Freight Service in Kent this summer.

 [Transferred] (76801)
- 20N Helen Hayes (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what the nature is of the on-site resources provided by Public First Ltd to support Number 10 communications.

 [Transferred] (77726)
- 21N Helen Hayes (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, how many contracts the Government has awarded to Public First Ltd in each year since 2016. [Transferred] (777727)
- 22N Helen Hayes (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether the Government plans to carry out further testing of Operation Brock following the (a) announcement to remove the Operation Brock barrier of 10 January 2020 and (b) potential use of the Smart Freight System outlined on page 134 of his Department's document entitled, Border Operating Model, published on 13 July 2020. [Transferred] (78765)
- Neil O'Brien (Harborough): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, how many staff in his Department have undertaken unconscious bias training in each of the last five years. [Transferred] (77798)

- 24N **Owen Thompson** (Midlothian): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what progress he has made on the Defending Democracy programme announced on 22 July 2019; and what plans he has to publish a report on that programme.

 [Transferred] (78735)
- 25N **Owen Thompson** (Midlothian): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, with reference to the Written Statement of 22 July 2019, Cabinet Office update, HCWS1772, what consultation the Government has undertaken on electoral integrity as part of the Defending Democracy programme; and which stakeholders that programme has engaged with.[Transferred] (78736)
- 26N **Owen Thompson** (Midlothian): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, when the Government plans to respond to the final report from the Law Commission and Scottish Law Commission on Electoral Law, published on 17 March 2020. [Transferred] (78737)
- 27N **Jon Trickett** (Hemsworth): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what discussions he has had with trade union representatives on adherence to covid-19 guidance for civil servants; and what steps civil servants can take to raise concerns about workplace safety in relation to covid-19.

 [Transferred] (77511)
- 28N Jon Trickett (Hemsworth): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, when staff of his Department will be required to return to the office as covid-19 lockdown restrictions are eased. [Transferred] (77512)
- 29N Catherine West (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what plans the Government has to bring forward proposals to increase the transparency of financial donations to Members of the House of Lords.

 [Transferred] (77733)
- 30N **Mrs Sharon Hodgson** (Washington and Sunderland West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to implement the recommendations in the July 2020 Independent Medicines and Medical Devices Safety Review report. (905260)

Questions for Answer on Wednesday 2 September

Questions for Written Answer

- Andrew Griffith (Arundel and South Downs): To ask the Attorney General, what is the prosecution rate is for trespass committed in (a) Sussex and (b) England. (82648)
- Adam Afriyie (Windsor): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether the 14-day quarantine rules apply to farmers who are able safely and need urgently to harvest their crops. (81746)

- 3 **Stuart Anderson** (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what support the Government has made available to help ensure that the mental health conditions of armed forces veterans are not perceived by employers as career limiting (a) in and (b) out of the armed forces. (82404)
- 4 Paula Barker (Liverpool, Wavertree): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that raw materials imported into the UK and used for vital nutritional products will not be subject to tariffs at the end of the transition period. (82582)
- 5 Ian Blackford (Ross, Skye and Lochaber): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether the Advisory Military Sub Committee plans to review all cases relating to nuclear test veterans. (81991)
- Paul Girvan (South Antrim): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what steps the Government will take against UK-headquartered companies who assist the Chinese authorities in enforcing the National Security Laws in Hong Kong against people with British National (Overseas) status.
- Paul Girvan (South Antrim): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what plans the Government has to remove any special trading status with Hong Kong in response to the imposition of the National Security Laws by the Chinese Government. (82300)
- 8 **David Linden** (Glasgow East): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, if he will publish all opinion polling commissioned by his Department on Scottish independence conducted in 2020. (82315)
- 9 **David Linden** (Glasgow East): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, which polling organisations his Department commissioned in 2020; and how much his Department has paid to each of those organisations for each service. (82316)
- 10 Kenny MacAskill (East Lothian): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, for what reasons payments from the (a)

 Armed Forces Pension Scheme and (b) War Pension Scheme that are paid out early due to injury in service are treated as income when being assessed for universal credit.
- 11 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what steps the Government has taken to provide face coverings free of charge to people who cannot afford to pay for them. (82359)
- 12 **Alyn Smith** (Stirling): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what plans he has to improve oversight and transparency of the financial and business interests of Members of the House of Lords. (82387)

13 Cat Smith (Lancaster and Fleetwood): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what assessment he has made of the effect of the recent voter identification pilot schemes on BAME communities.

(82068)

- Mr Barry Sheerman (Huddersfield): To ask the Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, what steps he is taking to ensure the accuracy of guidance issue to people planning weddings to (a) protect the finances of those people and minimise disruption to weddings. (81536)
- Stuart Anderson (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps the Government is taking to ensure that older workers are able to contribute to the economic recovery from the covid-19 outbreak. (82398)
- Stuart Anderson (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what financial support is available to help with (a) repairing flat roofs and (b) other energy efficiency initiatives for an apartment complex for people who do not receive support from the social security system.
- 17 **Stuart Anderson** (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what financial support is available to businesses which operate childcare activity groups in rented spaces and who have lost income as a result of the covid-19 outbreak. (82654)
- Alan Brown (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment he has of the implications for his policies of the findings of the Opening up the Gas Market project by the Scottish Gas Network in 2016, on mixing different blends/compositions of natural gas in the localised Oban gas grid; and if he will make a statement. (82103)
- Alan Brown (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether (a) manufacturers of electrical infrastructure products and (b) other industry stakeholders from across the supply chain will be represented on Ofgem's Net Zero Advisory Group. (82106)
- 20 Alan Brown (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps his Department is taking with Ofgem to ensure that investment decisions taken by the Distribution Network Operators are based on comprehensive, whole life cost benefit assessments; and if will make a statement.
- Alan Brown (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, when the Government plans to bring forward legislative proposals to set a mandatory date for boiler installations to be hydrogen ready or part of a hybrid system; and if he will make a statement. (82116)

- Alan Brown (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of creating a national delivery body to co-ordinate heat decarbonisation in the UK; and if he will make a statement. (82117)
- Alan Brown (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether he plans to bring forward proposals to end the sale and installation of oil burning boilers; and if he will make a statement.
- Alan Brown (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of introducing operational performance ratings alongside Energy Performance Certificates for all non-domestic buildings. (82119)
- Alan Brown (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what discussions he has had with the Chancellor of the Exchequer on the potential merits of designating energy efficiency as a national infrastructure priority; and if he will make a statement. (82120)
- Alan Brown (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how many homes he plans to upgrade to EPC Band C by (a) 2025, (b) 2030 and (c) 2035. (82121)
- Alan Brown (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of local authorities having a role in supporting initiatives to improve the energy efficiency of housing at scale in their local areas; what discussions he has had with the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government on supporting local authorities to have that role; and if he will make a statement.

 (82122)
- 28 **Dr Lisa Cameron** (East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if the Government will (a) develop and (b) publish a hydrogen strategy. (82020)
- 29 **Dr Lisa Cameron** (East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what measurement traceability the UK uses for dispensed quantity at hydrogen refuelling stations. (82021)
- 30 **Dr Lisa Cameron** (East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what capability Trading Standards has to investigate disputes on dispensed quantity at hydrogen refuelling stations. (82022)
- 31 **Dr Lisa Cameron** (East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, when he plans to make a decision on whether to fund a clean fuels metrology centre. (82023)

- **Sir Alan Campbell** (Tynemouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if the Government will make it its policy to ensure the country of origin is displayed on consumer products bought (a) online and (b) offline.

 (81585)
- Martyn Day (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how much electricity would be generated by the £1.26 billion of Renewable Obligation Certificates which biomass for electricity receives if the money was redirected to (a) offshore wind, (b) onshore wind and (c) solar; and will he make a statement.
- Mark Eastwood (Dewsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether he has made an assessment of the potential effectiveness of the June 2020 Committee on Climate Change recommendation that his Department works with the Departments for Work and Pensions and for Education and the Home Office to develop a strategy for a Net Zero workforce that integrates relevant skills into the UK's education framework and actively monitors the risks and opportunities arising from the transition; and whether he has made an assessment of the potential effect of implementing that recommendation on young people affected by unemployment during the covid-19 outbreak.
- **Dr Luke Evans** (Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what work has been undertaken by the Jet Zero Council on producing the first zero carbon transatlantic passenger jet. (82479)
- **Dr Luke Evans** (Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps he will take to involve precision engineering companies in (a) Bosworth and (b) the UK in the post-covid-19 recovery of the UK's aeronautical industry. (82480)
- **Dr Luke Evans** (Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what discussions he has had with animal welfare charities on the effect of lifestyle changes in response to the covid-19 outbreak on trends in the level of unwanted pets. (82481)
- **Gill Furniss** (Sheffield, Brightside and Hillsborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment he has made of the potential effect of planned reductions in posts at WH Smith on the Post Office network.

 (82238)
- **Patrick Grady** (Glasgow North): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, with reference to the Government's response to the consultation on the future of UK carbon pricing published on 1 June 2020, what assessment he has made of the potential (a) merits and (b) costs of a carbon free and dividend policy; and for what reasons his policy is not to implement that policy at this time.

40 **Robert Halfon** (Harlow): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps his Department is taking to support the beauty industry during the covid-19 outbreak.

(81814)

41 **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps his Department is taking to prevent the exploitation of people working in UK garment factories. (81

(81552)

- 42 **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how many sub-postmasters employed directly by McColls stores are known to have been removed from their employment as managers of branch sub Post Offices in McColls stores on grounds of alleged shortfalls in their Post Office Horizon branch accounts since 2000. (82133)
- 43 **Sajid Javid** (Bromsgrove): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what recent discussions his Department has had with representatives of businesses and industry bodies representing nightclubs. (81793)
- 44 **Mrs Pauline Latham** (Mid Derbyshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if the British Business Bank will lower its interest rates to help support businesses to expand as the economy reopens and covid-19 lockdown restrictions are eased. (81823)
- Mrs Pauline Latham (Mid Derbyshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps he will take to collaborate with regionally-focused private equity firms to help encourage local businesses to expand as the economy reopens and covid-19 lockdown restrictions are eased. (81824)
- 46 **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether (a) Heat Batteries and (b) other A+ rated efficient innovative space-saving thermal stores will be included in the Green Homes Grant as (i) secondary measures to enable the effective and efficient utilisation of (A) air source and ground source heat pumps and (B) solar energy for hot water purposes, (ii) primary measures where they replace poorly-insulated hot water cylinders and (iii) primary measures where they replace inefficient night storage heaters or fossil-fuelled boilers for space heating. (82445)
- 47 **Scott Mann** (North Cornwall): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps his Department is taking to reduce barriers to the adoption of (a) biopropane and (b) other new low carbon fuels for use in heating in off-gas grid buildings. (82186)
- 48 **Esther McVey** (Tatton): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what estimate he has made of the number of jobs protected in industries eligible for the business rates suspension in the financial year 2020-2021. (81857)

- 49 **Mr Andrew Mitchell** (Sutton Coldfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps he is taking to regulate company formation agents. (81587)
- Holly Mumby-Croft (Scunthorpe): To ask the Secretary of State for Business,
 Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps his Department is taking to ensure
 that small businesses whose otherwise viable credit rating has been impacted by
 the covid-19 outbreak will be eligible to receive funding under the Government's
 Bounce Back Loan scheme.

 (82633)
- Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how much Russian gas is imported into the UK; and what proportion of national gas consumption that represents. (82524)
- Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how many businesses have taken loans through the Bounce Back Loan scheme in each (a) nation and (b) region of the UK; and what proportion of the loaned money has gone to each (i) nation and (ii) region.

 (82525)
- Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how many businesses have taken loans through the Future Fund scheme in each (a) nation and (b) region of the UK; and what proportion of the loaned money has gone to each (i) nation and (ii) region. (82526)
- Brendan O'Hara (Argyll and Bute): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what criteria his Department uses to ensure (a) industries and (b) projects selected for funding from the Government's post-covid stimulus packages are aligned with the (i) UK's net zero emissions target and (ii) UN's sustainable development goals. (81963)
- 55 Sarah Olney (Richmond Park): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether the 30 person limit for weddings includes staff at the wedding venue. (82250)
- Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if he will issue guidance on the re-opening of larger event and dinner venues, in particular on the numbers allowed to gather for (a) events and (b) dinners in enclosed spaces.

 (81605)
- 57 **Alexander Stafford** (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what proportion of global solar panel production is based in the UK. (82615)
- Alexander Stafford (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what the country of origin is for the majority of solar panels used in the UK. (82616)

- 59 Alexander Stafford (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what proportion of electric vehicles produced in the UK have fuel cells that are produced in the UK. (82617)
- Alexander Stafford (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what estimate he has made of the number of electric vehicles that will be produced in the UK in each year up to 2030. (82618)
- 61 Alexander Stafford (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether critical mineral supply chains are being discussed in Project Defend. (82619)
- Alexander Stafford (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how many (a) FTSE 100, (b) FTSE 250 and (c) AIM listed mining companies are producing critical minerals as defined by the British Geological Survey. (82620)
- 63 **Alexander Stafford** (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether the UK has a critical mineral strategy. (82621)
- Alexander Stafford (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what recent discussions he has had with this Canadian counterpart on critical minerals. (82622)
- Alexander Stafford (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what recent discussions he has had with his Australian counterpart on critical minerals. (82623)
- Alexander Stafford (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what proportion of global wind turbine production is based in the UK. (82624)
- Alexander Stafford (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Business,
 Energy and Industrial Strategy, what plans he has to establish retraining
 programmes in (a) renewable energy and (b) other clean technologies for people
 that were made unemployed as a result of the covid-19 outbreak. (82626)
- 68 **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment he has made of the effect on (a) key workers and (b) their employers of those workers having to reduce their hours to care for children in place of grandparents as a result of covid-19 restrictions on household contact (82679)
- 69 **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment his Department has made of the adequacy of the Government support to the events sector during the covid-19 outbreak; and what steps his Department is taking to increase its support for that sector. (82680)

- Julian Sturdy (York Outer): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what estimate his Department has made of the effect of the covid-19 outbreak on (a) jobs and (b) revenues in the events sector; and what steps the Government is taking to mitigate that effect. (82652)
- 71 **Liz Twist** (Blaydon): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if he will make it his policy to take immediate action against Airlines that fail to comply with consumer rights legislation during the covid-19 pandemic. (82281)
- 72 Theresa Villiers (Chipping Barnet): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what plans he has to reduce the regulatory burden on small businesses. (81630)
- 73 Theresa Villiers (Chipping Barnet): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how much funding the Government plans to invest in the OneWeb satellite system. (81636)
- 74 Theresa Villiers (Chipping Barnet): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what value for money assessment he has carried out on the Government's investment in the One Web satellite system. (81637)
- 75 **Dr Alan Whitehead** (Southampton, Test): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps he is taking to ensure the new Green Homes Grant scheme complements the existing Energy Company Obligation scheme without competing against or effecting the Energy Company Obligation supply chain.
- Dr Alan Whitehead (Southampton, Test): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps he will take to ensure the quality of work undertaken under the Green Homes Grant scheme is consistent with that carried out under the Energy Company Obligation scheme; and who will monitor that work.
- 77 **Dr Alan Whitehead** (Southampton, Test): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of merging the Green Homes Grant and the Energy Company Obligation schemes to enable cost efficiencies to co-fund energy efficiency updates. (81481)
- 78 **Dr Alan Whitehead** (Southampton, Test): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment he has made of the effect of the decision not to extend the non-domestic Renewable Heat Incentive scheme on (a) jobs and (b) businesses in the heating industry. (81482)
- 79 **Dr Alan Whitehead** (Southampton, Test): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what the take up of the Renewable Heat Incentive scheme has been in each year since the scheme opened in 2011. (81483)

- 80 **Dr Alan Whitehead** (Southampton, Test): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what estimate he has made of the effect on carbon emissions of the heavy mineral oil excise duty reclamation scheme H049. (81484)
- Dr Alan Whitehead (Southampton, Test): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what estimate he has made of the (a) carbon emissions from and (b) cost to the tax payer of the H049 heavy oil excise duty reclamation scheme in each year since its introduction. (81485)
- Mick Whitley (Birkenhead): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment his Department has made of the potential benefits to local economies of awarding contracts for the construction of Royal Fleet Auxiliary fleet solid support ships to British shipyards. (82425)
- Paula Barker (Liverpool, Wavertree): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital,
 Culture, Media and Sport, what the timeframe is to enable (a) non-league football
 and (b) amateur clubs to safely host small crowds at matches.

 (82580)
- Scott Benton (Blackpool South): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what discussions he has had with representatives from the tourism industry in England on establishing a Government backed online booking platform for small hotels and bed and breakfasts. (82511)
- 85 **Scott Benton** (Blackpool South): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of establishing an online booking platform for small hotels and bed and breakfasts.

 (82512)
- Andrew Bridgen (North West Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what steps his Department is taking to tackle the grey market in gambling; and if he will make a statement. (81900)
- 87 Andrew Bridgen (North West Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what discussions his Department has had with the Gambling Commission on the effect of the grey market in gambling on the gambling industry.

 (81901)
- Paul Bristow (Peterborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what discussions he has had with the (a) Football Association and (b) his counterparts in the devolved administrations on the prospects for relaunching the British Home Football Championship. (82510)
- 89 **Sir Alan Campbell** (Tynemouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, when indoor play centres will be allowed to open as lockdown restrictions are eased due to the covid-19 outbreak. (81575)
- 90 Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what plans he has to publish re-opening guidance for residential outdoor activity centres as covid-19 lockdown restrictions are eased. (82433)

91 Alberto Costa (South Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what criteria his Department used when deciding to delay the proposed reopening of bowling alleys due to take place 1 August 2020.

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- 92 Alberto Costa (South Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what recent assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of permitting a limited number of spectators to attend non-league football matches as covid-19 restrictions are eased. (82087)
- 93 **Ronnie Cowan** (Inverclyde): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what discussions his Department has had with industry stakeholders on increasing the legal age limit to play the National Lottery to 18 years old; and if he will make a statement. (82098)
- 94 **Virginia Crosbie** (Ynys Môn): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what steps his Department is taking to improve broadband provision in Ynys Mon constituency. (82605)
- 95 Martyn Day (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, pursuant to the Answer of 9 June 2020 to Question 54172 on Business and Government Departments: Cybercrime, how many such cyber security incidents were reported in (a) 2015, (b) 2016, (c) 2017, (d) 2018 and (e) 2019.
- 96 Martyn Day (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, how many successful cyber attacks took place against businesses in the UK in (a) 2015, (b) 2016, (c) 2017, (d) 2018 and (e) 2019. (82153)
- 97 Martyn Day (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, pursuant to the Answer of 12 June 2020 to Question 54171 on Small Businesses: Cybercrime, what recent steps his Department has taken to promote the uptake of the Cyber Essentials Scheme in (a) the UK, (b) Scotland and (c) Linlithgow and East Falkirk constituency. (82154)
- 98 Martyn Day (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, pursuant to the Answer of 12 June 2020 to Question 54171 on Small Businesses: Cybercrime, what recent steps his Department has taken to publicise the availability of the UK Government's Cyber Aware advice. (82155)
- 99 Laura Farris (Newbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, whether businesses supplying technical and musical kit to live music events and concert venues can access the Culture Recovery Fund. (82579)
- 100 Nick Fletcher (Don Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what steps his Department is taking to reopen ice skating rings as covid-19 restrictions are eased to allow British athletes to train for international competitions.
 (82585)

- 101 **Patrick Grady** (Glasgow North): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, if he will publish a response to Early Day Motion 718 on Audiovisual performers' rights. (82057)
- Andrew Gwynne (Denton and Reddish): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of introducing a live music industry support scheme similar to the Government of Germany's €150 million package for that country's industry. (81643)
- 103 **Robert Halfon** (Harlow): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of reopening ice skating rinks for training purposes as covid-19 lockdowns are eased. (81812)
- 104 **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what steps the Government is taking to ensure that pensioners do not suffer (a) social isolation or (b) loneliness as a result of the withdrawal of free TV licences from the over 75s. (81573)
- 105 **Mr Richard Holden** (North West Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what recent steps his Department has taken to tackle underage gambling. (82539)
- 106 **Mr Richard Holden** (North West Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment his Department has made of the steps needed to treat gambling-related harm as a public health matter. (82540)
- 107 **Mr Richard Holden** (North West Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what recent assessment his Department has made of trends in the level of gambling-related suicides. (82541)
- 108 **Mr Richard Holden** (North West Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what recent discussions he has had with the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care on the Gambling-related harms evidence review. (82542)
- 109 Dan Jarvis (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture,
 Media and Sport, what steps his Department is taking to financially support
 bowling alleys during the covid-19 outbreak. (81908)
- 110 Dan Jarvis (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what additional support his Department is providing to independent cinemas applying for the British Film Institute managed grant. (81913)
- 111 **Sajid Javid** (Bromsgrove): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what steps his Department is taking to tackle anti-Semitic hate online.

 (81792)

Sajid Javid (Bromsgrove): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what steps his Department is taking to support the roll-out of superfast broadband to rural communities in (a) Worcestershire and (b) Bromsgrove District.

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- **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, if the Government will publish the evidence which has informed its decision to keep ice rinks closed as covid-19 lockdown restrictions are eased. (81597)
- **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what additional resources the Government plans to allocate to the BBC to help the free TV licence for people aged over 75 in (a) Newport West constituency, (b) Wales and (c) the UK. (82370)
- **Ben Lake** (Ceredigion): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture,
 Media and Sport, how much funding the Government plans to allocate to the
 implementation of the Shared Rural Network in each of the UK's nations. (82285)
- **Scott Mann** (North Cornwall): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what recent discussions he has had with the BBC on the effect of reduced funding on regional programming. (82178)
- **Scott Mann** (North Cornwall): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what steps his Department has taken to support the BBC in the production of regional and local (a) television and (b) radio programming. (82179)
- **Scott Mann** (North Cornwall): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what recent discussions he has had with the BBC on the production of local programmes for Cornwall in Bristol. (82180)
- **Scott Mann** (North Cornwall): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what recent discussion he has had with the BBC on the effect of proposed changes to local and regional programming on the quality of that output. (82181)
- **Scott Mann** (North Cornwall): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of including in the Royal Charter for the continuance of the BBC more emphasis on the need to provide local radio and television programming. (82182)
- **Scott Mann** (North Cornwall): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what recent discussions he has had with the BBC on holding a public consultation on its proposals to revise regional television and radio production. (82183)
- **Scott Mann** (North Cornwall): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what steps his Department is taking to support regional and local news coverage. (82184)

- **Scott Mann** (North Cornwall): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what steps his Department is taking to support the creation of local radio and television content. (82185)
- **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what the timetable is for the publication of the review by the hon. Member for Devizes on the role of the voluntary and charitable sector in the UK's recovery from the covid-19 outbreak, commissioned by the Prime Minister. (81622)
- **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what resources his Department has made available to the hon. Member for Devizes to support his work commissioned by the Prime Minister on the role of the voluntary and charitable sector in the UK's recovery from the covid-19 outbreak.
- **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what meetings the hon. Member for Devizes has had with the charitable and voluntary sector since being commissioned by the Prime Minister to review that sector's role in the UK's recovery from the covid-19 outbreak. (81624)
- **John McNally** (Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, whether the Government plans to allocate a proportion of the £1.57 billion funding for cultural, arts and heritage institutions to direct support for (a) performers and (b) technicians and craftspeople who work on performances. (82049)
- **Damien Moore** (Southport): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what support is available for hoteliers in the event that customer must self-isolate at the hotel during the covid-19 outbreak. (82348)
- 129 Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of a statutory owners and directors test in football. (82521)
- 130 Caroline Nokes (Romsey and Southampton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what progress his Department has made with the Gambling Commission on regulating the grey market in gambling. (81831)
- **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, when he plans to bring forward legislative proposals on the regulation of loot boxes in computer games. (82358)
- **Dr Dan Poulter** (Central Suffolk and North Ipswich): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what support his Department will make available to freelance workers in the events industry to help retain those workers in that industry in anticipation of it reopening as covid-19 lockdown restrictions are eased.

- **Dr Dan Poulter** (Central Suffolk and North Ipswich): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, whether he is taking steps to encourage local authorities to support and improve motorhome facilities in towns and rural areas to increase tourism and economic activity from that sector. (81777)
- **Dr Dan Poulter** (Central Suffolk and North Ipswich): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, if he will publish a long-term strategy to support the re-opening of the live events sector as covid-19 lockdown restrictions are eased.

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- **Dr Dan Poulter** (Central Suffolk and North Ipswich): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, if he will extend the Culture Recovery Fund for Heritage to include (a) rental companies and (b) the entire live events supply chain.

 (81782)
- **Nicola Richards** (West Bromwich East): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what financial support his Department is providing to (a) self-employed and (b) freelance workers in the entertainment and events supply chain industry unable to return to work during the covid-19 outbreak. (82635)
- 137 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, whether greyhound stadiums are permitted to (a) open food outlets in line with Government guidance issued on the reopening of restaurants and (b) allow owners access to their racecourses while continuing to operate greyhound racing behind closed doors during the covid-19 outbreak. (81604)
- 138 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what steps his Department is taking to support ten-pin bowling alleys during the covid-19 outbreak. (81614)
- 139 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture,
 Media and Sport, whether he plans to allow an exemption to the rule that
 workplace lotteries must be located on a single set of premises for offices where
 employees are working from home.

 (81616)
- **Cat Smith** (Lancaster and Fleetwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what plans he has to discuss with children and young people the effect of the covid-19 outbreak on their lives. (82074)
- **Stuart Anderson** (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps he is taking to improve diversity among (a) students and (b) academic staff in higher education. (82409)
- **Stuart Anderson** (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what after-school support is available for the children of parents who are returning to work following the outbreak of covid-19. (82414)

- **Stuart Anderson** (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps he has taken to ensure that children and young people have been receiving healthy and nutritious meals during the 2020 school summer holidays.

 (82415)
- **Sir Paul Beresford** (Mole Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment the Government has made, ahead of schools returning in September 2020, of the (a) effectiveness and (b) safety of the use of alcohol-based hand sanitisers in schools. (81491)
- **Sir Alan Campbell** (Tynemouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to his Department's guidance for parents and carers of children attending out-of-school settings during the coronavirus (covid-19) outbreak, published on 10 July 2020, when similar guidance will be published for parents with children under five years old. (81577)
- **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what additional support will be provided for careers guidance programmes to meet the potential increase in demand for retraining and employment advice as a result of job losses due to the covid-19 outbreak. (82317)
- **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, when his Department plans to publish a new careers strategy. (82318)
- **Gill Furniss** (Sheffield, Brightside and Hillsborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what (a) assessment he has made of and (b) plans he has to monitor the adequacy of covid-19 risk assessments undertaken by further education colleges.

 (82239)
- **Gill Furniss** (Sheffield, Brightside and Hillsborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what contingency planning he has undertaken to support sixth form students in the event they are unable to fully return to college in September 2020.
- **Gill Furniss** (Sheffield, Brightside and Hillsborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, when he plans to provide further information on the reassessment procedure for students completing BTECs in summer 2020. (82242)
- **Paul Girvan** (South Antrim): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department is taking to ensure freedom of academic thought and expression at UK universities. (82302)
- **Paul Girvan** (South Antrim): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if his Department will commission a report on the level of academic freedom in UK universities. (82303)
- **Margaret Greenwood** (Wirral West): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment he has made of the regional distribution of schools with an above national average proportion of pupils living in relative poverty. (82011)

- 154 Margaret Greenwood (Wirral West): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to the National Tutoring Programme's aim to reduce the attainment gap that arises as a result of social disadvantage, what discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues on tackling the sources of social disadvantage. (82012)
- Jonathan Gullis (Stoke-on-Trent North): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that (a) quality, (b) sustainability and (c) cost considerations are prioritised in school uniform policy. (82550)
- 156 **Jonathan Gullis** (Stoke-on-Trent North): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment he has made of the importance of maintaining school autonomy when developing policy on school uniform. (82551)
- Jonathan Gullis (Stoke-on-Trent North): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment he has made of the importance of ensuring school uniform retailers maintain year-round availability of uniform to pupils. (82552)
- 158 **Jonathan Gullis** (Stoke-on-Trent North): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department is taking to help support universities increase the number of places available to students in the forthcoming academic year.

 (82564)
- 159 **Jonathan Gullis** (Stoke-on-Trent North): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that no child misses time in education this year as a result of local lockdowns. (82565)
- Jonathan Gullis (Stoke-on-Trent North): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department is taking to close the attainment gap between students from disadvantaged backgrounds and those from more affluent areas.
 (82566)
- Jonathan Gullis (Stoke-on-Trent North): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department is taking to support young people into (a) apprenticeships and (b) training during the covid-19 pandemic. (82567)
- Jonathan Gullis (Stoke-on-Trent North): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what support his Department is providing to universities to help mitigate financial pressures as a result of the covid-19 pandemic. (82568)
- 163 **Robert Halfon** (Harlow): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department is taking to meet the public sector apprenticeship target for 2020-21.

 (81806)
- 164 **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many (a) reception, (b) Year 1 and (c) Year 6 students have tested positive for covid-19 since 1 June 2020. (81553)
- 165 **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what estimate he has made of the number of (a) teachers and (b) auxiliary school staff that tested positive for covid-19 from March to July 2020. (81554)

- **Damian Hinds** (East Hampshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what recent assessment he has made of the level of student enrolment for T Levels courses starting in September 2020. (81800)
- **Damian Hinds** (East Hampshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if he will make an assessment in the autumn term of the effect on children's progress of exposure during the covid-19 lockdown to different types and amounts of education technology and online learning. (81801)
- **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of adding critical thinking to the secondary school curriculum. (82204)
- **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what plans he has to help the most disadvantaged students catch up on learning missed during the covid-19 lockdown to prevent the attainment gap from widening.

 (82209)
- **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what guidance his Department has issued to academy trusts on ensuring the affordability of school uniforms. (81909)
- **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what his Department's policy is on teachers wearing face masks when schools return during the covid-19 outbreak; and if he will publish his Department's risk assessment on that matter. (81591)
- **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what the evidential basis is for the decision to not advise school staff to wear personal protective equipment when schools resume in September 2020. (81592)
- **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether his Department plans to introduce maintenance loans for post-graduate education. (81599)
- **Paul Maynard** (Blackpool North and Cleveleys): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, when he plans to publish the ECORYS evaluation of the 2019 Holiday Activities and Food scheme. (81764)
- **Siobhain McDonagh** (Mitcham and Morden): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, on what date the temporary extension of free school meals for children in families with No Recourse to Public Funds conditions will cease; and if he will publish a Children's Rights Impact Assessment on the ending of that extension. (81503)
- **Siobhain McDonagh** (Mitcham and Morden): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what estimate his Department has made of the cost of temporarily providing free school meals to certain groups of children subject to the No Recourse to Public Funds condition. (81504)

- 177 **Siobhain McDonagh** (Mitcham and Morden): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, which (a) local authorities, (b) Academy Trusts and (c) other relevant organisations overseeing schools and social care responded to his Department's invitation to order devices to assist with digital learning; and how many devices were requested by each respondent. (81506)
- 178 **Siobhain McDonagh** (Mitcham and Morden): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what plans his Department has to hold discussions with the Department for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport on that Department's digital strategy which is planned to be published in autumn 2020. (81507)
- 179 **Damien Moore** (Southport): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what the Government's timeframe is for the reopening of soft play centres as covid-19 lockdown measures ease. (82346)
- 180 Damien Moore (Southport): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what the Government's timeframe is for the reopening of maternal and child classes as covid-19 lockdown restrictions are eased.

 (82347)
- 181 Damien Moore (Southport): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what plans his Department has for issuing further guidance on which social distancing measures will need to be in place when pre-school education resumes during the covid-19 outbreak.

 (82349)
- 182 Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what guidance he has provided to academy schools on after-school provision during the covid-19 outbreak following their reopening in September 2020.
 (82361)
- 183 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what guidance he has issued to children's centres on allowing physical contact for parents of children in temporary foster care during the covid-19 outbreak. (81612)
- 184 Cat Smith (Lancaster and Fleetwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many care leavers have benefited from the Government's scheme to provide care leavers with access to technology and data. (82076)
- 185 Cat Smith (Lancaster and Fleetwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what estimate he has made of the number of care leavers aged 18 to 21 who do not have access to internet-enabled technology. (82077)
- 186 Cat Smith (Lancaster and Fleetwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment he has made of the accessibility of the free school meal vouchers system for families who (a) do not have access to internet-enabled technology and (b) do not feel able to use that technology. (82078)
- 187 Theresa Villiers (Chipping Barnet): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether UK students enrolled at US universities who cannot continue their studies there as a result of the covid-19 pandemic are eligible to apply for a student loan to finish their studies at a UK university. (81632)

- 188 Theresa Villiers (Chipping Barnet): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if he will provide guidance to the Student Loans Company on how to handle applications from UK students enrolled in US universities who cannot continue their studies there as a result of the covid-19 pandemic and wish to resume higher education in Britain.
- 189 **Christian Wakeford** (Bury South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps the Government is taking to ensure that schools are able to reopen safely during the covid-19 outbreak. (82639)
- 190 Claudia Webbe (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what plans have been made to expand the 30 hours free childcare scheme to include children under the age of three with parents who are key workers. (82591)
- 191 **Mick Whitley** (Birkenhead): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what guidance his Department has issued to (a) schools and (b) further education providers on the provision of in-house counselling to support the mental health needs of young people following the covid-19 outbreak. (82422)
- 192 **Mick Whitley** (Birkenhead): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to the Children Society's report entitled The Good Childhood Report 2020, what assessment his Department has made of the implications for its policies on promoting the wellbeing of children. (82423)
- 193 Anthony Browne (South Cambridgeshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what estimate he has made of the level of farming income lost as a result of (a) illegal hare coursing and (b) damage to farmlands resulting from illegal hare coursing. (82535)
- 194 **Elliot Colburn** (Carshalton and Wallington): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent steps he has taken to ensure that (a) dog and (b) cat meat is not being consumed in the UK. (82449)
- 195 **Elliot Colburn** (Carshalton and Wallington): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what estimate he has made of the number of pregnant dogs illegally imported into the UK in 2020. (82454)
- 196 Elliot Colburn (Carshalton and Wallington): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, with reference to the All-Party Parliamentary Group on Cats report entitled Cats as Companions: Can Cats Help Tackle Loneliness, published July 2020, what discussions he has had with the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care of the effectiveness of pet ownership on (a) reducing loneliness and (b) reducing cost to the NHS. (82458)
- 197 Elliot Colburn (Carshalton and Wallington): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment his Department has made of the (a) adequacy of the regulation and enforcement of pet imports, (b) trends in the level of pet imports during the covid-19 outbreak and (c) effect of the UK leaving the EU on pet imports.

- 198 **Tracey Crouch** (Chatham and Aylesford): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what plans he has to ensure that recreational sea anglers are consulted on the implementation of Highly Protected Marine Areas.

 (81795)
- 199 Martyn Day (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how many recycling plants in the UK accept and process (a) polycarbonate, (b) polyethylene, (c) polyethylene terephthalate and (d) bisphenol A; and where are they located. (82161)
- 200 Martyn Day (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he has taken to ensure that (a) micro- and (b) nano-plastics used in products, such as (i) food packaging and (ii) mobile phones, are not harmful to human health. (82162)
- 201 Martyn Day (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether he has made an estimate has been made of the amount of (a) micro- and (b) nano-plastics contained in food packaging in the UK.

 (82163)
- 202 Martyn Day (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what discussions he has had with his European counterparts on developing a comprehensive cross-border initiatives to reduce the amount of micro- and nano-plastics. (82164)
- 203 Martyn Day (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what plans he has to bring forward legislative proposals to ensure manufacturers reduce micro- and nano-plastics in their processes. (82165)
- 204 **Dr Luke Evans** (Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the effect of the covid-19 pandemic on the practice of puppy smuggling in the UK. (82483)
- 205 **Mr Richard Holden** (North West Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what additional support is being considered for animal rescue organisations in response to the covid-19 outbreak to ensure those organisations are able to operate and protect the welfare of animals. (82543)
- 206 Mr Richard Holden (North West Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent assessment his Department has made of the (a) adequacy of existing regulation and enforcement of pet imports, (b) changes in the level of pet imports during the covid-19 lockdown and (c) effect of the UK leaving the EU on importation of (i) puppies and (ii) kittens to the UK.

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207 Mr Richard Holden (North West Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of further restricting the importation of pets from overseas to encourage the rehousing of animals in UK pet rescue facilities.

(82545)

208 Mr Richard Holden (North West Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what plans his Department has to bring forward legislative proposals to regulate animal rehoming.

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209 Mr Richard Holden (North West Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of introducing a registration and licensing system for animal sanctuaries and rehoming activities.

(82548)

- 210 Mr Richard Holden (North West Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the extent to which illegal puppy and kitten dealers have established themselves as rescue centres to continue their trade (a) in the UK and (b) overseas since the ban on third-party sales of such animals came into force in the UK. (82549)
- 211 Simon Jupp (East Devon): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps the Environment Agency is taking to prevent illegal angling in Devon. (82609)
- 212 Justin Madders (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how many applications have (a) been made and (b) accepted under the Zoo Animals Fund since its introduction. (82043)
- 213 Mr Andrew Mitchell (Sutton Coldfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 20 July 2020 to Question 72166 on Animal Products: Imports, what steps he is taking to include lions in the definition of endangered species. (81586)
- 214 Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what plans he has, as part of the England Tree Strategy, to amend guidance on granting Tree Preservation Orders to afford greater priority to the environmental benefits of those Orders. (82357)
- 215 **Jeff Smith** (Manchester, Withington): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 23 March 2020 to Question 30111 on Metaldehyde, when the Government plans to make a fresh decision on whether the sale and use of metaldehyde products should continue to be authorised. (82093)
- 216 Nick Smith (Blaenau Gwent): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment his Department has made of the potential effect of hydrogen technology on improving air quality. (81771)

- 217 Zarah Sultana (Coventry South): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what plans his Department has to work with third sector organisations to allow people with disabilities to self-certify as vulnerable to access donations of food and other essentials. (82495)
- 218 Owen Thompson (Midlothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether the Government will require companies to buy letters of access to use data held by the European Chemicals Agency after the transition period.

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- Owen Thompson (Midlothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what is the estimated (a) cost and (b) timescale of the Government's plan to create a UK equivalent to the European Chemicals Agency's Reach registration database.

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- 220 **Liz Twist** (Blaydon): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to help protect the hen harrier from extinction. (82282)
- 221 **Liz Twist** (Blaydon): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what plans his Department has to review regulation of driven grouse shooting to help protect (a) hen harriers and (b) other birds of prey. (82283)
- 222 Daniel Zeichner (Cambridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what discussions he has had with the Secretary of State for International Trade on the (a) decision to include a 260,000 tonnes Autonomous Tariff Quota for raw cane sugar in the Government's UK Global Tariff scheme and (b) effect of that decision on (i) the UK sugar beet industry, (ii) Tate & Lyle Sugars and (iii) the protection of UK food production standards in trade policy. (81976)
- 223 **Daniel Zeichner** (Cambridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, with reference to the 2020 25 Year Environment Plan progress update, what steps the Government (a) is taking and (b) plans to take to reach its target to restore 75 per cent of protected wildlife sites to favourable condition by 2042.
- 224 **Daniel Zeichner** (Cambridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will make it his policy to (a) commission independent annual reviews of the implementation of the 25 Year Environment Plan and (b) make a statement to Parliament when updates to that plan are published. (81982)
- 225 Alan Brown (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, pursuant to the Answer of 28 July to Question 76780 on Whisky: USA, what discussions she has had with her counterpart in the US on the tariffs applied to Scotch Whisky exports to the US since the meeting on 10 July 2020; and what the US Administration's position is on the removal of those tariffs.

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- 226 Alan Brown (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, pursuant to the Answer of 28 July to Question 76780 on Whisky: USA, whether the effects of the imposition of tariffs on blended scotch whisky was discussed at the meeting on 10 July 2020; and if she will make a statement.
- Jonathan Gullis (Stoke-on-Trent North): To ask the Secretary of State for
 International Trade, what progress she has made on negotiating a free trade agreement with the US.
- 228 Jonathan Gullis (Stoke-on-Trent North): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what recent steps she has taken to reduce tariffs on British ceramic exports.
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- Jonathan Gullis (Stoke-on-Trent North): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what steps her Department is taking to encourage inward investment into the UK. (82555)
- 230 Jonathan Gullis (Stoke-on-Trent North): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what steps her Department is taking to engage with ceramic businesses as part of negotiating free trade agreements. (82556)
- 231 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what recent assessment she has made of the likelihood of a trade deal with New Zealand being completed by 31 December 2020. (82375)
- 232 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what recent assessment she has made of the potential for a trade deal with Australia being completed by 31 December 2020. (82376)
- 233 Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, if she will make it her policy to exclude the NHS from potential future trade deals. (82517)
- 234 **Charlotte Nichols** (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, if she will suspend arms exports to Saudi Arabia. (82518)
- 235 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what is the (a) purpose is and (b) latest estimated cost of establishing a new dedicated Trade Negotiation Facility. (81659)
- 236 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, if she will publish her Department's business case for the establishment of a dedicated Trade Negotiation Facility. (81660)
- 237 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, whether her Department plans to revise its business case for the establishment of a dedicated Trade Negotiation Facility in light of HM Treasury's revised Green Book guidance. (81661)

- 238 Emily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, whether his Department has made a decision on the location of the proposed Trade Negotiation Facility. (81662)
- Emily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what two sites in London her Department identified in 2019-20 as potential venues for the establishment of the proposed Trade Negotiation Facility.
- 240 Emily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what sites the Government is considering as potential venues for the establishment of a dedicated trade negotiation facility. (81664)
- 241 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what is latest timeframe is for the dedicated Trade Negotiation Facility to become operational. (81665)
- 242 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what criteria she uses to delegate responsibility for approving arms export licences to (a) junior ministers and (b) officials in her Department. (81666)
- 243 Emily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, with reference to her Written Statement of 7 July 2020 on Trade Update, whether the 27 May 2015 air-strike on the HQ of Saleh-loyal troops in southern Sanaa was (a) among the alleged incidents of violations of International Humanitarian Law in Yemen examined by her Department under the revised methodology and (b) one of the incidents classed as a possible breach of International Humanitarian Law.
- 244 Emily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, with reference to the Written Statement of 7 July 2020, HCWS339 on Trade Update, whether the 27 May 2015 air-strike on an arms depot in Faj Attan was (a) among the alleged incidents of violations of International Humanitarian Law in Yemen examined by her Department under the revised methodology and (b) one of the incidents classed as a possible breach of International Humanitarian Law.
- 245 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, with reference to the Written Statement of 7 July 2020, HCWS339 on Trade Update, whether the 6 July 2015 air-strike on a market in Lahj was (a) among the alleged incidents of violations of International Humanitarian Law in Yemen examined by her Department under the revised methodology and (b) one of the incidents classed as a possible breach of International Humanitarian Law.
- 246 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, with reference to the Written Statement of 7 July 2020, HCWS339 on Trade Update, whether the 13 August 2016 air-strike on a school in Haydan was (a) among the alleged incidents of violations of International

Humanitarian Law in Yemen examined by her Department under the revised methodology and (b) one of the incidents classed as a possible breach of International Humanitarian Law.

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247 Emily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, with reference to the Written Statement of 7 July 2020, HCWS339 on Trade Update, whether the 11 May 2015 air-strike on a weapons store in Azal was (a) among the alleged incidents of violations of International Humanitarian Law in Yemen examined by her Department under the revised methodology and (b) one of the incidents classed as a possible breach of International Humanitarian Law.

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- 248 Emily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, with reference to the Written Statement of 7 July 2020, HCWS339 on Trade Update, whether the 15 August 2016 air-strike on a Médecins Sans Frontières hospital in Abs was (a) among the alleged incidents of violations of International Humanitarian Law in Yemen examined by her Department under the revised methodology and (b) one of the incidents classed as a possible breach of International Humanitarian Law. (81672)
- 249 Emily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, with reference to the Written Statement of 7 July 2020, HCWS339 on Trade Update, whether the 5 January 2016 air-strike on a school for the blind in Sanaa was (a) among the alleged incidents of violations of International Humanitarian Law in Yemen examined by her Department under the revised methodology and (b) one of the incidents classed as a possible breach of International Humanitarian Law. (81673)
- 250 Emily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, with reference to the Written Statement of 7 July 2020, HCWS339 on Trade Update, whether the 8 January 2016 air-strike on a water desalination plant in Mokha was (a) among the alleged incidents of violations of International Humanitarian Law in Yemen examined by her Department under the revised methodology and (b) one of the incidents classed as a possible breach of International Humanitarian Law. (81674)
- 251 Emily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, with reference to the Written Statement of 7 July 2020, HCWS339 on Trade Update, whether the 28 September 2015 air-strike on a wedding in Al-Wahijah was (a) among the alleged incidents of violations of International Humanitarian Law in Yemen examined by her Department under the revised methodology and (b) one of the incidents classed as a possible breach of International Humanitarian Law. (81675)
- 252 Emily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, with reference to the Written Statement of 7 July 2020, HCWS339 on Trade Update, whether the 1 May 2015 air-strike on resort in Khadir was (a) among the alleged incidents of violations of International Humanitarian

Law in Yemen examined by her Department under the revised methodology and (b) one of the incidents classed as a possible breach of International Humanitarian Law. (81676)

- 253 Emily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, with reference to the Written Statement of 7 July 2020, HCWS339 on Trade Update, whether the 31 August 2019 air-strike on a college in Dhamar City was (a) among the alleged incidents of violations of International Humanitarian Law in Yemen examined by her Department under the revised methodology and (b) one of the incidents classed as a possible breach of International Humanitarian Law. (81677)
- 254 Emily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, with reference to the Written Statement of 7 July 2020, HCWS339 on Trade Update, whether the 8 October 2016 air-strike on a hall in Sanhan was (a) among the alleged incidents of violations of International Humanitarian Law in Yemen examined by her Department under the revised methodology and (b) one of the incidents classed as a possible breach of International Humanitarian Law.
- 255 Emily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, with reference to the Written Statement of 7 July 2020, HCWS339 on Trade Update, whether the 19 September 2015 air-strike on a market in Monabbih was (a) among the alleged incidents of violations of International Humanitarian Law in Yemen examined by her Department under the revised methodology and (b) one of the incidents classed as a possible breach of International Humanitarian Law. (81679)
- 256 Emily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, with reference to the Written Statement of 7 July 2020, HCWS339 on Trade Update, whether the 24 September 2015 air-strike on a wedding in Al-Mukha was (a) among the alleged incidents of violations of International Humanitarian Law in Yemen examined by her Department under the revised methodology and (b) one of the incidents classed as a possible breach of International Humanitarian Law.
- 257 Emily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, with reference to the Written Statement of 7 July 2020, HCWS339 on Trade Update, whether the 2 April 2018 air-strike on a displaced persons camp in Al-Hali was (a) among the alleged incidents of violations of International Humanitarian Law in Yemen examined by her Department under the revised methodology and (b) one of the incidents classed as a possible breach of International Humanitarian Law.
- 258 Emily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, with reference to the Written Statement of 7 July 2020, HCWS339 on Trade Update, whether the 9 August 2018 air-strike on Dhahyan market in Majz was (a) among the alleged incidents of violations of International

Humanitarian Law in Yemen examined by her Department under the revised methodology and (b) one of the incidents classed as a possible breach of International Humanitarian Law.

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- 259 Emily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, with reference to the Written Statement of 7 July 2020, HCWS339 on Trade Update, whether the 20 August 2015 air-strike on a residential area in Salah was (a) among the alleged incidents of violations of International Humanitarian Law in Yemen examined by her Department under the revised methodology and (b) one of the incidents classed as a possible breach of International Humanitarian Law.
- 260 Emily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, with reference to the Written Statement of 7 July 2020, HCWS339 on Trade Update, whether the 22 October 2015 air-strike in Al-Luhaiyah was (a) among the alleged incidents of violations of International Humanitarian Law in Yemen examined by her Department under the revised methodology and (b) one of the incidents classed as a possible breach of International Humanitarian Law.
- 261 Emily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, with reference to the Written Statement of 7 July 2020, HCWS339 on Trade Update, whether the 24 October 2018 air-strike on a vegetable washing and packing facility in Bait Al-Faqih was (a) among the alleged incidents of violations of International Humanitarian Law in Yemen examined by her Department under the revised methodology and (b) one of the incidents classed as a possible breach of International Humanitarian Law. (81685)
- 262 Emily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, with reference to the Written Statement of 7 July 2020, HCWS339 on Trade Update, whether the 27 February 2016 air-strike on Khulqa market in Nihm was (a) among the alleged incidents of violations of International Humanitarian Law in Yemen examined by her Department under the revised methodology and (b) one of the incidents classed as a possible breach of International Humanitarian Law.
- Daniel Zeichner (Cambridge): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what impact assessment was carried out prior to the decision to include a 260,000 tonnes Autonomous Tariff Quota for raw cane sugar in the Government's UK Global Tariff scheme on the potential effect of that policy on (a) the UK sugar beet industry, (b) Tate & Lyle Sugars and (c) the protection of UK food production standards in trade policy.
- 264 **Daniel Zeichner** (Cambridge): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what assessment her Department has made of the potential benefits of the 260,000 tonnes Autonomous Tariff Quota for raw cane sugar included in the Government's UK Global Tariff scheme to Tate & Lyle Sugars as the sole cane sugar refining company in the UK.

- Daniel Zeichner (Cambridge): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what steps she is taking to ensure that the 260,000 tonnes Autonomous Tariff Quota for raw cane sugar included in the Government's UK Global Tariff scheme does not have an adverse effect on the UK's commitment to (a) environmental protection, (b) animal welfare and (c) food standards in trade policy. (81973)
- Daniel Zeichner (Cambridge): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, whether the Trade and Agriculture Commission will review the 260,000 tonnes
 Autonomous Tariff Quota for raw cane sugar included in the Government's UK
 Global Tariff scheme in its upcoming report.
- 267 Daniel Zeichner (Cambridge): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, whether the 260,000 tonnes Autonomous Tariff Quota (ATQ) for raw cane sugar included in the Government's UK Global Tariff scheme is intended to balance support for UK producers and to maintain preferential trade with developing countries; and how Department plans to enable the ATQ to achieve that. (81975)
- **Stuart Anderson** (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what plans he has to (a) increase the number of electric vehicles on the UK's roads and (b) ensure the adequate supply of electricity for those vehicles. (82395)
- **Stuart Anderson** (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps he is taking to ensure that people using public transport wear appropriate face coverings during the covid-19 outbreak. (82396)
- **Stuart Anderson** (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps he is taking to ensure that public transport is accessible to people with disabilities during the covid-19 outbreak. (82400)
- **Karen Bradley** (Staffordshire Moorlands): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will extend the period of validity of a Theory Driving Test Certificate in response to the covid-19 lockdown restrictions that were imposed on people learning to drive. (81866)
- **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of step-free access at national rail stations in England. (81988)
- **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for
 Transport, what recent discussions he has had with Network Rail on improving
 step-free access at railway stations. (81989)
- **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what plans he has to include provisions on step free access in the upcoming white paper on the railway network; and on what date (a) that white paper and (b) the Williams Rail Review are planned to be published. (81990)
- **Elliot Colburn** (Carshalton and Wallington): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what plans his Department has to improve transport connectivity in Carshalton and Wallington constituency. (82447)

- 276 **Elliot Colburn** (Carshalton and Wallington): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of allocating funding to support a platform extension at Hackbridge station. (82451)
- 277 Elliot Colburn (Carshalton and Wallington): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what plans his Department has to improve rail connectivity in Wallington, Carshalton, Carshalton Beeches and Hackbridge after planned infrastructure improvements as part of Network Rail's Croydon Area Remodelling Scheme.
- 278 **Virginia Crosbie** (Ynys Môn): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps he plans to take to help prevent accidents as a result of collisions between jet skis and boats. (82606)
- 279 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much printed material has been distributed to public transport providers operating in (a) the UK, (b) London and (c) Lewisham constituency in relation to the requirement to wear face coverings on public transport. (82168)
- Richard Fuller (North East Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 27 April 2020 to Questions 34321 and 38037, when the audit trail which his Department is undertaking with the Rail Delivery Group to identify and validate whether the information on station classification contained in the access map is accurate will be completed; and when changes resulting from that audit trail are planned to be implemented. (81756)
- Richard Fuller (North East Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what type of measurements of air quality are taken along the A1 in Bedfordshire; in which locations those measurements are so taken; what recent assessment has been made of the air quality in those locations; and if he will publish the results of the measurements taken at each of those locations in each of the last three years.
- 282 **Richard Fuller** (North East Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many journeys have been undertaken on average on each day on the A1 in Bedfordshire in each of the last three years; and at which locations those traffic measurements have been taken. (81759)
- 283 **Richard Fuller** (North East Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent cost-benefit analysis has been undertaken of the options for improvements or realignment of the A1 in Bedfordshire. (81760)
- 284 **Richard Fuller** (North East Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent assessment his Department has made of the potential effect on the number of journeys on the A1 in Bedfordshire of the opening of the East West Rail line. (81761)

- Paul Girvan (South Antrim): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what progress has been made on the scoping report on a road transport link between Northern Ireland and Great Britain. (82299)
- 286 Dr Rupa Huq (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps he is taking to make rail travel in the UK more affordable to passengers. (82205)
- **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what guidance his Department has provided to train operating companies on the ratio of first class seating to standard class seating on passenger trains.

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- **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of introducing demand responsive bus services to reduce the level of private car dependency for travel.

 (82207)
- **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether he plans to split up the Thameslink, Southern and Great Northern rail franchise. (82208)
- **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether he has met with TravelUp to discuss the implications for his policies of their proposals for airlines to protect customers' money in trusts. (81593)
- **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps his Department is taking to ensure the Cycle to Work scheme is available to people on zero-hour contracts. (81602)
- **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many (a) accidents and (b) fatalities occurred on the A49 in Shropshire between the Bayston Hill junction with the A5 and Church Stretton in (i) 2019, (ii) 2018, (iii) 2017 and (iv) 2016.
- **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what plans the Government has to make it compulsory for bicycles to be fitted with bells when in use.

 (81727)
- **Christian Matheson** (City of Chester): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what plans he has to include Portugal on the list of countries from which people are not required to quarantine on return to the UK; and what criteria he will use to make that decision. (82019)
- **Stuart C McDonald** (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many applications to change a vehicle description to a motor home the Driver and Vehicle Licensing Agency has received in each of the last three years; and how many of those applications have been granted. (82004)

- 296 Catherine McKinnell (Newcastle upon Tyne North): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of the effect on regional economies of job losses in aviation as a result of the covid-19 pandemic. (81899)
- **John McNally** (Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether he has made an assessment of the potential risk of allowing D4 drivers categorised as healthy to defer their medicals for a year. (82050)
- **Jessica Morden** (Newport East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of reconfiguring the South Wales Mainline so that inter-city services can be separated from commuter services; and if he will make a statement. (81698)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps he is taking to ensure that the Government's bicycle repair vouchers are issued to people (a) with the greatest need and (b) who live in areas that most require an increase in uptake of active travel. (82326)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of the accessibility of the Government's bicycle repair voucher scheme to people without access to a computer. (82327)
- 301 Sarah Olney (Richmond Park): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of the potential (a) archaeological effect and (b) effect on Stonehenge's status as a UNESCO World Heritage Site of the proposed upgrade to the A303.
- **Abena Oppong-Asare** (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether support is in place for people whose travel insurance did not cover their having to cancel their holiday as a result of being unable to secure a mandatory covid-19 test before travelling. (82570)
- **Abena Oppong-Asare** (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what guidance he has issued to (a) local authorities and (b) businesses on the access needs of disabled people when making changes to roads, pavements and parking spaces as a result of the covid-19 outbreak. (82571)
- **Kate Osamor** (Edmonton): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will publish the (a) scientific and (b) technical advice that informed the Government's decision to exclude Portugal from the Government's air bridge scheme. (82673)
- **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many applications for van to motor caravan conversions have been made in last five years; and how many of those applications have been turned down and for what reasons.

 (82360)
- **John Redwood** (Wokingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what guidance he is issuing to local authorities to make it easier for people to drive to town centres and park to boost local economies. (81474)

- 307 **John Redwood** (Wokingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what funding is available for local authorities to improve junction safety and capacity and to remove bottlenecks to make it easier for people to get into town centres by car and van. (81475)
- 308 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps he is taking to encourage transport operators to ensure that their services are well-ventilated to limit the spread of covid-19. (81610)
- 309 Alec Shelbrooke (Elmet and Rothwell): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what plans the Government has to introduce International Road Permits for HGVs entering the UK from 1 January 2021 in the event that a reciprocal agreement is not secured in negotiations on the UK's future trading relationship with the EU. (81817)
- 310 Alec Shelbrooke (Elmet and Rothwell): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what discussions he has had with Ryanair on (a) the continuation of that airline's flights to Spain and (b) the provision of vouchers or refunds to its customers who cancel a flight in order to adhere to Foreign and Commonwealth Office's guidance advising against all but essential travel to Spain. (81818)
- 311 **Nick Smith** (Blaenau Gwent): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment his Department has made of the role of hydrogen passenger vehicles in de-carbonising transport. (81769)
- Julian Sturdy (York Outer): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, when he next plans to review the list of countries not subject to covid-19 travel quarantine exemptions; and how frequently those reviews are being undertaken. (81836)
- 313 Zarah Sultana (Coventry South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment his Department has made of the feasibility of powered two-wheelers as an alternative to public transport while capacity is reduced for covid-19 social distancing. (82497)
- 314 Claudia Webbe (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what plans his Department has to work with airlines to provide refunds for customers who have been forced to cancel holidays as a result of local covid-19 lockdown restrictions.

 (82592)
- 315 Catherine West (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent progress has been made in the discussions with (a)
 Transport for London and (b) the Mayor of London on the Government's review into Transport for London's future financial sustainability. (82223)
- 316 **Pete Wishart** (Perth and North Perthshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps the DVLA is taking to make the processing of V5 forms (a) more efficient and (b) accessible online during the covid-19 outbreak. (81603)
- 317 **Daniel Zeichner** (Cambridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, when part-time season tickets will be introduced for commuter services into (a) London, (b) Manchester (c) Birmingham. (81977)

- 318 **Daniel Zeichner** (Cambridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will make it his policy to enable local authorities to introduce electric vehicle workplace charging schemes without prior permission from his Department. (81978)
- 319 **Daniel Zeichner** (Cambridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, when diesel trains will cease to operate on the rail network. (81979)
- 320 **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment she has made for the implications of her policy of the Court of Appeal judgment handed down on 22 June 2020 on the Universal Credit system; and if she will make a statement. (82344)
- 321 Ian Blackford (Ross, Skye and Lochaber): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if she will increase the standard rate of (a) employment support allowance and (b) jobseekers allowance in line with the increases applied to (i) universal credit and (ii) working tax credit to help support claimants who are not entitled to other extra cost benefits.
- Alan Brown (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what plans she has to amend the Gas Safety Management Regulations to allow hydrogen blending within the main grid to levels higher than 0.1 per cent by volume; and if she will make a statement. (82102)
- 323 Alan Brown (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, pursuant to the Answer of 28 July 2020 to Question 76783 on Child Maintenance Service: Secondment, how many Child Maintenance Service staff members remain deployed to the provision of other services. (82113)
- 324 Alan Brown (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, pursuant to the Answer of 28 July 2020 to Question 76783 on Child Maintenance Service: Secondment, how many of the 10,000 staff redeployed for the provision of frontline services are (a) still redeployed, (b) redeployed on a temporary basis and (c) redeployed on a permanent basis. (82114)
- Alan Brown (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, pursuant to the Answer of 28 July 2020 to Question 76783 on Child Maintenance Service: Secondment, how many new employees have been recruited for the provision of frontline services since the start of the covid-19 outbreak to allow Child Maintenance Service staff to return to the roles they were redeployed from.
- 326 **Dr Lisa Cameron** (East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many (a) pension credit claims and (b) successful pension credit claims there were in each of the last 12 months for which data is available. (82024)
- 327 **Virginia Crosbie** (Ynys Môn): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if she will make it her policy to permit personal independence payments assessment forms to be completed online during the covid-19 outbreak. (82607)

- Thangam Debbonaire (Bristol West): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, pursuant to the Answer of 14 July to Question 69599, what steps she is taking to bring the performance at the Bristol personal independence payment assessment centre back to the published service standard of 90% of claimants being examined within 30 minutes of their appointment time; and if she will make an estimate of when that standard will be achieved.
- 329 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to the oral contribution of the Minister for Disabled People to the Work and Pensions Committee on 29 October 2014, Qq275-6, what estimate she has made of the contribution to the public purse for every £1 spent on the Access to Work programme.
- 330 **Richard Fuller** (North East Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what recent assessment she has made of the effectiveness of the Child Maintenance Service's Financial Investigations Unit. (81752)
- 331 **Richard Fuller** (North East Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps she will take to improve the ability of the Child Maintenance Service to scrutinise effectively new claims of hardship from a paying parent who has previously been proven by the First-tier Tribunal (Social Security and Child Support) to falsify their financial records.
- 332 **Richard Fuller** (North East Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps she is taking to prevent silo working and improve information sharing within the Child Maintenance Service. (81754)
- 333 **Seema Malhotra** (Feltham and Heston): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps her Department is taking to reduce the number of (a) fatalities and (b) serious injuries which occur as a result of working at height. (81916)
- 334 Seema Malhotra (Feltham and Heston): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what recent assessment she made of the (a) effectiveness of enhanced RIDDOR reporting, (b) potential merits of appointing a confidential reporting body for all near misses and accidents that do not qualify for RIDDOR reporting and (c) potential merits of extending Working Well Together safety campaigns to industries outside the construction sector to reduce the number of working at height fatalities.
- Seema Malhotra (Feltham and Heston): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what recent discussions she had with the (a) Health and Safety Executive and (b) Access Industry Forum on reducing the number of serious injuries and fatalities from working at height. (81918)
- Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many people living in (a) York Central constituency and (b) City of York Council area have No Recourse to Public Funds. (82126)

- 337 **Paul Maynard** (Blackpool North and Cleveleys): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if she will commission a study from the Industrial Injuries Advisory Council on (a) the prevalence of chronic obstructive pulmonary disease among former employees of the health and beauty industry and (b) their potential eligibility for industrial injuries disablement benefit. (81765)
- 338 Ian Mearns (Gateshead): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what plans her Department has to review the (a) weekly income limit, (b) maximum number of qualifying years and (c) other eligibility criteria and limitations on the Statutory Redundancy Pay Scheme. (81822)
- Jessica Morden (Newport East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many people have died while waiting for their eligibility for personal independence payment to be determined since April 2018. (81700)
- 340 **Jessica Morden** (Newport East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many people who applied for personal independence payment died within six months of making their application since April 2018. (81701)
- Jessica Morden (Newport East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many claimants of personal independence payments have died within three months of having their application rejected since April 2018. (81702)
- 342 **Dr Dan Poulter** (Central Suffolk and North Ipswich): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what plans her Department has to provide further support to food banks in response to a potential increase in unemployment as the Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme ends. (81776)
- Jonathan Reynolds (Stalybridge and Hyde): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what plans she has to impose mandatory conditions to encourage (a) universal credit and (b) job seeker's allowance claimants aged below 25 to participate in the Kickstart Scheme.
- Jonathan Reynolds (Stalybridge and Hyde): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what measures the Government plans to introduce to ensure that work placements created by the Kickstart Scheme provide high quality employment; and what definition of high quality the Government plans apply when making assessments of those work placements. (81872)
- Jonathan Reynolds (Stalybridge and Hyde): To ask the Secretary of State for
 Work and Pensions, what discussions she had with trade unions in developing the
 Kickstart Scheme.
- Jonathan Reynolds (Stalybridge and Hyde): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps she will take to ensure that work placements on the Kickstart Scheme are in addition to and not a replacement for existing jobs. (81874)

- 347 **Mr Barry Sheerman** (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps she is taking to ensure parity between the amount received by claimants of universal credit in relation to the covid-19 outbreak and claimants of (a) employment support allowance (b) Jobseekers Allowance and (c) other benefits.
- 348 **Jeff Smith** (Manchester, Withington): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what discussions he has had with the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care on potential difficulties that people with mental health problems have in applying for benefits during the covid-19 outbreak. (82092)
- 349 Zarah Sultana (Coventry South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what plans her Department has to permanently abolish (a) conditionality, (b) sanctioning and (c) the five-week wait for universal credit for disabled claimants.
 (82492)
- Zarah Sultana (Coventry South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and
 Pensions, what plans her Department has to increase the rate of Statutory Sick Pay
 to in line with the National Minimum Wage.
- 351 Zarah Sultana (Coventry South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps her Department is taking to allow health and disability benefit claimants with mental health illnesses to choose assessment types that are accessible to their needs during the covid-19 outbreak. (82498)
- Theresa Villiers (Chipping Barnet): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what recent assessment she has made of the financial effect on small businesses of workplace pensions. (81631)
- 353 **Mohammad Yasin** (Bedford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what discussions she has had with the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care on the potential additional barriers people with mental health problems experience in applying for benefits during the covid-19 outbreak. (82254)
- 354 **Nickie Aiken** (Cities of London and Westminster): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of making the drug known as Trikafta or Kaftrio available to people with Cystic Fibrosis through the NHS. (82390)
- 355 **Stuart Anderson** (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he has taken to ensure all personnel in hospitals wear appropriate personal protective equipment. (82394)
- 356 **Stuart Anderson** (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he has taken to ensure that people who require outpatient services have access to them as covid-19 lockdown restrictions are eased. (82397)

- **Stuart Anderson** (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what safeguards he is putting in place to ensure that vulnerable and elderly people have access to GP surgeries during and following the covid-19 outbreak. (82402)
- **Stuart Anderson** (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department takes to ensure that independent pharmacists are able to obtain essential medicine at fair and reasonable prices. (82413)
- **Paula Barker** (Liverpool, Wavertree): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to ensure the supply chains of companies providing medical nutrition products are not adversely affected by the UK's withdrawal from the EU. (82584)
- **Scott Benton** (Blackpool South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what comparative assessment was made of the rate of complications resulting from abortion performed at (a) hospital and (b) home prior to the introduction of the temporary provision which permits both sets of abortion pills to be used at home. (82514)
- **Scott Benton** (Blackpool South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what information his Department holds on abortion coercion for (a) surgical abortions and (b) out-of-clinic medical abortions. (82515)
- **Scott Benton** (Blackpool South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when the new guidelines for do not resuscitate orders will be published; and how that guidance will prevent such orders being applied without patient consent.

 (82516)
- Sir Paul Beresford (Mole Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment the Government has made of the (a) effect of alcohol-based hand sanitisers on people with skin conditions and (b) effectiveness of alternatives available to people who cannot use alcohol-based hand sanitisers due to skin conditions or allergies.
- **Sir Paul Beresford** (Mole Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of guidance on hand sanitisers for people who cannot use alcohol-based hand rubs as a result of (a) eczema, (b) dermatitis, (c) other skin conditions and (d) allergy reactions. (81487)
- **Sir Paul Beresford** (Mole Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will undertake a review of whether alcohol-free hand sanitisers which are independently lab-certified to be effective can be included in public guidance alongside alcohol-based products. (81488)
- **Sir Paul Beresford** (Mole Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans the Government has to review the regulatory regime for hand sanitiser products to ensure those on sale are both safe and effective. (81489)

367 Mr Ben Bradshaw (Exeter): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps the Government is taking to (a) promote the NHS Rightcare Epilepsy Toolkit and (b) implement best practice highlighted in that toolkit on tackling epilepsy mortality.

(81509)

368 Mr Ben Bradshaw (Exeter): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if the Government will meet representatives of SUDEP Action to discuss its research into the effect of covid-19 on (a) people with epilepsy, (b) health professionals and (c) people bereaved by that condition.

(81510)

369 Mr Ben Bradshaw (Exeter): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking in response to the recent Learning Disability Mortality Review's (LeDeR) recommendation that epilepsy safety should be prioritised with basic safety measures including (a) the completion of SUDEP Action's SUDEP and Seizure Safety Checklist and (b) regular risk assessments integrated into care to prevent future avoidable epilepsy deaths; and if he will meet with representatives of SUDEP Action to discuss the Government's plans.

(81511)

- 370 Paul Bristow (Peterborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what proportion of NHS funding spend on cancer is currently spent on prostate cancer. (82504)
- 371 Paul Bristow (Peterborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment Public Health England has made on the need for a national public awareness campaign on prostate cancer. (82505)
- 372 Paul Bristow (Peterborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the effect of the covid-19 outbreak on prostate cancer identification and diagnosis rates from March 2020 to July 2020. (82506)
- 373 Paul Bristow (Peterborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether the National Screening Committee in its review into the case for prostate cancer screening will make an assessment of the European Association of Urologists' recommendation, published in its 2019 position paper on the widescale adoption of population-based prostate cancer screening programmes. (82507)
- 374 Alan Brown (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to prevent a second covid-19 wave. (82112)
- 375 Dawn Butler (Brent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will publish the sign-off process for awarding contracts for personal protective equipment procurement. (81619)
- 376 Dawn Butler (Brent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many items of personal protective equipment were procured through his Department's contract with Trade Markets Direct. (81620)
- 377 Dawn Butler (Brent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many items of personal protective equipment were procured through his Department's contract with Elite Creations UK. (81621)

- 378 **Sir Alan Campbell** (Tynemouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans the Government has to adopt the independent SAGE Group's proposed zero covid-UK strategy. (81579)
- 379 **Sir Alan Campbell** (Tynemouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if the Government will make it its policy to implement the findings of the Cumberlege Review in full. (81580)
- 380 **Sir Alan Campbell** (Tynemouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure everyone in the at risk groups receives a flu vaccine in 2020. (81582)
- Sir Alan Campbell (Tynemouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans he has to increase disclosure to families involved in complaints on disciplinary procedures within the NHS. (81583)
- 382 **Sir Alan Campbell** (Tynemouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether the Government plans to provide free face masks to people in receipt of benefits.

 (81584)
- 383 **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps the Government is taking tackle the risk of stigma faced by people who are unable to wear face masks due to hidden disabilities and/or mental health reasons. (82319)
- 384 Dan Carden (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans he has to update NHS guidance on allowing non-essential visitors to NHS facilities as covid-19 lockdown restrictions are eased. (82320)
- 385 **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when his Department plans to publish the proposed vaccine strategy. (82322)
- 386 Dan Carden (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the effect of the covid-19 outbreak on immunisation targets. (82323)
- 387 **Bambos Charalambous** (Enfield, Southgate): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of the report by the Teenage Cancer Trust entitled Cancer x Coronavirus:

 The Impact on young people. (82269)
- 388 Bambos Charalambous (Enfield, Southgate): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will publish cancer waiting time statistics for (a) urgent two week wait referrals and (b) the 62 day wait for first treatment for the last (i) six months, (ii) 12 months and (iii) 24 months, by age. (82270)
- 389 **Bambos Charalambous** (Enfield, Southgate): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate he has made of the number of clinical trials involving 13 to 24 year olds with cancer that have been disrupted or abandoned as a result of the covid-19 outbreak. (82271)

- 390 **Bambos Charalambous** (Enfield, Southgate): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when NICE plans to publish a timetable for technology appraisals delayed as a result of the covid-19 outbreak; and whether NICE plans to prioritise the appraisals of advanced therapy medicinal products. (82272)
- 391 **Bambos Charalambous** (Enfield, Southgate): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when the NICE technology appraisals for upcoming non-malignant haemoglobinopathy therapies will be rescheduled. (82273)
- 392 **Bambos Charalambous** (Enfield, Southgate): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how NICE is reprioritising technology appraisals that were delayed as a result of the covid-19 outbreak. (82274)
- Seryal Clark (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether contracts for procuring personal protective equipment (PPE) were awarded to (a) Ayanda Capital, (b) Uniserve Ltd of Essex, (c) P14 Medical Ltd, (d) PestFix, (e) Clandeboye Agencies Ltd, (f) Medicine Box Ltd of Sutton-in-Ashfield, (g) Initia Ventures Ltd, (h) Monarch Acoustics Ltd of Nottingham, (i) Luxe Lifestyle Ltd, (j) Aventis Solutions Ltd of Wilmslow, (k) Medco Solutions Ltd, (l) Toffeln Ltd and (m) MGP Advisory; what the value was of each such contract; what quantities of materials were delivered through each such contract; and what the delivery dates were to the recipients of the PPE.
- 394 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether the Government's press release of 16 August 2020 announcing £5 million of funding for social prescribing extends to people (a) under the age of 18 and (b) aged 18 to 25. (82578)
- 395 **Elliot Colburn** (Carshalton and Wallington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether the safety issues identified with Randox testing kits will have an effect on the publication date of his care home visitation guidance.

 (82448)
- 396 Elliot Colburn (Carshalton and Wallington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when his Department plans to review the suspension of face-to-face community rehabilitation services in England. (82452)
- 397 Elliot Colburn (Carshalton and Wallington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will publish guidance on the use of PPE in social care settings for people who (a) are deaf and (b) have communication needs. (82453)
- 398 Elliot Colburn (Carshalton and Wallington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to support the reopening of sexual health services after the covid-19 outbreak. (82457)
- 399 Elliot Colburn (Carshalton and Wallington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans he has to bring forward a long-term social care reform proposal by the end of 2020 which recognises the additional cost of dementia care.

 (82459)

- 400 Elliot Colburn (Carshalton and Wallington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to improve eye health services.

 (82460)
- 401 Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, (a) what assessment he has made of the effectiveness of the NHSX trial of the Peppy app for pregnant women and new parents; and what plans he has to extend access to that app. (82431)
- **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what correspondence he has had with (a) NHS England and (b) NHS Improvement on reviewing the process by which patients are given a no evidence of active disease verdict; and if he will publish that correspondence. (82432)
- **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has made an assessment of the implications for his policies of the All-party Parliamentary Group on Radiotherapy's six point plan to transform radiotherapy services. (82428)
- 404 Rosie Cooper (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to respond to the correspondence from the hon. Member for West Lancashire of 30 June 2020 on the Government's contract with TransUnion.

 (81687)

- **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans the Government has to review the regulation of sales of hand sanitiser products to (a) help ensure they are (i) safe and (ii) effective and (b) tackle price gouging of those products. (81690)
- **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to protect NHS staff from skin conditions or a worsening of existing skin conditions as a result of the drying effects of alcoholbased hand rubs.

 (81691)
- **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the effectiveness of the Government's tackling obesity public awareness campaign in relation to people with an eating disorder.

 (81692)
- **Alberto Costa** (South Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the safety of recommencing regular face-to-face GP surgery appointments as covid-19 lockdown restrictions are eased. (82082)
- **Alberto Costa** (South Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when his Department plans to allow beauty salons in the Leicester Lockdown Area to reopen. (82085)

- 410 Ronnie Cowan (Inverclyde): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 24 June 2020 to Question 57346 on Cannabis:

 Medical Treatments, what progress the Government has made on implementing a patient registry to monitor outcomes among medical cannabis patients. (82094)
- 411 Ronnie Cowan (Inverclyde): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many unlicensed cannabis-based products have been prescribed on an NHS prescription, dispensed in the community in England and submitted to the NHS Business Services Authority for reimbursement in each month from November 2018 to August 2020. (82095)
- 412 **Ronnie Cowan** (Inverclyde): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many private prescription items for unlicensed cannabis-based medicines have been prescribed and submitted to the NHS Business Services Authority in each month from November 2018 to August 2020. (82096)
- 413 Alex Cunningham (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what information his Department holds on the potential link between higher covid-19 death rates and regional health inequalities in the North East. (81878)
- 414 Alex Cunningham (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans he has to tackle regional health inequalities. (81879)
- 415 **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues on producing impact assessments on health inequalities in policy development. (81880)
- 416 Janet Daby (Lewisham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent steps he has taken to ensure that pharmacies have a sufficient supply of personal protective equipment. (82362)
- 417 **Gareth Davies** (Grantham and Stamford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the prevalence is of healthcare associated infections in hospitals in England. (82598)
- 418 **Mr David Davis** (Haltemprice and Howden): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many care homes were instructed by the NHS to put in place do not resuscitate orders between 1 February 2020 to 1 August 2020; and how many people were placed under those orders. (81525)
- 419 **Mr David Davis** (Haltemprice and Howden): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, on what basis some care homes were chosen by the NHS to put do not resuscitate orders on all their residents during the height of the covid-19 outbreak.
- 420 **Mr David Davis** (Haltemprice and Howden): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many do not resuscitate orders were put in place in care homes where the person died (a) from any cause and (b) with covid-19 on the death certificate between 1 February 2020 to 1 August 2020. (81527)

- 421 **Mr David Davis** (Haltemprice and Howden): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many do not resuscitate orders were put in place between (a) 1 February 2019 to 1 August 2019 and (b) 1 February 2020 to 1 August 2020. (81528)
- 422 **Martyn Day** (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to support the Medicines and Healthcare products Regulatory Agency (MHRA) to uphold quality and safety standards following the UK's withdrawal from the EU. (82157)
- 423 Martyn Day (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of using artificial intelligence to read PET CT scans. (82158)
- 424 Martyn Day (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many people have been diagnosed with gastroenteropancreatic neuroendocrine tumours in (a) England, (b) Northern Ireland, (c) Scotland and (d) Wales in (i) 2014, (ii) 2015, (iii) 2016, (iv) 2017, (v) 2018 and (vi) 2019.
- 425 **Martyn Day** (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to support the Medicines and Healthcare products Regulatory Agency to uphold quality and safety standards after the end of the transition period. (82149)
- 426 Martyn Day (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has made an assessment of the value of artificial intelligence to reading PET CT scans. (82150)
- 427 Martyn Day (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many people have been diagnosed with gastroenteropancreatic neuroendocrine tumours in (a) 2014, (b) 2015, (c) 2016, (d) 2017, (e) 2018 and (f) 2019. (82151)
- 428 **Martyn Day** (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made for the implications of his policies of recent research that found micro- and nano-plastics in human organs; and if he will make a statement. (82166)
- 429 **Martyn Day** (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether an assessment has been made of links between bisphenol A and fertility problems in the UK. (82167)
- 430 **Dr Luke Evans** (Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of (a) the suitability of work transferred from secondary to primary care during the covid-19 outbreak and (b) the level of compliance of those transfers with the terms of the NHS Standard Contract. [R] (82478)

- **Dr Luke Evans** (Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what progress has been made on the development of a robust and reliable antibody test for covid-19; and what the timetable is for that test to be rolled out to the general public. (82482)
- **Richard Fuller** (North East Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 6 August 2020 to Question 78605, whether the weekly covid-19 testing of care home staff and testing of residents every 28 days in all care homes without outbreaks through Pillar 2 referred to in that Answer commenced from 6 July 2020 onwards; and whether the supply of covid-19 tests is adequate to meet demand.
- **Paul Girvan** (South Antrim): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when his Department plans to publish the Government's vaccine strategy. (82305)
- **Jonathan Gullis** (Stoke-on-Trent North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to support the social care sector in (a) Stoke-on-Trent and (b) Staffordshire during the covid-19 outbreak. (82557)
- Jonathan Gullis (Stoke-on-Trent North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to increase NHS capacity at the (a) Royal Stoke University Hospital and (b) Haywood Walk-In Centre in Stoke-on-Trent for the winter 2020-21.
- **Jonathan Gullis** (Stoke-on-Trent North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to improve technology in (a) health and (b) social care sectors in (i) Stoke-on-Trent and (ii) Staffordshire. (82559)
- **Jonathan Gullis** (Stoke-on-Trent North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to increase the covid-19 testing capacity in (a) Stoke-on-Trent and (b) Staffordshire. (82563)
- 438 Andrew Gwynne (Denton and Reddish): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what guidance his Department has provided to prisons on protecting the health and safety of prisoners held permanently in their cells as a result of the covid-19 outbreak. (82650)
- **Robert Halfon** (Harlow): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many clear face masks have been distributed to health and social care settings to allow lip reading and communication for deaf patients and staff. (81808)
- **Robert Halfon** (Harlow): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will work with FIXR to incorporate contact tracing into their app. (81815)
- Helen Hayes (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment has he made of the efficacy of National Pharmacy Association advice to pharmacists responding to customer complaints that no admission of error should be made to customers; and whether that advice represents a contravention of Statutory Duty of Candour. (82191)

- Helen Hayes (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will publish, by local authority area, the number of (a) personnel carrying out covid-19 contact tracing in England and (b) close contacts (i) identified and (ii) traced by those personnel.
- 443 Helen Hayes (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will publish, by local authority area, the number and proportion of close contacts of those who have been, or are suspected as having been, infected or contaminated with covid-19 who (a) are undergoing covid-19 testing, (b) have tested positive for covid-19 and (c) have received advice as a result of that contact tracing to self-isolate or quarantine.
- 444 Helen Hayes (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many (a) consultants in communicable disease control and (b) community infection control nurses are working in those roles in each local authority area for the most recent period for which such information is available.
 (82196)
- Helen Hayes (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, which (a) public bodies and (b) companies are carrying out covid-19 tests on behalf of the Government; and what the (a) sensitivity,
 (b) specificity and (c) cost is of those tests so delivered by those public bodies or companies.
- Helen Hayes (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment he has made of the potential effect of the long term health consequences of covid-19 on the NHS. (82199)
- 447 Helen Hayes (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the effect of the covid-19 outbreak on his Department's ability to meet immunisation targets. (82200)
- 448 **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to prepare for a potential second wave of covid-19 during winter 2020-21. (82201)
- 449 **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to maximise the take up of the influenza vaccine in 2020. (82202)
- 450 **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when his Department plans to publish the proposed vaccine strategy.

 (82203)
- 451 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many women have been admitted to hospital for complications after being prescribed medical abortion pills, since 1 April 2020. (81519)

- **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many British manufacturers (a) approached the National PPE Sourcing team and (b) were awarded contracts to supply personal protective equipment to the NHS.
- **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many people have died in care homes in (a) April, (b) May and (c) June 2020 in (i) Preston and (ii) Lancashire compared to the same period in each of the last two years.
- **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to England's Covid contact-tracing system, what criteria his Department used to award Serco a contract in relation to that system. (81547)
- **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many companies tendered for the Covid-19 contact-tracing system contract for England. (81548)
- **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to recruit workers to the social care sector from within the UK. (81549)
- **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what unconscious bias training his Department offers to healthcare professionals. (81550)
- **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the effect of unconscious bias on the treatment of BAME covid-19 patients. (81551)
- **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate he has made of the number of children of essential workers that tested positive for covid-19 between March and July 2020. (82657)
- **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans he has to increase the frequency of his weekly review of lockdown measures across England. (81555)
- **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, the number of (a) British and (b) foreign travellers that have been fined for breaching quarantine rules following arrival to England from a non-exempt country in the last two months.

 (81558)
- **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans he has to expand covid-19 testing to ensure all members of the public can access tests. (81559)

- **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether regulation 32(2)c of the Public Contract Regulations 2015 applies to procuring vendors in making preparations for a second wave of the covid-19 outbreak.
- **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to regulation 32(2)(c) of the Public Contract Regulations 2015, what assessment the Government makes when procuring (a) goods (b) services and (c) works of the ability of successful bidding companies to produce the items ordered. (81561)
- **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what his Department is doing to ensure the availability of adequate (a) specialists and (b) treatment for patients facing long-term effects from covid-19.(81563)
- **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans he has to increase mental health support as a result of the covid-19 outbreak. (81564)
- **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate his Department has made of the number of covid-19 patients who have been diagnosed with PTSD. (81565)
- **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the (a) median age (b) sex (c) race (d) religion and (e) gender was of covid-19 (i) deaths and (ii) cases in Preston constituency. (81566)
- **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, the exact number of daily excess all-cause mortality in (a) age group and (b) PHE centres in week 30 of covid-19. (81567)
- **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the effect of the covid-19 lockdown on suicide rates. (81571)
- 471 Sir Mark Hendrick (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what comparative assessment he has made the suicide rate for (a) Preston (b) Lancashire and (c) England between April 2020 to July 2020 with the same period in each of the last 2 years.
- **Kate Hollern** (Blackburn): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to support adult social care providers to prepare for the potential effect of a second wave of covid-19 infections in winter 2020-21.
- 473 Jane Hunt (Loughborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department has taken to ensure that people requiring specialist medical food products have been able to access them during the covid-19 pandemic. (82588)

- **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the implications for his policies of the findings of the Covid-19 Symptom Study data that one in 10 people experience covid-19 symptoms for longer than three weeks. (82212)
- **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans he has to raise public awareness of the potential long-term effects of covid-19 on people who may have only had mild symptoms of the disease to date.

 (82213)
- **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans he has to support people suffering long-term effects from covid-19. (82214)
- 477 Dan Jarvis (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when elective NHS operations, including those that require (a) scans and (b) angiograms, can resume in England; and whether he will make a statement. (81912)
- **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to respond to the letter of 5 June 2020 from the hon. Member for Kingston upon Hull North, on advice to the clinically vulnerable on shielding. (81656)
- **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps the Government is taking to ensure that the turnaround time for Covid-19 test results is as short as possible. (81594)
- **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether the turnaround time for covid-19 test results is dependent on which area of the country the test is taken. (81595)
- **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps the Government takes to ensure that face painters use paint that is compliant with the CE standards required under Regulation (EC) No 1223/2009 on cosmetic products. (81596)
- **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans the Government has to change the current guidance on care home visits during the covid-19 outbreak. (81598)
- **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to assess the extent to which the family members of people in care may come under pressure to become second carers.

 (81600)
- **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to improve the care system for the partners of people in care.

 (81601)

- **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the effect of the covid-19 outbreak on his Department's ability to meet immunisation targets. (82379)
- **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to prepare for a potential second wave of covid-19 during winter 2020-21. (82380)
- **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to maximise the take up of the influenza vaccine in 2020.
- **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when his Department plans to publish the proposed vaccine strategy. (82382)
- **Simon Jupp** (East Devon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that charitable organisations providing (a) mental health, (b) learning disability and (c) autism services in receipt of public funds provide adequate levels of service during the covid-19 outbreak. (82610)
- **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if the Government will help support dental laboratories by paying them their average lab element fees. (81724)
- 491 Daniel Kawczynski (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department is planning to launch a mass vaccination programme in winter 2020 in response to the covid-19 outbreak; and whether parish councils should make plans to use village halls as vaccination centres.
- **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department has taken to ensure that care homes have access to adequate supplies of PPE. (81730)
- **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department has taken to ensure that care homes have access to adequate primary care support. (81731)
- **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has plans in place to ensure that care home residents can be vaccinated against the flu in a timely manner. (81732)
- **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department has taken to ensure that care home (a) residents and (b) staff members can be tested regularly for covid-19. (81733)
- **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will publish the medical and scientific advice that he received which informed the decision to shut the schools in Leicester during the local covid-19 lockdown.

 (82354)

- **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what provisions will be included in the new obesity strategy to increase opportunities for exercise. (82356)
- **Sir Edward Leigh** (Gainsborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference Melanoma UK's report entitled, State of the Nation:

 Non Melanoma Skin Cancer, published in March 2020, what steps he is taking to increase public awareness of non-melanoma skin cancer.

 (81514)
- **Sir Edward Leigh** (Gainsborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what support is available patients with non-melanoma skin cancer to help with the psychological effect of (a) the disease and (b) the treatment for that disease.

 (81515)
- **Sir Edward Leigh** (Gainsborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference Melanoma UK's report entitled, State of the Nation: Non Melanoma Skin Cancer, published in March 2020, if he will make it his Department's policy to highlight the importance of wearing (a) sunscreen and (b) a hat when outside in the sun to help prevent skin cancer. (81516)
- **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of how patient (a) acquisition and (b) outcome of covid-19 infection within a hospital setting differs by (i) occupation, (ii) clinical setting, (iii) ethnicity and (iv) social deprivation. (82036)
- Justin Madders (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many and what proportion of community-acquired cases of covid-19 were from (a) healthcare workers, (b) patients discharged to care facilities and (c) patients discharged home. (82037)
- Justin Madders (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment he has made of the potential effect of the long term health consequences of covid-19 on the NHS. (82040)
- **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure that measures introduced under the Health Protection (Coronavirus Restrictions) Regulations are inclusive of people who are (a) deaf or (b) hard of hearing. (82042)
- **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many women of child bearing potential receive prescriptions for Valproate in England. (82044)
- Justin Madders (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many children have been (a) exposed to Valproate in pregnancy, (b) harmed by Valproate in pregnancy and (c) diagnosed with Fetal Valproate Spectrum Disorder, since April 2018.

507 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many children have been harmed by the use of Valproate in pregnancy since 1973.

(82046)

Justin Madders (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure that (a) women with (i) epilepsy and (ii) bipolar disorder who are prescribed Valproate and (b) their children receive the healthcare they require.

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- Justin Madders (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 3 August 2020 to Question 71084, whether the independent panel on aerosol generating procedures has (a) been established, and (b) held a meeting. (82048)
- 510 **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what (a) steps the Government plans to take and (b) funding the Government plans to make available to prepare for an increase in demand for mental health services in Autumn 2020 as anticipated by NHS England as result of the covid-19 outbreak. (81626)
- Stephen Morgan (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the effect of the covid-19 outbreak on mental health; and what the implications are of that assessment for the timetable of proposals to reform the Mental Health Act 1983. (82325)
- 512 **Holly Mumby-Croft** (Scunthorpe): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of providing free prescriptions for women who use hormone replacement therapy to treat premature menopause. (82630)
- 513 Holly Mumby-Croft (Scunthorpe): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans his Department has to review the date at which beauticians can perform the full range of treatments; and if he will consider regional covid-19 case levels in that review. (82631)
- 514 Holly Mumby-Croft (Scunthorpe): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate his Department has made of the additional costs attributed to increased personal protective equipment purchases incurred by non-emergency patient transport service providers. (82632)
- 515 **Charlotte Nichols** (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many supermarket workers have been infected with covid-19. (82520)
- 516 Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the value is of funding for public health responsibilities which he plans to reallocate to bodies other than the National Institute for Health Protection as a result of the reorganisation of Public Health England. (82529)

- 517 Caroline Nokes (Romsey and Southampton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the evidential basis is that calorie counts on menus will affect (a) individual food choices and (b) weight loss across the population.

 (81834)
- 518 **Abena Oppong-Asare** (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to prepare for a potential second wave of covid-19 during the 2020-21 winter. (82572)
- Abena Oppong-Asare (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans he has to ensure that people with ovarian cancer can continue to access treatment in the event of a second wave of covid-19.

 (82573)
- 520 **Abena Oppong-Asare** (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what priority his Department has accorded to ensuring that psychological support services are available for people diagnosed with ovarian cancer. (82574)
- 521 **Sir Mike Penning** (Hemel Hempstead): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what guidance is available for people who wish to visit family members in nursing care during the covid-19 lockdown; when those visits will be permitted if outdoor visits become unfeasible; and if he will make a statement. (81655)
- 522 Andrew Percy (Brigg and Goole): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment he has made of the incidence of malnutrition in covid-19 patients in hospital settings. (81785)
- 523 Andrew Percy (Brigg and Goole): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment he has made of the incidence of malnutrition in covid-19 patients outside hospital settings. (81786)
- 524 **Dr Dan Poulter** (Central Suffolk and North Ipswich): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to ensure (a) the accuracy of data collated and (b) that all necessary individuals are contacted through the NHS Test and Trace service to help reduce transmission rates of covid-19.
- 525 **John Redwood** (Wokingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the most recent results are of trials of existing approved medicines as potential treatments for covid-19. (81471)
- 526 **John Redwood** (Wokingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what progress the NHS has made in resuming non-covid-19 related work in hospitals and surgeries in England. (81472)
- 527 **John Redwood** (Wokingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many operations and treatments are being sent to private sector hospitals under NHS contracts as non-covid-19 work resumes in England. (81473)

- 528 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans he has to review the use of electroconvulsive therapy. (81606)
- 529 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to support (a) chaplains and (b) other spiritual and religious workers working in hospitals and clinical settings during the covid-19 outbreak.

 (81608)
- 530 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential effect of making calorie counts mandatory on restaurant menus on people with eating disorders. (81609)
- Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the effect of guidelines that suggest limiting care home residents to a single constant visitor on the well-being of (a) residents and (b) their families during the covid-19 outbreak. (81618)
- Alec Shelbrooke (Elmet and Rothwell): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the effectiveness of air sanitisation and UV-C sterilisation units on reducing the spread of covid-19 in confined public spaces. (81821)
- 533 **Cat Smith** (Lancaster and Fleetwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he has taken to ensure that child and adolescent mental health services will have adequate capacity to meet demand when the covid-19 lockdown restrictions are lifted. (82075)
- 534 **Cat Smith** (Lancaster and Fleetwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 19 August 2020 to Question 74648 on Medicines and Medical Devices Safety Independent Review: Sodium Valproate, what his definition is of in due course.
- Cat Smith (Lancaster and Fleetwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many children have been (a) exposed to Valproate in pregnancy,
 (b) harmed by Valproate in pregnancy and (c) diagnosed with Fetal Valproate Spectrum Disorder since April 2018.
- 536 **Cat Smith** (Lancaster and Fleetwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many women of child bearing potential receive prescriptions for Valproate in England. (82081)
- 537 **Henry Smith** (Crawley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will publish a national cancer recovery plan to tackle the backlog of cancer care resulting from the covid-19 outbreak. (81799)
- 538 **Jeff Smith** (Manchester, Withington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the NHS England announcement, Rough sleepers in homeless hotspots to benefit from NHS mental health outreach, published on 14 October 2019, whether the roll-out of that initiative will go ahead as planned due to the covid-19 outbreak. (82090)

- 539 **Jeff Smith** (Manchester, Withington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking with Cabinet colleagues to co-ordinate the Government's support for people's mental health and wellbeing in response to the covid-19 outbreak. (82091)
- Nick Smith (Blaenau Gwent): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many Randox covid-19 tests have been distributed to (a) care home settings and (b) individuals, and what proportion of the UK's total covid-19 tests were distributed by Randox up to 31 July 2020.
- Nick Smith (Blaenau Gwent): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to his Department's new story of 7 August 2020, Update on Randox test kits, which elements of Randox covid-19 tests did not meet required safety standards; and through what processes that determination was made. (81767)
- Nick Smith (Blaenau Gwent): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate his Department has made of the number of Randox covid-19 tests administered by individuals prior to the recall announced on 7 August 2020.

 (81768)
- Alex Sobel (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 2 July 2020 to Question 68456, if he will publish the membership of the Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder Implementation Working Group within the National Institute for Health and Care Excellence. (82336)
- 544 Alex Sobel (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to paragraph 3.33 in the NHS Long Term Plan, what progress his Department has made on the implementation of support packages for children with ADHD.

 (82337)
- Julian Sturdy (York Outer): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to covid-19 restrictions on contact between households, what assessment the Government has made of the challenges faced by households that rely on grandparents to assist with childcare; and what advice his Department has published for households in that situation.

 (81837)
- Julian Sturdy (York Outer): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of amending the single adult household rule for covid-19 support bubbles for households with severely disabled children to allow grandparents to assist with childcare. (81838)
- 547 **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of extending support bubble arrangements to include all grandparents in addition to those who live in single adult households. (81845)

- Julian Sturdy (York Outer): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to review Government covid-19 guidance applying to non-cohabiting couples in multiple-occupancy households to allow them to meet up without social distancing. (81851)
- Julian Sturdy (York Outer): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment his Department has made of whether it would be safe to amend Government covid-19 guidance applying to non-cohabiting couples in multiple-occupancy households to allow them to meet up without social distancing.

 (81852)
- 550 **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the timetable is for the release of the covid-19 contact tracing app. (81853)
- 551 **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of directing NHS England to reclassify splint replacements for children by hospital orthotics departments as an essential service so that their ordinary treatment routines can resume.
- 552 **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the potential effect on the long-term muscle development of child patients by the current delay in hospital splint replacements as a result of their classification as a non-essential service under national NHS policy. (81855)
- 553 Zarah Sultana (Coventry South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what progress the Government has made on the expansion of a major anti-body testing programme since the update to the Government's Coronavirus (COVID-19): antibody tests guidance, published on 22 May 2020. (82490)
- 554 Zarah Sultana (Coventry South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when the Government plans to reintroduce visiting in care homes as covid-19 lockdown restrictions are eased; whether that reintroduction will follow a staggered approach; and what support his Department plans to provide to care homes to help them reintroduce visiting as safely as possible. (82491)
- 555 **Zarah Sultana** (Coventry South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans his Department has to reimburse childcare costs to parents working in the health and social care system who had to isolate from their children during the covid-19 outbreak. (82496)
- Derek Thomas (St Ives): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps NICE is taking to (a) value the benefits of medicines through the introduction of modifiers into their decision making framework, (b) improve the way uncertainty of evidence is managed in appraisals and (c) align their discount rate with the latest guidance in the Treasury Green book.

- 557 **Derek Thomas** (St Ives): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to ensure the NICE Methods Review enables patients to access the latest treatments and medicines through the NHS. (82227)
- 558 **Derek Thomas** (St Ives): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the effect of the Voluntary Scheme for Branded Medicines Pricing and Access on patient access to new medicines; and if he will make a statement.

 (82228)
- Gareth Thomas (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the data published by NHS Digital entitled Malnutrition admissions, broken down by provider, 2008-09 to 2018-19, published on 23 September 2019, what plans he has to tackle trends in the number in hospital admissions for malnutrition; and if he will make a statement. (81498)
- 560 Craig Tracey (North Warwickshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many women aged under 25 have been invited for cervical screening in the last six months.

 (82187)
- 561 Craig Tracey (North Warwickshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many women aged under 25 were invited for cervical screening in (a) 2017, (b) 2018 and (c) 2019. (82188)
- 562 **Craig Tracey** (North Warwickshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate he has made of the number of 13 to 24 year olds with cancer who were considered clinically extremely vulnerable and advised to shield in England.

 (82189)
- 563 **Craig Tracey** (North Warwickshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate he has made of the number of school children who have had HPV vaccinations delayed as a result of the covid-19 outbreak. (82190)
- 564 **Liz Twist** (Blaydon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans he has to review the referral pathway to allow CA125 blood tests and ultrasound tests to be done at the same time, rather than sequentially, to diagnose and treat ovarian cancer. (82278)
- Matt Vickers (Stockton South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to support people (a) with mental health issues and (b) who have not been able to access that support during the covid-19 outbreak. (82589)
- Mick Whitley (Birkenhead): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the effect on public health of people not being able to access dental surgeries during the covid-19 lockdown. (82420)

- **Mick Whitley** (Birkenhead): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department plans to increase funding for Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services in response to recent trends in the number of young people experiencing mental ill-health during the covid-19 outbreak and lockdown.
- **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure that people with a pre-existing mental health condition who have been unable to access treatment during the covid-19 outbreak will be able to access that treatment in the next two months. (82462)
- Munira Wilson (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what progress the Government has made in developing post-covid-19 plans for increased mental health and psychological support for (a) people who have contracted covid-19, (b) family and close friends of people who have contracted covid-19 and (c) frontline health and care workers.
- **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to develop plans to tackle the effect of delayed care in people's health after the end of the covid-19 outbreak. (82464)
- **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what public awareness campaigns the Government plans to undertake on arrangements in relation to local lockdowns in the next two months. (82465)
- Munira Wilson (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to develop plans to increase the provision of rehabilitation support for people that contracted covid-19 after the covid-19 outbreak has ended. (82466)
- **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans he has to (a) undertake and (b) commission research into the longer-term effect of the covid-19 lockdown on people's mental health. (82467)
- **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to mitigate the effect of burn-out among (a) NHS staff and (b) staff in the care sector as a result of the covid-19 outbreak. (82468)
- **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans he has to increase the number of Departmental staff working on social care in the next six months. (82469)
- **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate he has made of how many and what proportion of (a) people at risk and (b) health and care workers will receive a flu vaccination for the winter period 2020-21. (82470)
- **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to tackle delays to (a) diagnostic referrals and (b) courses of treatment for ovarian cancer as a result of the covid-19 outbreak. (82471)

- 578 **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to encourage people who have symptoms of ovarian cancer to contact their GP during the covid-19 outbreak. (82472)
- 579 **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what effect the covid-19 outbreak will have on his plans to implement the NHS Long Term Plan with respect to (a) Rapid Diagnostic Centres for cancer and (b) the 28 day cancer diagnosis standard. (82473)
- 580 **Mohammad Yasin** (Bedford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking with Cabinet colleagues to co-ordinate the Government's support for people's mental health and wellbeing in response to the covid-19 outbreak. (82252)
- Mohammad Yasin (Bedford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what additional support the Government is providing to support the mental health of (a) frontline workers, (b) people from different Black, Asian and Minority Ethnic communities and (c) young people in response to the covid-19 outbreak.
- Daniel Zeichner (Cambridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he is requiring local authorities to report how they have spent their discretionary 25 per cent allocation of the Adult Social Care Infection Control Fund; and how much funding has been allocated to social care providers the local authority (a) has and (b) does not have a contract with.
- Daniel Zeichner (Cambridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure a reliable supply of sertraline after the transition period. (81983)
- Gareth Bacon (Orpington): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 16 July 2020
 to Question 71913, what progress has been made in discussions with international
 partners to address the expiry of the UN conventional arms embargo on Iran in
 October 2020.

 (82662)
- 585 **Scott Benton** (Blackpool South): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether his Department is working
 with the US Administration to encourage Arab states to follow the United Arab
 Emirates' example and agree a peace deal with Israel.

 (82513)
- Alan Brown (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what the evidential basis is for Portugal
 being identified as a country where quarantine arrangements are still required for
 travellers between Portugal and the UK. (82666)
- 587 Alan Brown (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, for what reasons Tunisia has not been added to the travel corridor list. (82125)

- Dan Carden (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the
 effectiveness of the work of the Colombian Truth Commission; and if he will make
 a statement.

 (82670)
- Dan Carden (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of
 the effectiveness of the \$1.90 level of the World Bank's international poverty line
 in accurately measuring and identifying trends in global poverty; and if he will
 make a statement.

 (82321)
- 590 Theo Clarke (Stafford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether the Independent Commission for Aid Impact (ICAI) and the Sub-Committee on the Work of the ICAI will be retained following the merger of his Department and the Department for International Development; and if he will make it his policy to (a) publish all ICAI reports that have already been commissioned and (b) allow the ICAI Sub-Committee to scrutinise those reports.
- 591 Elliot Colburn (Carshalton and Wallington): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the potential merits of supporting an independent investigation headed by a foreign delegation to review the Chunnakam water pollution incident in the Jaffna Peninsula of Sri Lanka. (82450)
- 592 **Neil Coyle** (Bermondsey and Old Southwark): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to the oil leak of August 2020 in Mauritius, what steps his Department is taking to support the Mauritian Government. (81961)
- 593 **Virginia Crosbie** (Ynys Môn): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking support
 countries whose Official Development Assistance funding has been reduced as a
 result of the covid-19 outbreak. (82604)
- 594 **Virginia Crosbie** (Ynys Môn): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking to help ensure
 that the people responsible for crimes committed against Rohingya children are
 held to account; and if he will make it his policy to provide humanitarian support
 and protection for Rohingya refugee children.

 (82608)
- 595 **Janet Daby** (Lewisham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what plans he has to pursue sanctions
 against Chinese officials involved in human rights abuses in the Xinjiang region. (82677)

- **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent representations he has made to his Pakistani counterpart on taking steps against the alleged discrimination and conversion of Hindu minority community and others in that country. (82314)
- **Stephen Doughty** (Cardiff South and Penarth): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, (a) what was the total budget for financial year 2020-21 for the DFID DRC aid programme and (b) what estimate has been made of the effect of his announcement on 22 July of cuts to the aid budget of £2.9 billion on the DFID DRC proposed spend. (81919)
- **Stephen Doughty** (Cardiff South and Penarth): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, (a) what was the total budget for financial year 2020-21 for DFID Ethiopia aid programme and (b) what effect his announcement of 22 July on cuts to aid budgets has had on the proposed spend of the programme.
- **Stephen Doughty** (Cardiff South and Penarth): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what was the total budget for financial year 2020-21 for DFID Ghana aid programme and (b) what effect his announcement of 22 July on cuts to aid budgets has had on the proposed spend of the programme.
- **Stephen Doughty** (Cardiff South and Penarth): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what was the total budget for financial year 2020-21 for DFID Liberia aid programme; and (b) what effect his announcement of 22 July on cuts to aid budgets has had on the proposed spend of the programme. (81922)
- **Stephen Doughty** (Cardiff South and Penarth): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what was the total budget for financial year 2020-21 for DFID Malawi aid programme; and (b) what effect his announcement of 22 July on cuts to aid budgets has had on the proposed spend of the programme. (81923)
- **Stephen Doughty** (Cardiff South and Penarth): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what was the total budget for financial year 2020-21 for DFID Mozambique aid programme; and (b) what effect his announcement of 22 July on cuts to aid budgets has had on the proposed spend of the programme.
- **Stephen Doughty** (Cardiff South and Penarth): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what the DFID Nigeria budget was for 2020-21; and what the reduction is in that budget as a result of his 22 July 2020 announcement of a £2.9 billion reduction in the overall aid budget. (81925)

- **Stephen Doughty** (Cardiff South and Penarth): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what the DFID Rwanda budget was for 2020-21; and what the reduction is in that budget as a result of his 22 July 2020 announcement of a £2.9 billion reduction in the overall aid budget. (81926)
- **Stephen Doughty** (Cardiff South and Penarth): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what the DFID Sierra Leone budget was for 2020-21; and what the reduction is in that budget as a result of his 22 July 2020 announcement of a £2.9 billion reduction in the overall aid budget.

(81927)

- **Stephen Doughty** (Cardiff South and Penarth): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what the DFID Somalia budget was for 2020-21; and what the reduction is in that budget as a result of his 22 July 2020 announcement of a £2.9 billion reduction in the overall aid budget. (81928)
- **Stephen Doughty** (Cardiff South and Penarth): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what the DFID South Sudan budget was for 2020-21; and what the reduction is in that budget as a result of his 22 July 2020 announcement of a £2.9 billion reduction in the overall aid budget.

(81929)

- **Stephen Doughty** (Cardiff South and Penarth): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what the DFID Sudan budget was for 2020-21; and what the reduction is in that budget as a result of his 22 July 2020 announcement of a £2.9 billion reduction in the overall aid budget. (81930)
- **Stephen Doughty** (Cardiff South and Penarth): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what the DFID Tanzania budget was for 2020-21; and what the reduction is in that budget as a result of his 22 July 2020 announcement of a £2.9 billion reduction in the overall aid budget.

(81931)

- **Stephen Doughty** (Cardiff South and Penarth): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what the DFID Uganda budget was for 2020-21; and what the reduction is in that budget as a result of his 22 July 2020 announcement of a £2.9 billion reduction in the overall aid budget. (81932)
- **Stephen Doughty** (Cardiff South and Penarth): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what the DFID Zambia budget was for 2020-21; and what the reduction is in that budget as a result of his 22 July 2020 announcement of a £2.9 billion reduction in the overall aid budget. (81933)
- **Stephen Doughty** (Cardiff South and Penarth): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what was DFID Zimbabwe budget was for 2020-21; and what the reduction is in that budget as a result of his 22 July 2020 announcement of a £2.9 billion reduction in the overall aid budget.

(81934)

- **Stephen Doughty** (Cardiff South and Penarth): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what the DFID Sahel budget was for 2020-21; and what the reduction is in that budget as a result of his 22 July 2020 announcement of a £2.9 billion reduction in the overall aid budget. (81935)
- **Stephen Doughty** (Cardiff South and Penarth): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what the DFID Africa regional budget was for 2020-21; and what the reduction is in that budget as a result of his 22 July 2020 announcement of a £2.9 billion reduction in the overall aid budget.

(81936)

- **Stephen Farry** (North Down): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what representations he has made to
 the Polish Government in response to Justice Minister Zbigniew Ziobro's recent
 statements that Poland will withdraw from the Istanbul Convention. (82602)
- **Stephen Farry** (North Down): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,

 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what representations he has made to
 the Government of Belarus on the (a) integrity of its 2020 Presidential election
 and (b) mistreatment of anti-government protesters since that election. (82603)
- 617 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of
 the detention of Uighur Muslims in camps in Xinjiang, China; and what plans he
 has to seek international support for an impartial investigation into the situation
 of Uighur Muslims in Xinjiang.

 (82171)
- **Gill Furniss** (Sheffield, Brightside and Hillsborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the effect of the recent alleged downing of a US-operated AeroVironment RQ-20 Puma drone by Houthi rebels in Yemen on (a) the Yemeni civil war and (b) relations between Iran and the West. (82235)
- **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking support proposals for a UN Convention on the Rights of Older People. (82257)
- **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the effect of the covid-19 pandemic on levels of hunger throughout the world; and what steps he is taking to prevent levels of hunger from increasing. (82258)
- **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what discussions he has had with his counterparts in the G20 on the funding and distribution of emergency cash transfers to tackle increasing rates of malnutrition. (82259)

- Preet Kaur Gill (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether his Department plans to maintain the Department for International Development commitment to more than double its use of cash and vouchers to 32 per cent by 2025. (82260)
- **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking to ensure that the G20 covid-19 action plan includes a strategy for economic recovery in countries affected by fragility, crisis, and displacement. (82261)
- Preet Kaur Gill (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how many termination notices of contracts have been sent to aid delivery partners since his announcement of cuts to the aid budget of £2.9bn on the 22 of July; and in which countries those aid delivery partners are based.
- **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent steps he has taken to support small, medium and large UK-based international development charities working to tackle the covid19 pandemic in the global south. (82263)
- **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent steps he has taken to support global efforts to tackle the covid-19 pandemic. (82264)
- **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent steps he has taken to support producers in the global south whose trade has been disrupted as a result of the covid-19 pandemic (82265)
- **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what plans he has to put in place scrutiny measures to independently evaluate the Government's Official Development Assistance expenditure. (82267)
- **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether his Department plans to allocate the same proportion of Official Development Assistance through other Government departments. (82268)
- **Paul Girvan** (South Antrim): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what representations he has made to
 his Indian counterpart on the persecution and murder of Christians and members
 of other minority religious groups in India. (82301)
- **Fabian Hamilton** (Leeds North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of commitments in the Colombian peace deal for the Colombian Government to work towards the dismantling of paramilitary successor groups. (82675)

- 632 **Fabian Hamilton** (Leeds North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the
 accuracy of reports of ongoing actions of the paramilitary successor group Los
 Rastrojos in Colombia. (82676)
- 633 **Fabian Hamilton** (Leeds North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what discussions the Administration of the Sovereign Base Areas in Cyprus has had with the local population on future developments of that base.

 (82678)
- 634 Rachel Hopkins (Luton South): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent representations his
 Department has made to the Chinese authorities on reports of the mass
 sterilisation of Uyghur Muslims in Xinjiang; and if he will make a statement. (82646)
- 635 **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, when his Department last participated in multi-national discussions on the diplomatic relationship between Qatar and Saudi Arabia.
- 636 **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what discussions he has held with his counterparts in other European states on reaching a co-ordinated recognition of the State of Palestine after the end of the transition period. (82211)
- 637 Dan Jarvis (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to the Human Rights
 and Democracy Report published on 16 July 2020, on how many occasions did
 the Government decide that UK assistance should not be provided on the basis of
 human rights risk in Overseas Security and Justice Assistance cases during 2019-20.

 (81911)
- 638 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of
 the political situation in Zimbabwe. (82371)
- Ruth Jones (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he plans to hold discussions
 with his Pakistani counterpart to raise concerns on the recent ruling of Lahore
 High Court in Pakistan in favour of a man who kidnapped at gunpoint a 14-yearold Christian girl, Maira Shahbaz, and allegedly fabricated a marriage certificate
 and forced her to convert to Islam.
- 640 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,

 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of
 the humanitarian situation in Zimbabwe; and if he will make a statement. (82373)

- 641 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent discussions he has had
 with his New Zealand counterpart. (82374)
- 642 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,

 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of
 the security situation in Mozambique.

 (82377)
- 643 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,

 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of
 the political situation in Mozambique.

 (82378)
- 644 Caroline Lucas (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to the Answer of 4
 July 2019 to Question 270326 on the International Decade for People of African
 Descent, what recent discussions he has had with his international counterparts
 on recognition, justice and development for people of African descent; and if
 he will make it his policy to participate in the UN Decade for African People and
 support the theme entitled People of African descent: recognition, justice and
 development.
- 645 Christian Matheson (City of Chester): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to his Department's
 guidance, Coronavirus (covid-19): travel corridors, published on 3 July 2020, what
 plans he has to include the Maldives on that list; and what criteria his Department
 uses to decide which countries to include on that list.

 (82665)
- 646 Anna McMorrin (Cardiff North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, (a) what was the total budget this year
 for DFID's Middle East and North Africa programme; and (b) with reference to his
 22 July announcement of cuts to the aid budget of £2.9bn, how much will be cut
 from the programme's proposed spend.

 (82295)
- 647 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what diplomatic steps he is taking to help reduce violence committed against civilians in the Ivory Coast as a result of conflict between Government forces and those protesting against President Alassane Ouattara's decision to run for a third term in that country. (82328)
- 648 Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, when he plans to lift quarantine
 restrictions for people returning to the UK from Portugal. (82669)
- 649 **Kate Osborne** (Jarrow): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the accuracy of reports of the murder of community activist Ernesto Aguilar Barreras in the Catatumbo region of Colombia. (82674)

650 Taiwo Owatemi (Coventry North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he has taken to hold discussions with his Polish counterpart on alleged human rights abuses against LGBTIQ+ communities since the recent election of President Duda in that country.

(82474)

- 651 **Taiwo Owatemi** (Coventry North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if he will hold discussions with his Polish counterpart on what steps the Polish Government plans to take to help protect members of the LGBTIQ+ community in that country from attacks and harassment. (82475)
- 652 **Taiwo Owatemi** (Coventry North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what diplomatic steps the UK Embassy in Poland is taking to help support human rights defenders in that country. (82476)
- 653 **Taiwo Owatemi** (Coventry North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he plans to encourage the
 Polish Government to remain a signatory to the Istanbul Convention. (82477)
- John Penrose (Weston-super-Mare): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of
 the implications for which (a) Nigerian Government officials and (b) civil society
 groups the UK Government will work with as a result of the declaration of July
 2018 by the Nigerian House of Representatives that the killing of Christian farmers
 in Nigeria amounts to genocide.
- 655 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,

 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent discussions he has had
 with the Chinese authorities on the human rights situation in Xinjiang and the
 treatment of the Uighur people.

 (82671)
- 656 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the
 accuracy of reports that the President of the Ivory Coast, Alassane Ouattara, will
 seek a third term in office.

 (81615)
- 657 Liz Saville Roberts (Dwyfor Meirionnydd): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the effect that different visa arrangements for EU citizens visiting the UK, and UK citizens visiting the EU after the transition period will have on offshore sailors.

 (82220)
- 658 Alyn Smith (Stirling): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent discussions he has had with his Russian counterpart on alleged Russian intervention in Syria; and whether he has taken diplomatic steps in response to that alleged intervention. (82385)

- 659 Alex Sobel (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what discussions his Department has
 had with his Pakistani counterpart on the decision by the Lahore High Court that
 14-year old Maira Shahbaz must stay married to a man who allegedly abducted
 her at gunpoint in that country.

 (82339)
- 660 Owen Thompson (Midlothian): To ask the Secretary of State for the Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, when the Government plans to publish
 details of the governance architecture of the new department responsible for the
 UK's aid budget.
 (82663)
- 661 Christian Wakeford (Bury South): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 27 July 2020
 to Question 76939 on Palestinians: Textbooks, what mechanisms are in place for
 scrutiny of the updated Palestinian Authority curriculum for the academic year in
 September 2020. (82638)
- 662 **Stuart Anderson** (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what progress she has made on compensating victims of the Windrush scandal; and what the deadline is for applications to the Windrush Compensation Scheme. (82410)
- Anthony Browne (South Cambridgeshire): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will bring forward legislative proposals to enable magistrates to issue bans to individuals being on (a) certain lands and (b) county jurisdictions for the duration of the hare coursing season. (82533)
- 664 Anthony Browne (South Cambridgeshire): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will increase the fines permissible within Section 30 of the Game Act 1831 for hare coursing offences. (82534)
- 665 Alberto Costa (South Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment her Department has made of the UK's capability to accommodate citizens from Hong Kong under the bespoke Hong Kong BN(O) Visa.
- 666 Virginia Crosbie (Ynys Môn): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home

 Department, what steps she is taking to ensure that policing strategy is up to date

 and effective at tackling crime that takes place digitally. (82653)
- 667 **Tracey Crouch** (Chatham and Aylesford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many asylum seekers are in temporary housing and hotel accommodation in (a) Medway Council and (b) Tonbridge and Malling Borough Council local authority areas. (81796)
- 668 Alex Cunningham (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much police forces have spent on equipping custody suites with video technology equipment. (82656)

- Janet Daby (Lewisham East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home
 Department, what languages have been used in public communications to raise
 awareness of the support available for victims of domestic abuse as part of the
 You are not alone campaign.

 (82363)
- **Gareth Davies** (Grantham and Stamford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the effect of the use of drone devices on the rate of home burglaries in England; and how many crimes were recorded involving drones in (a) 2017, (b) 2018 and (c) 2019. (82597)
- **Philip Davies** (Shipley): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many asylum seekers are accommodated in (a) Shipley constituency, (b)

 Bradford district and (c) West Yorkshire. (81716)
- **Philip Davies** (Shipley): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many people have claimed asylum in each of the last six months. (81717)
- **Philip Davies** (Shipley): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many people refused asylum have been deported in each of the last six months.
- **Philip Davies** (Shipley): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what the average time taken was between an application for asylum being rejected and the asylum seeker being deported in each of the last five years. (81719)
- **Philip Davies** (Shipley): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many people whose asylum claim has been rejected have not been deported.

 (81720)
- **Philip Davies** (Shipley): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what the longest period has been between an application for asylum being rejected and the asylum seeker being deported in each of the last three years. (81721)
- **Philip Davies** (Shipley): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what the earliest date was of an application for asylum being rejected where the asylum seeker remains to be deported. (81722)
- **Dr Luke Evans** (Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of progress made on tackling violent crime since the implementation of the Serious Violence Strategy. (82484)
- Oricky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what additional (a) funding and (b) resources have been allocated to (a) the Metropolitan Police, (b) each other police force and (c) British Transport Police to enable them to enforce the wearing of face masks in (i) enclosed public spaces and (ii) on public transport.

- **Gill Furniss** (Sheffield, Brightside and Hillsborough): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to provide safe and legal routes of entry to the UK for asylum seekers in order to prevent the risk of exploitation and the dangers of crossing the Channel by boat. (82243)
- **Kate Green** (Stretford and Urmston): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what guidance has been issued to police forces on the carrying and use of tasers in schools by schools-based police officers. (81876)
- **Kate Green** (Stretford and Urmston): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many schools-based police officers are (a) authorised to carry tasers and (b) permitted to carry tasers in schools in each police force in England.

 (81877)
- **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, for what reasons the repeal of section 4(2) of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999, as provided for by the Immigration Act 2016, has not yet taken effect. (81517)
- **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the potential effect of section 31 of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999 on the rate of illegal crossings of the English Channel. (81518)
- **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to tackle racial bias in the issuance of covid-19 related fines. (81562)
- **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what comparative assessment she has made of the number of young people arrested for anti-social behaviour in (a) Preston, (b) Lancashire, and (c) England between April 2020 to July 2020 compared to the same period in each of the last 2 years.
- **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment her Department has made on the effect of the covid-19 outbreak on the rate of crime involving young people. (81570)
- 688 Adam Holloway (Gravesham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what plans the Government has to bring forward legislative proposals to make it harder for migrants who are in the UK illegally to make an asylum claim.

 (81652)
- **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home

 Department, what plans she has to extend the health and care visa to include all
 jobs requiring a HCPC registered physiotherapist. (82368)
- **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what plans she has to extend the health and care visa to include roles in disability charities and hospices that are not direct NHS sub-contractors. (82369)

- **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether there is a target proportion of free appointments provided at UKVCAS centres. (82350)
- **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to monitor the level of free appointments provided at UKVCAS centres. (82351)
- **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to ensure people who need to apply to UKVCAS as a result of the covid-19 pandemic are not bearing the financial costs of doing so instead of the commercial partners of UK Visas and Immigration. (82352)
- **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what proportion of appointments (a) on offer and (b) booked at UKVCAS centres were free appointments from 29 June to 20 July 2020. (82353)
- 695 Holly Lynch (Halifax): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to her Department's news story of 31 March 2020, NHS frontline workers visas extended so they can focus on fighting coronavirus, how many healthcare workers' biometric residence permit renewals her Department (a) is currently processing and (b) has processed; and what the (i) average and (ii) longest length of time her Department has spent on processing such a renewal. (82128)
- **Holly Lynch** (Halifax): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what the immigration status is of migrant healthcare workers who are currently without Biometric Residence Permits. (82129)
- 697 Holly Lynch (Halifax): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many passports issued by HM Passport Office have failed to be successfully delivered by courier since the 23 March 2020. (82130)
- 698 Holly Lynch (Halifax): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many data breaches have been reported by HM Passport Office's security team since the 23 March 2020. (82131)
- **Holly Lynch** (Halifax): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to Her Majesty's Passport Office's update on passport applications published on 24 July 2020, how many passport applications are currently being processed by HM Passport Office. (82132)
- **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to her Department's document entitled Annual Statistics of Scientific Procedures on Living Animals Great Britain, for what reasons the number of animal experiments for protection of the natural environment increased from 12,264 in 2018 to 29,343 in 2019. (82434)

- **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to her Department's document entitled, Annual Statistics of Scientific Procedures on Living Animals Great Britain 2019, how many of the 1,249 animal experiments recorded for higher education and training were for (a) higher education and (b) training. (82435)
- **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what dog species are included in the other dog species category used in her Department's document entitled, Annual Statistics of Scientific Procedures on Living Animals Great Britain 2019; and for what specific purposes experiments on those dogs were carried out. (82436)
- **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to her Department's document entitled Annual Statistics of Scientific Procedures on Living Animals Great Britain, for what reasons there was an increase in the use of beagles born in the rest of the world in experiments from 2018 to 2019.
- **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if the Government will record the generation of primates within each colony type by sub-category in the UK Annual Statistics of Scientific Procedures on Living Animals Great Britain. (82438)
- **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to her Department's document entitled, Annual Statistics of Scientific Procedures on Living Animals Great Britain 2019, for what reasons there was an increase in the use of first-generation primates in experiments from (a) 2017 to 2018 and (b) 2018 to 2019. (82439)
- **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to her Department's document entitled, Annual Statistics of Scientific Procedures on Living Animals Great Britain 2019, what regulatory procedures were carried out on animals to satisfy the requirements of non-EU legislation in 2018-2019; and what (a) legislation and (b) jurisdictions those procedures were conducted to satisfy. (82440)
- **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, for what reasons no pyrogenicity tests on animals were reported in the Annual Statistics of Scientific Procedures on Living Animals Great Britain 2019.

 (82441)
- **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to her Department's document entitled, Annual Statistics of Scientific Procedures on Living Animals Great Britain 2019, for what reasons experiments on animals relating to skin sensitisation decreased from 2,040 in 2018 to 95 in 2019.

- **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of her Department's progress on the UK's commitment to the replacement, reduction, and refinement of the use of animals in research; and if she will make a statement. (82443)
- **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many and what proportion of passport applicants, have a dual nationality and use a name different in their application for a British passport than they use in their other passport. (82444)
- **Stuart C McDonald** (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the answer on 22 July 2020 to Question 76041, whether her Department collects information on the number of workers in the Seasonal Workers Pilot that have made a request to their pilot operator to change their employer. (81994)
- **Stuart C McDonald** (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many workers on the seasonal workers pilot have left early. (81995)
- **Stuart C McDonald** (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many migrants were provided to each UK region under the Seasonal Workers' Pilot. (81996)
- **Stuart C McDonald** (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the answer on 22 July 2020 to Question 76043, which overseas agencies Concordia deal with as part of the seasonal pilot scheme; and whether those agencies have been licensed for labour provision by the Gangmasters and Labour Abuse Authority. (81997)
- **Stuart C McDonald** (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what discussions the Gangmasters and Labour Abuse Authority has had with overseas labour providers on labour licensing activity since 1 September 2018. (81998)
- **Stuart C McDonald** (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many people have been deprived of British Citizenship in each year since 2010 by (a) nationality, (b) race, (c) ethnicity and (d) religion. (81999)
- **Stuart C McDonald** (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many inspections the Gangmasters and Labour Abuse Authority has undertaken on farms employing workers under the Seasonal Agricultural Workers pilot scheme since September 2018.
- **Stuart C McDonald** (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many farms have participated in the Seasonal Agricultural Workers pilot scheme since September 2018. (82001)

- 719 **Stuart C McDonald** (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether workers on the Seasonal Agricultural Workers pilot scheme are provided with a Written Statement of Employment Particulars guaranteeing them 35 hours or more work per week. (82002)
- 720 **Stuart C McDonald** (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to the Seasonal Agricultural Workers pilot scheme, whether the Written Statement of Employment Particulars must be translated by employers into the native language of the worker. (82003)
- 721 Navendu Mishra (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what estimate she has made of the number of people charged for repeated offences of (a) stalking and (b) domestic abuse in each of the last three years.

 (82537)
- 722 Navendu Mishra (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the potential merits of tracking and routinely supervising repeat offenders of stalking and domestic abuse on a national basis. (82538)
- 723 Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many passengers have entered the UK through airports from countries on which the UK has imposed quarantine restrictions since those restrictions were imposed, by country; and how many of those passengers have registered their addresses and contact details for quarantine purposes. (82528)
- 724 **Nicola Richards** (West Bromwich East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to regulate the market for nitrous oxide to restrict access for people wishing to use it as a psychoactive drug.

 (82634)
- 725 **Nicola Richards** (West Bromwich East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the threat posed by the British National Socialist Movement to the public; what representations she has received on the British National Socialist Movement; and if she will make a statement. (82636)
- 726 **Nicola Richards** (West Bromwich East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what recent assessment she has made of Hezbollah's ability to raise funds within the UK. (82637)
- 727 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home
 Department, what steps her Department is taking to protect police officers from
 assault or injury. (81607)
- 728 Alyn Smith (Stirling): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment her Department has made of the efficacy of Unexplained Wealth Orders in tackling financial crime in the UK. (82386)

- **Christian Wakeford** (Bury South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to ensure that immigrants who cross the English Channel illegally return safely to their home countries. (82642)
- 730 Christian Wakeford (Bury South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many immigrants who crossed the English Channel illegally have been returned to their home countries since 1 January 2018. (82643)
- **Christian Wakeford** (Bury South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many immigrants who have crossed the English Channel illegally since 1 January 2018 remain in the UK. (82644)
- **Christian Wakeford** (Bury South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether immigrants entering the UK via crossing the English Channel illegally are being tested for covid-19 upon arrival. (82645)
- 733 Claudia Webbe (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what estimate she has made of the number of people who have No Recourse to Public Funds conditions attached to their immigration status in (a) Leicester East constituency and (b) the UK. (82590)
- **Kirsty Blackman** (Aberdeen North): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what estimate he has made of the (a) current and (b) projected capital costs for the joint logistics support base and regional land training hub at Duqm, Oman. (81947)
- **Kirsty Blackman** (Aberdeen North): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what estimate he has made of the annual revenue costs of the joint logistics support base and regional land training hub at Duqm, Oman for each of the next five years.

 (81948)
- **Kirsty Blackman** (Aberdeen North): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the cost is to his Department of renting facilities at Dugm, Oman. (81949)
- **Kirsty Blackman** (Aberdeen North): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what estimate he has made of the direct costs of the first deployment of HMS Queen Elizabeth. (81950)
- **Kirsty Blackman** (Aberdeen North): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the environmental impact will be of the first deployment of HMS Queen Elizabeth. (81951)
- **Kirsty Blackman** (Aberdeen North): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what estimate he has made of the amount of CO2 that will be generated by the first deployment of HMS Queen Elizabeth. (81952)
- **Kirsty Blackman** (Aberdeen North): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the purpose is of the first deployment of HMS Queen Elizabeth. (81953)

- 741 **Kirsty Blackman** (Aberdeen North): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what assessment he has made of the potential effect on UK-China relations of the deployment of HMS Queen Elizabeth on freedom of navigation operations in the Pacific in the vicinity of disputed islands. (81954)
- 742 Angela Crawley (Lanark and Hamilton East): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many of his Department's staff were based in Scotland in each year from 2016 to 2020. (82100)
- 743 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps he is taking to ensure that his Department does not contain institutional racism. (82313)
- 744 Andrew Griffith (Arundel and South Downs): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what recent estimate his Department has made of the number of jobs that defence procurement supports in (a) Sussex and (b) the UK. (82647)
- John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many staff are employed in the defence and aerospace industry by his Department's contractors and sub-contractors in the constituency of (a) Durham North West, (b) Stockton North, (c) Blackpool North, and Cleveleys, (d) Burnley, (e) Hyndburn, (f) Pendle, (g) Ashfield, (h) Derby South, (i) Lincoln, (j) Loughborough, (k) Sherwood, and (l) Coventry North West.
- John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many staff are employed in the defence and aerospace industry by his Department's contractors and sub-contractors in the constituency of (a) Wolverhampton North East, (b) South East Cambridgeshire, (c) Stevenage, (d) Portsmouth North, (e) Portsmouth South, (f) Filton and Bradley Stoke, (g) Alyn and Deeside, (h) Wrexham, (i) Torfaen, (j) Islwyn, (k) Vale of Glamorgan, and (l) Paisley and Renfrewshire North.
- John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, which of his Department's bases in each branch of the armed forces in (a)
 England, (b) Wales, (c) Scotland and (d) Northern Ireland are used by over (i) 5,000 personnel (ii) 10,000 personnel (iii) 25,000 personnel each year.
- John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, in which constituency each company with a prime contract with his Department is based; and how many employees each of those companies has. (81532)
- 749 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, in which constituency each company with subcontract with his Department is based; and how many employees each of those companies has. (81533)
- 750 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps he is taking to ensure his Department's spending is benefits the economy of each (a) region and (b) nation of the UK. (81534)

- **Mrs Sharon Hodgson** (Washington and Sunderland West): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether the review of the Prosecutor's Protocol has begun, and when that review is planned to (a) conclude and (b) be published. (81651)
- Jessica Morden (Newport East): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will publish the number of extant service complaints as of 28 August 2020 in (a) the Army, (b) Royal Air Force, (c) Royal Navy which have been ongoing for (i) 0-6 months, (ii) 6-12 months, (iii) one-two years, (iv) two-three years, (v) three-four years, (vi) four-five years, (vii) six-seven years, (viii) seven-eight years, (ix) eightnine years, (x) nine-10 years (xi) over 10 years.
- **John Redwood** (Wokingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what plans he has to increase the number of his Department's patrol vessels to tackle crime around the UK's coasts. (81470)
- 754 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps he is taking to accelerate the roll-out of the second phase of the Veterans' recognition scheme. (81611)
- **Gareth Thomas** (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what plans he has to publish official statistics of the (a) total number of serving armed forces personnel in receipt of universal credit and (b) mean average amount of universal credit received by those serving armed forces personnel; and if he will make a statement.
- **Gareth Thomas** (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps he plans to take to (a) encourage and (b) assist eligible armed forces personnel in receipt of the New Entrant Rate of Pay to apply for universal credit; and if he will make a statement. (81497)
- **Sammy Wilson** (East Antrim): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what progress he has made in his discussions with the Home Secretary on enabling admittance to the UK for Afghan citizens who served as interpreters for the UK armed forces. (81751)
- **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
 Communities and Local Government, what plans his Department has to work with
 the Department of Transport to ensure that all new-build properties with parking
 provision have electric vehicle charge points. (82343)
- **Stuart Anderson** (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps he is taking to (a) enable the use of derelict buildings for housing developments and (b) reduce waiting times for people applying for social housing allocations. (82407)

- 760 Stuart Anderson (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what support and guidance is available for childcare providers that use multi-purpose community spaces to help them safely re-open from September 2020 as covid-19 lockdown restrictions are eased.
- 761 Sir Paul Beresford (Mole Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
 Communities and Local Government, what assessment he has made of the fire
 risk of alcohol-based hand sanitisers being stored in large quantities in buildings
 throughout the UK; and what steps he is taking to educate the public on the fire
 risks of alcohol-based hand-rubs.

 (81490)
- Jake Berry (Rossendale and Darwen): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, with reference to paragraph 137 of the National Planning Policy Framework, if he will provide guidance to Rossendale Borough Council on ensuring that all other sources of Housing and Employment Land supply have been exhausted before resorting to the release of land from the Green Belt in that organisation's Local Plan.
- 763 Anthony Browne (South Cambridgeshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what plans he has to bring forward proposals to amend the regulation of the national housing and infrastructure procurement, design and build process after the transition period. (82532)
- 764 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what the Government's policy is on non-English inscriptions on tombstones in (a) local authority maintained cemeteries, (b) faith and communities cemeteries and (c) other burial sites. (82577)
- 765 Elliot Colburn (Carshalton and Wallington): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what support his Department is providing to local authorities to enable them to meet their obligation under the Care Act 2014 to ensure that pets, which are considered property of an individual, are looked after if an individual is hospitalised as a result of covid-19. (82455)
- 766 Alberto Costa (South Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what guidance his Department has issued to soft play areas for their safe reopening as covid-19 lockdown restrictions are eased.

 (82084)
- 767 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether his Department has made an assessment of the effect of the covid-19 outbreak on remediation works to remove Aluminium Composite Material from (a) public and (b) social buildings. (82172)
- 768 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, how many and what proportion of applications to the Aluminium Composite Material remediation fund from local authorities have been successful. (82173)

769 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what the average timeframe is for processing an application to the Aluminium Composite Material remediation fund.

(82174)

770 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment his Department has made of the effect of buildings guidance issued by the Independent Expert Advisory Panel on the sale of leasehold properties in buildings (a) under and (b) over 18 meters in height. (82175)

771 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what plans he has to review the budget allocated to the Aluminium Composite Material Remediation fund.

(82176)

772 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what guidance his Department has issued to mortgage lenders in relation to the scope of recent buildings safety advice provided by the Independent Expert Advisory Panel.

(82177)

- 773 Richard Fuller (North East Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what recent assessment he has made of housing affordability in (a) Cambridge city, (b) Cambridgeshire, (c) Bedfordshire, (d) Milton Keynes, (d) Oxfordshire and (e) Oxford. (81757)
- 774 Margaret Greenwood (Wirral West): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment he has made of the potential effect of the proposals in the Planning for the future consultation, published 6 August 2020, on the protection of the green belt in Wirral. (82013)

- 775 Margaret Greenwood (Wirral West): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment he has made of the potential effect of the proposals in the Planning for the future consultation, published 6 August 2020, on the ability of local residents to have their say on whether housing is built on (a) Wirral's green belt and (b) Wirral's green spaces that sit outside the green belt. (82014)
- 776 Margaret Greenwood (Wirral West): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment he has made of the potential effect of the proposals in the Planning for the future consultation, published 6 August 2020 on the (a) maintenance of green spaces in Wirral and (b) conservation of biodiversity in Wirral. (82015)
- 777 Margaret Greenwood (Wirral West): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment he has made of the potential effect of the proposals in the Planning for the future consultation, published 6 August 2020, on the response to climate change at a local level. (82016)

778 Margaret Greenwood (Wirral West): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment he has made of the potential effect of the proposals in the Planning for the future consultation, published 6 August 2020, on the ability of local authorities to mitigate flood risk.

(82017)

779 Margaret Greenwood (Wirral West): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment he has made of the potential effect of the proposals in the Planning for the future consultation, published 6 August 2020, on flood risk in areas in close proximity to the River Birket.

(82018)

- 780 Helen Hayes (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps the Government is taking to increase the range of (a) extra care housing and (b) housing with care to alleviate pressure on the care home sector. (82198)
- 781 **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what plans his Department has put in place to ensure that all households in the UK are digitally enabled in response to a potential second wave of covid-19. (81568)
- 782 **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of introducing an automated traffic light system to control the number of people entering and leaving government buildings. (81574)
- 783 **Kate Hollern** (Blackburn): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what the (a) subject, (b) date and (c) reason has been for all Ministerial Directions he has issued since 24 July 2019. (81959)
- 784 Jane Hunt (Loughborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether he has made an assessment of the potential need to update his Department's guidance for domestic abuse safe accommodation provision, published in March 2020. (82587)
- 785 **Fay Jones** (Brecon and Radnorshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps his Department is taking to encourage the use of wool in UK construction. (82426)
- 786 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment he has made of collection levels for (a) council tax and (b) business rates by local authorities for the financial year 2020-21. (82038)
- 787 **John McDonnell** (Hayes and Harlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, when his Department plans to implement the recommendations made by the Law Commission in March 2017 on transparency of fees and charges in retirement properties. (81502)

- 788 Esther McVey (Tatton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether the maximum number of 30 attendees for large events during the covid-19 outbreak (a) applies to both local authority and privately run crematoria and (b) is enforceable; and who is responsible for enforcing attendance limits within private crematoria. (81864)
- 789 Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
 Communities and Local Government, if he will increase funding to local
 authorities to help support the provision of food waste bins. (82519)
- 790 Caroline Nokes (Romsey and Southampton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what estimate he has made of the number of house purchasers seeking to use the Help to Buy Scheme who have had their completion dates delayed as a result of the covid-19 outbreak and as a result have lost deposits on purchases. (81832)
- 791 Caroline Nokes (Romsey and Southampton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what plans he has to extend the Help to Buy scheme so that property completions delayed as a result of the covid-19 outbreak can be accepted as part of that scheme. (81833)
- 792 **Dr Dan Poulter** (Central Suffolk and North Ipswich): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what role (a) archaeology and (b) heritage will play in his Department's proposals on changes to the planning process.
- 793 Matt Rodda (Reading East): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
 Communities and Local Government, what progress has been made on allocating
 financial support to leaseholders to replace dangerous cladding; and what
 additional funding is being provided to fire services to pay for extra inspections of
 affected buildings. (82332)
- 794 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
 Communities and Local Government, what steps his Department is taking to
 ensure that EWS1 certificates are produced as quickly as possible to prevent
 leaseholders having to delay purchases or remortgaging indefinitely.

 (81617)
- 795 **Gareth Thomas** (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what estimate he has made of the average (a) weekly and (b) monthly cost to leaseholders in buildings in Harrow West with unsafe cladding systems of (i) temporary safety measures, (ii) legal fees, (iii) insurance premiums and (iv) other ancillary fees related to fire safety. (81499)
- 796 Gareth Thomas (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
 Communities and Local Government, what estimate he has made of the number
 of sales of flats in buildings (a) under or (b) over 18 metres that have not been
 completed as a result of the building not having an EWS1 certificate; and if he will
 make a statement.

 (81500)

- 797 **Gareth Thomas** (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, pursuant to the Answer of 16 July to Question 70953 on Mortgages, on what date he plans to hold a further roundtable with mortgage lenders; and if he will make a statement.
- (81501)
- 798 Liz Twist (Blaydon): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps he is taking to prevent covid-19 related evictions following the lifting of the eviction ban. (82279)
- 799 **Christian Wakeford** (Bury South): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps the Government is taking to ensure the greenbelt in (a) Bury South constituency and (b) Greater Manchester is protected from development. (82640)
- 800 Christian Wakeford (Bury South): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
 Communities and Local Government, what steps the Government is taking to
 ensure that local authorities provide up to date local housing figures in Greater
 Manchester.

 (82641)
- 801 James Wild (North West Norfolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, if he will change his Department's guidance to allow parish councils that have a precept to claim discretionary covid-19 grants for village halls.
 (82500)
- 802 **Mr Ben Bradshaw** (Exeter): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what discussions the Government is having with specialist bereavement organisations on the wider support that bereaved families need (a) during and (b) after the covid-19 outbreak.
- 803 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what proportion of people in custody had a (a) virtual visit and (b) physical visit in each custodial facility in England and Wales in August 2020. (81737)
- 804 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many (a) young adult, (b) other female and (c) other male prison leavers were released without an address to go to between 9 June 2020 and 17 July 2020 in (i) each region of England and (ii) Wales. (81739)
- 805 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many (a) young adult, (b) other female and (c) other male prison leavers were released without an address to go to between 18 July 2020 and 25 August 2020 in (i) each region of of England and (ii) Wales. (81740)
- 806 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what recent discussions he has had with the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government on good practice for local authority housing officers responding to duties to refer under the Homelessness Reduction Act 2017 from prisons, young offender institutions, secure training centres, secure colleges, youth offending teams, and probation services.

- 807 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if he will make an assessment of the adequacy for homeless people under probation supervision of the length of the 56 day relief stage within the Homelessness code of guidance for local authorities.
- 808 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what assessment he has made of the effect of steps taken by the judiciary in relation to the use of remand during the covid-19 outbreak on the (a) unconvicted and (b) unsentenced population in custody in (i) April, (ii) May, (iii) June, (iv) July (v) and August 2020.
- 809 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, with reference to the HM Prison and Probation Service COVID-19 Official Statistics, published on 14 August 2020, what assessment he has made of the effectiveness to date of the testing programme in 28 prisons in England and Wales. (81744)
- 810 **Stephen Crabb** (Preseli Pembrokeshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, whether changes to the treatment of VAT on enforcement fees on judgement debt can be implemented without secondary legislation. (81703)
- 811 **Stephen Crabb** (Preseli Pembrokeshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, which area of common law will allow for the implementation of the draft guidance on VAT on High Court Enforcement Officer Fees in its current form. (81704)
- Stephen Crabb (Preseli Pembrokeshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what assessment he has made of the potential effect of charging debtors VAT on enforcement fees on other additional costs being passed onto the debtor not detailed in the Taking Control of Goods (Fees) Regulations 2014. (81705)
- 813 Alex Cunningham (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what cost-benefit analysis he has undertaken on defendants appearing by video link rather than being brought to court. (81881)
- 814 Alex Cunningham (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, whether a covid-19 health risk assessment for defendants and staff on court transport has been published. (81882)
- 815 Alex Cunningham (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, whether the standard rate paid to the Prisoner Escort and Custody Service contractor for the service of transportation and court custody work has been reduced in line with the reduced need for those services during the covid-19 outbreak.
- 816 Alex Cunningham (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, when he plans to resume the transportation of defendants from police custody to the Magistrates' court to allow the defendants to appear in person. (81884)

- 817 Alex Cunningham (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many defendants have spent an extra night in police custody as a result of there not being enough time to hear their case during the court day since the start of the covid-19 outbreak.

 (81885)
- 818 Alex Cunningham (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many defendants that have appeared on video from police custody have been remanded by the court but have failed to be transported to prison at the end of the court day since the start of the covid-19 outbreak.

 (81886)
- 819 Alex Cunningham (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much Her Majesty's Courts and Tribunals Service has paid to use each Cloud Video Platform room during the covid-19 outbreak. (81887)
- 820 Alex Cunningham (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, whether more hearings are completed per hour using the Cloud Video Platform in comparison to everyone being present in person in the Magistrates' court. (81888)
- 821 Alex Cunningham (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what assessment he has made of the effect of the Cloud Video Platform on the backlog of court cases.

 (81889)
- 822 Alex Cunningham (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what assessment he has made of the effect of hearings being held on video on criminal justice outcomes during the covid-19 outbreak. (81890)
- Philip Davies (Shipley): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what the highest number of previous theft offences was for people convicted of a further theft offence and not given a sentence of immediate custody in each of the last three years; and what the chronological sentencing history for all previous such offences was for those people.
- Philip Davies (Shipley): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what the highest number of previous offences of burglary was for people convicted of that offence and not given a sentence of immediate custody in each of the last three years; and what the chronological sentencing history for all previous such offences was for those people.

 (81707)
- Philip Davies (Shipley): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what the highest number of previous offences of assault was for people convicted of that offence and not given a sentence of immediate custody in each of the last three years; and what the chronological sentencing history for all previous such offences was for those people.
- Philip Davies (Shipley): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what the highest number of previous offences of possession of an article with a blade or point was for people convicted of that offence and not given a sentence of immediate custody in each of the last three years; and what the chronological sentencing history for all previous such offences was for those people.

 (81709)

- **Philip Davies** (Shipley): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what the highest number of previous offences of sexual assault was for people convicted of that offence and not given a sentence of immediate custody in each of the last three years; and what the chronological sentencing history for all previous such offences was for those people.
- **Philip Davies** (Shipley): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what the highest number of previous offences of robbery was for people convicted of that offence and not given a sentence of immediate custody in each of the last three years; and what the chronological sentencing history for all previous such offences was for those people.
- **Philip Davies** (Shipley): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what the highest number of previous drug offences was for people convicted of a further drug offence and not given a sentence of immediate custody in each of the last three years; and what the chronological sentencing history for all previous such offences was for those people.
- **Philip Davies** (Shipley): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what the highest number of previous offences of fraud was for people convicted of that offence and not given a sentence of immediate custody in each of the last three years; and what the chronological sentencing history for all previous such offences was for those offenders.
- Philip Davies (Shipley): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what the highest number of previous offences of criminal damage was for people convicted of that offence and not given a sentence of immediate custody in each of the last three years; and what the chronological sentencing history for all previous such offences was for those offenders.
- Philip Davies (Shipley): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what the highest number of previous offences of possession of an offensive weapon was for people convicted of that offence and not given a sentence of immediate custody in each of the last three years; and what the chronological sentencing history for all previous such offences was for those offenders. (81715)
- **Tim Farron** (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many prosecutions have been made under Section 66 of the Serious Crime Act 2015.
- **Paul Girvan** (South Antrim): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what estimate his Department has made of the potential cost of imprisoning people aged over 75 who have been prosecuted for not holding a valid TV license. (82304)
- **Mr Richard Holden** (North West Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what the (a) maximum and (b) average sentence is for people convicted of stealing pets in England and Wales. (82546)

- B36 Daniel Kawczynski (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, whether the Government plans to extend the validity period of marriage and civil partnership notices as a result of the covid-19 pandemic. (81729)
- **Kirsten Oswald** (East Renfrewshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what the average wait is for people telephoning the national Courts and Tribunal Service centres with queries relating to probate applications in the last 12 months.

 (82025)
- **Kirsten Oswald** (East Renfrewshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what information his Department holds on the (a) average, (b) shortest and (c) longest time taken to grant probate in the last 12 months. (82026)
- **Matt Rodda** (Reading East): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what the deadline is for the negotiations with a preferred bidder for Reading Gaol; and what procurement process his Department plans to use to reopen its search for a new preferred bidder in the event that negotiations break down. (82331)
- **Mr Barry Sheerman** (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what steps he is taking to (a) ensure objectiveness of judges and (b) tackle racial disparities in the justice system. (81535)
- **Alexander Stafford** (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what plans there are to amend the definition of position of trust in the Sexual Offences Act 2003. (82613)
- **Alexander Stafford** (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what assessment his Department has made of the resource implications of expanding the definition of abuse of position of trust in the Sexual Offences Act 2003. (82614)
- **Daniel Zeichner** (Cambridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many section 21 notices are pending in Cambridge due to the implementation of the eviction ban during the covid-19 outbreak in March 2020. (81984)
- **Daniel Zeichner** (Cambridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many property possession orders are (a) suspended and (b) pending in Cambridge due to the implementation of the eviction ban during the covid-19 outbreak in March 2020.
- Jonathan Gullis (Stoke-on-Trent North): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, what steps his Department is taking to mark the 100th anniversary of Northern Ireland in 2021. (82561)
- Jonathan Gullis (Stoke-on-Trent North): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, what recent discussions he has had with businesses on the Northern Ireland protocol. (82562)

- 847 **Stuart Anderson** (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Prime Minister, whether he plans to undertake (a) a public consultation and (b) focus group meetings with patients on the development of a new plan to reduce obesity prevalence; and if he will make a statement. (82391)
- 848 **Stuart Anderson** (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Prime Minister, what meetings he has had with (a) Ministers, (b) officials in other Departments, (c) NHS England, (d) patients and (e) other stakeholders on the development of a new plan to reduce obesity prevalence. (82393)
- Owen Thompson (Midlothian): To ask the Prime Minister, what assessment the Government has made of the likelihood of the UK receiving a positive data protection adequacy finding from the European Commission in the event that the transition period ends without a deal on the future relationship. (82137)
- 850 Owen Thompson (Midlothian): To ask the Prime Minister, what plans the Government has to negotiate an agreement with the US similar to Privacy Shield.

(82138)

- 851 Owen Thompson (Midlothian): To ask the Prime Minister, what policy proposals the Government has on the future of personal data transfers to the US. (82139)
- 852 **Owen Thompson** (Midlothian): To ask the Prime Minister, what assessment the Government has made of whether US data law ensures a level of protection equivalent to that provided by Article 47 of GDPR. (82140)
- 853 Owen Thompson (Midlothian): To ask the Prime Minister, when the Government plans to publish its plans for (a) parliamentary and (b) independent scrutiny of the UK's aid budget. (82144)
- 854 **Paul Bristow** (Peterborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Scotland, what discussions he has had with the (a) Scottish Football Association and (b) Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport on the prospects for relaunching the British Home Football Championship. (82508)
- Jonathan Gullis (Stoke-on-Trent North): To ask the Secretary of State for Scotland, what assessment his Department has made of the level of additional fiscal support made available to the Scottish Government in response to the covid-19 outbreak.

 (82560)
- 856 **Nickie Aiken** (Cities of London and Westminster): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of amending British Business Bank lending criteria to allow businesses which have accumulated losses greater than half of their share capital access to loans under the Coronavirus Business Interruption Loan Scheme. (82389)
- 857 **Stuart Anderson** (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what funding his Department plans to allocate to the NHS to deliver the Government's new obesity strategy, announced on 27 July 2020; and if he will make a statement. (82392)

- **Stuart Anderson** (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what financial support is available to organisations and charities that help people with cancer. (82399)
- **Stuart Anderson** (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what financial support is available to (a) workers on zero hour contracts and (b) agency workers who have been advised to continue to self-isolate during the covid-19 outbreak. (82401)
- **Stuart Anderson** (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what (a) rent assistance and (b) other forms of financial support is available for market traders and stallholders who have been adversely affected by the covid-19 outbreak. (82406)
- Stuart Anderson (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what financial support his Department is providing (a) nightclubs and (b) other business operating in the night time economy that have paused trading for a prolonged period of time as a result of the covid-19 outbreak. (82411)
- **Stuart Anderson** (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what financial support is available for self-employed publicans who are not eligible for (a) universal credit and (b) the Self-Employment Income Support Scheme.
- **Stuart Anderson** (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what financial support is available during the covid-19 outbreak for directors of limited companies who are (a) paid in dividends and (b) not eligible for universal credit.
- Andrew Bridgen (North West Leicestershire): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many complaints have been received through the FCA Complaints System; and how many complaints in relation to the conduct of the FCA Supervision team have been recorded in the last five calendar years. (81902)
- **Deidre Brock** (Edinburgh North and Leith): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, when the technical consultation on reform of Small Brewers Relief will be launched. (82028)
- **Deidre Brock** (Edinburgh North and Leith): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what recent assessment he has made of the potential effect of the planned reform of Small Brewers Relief on small, independent breweries. (82029)
- **Deidre Brock** (Edinburgh North and Leith): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what recent discussions his Department has had with the Society of Independent Brewers on the Small Brewers Relief reform. (82030)
- **Deidre Brock** (Edinburgh North and Leith): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what recent discussions his Department has had with the Small Brewers Duty Reform Coalition on Small Brewers Relief reform. (82031)

- 869 Alan Brown (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what Barnett Consequential funding will be allocated to the Scottish Government from the Green Homes Grant scheme. (82108)
- 870 Alan Brown (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what recent assessment he has made of the contribution of the Scotch Whisky industry to the (a) public purse and (b) economy; and if he will he make a statement.

 (82109)
- 871 Alan Brown (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the effectiveness of the tax burden on Scotch Whisky.

 (82110)
- Alan Brown (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the effect on the Scotch whisky sector of the 25 per cent tariff on single malt Scotch Whisky and liqueurs imposed by the US; what plans he has to support the sector through domestic tax policy; and if he will make a statement.
- Alan Brown (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, pursuant to his oral contribution of 8 July 2020, Official Report, col 973, what plans he has to develop a long term programme with additional funding to improve the energy efficiency of housing across all tenures; and if he will make a statement.
- Anthony Browne (South Cambridgeshire): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, on how many occasions the exemption in relation to the multiple dwellings relief for property transactions of six or more separate dwellings FA03/S116(7) was used in 2018-19; and what estimate he has made of the revenue foregone to the public purse as a result of that relief.
- Anthony Browne (South Cambridgeshire): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, on how many occasions the exemption in relation to the multiple dwellings relief for property transactions of six or more separate dwellings FA03/S116(7) was used in 2017-18; and what estimate he has made of the revenue foregone to the public purse as a result of that relief. (82531)
- 876 **Sir Alan Campbell** (Tynemouth): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether the Government is planning to make further funding available to sectors that have remained closed due to the covid-19 outbreak. (81576)
- 877 **Sir Alan Campbell** (Tynemouth): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of backdating the reduction in stamp duty to the start of the covid-19 lockdown. (81578)
- 878 **Sir Alan Campbell** (Tynemouth): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, when he plans to publish (a) the eligibility criteria for and (b) further details on the New Green Homes Grant. (81581)

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- 879 Sarah Champion (Rotherham): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what discussions he has held with his counterpart G20 finance ministers to ensure that the G20 covid-19 action plan includes a dedicated strategy for economic recovery in countries affected by fragility, crisis, and displacement. (81939)
- 880 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether he plans to provide a financial support package for (a) childminders, (b) nurseries and (c) other Early Years Foundation Stage childcare providers when they re-open during the covid-19 outbreak. (82576)
- 881 Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of the proposal by the Personal Finance Society that compensation awarded by the Financial Services Compensation Scheme be partly funded by a levy on the assets managed by the UK investment industry.
 (82429)
- 882 Ronnie Cowan (Inverclyde): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps his Department is taking to ensure people have access to banks and cash withdrawals during the covid-19 outbreak. (82097)
- 883 **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that businesses invoice consumers with the appropriate VAT. (81893)
- 884 **Janet Daby** (Lewisham East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what the net amount was of unclaimed eligible gift aid in (a) 2017, (b) 2018 and (c) 2019. (82364)
- 885 **Janet Daby** (Lewisham East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of increasing the effective tax rate at which Gift Aid is paid to 25 per cent. (82365)
- 886 Janet Daby (Lewisham East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many (a) credit unions and (b) credit unions affiliated to faith groups there are in the UK.(82366)
- 887 Martyn Day (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what discussions his Department has had with the Financial Conduct Authority on the effect on financial advisor firms of the recent increase in the Financial Services Compensation Scheme levy. (82156)
- 888 Martyn Day (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits under the Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme of supporting beyond October 2020 people in (a) the events industry and (b) other sectors that have not yet been permitted to reopen.
- 889 **Stephen Farry** (North Down): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will list each of the Barnett Consequentials that have arisen for the Northern Ireland Executive since 1 April 2020. (82600)

- 890 **Stephen Farry** (North Down): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether the Barnett Consequentials arising for the Northern Ireland Executive during the 2020-21 financial year must be spent in-year or may be carried forward into the 2021-22 financial year. (82601)
- 891 **Paul Girvan** (South Antrim): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that discounts under the Eat Out To Help Out scheme are not given to people who have been recorded as eating in but who have taken food out.

 (82297)
- James Gray (North Wiltshire): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many people moved home and paid Stamp Duty between 1 April and 7 July 2020; and how much revenue was collected in Stamp Duty during that period. (82651)
- 893 Andrew Gwynne (Denton and Reddish): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the financial implications for local authorities of excluding social care workers from the fast track visa programme; and whether the Government plans to provide additional funding to local authorities in relation to that matter.
- 894 Andrew Gwynne (Denton and Reddish): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps he is taking to ensure that local authorities with social care responsibilities will receive funding increases commensurate with any inflationary pressures in the sector.

 (81642)
- 895 **Robert Halfon** (Harlow): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps the Government is taking to financially support individuals who are required to self-isolate as a result of the covid-19 outbreak. (81813)
- 896 **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether he plans to offer financial support to British residents who are required to self-isolate on return from travelling abroad. (81556)
- 897 **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps he is taking to ensure businesses do not terminate staff required to self-isolate due to covid-19.
- 898 **Wera Hobhouse** (Bath): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of reducing the rate of VAT on sunscreen and other sun safety products. (82255)
- 899 **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he plans to extend the eat out to help out scheme beyond the end of August 2020.
- 900 Dan Jarvis (Barnsley Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment his Department has made of the financial effect of increased regulatory fees on financial advisors. (81910)

- **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what recent assessment his Department has made of the adequacy of the National Insurance number application process for EU citizens; and if he will make a statement. (81914)
- **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether the Government is planning to provide additional support for the exhibition industry in response to the effect of the covid-19 outbreak on that sector.

 (81725)
- **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what plans the Government has to provide additional support to the live events industry in response to the effect of the covid-19 outbreak on that sector.

 (81728)
- **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what financial support he has made available to public leisure services during their closure as a result of the covid-19 outbreak. (82355)
- **Holly Lynch** (Halifax): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to the March 2020 Budget, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of including places of worship as a sector in the Changing Places Fund to build accessible toilet facilities in existing buildings. (82127)
- **Siobhain McDonagh** (Mitcham and Morden): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what recent estimate he has made of the cost to the public purse of the charitable status of independent schools. (81505)
- **Jim McMahon** (Oldham West and Royton): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what economic assessment he has made of the effect of ending the Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme. (82234)
- **Esther McVey** (Tatton): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps the Government took to support the pub industry during the covid-19 lockdown; and what steps he is taking to support the pub industry as covid-19 lockdown restrictions are eased. (81856)
- 909 Esther McVey (Tatton): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether he plans to provide financial support to wet-led pubs as covid-19 lockdown restrictions are eased.

 (81858)
- **Esther McVey** (Tatton): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what comparative assessment his Department has made of the adequacy of the level of business taxation for the (a) physical and (b) digital economy. (81859)
- 911 Damien Moore (Southport): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what financial support the Government plans to provide for (a) soft play centres and (b) maternal classes when those facilities reopen after the covid-19 outbreak. (82345)

- 912 Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will make it his policy to increase the minimum wage to the Living Wage Foundation's recommendation of £9.30 in the next Budget. (82522)
- 913 Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will extend financial support through the Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme to people with blood cancer who have been shielding during the covid-19 outbreak who (a) cannot work from home and (b) have been advised to continue shielding from August 2020.
- 914 Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of reducing the rate of VAT applied to soap and sanitising gel. (82527)
- 915 **John Nicolson** (Ochil and South Perthshire): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what further steps he plans to take to help people affected by the Equitable Life scandal. (82027)
- 916 Caroline Nokes (Romsey and Southampton North): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what estimate he has made of the potential tax revenues lost to the public purse as a result of a lack of regulation of the grey market in gambling. (82649)
- 917 **Sarah Olney** (Richmond Park): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what support the Government is providing to the British cruise ship industry during the covid-19 outbreak. (82249)
- 918 **Sir Mike Penning** (Hemel Hempstead): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to the letter from the HM Treasury Correspondence and Enquiry Unit of 2 July 2020 to the hon. Member for Hemel Hempstead, ref MC2020/19806, on irrecoverable VAT in the homecare sector, if he will change the VAT status of social care services to zero-rated rather than exemption. (81654)
- 919 **Dr Dan Poulter** (Central Suffolk and North Ipswich): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will extend the Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme for (a) the live events sector and (b) other industries that are unable to re-open until Spring 2021 as a result of the covid-19 outbreak.
- Jonathan Reynolds (Stalybridge and Hyde): To ask the Chancellor of the
 Exchequer, what estimate he has made of the number of permanent jobs that will
 be created by the Kickstart Scheme.
 (81869)
- 921 **Jonathan Reynolds** (Stalybridge and Hyde): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what data the Government plans to collect to assess the impact of the Kickstart scheme; how often that data will be published; and whether that data will be disaggregated by (a) geographic area, (b) age and (c) disability. (81870)
- Jonathan Reynolds (Stalybridge and Hyde): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether the Government expects a return to the Exchequer from the
 (a) implementation of the Kickstart Scheme and (b) expansion of existing work placement schemes.

- 923 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the effect of the requirement for candidates for the kickstart scheme to be in receipt of universal credit on the take-up of that scheme; and if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of removing that requirement.
- 924 Alec Shelbrooke (Elmet and Rothwell): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps he is taking to ensure that high street lenders do not require firms to conduct costly third party audits before being considered for a loan under the Coronavirus Business Interruption Loan Scheme. (81819)
- 925 Alec Shelbrooke (Elmet and Rothwell): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will use returned Discretionary Grant Funds unspent by local authorities to provide financial assistance to close companies directors who operate businesses from their homes, have had no access to business grants or local authority discretionary funds and have been unable to trade throughout the covid-19 outbreak.
- 926 **Alexander Stafford** (Rother Valley): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of introducing stamp duty relief for owners of properties affected by the costs of cladding replacement and who are planning to sell up and buy a new home. (82625)
- 927 Alexander Stafford (Rother Valley): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps he is taking to ensure that climate-related disclosures by all listed companies align with the proposals in the 2019 Green Finance Strategy which states that the Government expects all listed companies to make climate-related disclosures in line with Task-force on Climate-related Financial Disclosures recommendations by 2022.
- 928 Alexander Stafford (Rother Valley): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps he is taking to ensure that companies (a) produce (i) Paris climate change agreement-aligned and (ii) net-zero business plans and (b) manage other forward-looking climate risks. (82628)
- 929 Alexander Stafford (Rother Valley): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps he is taking to ensure that large private companies not included in proposals for climate-related disclosures being consulted on by the Financial Conduct Authority report in line with the Task Force on Climate-related Financial Disclosures recommendation that they align their strategies with Paris climate change agreement objectives. (82629)
- 930 **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps his Department is taking to provide targeted support to the events sector during the covid-19 outbreak. (81839)
- 931 **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps his Department is taking to provide targeted support to (a) the events sector and (b) other sectors that remain closed as a result of covid-19 lockdown restrictions. (81840)

- **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of providing targeted support to (a) the events sector and (b) other sectors that remain closed as a result of covid-19 lockdown restrictions. (81841)
- **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if his Department will make an assessment of the potential merits of amending the Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme to not require businesses who have yet to reopen and have no income to start contributing to the scheme from August 2020.
- **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if this

 Department will make an assessment of the potential merits of extending business
 rates relief to the events sector. (81843)
- Julian Sturdy (York Outer): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if his Department will make an assessment of the potential merits of amending the Coronavirus Business Interruption Loan Scheme to (a) extend the repayment period from six to over 10 years and (b) increase the level of Government support for the loan from partial to total, to assist businesses in accessing the finance they require.
- Julian Sturdy (York Outer): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of extending the Self-Employment Income Support Scheme beyond the second grant for (a) musicians, (b) other performers and (c) other self-employed workers who remain unable to (i) work and (ii) work enough hours to earn their usual income as a result of covid-19 lockdown restrictions.
- **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of introducing targeted support beyond the second grant of the Self-Employment Income Support Scheme for (a) musicians, (b) other performers and (c) other self-employed workers who remain unable to work as a result of covid-19 lockdown restrictions.
- **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps his Department is taking to encourage the provision of mobile bank branches. (81848)
- **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what recent assessment his Department has made of the accessibility of in-branch banking services for people living in a rural setting. (81849)
- **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment his Department has made of the accessibility of in-branch banking services for people living in urban areas. (81850)
- **Zarah Sultana** (Coventry South): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what plans his Department has to up-rate legacy benefits in line with universal credit. (82494)

- **Owen Thompson** (Midlothian): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will extend eligibility criteria for business grants unallocated by local authorities to include business owners who have until now been ineligible for covid-19 related Government support. (82143)
- **Liz Twist** (Blaydon): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps he is taking to ensure the maintenance of the triple lock on pensions in the 2019 Parliament.

 (82280)
- **Daniel Zeichner** (Cambridge): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps he is taking to support private investment in the UK's hydrogen sector. (81970)
- **Daniel Zeichner** (Cambridge): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what recent assessment he has made of the potential merits of moving from vehicle excise duty to road-user charging; and if he will make a statement. (81980)
- **Paul Bristow** (Peterborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Wales, what discussions his Department has had with (a) the Football Association of Wales and (b) the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport on relaunching the British Home Football Championship. (82509)
- **Nick Smith** (Blaenau Gwent): To ask the Secretary of State for Wales, what steps he is taking to support the Welsh hydrogen economy. (81770)
- **Stuart Anderson** (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, what opportunities the Commission on Race and Ethnic Disparities plans to make available to people in (a) Wolverhampton South West constituency and (b) the rest of the UK to engage with the work of the Commission. (82405)
- **Stuart Anderson** (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, what steps she is taking to encourage diversity in senior professions in relation to (a) age, (b) class, (c) ethnicity, (d) gender and (e) sexuality. (82408)
- **Tony Lloyd** (Rochdale): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, what steps the Government is taking to ensure that employers take steps to close the gender pay gap. (82681)
- 951 Caroline Lucas (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, how many times the LGBT Advisory Panel has met in the year from July 2019 to July 2020; whether she has fulfilled the requirement set out in the LGBT Advisory Panel's terms of reference to meet the Chair of the Panel twice a year; and if she will publish the minutes of any Panel meetings that have taken place. (81774)
- **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, what steps the Government has taken to make public services more accessible to people with hidden disabilities. (81512)

Questions for Answer on Thursday 3 September

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N Wendy Chamberlain (North East Fife): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what the timetable is for the establishment of the proposed Commission on the Constitution, Democracy and Human Rights. (82427)
- 2N **Lloyd Russell-Moyle** (Brighton, Kemptown): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what new border infrastructure is being planned for Newhaven. (82275)
- 3N Cat Smith (Lancaster and Fleetwood): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, when he plans to set out how the £705 million of funding for ports will be allocated by (a) region and (b) port. (82069)
- 4N Cat Smith (Lancaster and Fleetwood): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, with reference to the statement on page 133 of the Border Operating Model, published 13 July 2020, that there could be significant queues and delays on the roads approaching ports in the UK if a high volume of HGVs do not have the correct documentation, what assessment he has made of the potential (a) scale and (b) economic effect of those queues or delays.
- 5N Cat Smith (Lancaster and Fleetwood): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, with reference to the statement on page 133 of the Border Operating Model, published 13 July 2020, that there could be significant queues and delays on the roads approaching ports in the UK if a high volume of HGVs do not have the correct documentation, if he will publish any research undertaken on the potential scale of those queues and delays. (82071)
- 6N Cat Smith (Lancaster and Fleetwood): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, with reference to the statement on page 133 of the Border Operating Model, published 13 July 2020, that there could be significant queues and delays on the roads approaching ports in the UK if a high volume of HGVs do not have the correct documentation, what recent assessment he has made of the risk of significant delays at Dover in (a) January 2021 and (b) July 2021.
- 7N Cat Smith (Lancaster and Fleetwood): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, with reference to the Operation Brock traffic management plans for the end of the Transition Period on page 134 of the Border Operating Model, published 13 July 2020, what assessment he has made of the potential effect of the operation on traffic in the surrounding areas.

(82073)

- 8N Catherine West (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether the (a) European Audiovisual Media Services Directive and (b) Directives relating to Copyright will be transferred to UK law after the transition period.

 (82222)
- 9N **Ian Blackford** (Ross, Skye and Lochaber): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what plans he has for the application and administration of VAT thresholds in relation to non-VAT registered UK businesses exporting to individual customers in the EU from January 2021. (81992)
- 10N Alan Brown (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if he will list the proposed new build nuclear sites where China General Nuclear Power Company have a potential investment stake.

(82101)

- 11N **Greg Clark** (Tunbridge Wells): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if he will take steps to provide the travel industry with sector specific support to assist in its recovery from the covid-19 pandemic. (81736)
- 12N **Thangam Debbonaire** (Bristol West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps the Government is taking to support small breweries. (82064)
- 13N Margaret Greenwood (Wirral West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment he has made of the ability of local authorities to help tackle the climate emergency at a local level. (82005)
- 14N Margaret Greenwood (Wirral West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what resources his Department is providing to local authorities to help them respond to the climate emergency. (82006)
- 15N Margaret Greenwood (Wirral West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what discussions he has had with local authority leaders on achieving net zero carbon emissions by 2030. (82007)
- 16N Helen Hayes (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment he has made of the potential effect of retrofitting schools to become zero carbon schools on (a) carbon emissions and (b) behaviour change. (82192)
- 17N **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if he will publish a timescale for the resumption of wedding ceremonies with over 30 attendees as covid-19 lockdown restrictions are eased.

 (81903)
- 18N Dan Jarvis (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps his Department is taking to provide sector-specific support for the financial recovery of night clubs and the UK night time entertainment services sector after the covid-19 outbreak. (81904)

- 19N Ben Lake (Ceredigion): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment he has made of the effect on businesses in the hospitality and entertainment sectors of energy companies classifying those companies as high risk as a result of the covid-19 outbreak; and what steps he is taking to ensure the equitable treatment of those sectors by energy companies. (82284)
- 20N **Jessica Morden** (Newport East): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that companies comply with ACAS guidelines on accrued holiday pay when making an employee redundant. (81696)
- 21N **Jess Phillips** (Birmingham, Yardley): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what proportion of Innovate UK funding has been allocated to businesses led by women in financial year (a) 2019-20 and (b) 2020-21 to date. (81962)
- 22N James Wild (North West Norfolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether the new Green Homes Grant scheme will be available to the owners and tenants of (a) park homes and (b) other mobile homes. (82499)
- 23N **Tracy Brabin** (Batley and Spen): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, when the Competition and Markets Authority plans to report on the findings of the digital markets taskforce; and what plans he has to ensure the equity of markets online for creators and consumers. (82244)
- 24N **Tracy Brabin** (Batley and Spen): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment he has made of the implications for the inclusion of a national copyright exhaustion regime in free trade agreements of the effect of that framework on (a) the publishing sector and (b) other creative industries.
- 25N Colleen Fletcher (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, whether his Department has assessed the effect of the covid-19 outbreak on levels of loneliness and social isolation. (81964)
- 26N **Colleen Fletcher** (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what steps his Department is taking to tackle loneliness and social isolation resulting from the covid-19 outbreak. (81965)
- 27N Margaret Greenwood (Wirral West): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what the financial costs are, aside from pensions and National Insurance contributions for employees, for schools seeking to take part in the National Tutoring Programme. (82009)
- 28N Margaret Greenwood (Wirral West): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment he has made of the ability of schools with an above national average proportion of disadvantaged pupils to pay for the costs of the National Tutoring Programme. (82010)

- 29N **Mr Mark Harper** (Forest of Dean): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what plans he has to ensure that students taking exams in October 2020 receive an adequate level of tuition to help compensate for the disruptions to their education caused by the covid-19 outbreak. (81649)
- 30N Helen Hayes (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment he has made of the potential effect of retrofitting schools to become zero carbon schools on school budgets. (82193)
- 31N **Mrs Emma Lewell-Buck** (South Shields): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, for what reasons covid-19 cannot be cited as a reason to grant additional (a) study skills and (b) mentoring hours to higher education students that qualify for Disabled Students' Allowances. (81940)
- 32N Catherine McKinnell (Newcastle upon Tyne North): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department is taking to tackle racism and Islamophobia in (a) schools and (b) among young people. (81896)
- 33N **Jim McMahon** (Oldham West and Royton): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many and what proportion of the 200,000 devices and 4G wireless routers distributed from May to July 2020 to disadvantaged school children were (a) allocated and (b) distributed to children in each local authority in Greater Manchester.
- 34N **Anne Marie Morris** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps he is taking to address the specific challenges to children's mental health found in rural and isolated areas. (81915)
- 35N **Sir Desmond Swayne** (New Forest West): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if he will implement an appeals system to enable A-level students whose grades were adversely affected by schools' and colleges' interpretation of Ofqual guidance to have their centre-assessed grades reviewed by examination boards: and if he will make a statement. (81478)
- 36N Theresa Villiers (Chipping Barnet): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, when he plans to announce a new funding settlement for maintained nursery schools.

 (81634)
- 37N **Theresa Villiers** (Chipping Barnet): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if he will ensure that a new funding settlement for maintained nursery schools includes the Borough of Barnet. (81635)
- 38N James Wild (North West Norfolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if he will list the level of funding provided to schools in (a) Norfolk and (b) the North West Norfolk constituency for each year since 2015. (82503)

- 39N **Mr John Baron** (Basildon and Billericay): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, when he plans to respond to the correspondence from the hon. Member for Basildon an Billericay of 24 April 2020 and follow up correspondence of 29 May 2020,18 June 2020 and 16 July 2020 regarding constituent Ms Greene.
- 40N **Olivia Blake** (Sheffield, Hallam): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, under what circumstances he would use the powers set out in Clause 81 of the Environment Bill to weaken existing targets for the chemical status of water in the UK. (82611)
- 41N Olivia Blake (Sheffield, Hallam): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he will take to integrate areas that are designated as special areas of conservation into the regulatory framework set out in the Environment Bill 2020. (82612)
- 42N **Sarah Champion** (Rotherham): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what estimate he has made of the number of dogs in the last 10% of their pregnancy that have been illegally brought into the UK in 2020. (81937)
- 43N **Sarah Champion** (Rotherham): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of trends in the rate of pregnant dogs illegally brought into the UK and seized by the Animal and Plant Health Agency since 2019. (81938)
- 44N Allan Dorans (Ayr, Carrick and Cumnock): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what progress he has made on replacing the paper-based application process for a licence to export live falcons with an online process.

 (82388)
- 45N Margaret Greenwood (Wirral West): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what resources his Department is providing to local authorities to help them (a) manage flood risk and (b) improve their flood mitigation measures. (82008)
- 46N James Wild (North West Norfolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what plans his Department has to amend the one out all out rule for rivers set out in the Water Framework Directive. (82502)
- 47N **Patricia Gibson** (North Ayrshire and Arran): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what steps she is taking to seek the removal of US tariffs on Single Malt Scotch Whisky and Whisky liqueurs. (82067)
- 48N **Stephen Kinnock** (Aberavon): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, with reference to the Sri Lankan Government's announcement of 27 February 2020 that it would withdraw from the UN Human Rights Council resolution 30/1, whether she has raised human rights during the current trade negotiations with the Sri Lankan Government. (81955)

- 49N Mrs Emma Lewell-Buck (South Shields): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, with reference to her Written Statement of 7 July 2020 on Trade Update, what the threshold is at which the Government would assess the number of incidents violating International Humanitarian Law as unacceptable in the licensing of arms sales to Saudi Arabia for use in Yemen, regardless of whether they constituted a pattern; and what the basis is for the level of that threshold. (81945)
- 50N Mrs Emma Lewell-Buck (South Shields): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, with reference to her Written Statement of 7 July 2020 on Trade Update and the Answer of 13 July 2020 to Question 68798, what criteria were used to determine whether the 535 incidents which, for the purpose of the Government's analysis are being treated as violations of International Humanitarian Law, constituted a pattern.
- 51N **Owen Thompson** (Midlothian): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, how her department defines personal meetings in the context of classifying meetings to enable decisions of whether to publish them in the Government's quarterly transparency data. (82145)
- 52N **Owen Thompson** (Midlothian): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, how many licences for arms exports to Belarus her Department has approved in the last 12 months. (82146)
- 53N **Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, pursuant to the Answer of 29 June 2020 to Question 63203 on clothing: Bangladesh, what further discussions she has had since 21 May 2020 with UK retailers on payments to garment manufacturers in Bangladesh for products supplied during the covid-19 pandemic; and if she will make a statement. (81493)
- 54N **Dr Philippa Whitford** (Central Ayrshire): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, if her Department will work with the Scottish Chambers of Commerce Network to ensure that the 25 per cent tariff imposed by the US on exports of Single Malt Scotch Whisky and Whisky liqueurs is removed. (81986)
- 55N **Fiona Bruce** (Congleton): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what the budget is of (a) Phase 2b east and (b) Phase 2b west of High Speed Two. (81797)
- 56N **Fiona Bruce** (Congleton): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many HS2 Ltd employees have been furloughed during the covid-19 outbreak. (81798)
- 57N **Damian Collins** (Folkestone and Hythe): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, when he plans to respond to the correspondence of 11 June 2019, 19 October 2019 and 25 June 2020 from the hon. Member for Folkestone and Hythe, regarding his constituent Mrs Old and the formerly proposed lorry park at Stanford West; and if he will make a statement. (81816)

- 58N Alex Cunningham (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of bringing forward legislative proposals to make it compulsory to wear a helmet when cycling.

 (81892)
- 59N **Thangam Debbonaire** (Bristol West): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to the Answer of 17 May 2019 to Question 252001 on Bus Service Operators Grant, by what date he plans to bring forward plans to reform the Bus Service Operators Grant. (82059)
- 60N **Patricia Gibson** (North Ayrshire and Arran): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps he will take to (a) improve response rates to calls to the DVLA and (b) ensure that key workers are able to book a driving test. (82065)
- 61N **Patricia Gibson** (North Ayrshire and Arran): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will include the safety of motorcyclists in the review of the Highway Code. (82066)
- 62N Dame Cheryl Gillan (Chesham and Amersham): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of Greengauge21's report entitled HS2's Eastern Arm, published July 2020. (81476)
- 63N Dame Cheryl Gillan (Chesham and Amersham): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, for what reason details of business expenses, travel costs and hospitality figures have not been published for HS2 personnel since September 2019; and if he will publish those figures. (81477)
- 64N **Paul Girvan** (South Antrim): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will temporarily extend the 12 month driving license exchange period for people that hold a non-EU driving license during the covid-19 outbreak. (82306)
- 65N Lilian Greenwood (Nottingham South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of the Canal and River Trust's proposals for 30 towpath improvement schemes across the country. (81825)
- 66N **Lilian Greenwood** (Nottingham South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of using canal towpaths to provide safe walking and cycling routes to deprived neighbourhoods. (81826)
- 67N Lilian Greenwood (Nottingham South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of the role of canal towpaths in his plans to increase walking and cycling. (81827)
- 68N Andrew Gwynne (Denton and Reddish): To ask the Secretary of State for
 Transport, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of implied zebra
 crossings on side roads. (81644)
- 69N **Meg Hillier** (Hackney South and Shoreditch): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, when he plans to publish the Equalities Impact Assessment on the decision to remove free travel for under-18s in London. (81653)

- 70N **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent discussions he has had with the Civil Aviation Authority on supporting airlines to decrease the time taken to process and issue refunds for flights cancelled due to the covid-19 outbreak. (81905)
- 71N **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of (a) the carbon impact of the Government's £27 billion road building programme and (b) the compatibility of that programme with the Government's target of achieving net zero emissions by 2050. (81627)
- 72N **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps he is taking to ensure that the work of the new Acceleration Unit is aligned with the Government's net-zero commitment. (81628)
- 73N **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps he is taking to ensure the work of the Acceleration Unit supports the outcomes of the Decarbonising Transport Plan. (81629)
- 74N Catherine McKinnell (Newcastle upon Tyne North): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent assessment he has made of the effect of the covid-19 pandemic on the financial situation of regional airports. (81897)
- 75N Catherine McKinnell (Newcastle upon Tyne North): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent assessment he has made of the potential merits of providing 12 months business rates relief to airports in England and Wales in response to covid-19 pandemic. (81898)
- 76N **Jessica Morden** (Newport East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps he is taking to reduce the risk of fatality for private contractors' staff on the UK railway network. (81693)
- 77N **Jessica Morden** (Newport East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what discussions his Department has had with train operating companies on ensuring their staff fatigue risk management systems meet relevant industry guidance and best practice. (81694)
- 78N Sarah Olney (Richmond Park): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many complaints the Driver Vehicle Standards Agency received on smoky vehicles relating to (a) lorries, and (b) buses. (82246)
- 79N Sarah Olney (Richmond Park): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, for what reasons the Driver and Vehicle Standards Agency does not accept reports on excessively smoky vehicles other than lorries and buses. (82247)
- 80N **Gavin Robinson** (Belfast East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to his Department's survey, Transport decarbonisation plan: call for ideas, for what reasons Northern Ireland is omitted from that survey. (81958)
- 81N **Matt Western** (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, when he plans to publish the outcome of the Williams Rail Review. (82276)

- 82N Alex Cunningham (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether the right for unmarried couples to claim bereavement benefits will extend to people who do not live together but do have a child. (81891)
- 83N Alex Davies-Jones (Pontypridd): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many universal credit applications her Department has received from claimants citing that a third or subsequent child was conceived as a result of rape in each year since 2015; and how many of those applications were received in (a) each UK region and nation and (b) the Pontypridd constituency in each of those years.
- 84N Alex Davies-Jones (Pontypridd): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many universal credit applications her Department has (a) received from claimants citing that a third or subsequent child was conceived as a result of rape and (b) rejected as a result of a third or subsequent child being born after 5 April 2017.
- 85N **Thangam Debbonaire** (Bristol West): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if her Department will carry out a review into deaths of benefits claimants.

 (82063)
- 86N **Drew Hendry** (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what estimate she has been made of the current clearance time frame for a personal independence payment claim compared to the three year average.

 (82099)
- 87N Carol Monaghan (Glasgow North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps her Department is taking to resume assessments for Industrial Injuries Disablement Benefit claims during the covid-19 outbreak. (82088)
- 88N Carol Monaghan (Glasgow North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps her Department are taking to ensure that no claimant for Industrial Injuries Disablement Benefit loses out due to delays in assessment due to the covid-19 outbreak.

 (82089)
- 89N **Jonathan Reynolds** (Stalybridge and Hyde): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment she has made of the adequacy of recent pay awards in her Department. (81875)
- 90N Sarah Atherton (Wrexham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of providing Barnett Consequentials to Wales for the additional payments offered to victims of the contaminated blood scandal under the England Infected Blood Support Scheme announced in April 2019. (82599)
- 91N **Greg Clark** (Tunbridge Wells): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to introduce regular covid-19 testing for asymptomatic domiciliary care workers. (81734)

- 92N **Greg Clark** (Tunbridge Wells): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate he has made of when covid-19 testing capacity will be sufficient to allow the testing of all travellers to and from the UK. (81735)
- 93N Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether Non-Invasive Prenatal Testing will be available at no cost as part of the screening pathway for Down's syndrome, Edwards's syndrome and Patau's syndrome throughout NHS England by March 2021. (82430)
- 94N **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of guidance on hand sanitiser for people who cannot use alcohol-based hand rubs as a result of (a) eczema, (b) dermatitis and (c) other skin conditions. (81688)
- 95N **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will review whether alcohol-free hand sanitisers which are independently lab-certified to be effective can be included in public guidance alongside alcohol-based products. (81689)
- 96N **Mr David Davis** (Haltemprice and Howden): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when the NHS plans to resume the (a) collection and (b) publication of data on critical care bed capacity across the NHS. (81520)
- 97N **Mr David Davis** (Haltemprice and Howden): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, which suppliers entered bids for the contract to provide contact tracers as part of the Government's covid-19 test and trace programme. (81521)
- 98N **Mr David Davis** (Haltemprice and Howden): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he made of the potential merits of using local providers of contract tracing as part of the Government's covid-19 test and trace programme. (81522)
- 99N **Mr David Davis** (Haltemprice and Howden): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what criteria his Department used to determine whether the bidders for the covid-19 test and trace contract had the necessary competencies to carry out contact tracing. (81523)
- 100NMr David Davis (Haltemprice and Howden): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department made of the performance of bidders for the covid-19 test and trace contact tracing contract on previous Government contracts. (81524)
- 101NThangam Debbonaire (Bristol West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will review the (a) impact of and (b) adequacy of the guidance on the use of electro-convulsive therapy on women. (82061)
- 102NColleen Fletcher (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what training (a) health visitors, (b) midwives and (c) GPs receive on identifying (a) post-natal depression and (b) other maternal mental health issues.

- 103NColleen Fletcher (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what specialist treatment is available for mothers suffering postnatal depression in (a) Coventry, (b) the West Midlands and (c) England. (81967)
- 104NGill Furniss (Sheffield, Brightside and Hillsborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to publish an updated timetable for the phased return of business events, music concerts, crowds in sporting events and other cultural events as covid-19 lockdown restrictions are eased. (82237)
- 105NGill Furniss (Sheffield, Brightside and Hillsborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has sought guidance from SAGE on changing covid-19 social distancing guidance for children in England. (82241)
- 106NRobert Halfon (Harlow): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to ensure the availability of cervical screening to people who show symptoms of cervical cancer. (81805)
- 107NRobert Halfon (Harlow): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the availability of clear face masks to health and social care settings to allow lip reading and communication for deaf patients and staff.

 (81807)
- 108NRobert Halfon (Harlow): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether clear face masks are available on the NHS Supply Chain for health and social care settings to purchase. (81809)
- 109NRobert Halfon (Harlow): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if his Department will make an assessment of the potential merits of introducing a screening service for prostate cancer. (81810)
- 110N Robert Halfon (Harlow): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 24 July 2020 to Question 71027 on Patients:

 Monitoring, what steps his Department is taking to close staffing gaps in the elderly care sector; and what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of introducing new remote monitoring technologies to help improve the quality of care for patients and safety for health workers.

 (81811)
- 111N Mr Mark Harper (Forest of Dean): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what information (a) his Department, (b) NHS England, (c) Public Health England and (d) NHS Test & Trace holds on transmission routes of covid-19 in different geographical areas and their relative importance; and if he will make it his policy to publish that information.
- 112N Mr Mark Harper (Forest of Dean): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he plans to publish the (a) proportion of people tested who test positive for covid-19 and (b) red, amber, green risk rating assessed by Public Health England for each geographical area as part of the regular publication of covid-19 testing data.

- 113N Mr Mark Harper (Forest of Dean): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what representations he has received on covid-19 patients who experience long-lasting effects of that virus; what research he has commissioned into the long-term effect of covid-19 on certain patients; what estimate he has made of the number of individuals who experience long-term effects of covid-19; and what plans he has to ensure the NHS is able to provide the appropriate care for such patients.
- 114N Mr Mark Harper (Forest of Dean): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether the definition of shop in The Health Protection (Coronavirus, Wearing of Face Coverings in a Relevant Place) (England) Regulations 2020 applies to seated waiting areas in car (a) showrooms and (b) repair and servicing business premises.
- 115N Sir Mark Hendrick (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the adequacy of the qualifications of Ayanda Capital Limited to ensure compliance with NHS safety standards in relation to masks supplied by that company. (81545)
- 116N Christine Jardine (Edinburgh West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, for what reasons Government contracts for the procurement of personal protective equipment (PPE) were awarded to companies with (a) no prior expertise in producing PPE and (b) limited financial capability; and what steps the Government has taken to ensure that it demonstrated appropriate competitive tendering for PPE. (82307)
- 117N Dame Diana Johnson (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many covid-19 test kits were (a) requested by and (b) delivered to care homes in Kingston Upon Hull North constituency in July 2020. (81658)
- 118N Mrs Emma Lewell-Buck (South Shields): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans he has to make enzyme replacement therapy accessible outside of London for patients suffering from Batten Disease. (81941)
- 119N **Mrs Emma Lewell-Buck** (South Shields): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the covid-19 outbreak, what advice his Department has published on shielding for patients with Batten Disease. (81942)
- 120N**Mrs Emma Lewell-Buck** (South Shields): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that there is no delay to the diagnosis of Batten Disease as a result of the covid-19 outbreak. (81943)
- 121N Mrs Emma Lewell-Buck (South Shields): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what support has been provided to families of people diagnosed with Batten Disease during the covid-19 outbreak. (81944)

- 122N Justin Madders (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to Answer of 3 August 2020 to Question 59809 on Protective Clothing: Turkey, how many of the 185,000 gowns and coveralls have been used.
- 123N Justin Madders (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many and what proportion of (a) national, (b) regional and (c) local healthcare worker covid-19 infections can be attributed to transmission at work from (i) patients and (ii) other healthcare workers. (82033)
- 124N Justin Madders (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of (a) transmission pathways, (b) transmission locations and (c) modes of transmission for hospital acquired infections of covid-19.
- 125N Justin Madders (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the effect of staff movement between (a) wards in the same hospital, (b) hospitals, (c) outpatient clinics and (d) care homes on the transmission of covid-19.
- 126N Justin Madders (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many serious incidents have been reported in each of the last 10 years.

 (82039)
- 127N Justin Madders (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 20 July 2020 to Question 74645 on Coronavirus: Quarantine, when she plans to publish the selected data on compliance with quarantine measures. (82041)
- 128NKerry McCarthy (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when NICE plans to undertake its review of evidence on the potential benefits of Spinraza for Type III spinal muscular atrophy patients who are not included in the managed access agreement between NHS England and Biogen. (81625)
- 129NJim McMahon (Oldham West and Royton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many (a) T1 and (b) T2 covid-19 tests have been carried out, by local authority area per 100,000 population. (82229)
- 130NJim McMahon (Oldham West and Royton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will publish occupational data for those testing positive for covid-19 in each local authority in England. (82232)
- 131N Esther McVey (Tatton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure that dentists will soon be able to provide (a) services that involve the use of aspirators and (b) other services currently not permitted during the covid-19 outbreak. (81860)

- 132N**Esther McVey** (Tatton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will provide clearer guidance to dentists on what services they are able to provide during the covid-19 outbreak; and whether dentists are permitted to make their own risk assessments on what services they can deliver. (81861)
- 133NEsther McVey (Tatton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to guidance for dentists on the requirement to have air circulation equipment during the covid-19 outbreak, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of providing support to dentists who need to purchase that equipment.
- 134NEsther McVey (Tatton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what information his Department holds on the average cost of disposable mask used in dentistry practises in (a) Jan 2020, (b) Feb 2020, (c) March 2020, (d) April 2020, (e) May 2020, (f) June 2020 and (g) July 2020; and what the projected cost is of such disposable masks up to the end of 2020.
- 135NLayla Moran (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the statement entitled, Government response to the 33rd report of the NHS Pay Review Body, HCWS409, what discussions his Department has had with representatives from social care providers on a pay rise for social care staff in the next year.
- 136NGrahame Morris (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will publish cancer waiting time statistics on (a) urgent two week wait referrals and (b) the 62 day wait for first treatment for the last (i) six months, (ii) 12 months and (iii) 24 months, by age. (81802)
- 137N Grahame Morris (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate he has made of the number of clinical trials involving 13 to 24 year olds with cancer that have been disrupted or abandoned as a direct result of the covid-19 outbreak. (81803)
- 138NGrahame Morris (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an assessment of the implications for his policies of the report by the Teenage Cancer Trust entitled Cancer x Coronavirus: The Impact on young people.

 (81804)
- 139NKate Osborne (Jarrow): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to tackle the backlog of unmet clinical cancer need due to the covid-19 outbreak; and what steps his Department is taking to improve radiotherapy services. (82485)
- 140NKate Osborne (Jarrow): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he plans to include reference to the statutory duty to involve patients in service delivery in future guidance to NHS (a) trusts and (b) integrated care systems.

- 141N Kate Osborne (Jarrow): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to ensure collaboration between policies on tackling obesity and eating disorders. (82487)
- 142N**Dr Dan Poulter** (Central Suffolk and North Ipswich): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 8 July 2020 to Question 61461 and the Answer of 18 August to Question 74489 on Methadone: Prescriptions, what recent assessment his Department has made of the capacity of prescribers to safely electronically prescribe FP10 MDA opioid substitution therapy in England.
- 143N**Dr Dan Poulter** (Central Suffolk and North Ipswich): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that GP surgeries are adequately insured against litigation in the event that a patient contracts covid-19 while visiting their practice. (81779)
- 144NAlex Sobel (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to ensure the continuation of work relating to (a) obesity and (b) smoking after the dismantling of Public Health England.
- 145NJohn Spellar (Warley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much his Department has budgeted for the 2020-21 flu vaccination campaign; how many doses have been ordered; and from (a) which companies and (b) where the vaccines will be produced. (81513)
- 146NDerek Twigg (Halton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to his Answer of 3 July 2020 to Question 64076, what recent assessment he has made of the capacity of acute NHS Hospital Trusts in England to manage a seasonal flu outbreak combined with a significant increase in covid-19 cases. (81538)
- 147N Derek Twigg (Halton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent discussions he has had with pharmaceutical companies on their capacity to (a) develop and (b) supply an adequate quantity of flu vaccines in winter 2020.

 (81539)
- 148NDerek Twigg (Halton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the average waiting time in each (a) clinical commissioning group and (b) region was for lung cancer patients for (i) chemotherapy and (ii) surgical procedures was in the most recent period for which figures are available; and what the average waiting times were in the same period in 2019.
- 149NDerek Twigg (Halton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the referral rates from primary care for patients presenting with possible symptoms of cancer were in each (a) clinical commissioning group and (b) region in the most recent period for which figures are available; and what those rates were for the same period in 2019.

- 150N Derek Twigg (Halton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the level of bed occupancy is in acute NHS Hospital Trusts in England, by (a)

 Trust and (b) region. (81542)
- 151N Derek Twigg (Halton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the current level of restoration of NHS services is as covid-19 restrictions are eased, by region.

 (81543)
- 152NMatt Western (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the effect of the covid-19 outbreak on the income of medical research charities; and what steps he is taking to address the shortfall in UK medical research funding. (82277)
- 153N**Dr Philippa Whitford** (Central Ayrshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when his Department plans to publish the social care Green Paper. (81987)
- 154NMick Whitley (Birkenhead): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department has taken to ensure that dental surgeries have access to an adequate supply of appropriate personal protective equipment as those surgeries reopen after covid-19 lockdown. (82418)
- 155N Mick Whitley (Birkenhead): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate he has made of how many and what proportion of dental surgeries have been able to return to operating at full capacity. (82419)
- 156N**Mr William Wragg** (Hazel Grove): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the arrangements are for relatives who wish to visit family members who are residents in care homes in Greater Manchester. (82051)
- 157NRushanara Ali (Bethnal Green and Bow): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment the Government has
 made of the number of detention camps in Xinjiang region, China where Uighurs
 and other minority communities are allegedly being held.

 (82658)
- 158NRushanara Ali (Bethnal Green and Bow): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he has made recent representations to his Chinese counterpart on the detention and repression of the Uighur people in Xinjiang region. (82659)
- 159NRushanara Ali (Bethnal Green and Bow): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues to ensure that no products made from human hair taken from the Uighur population in Xinjiang, China are (a) imported and (b) sold within the UK.
- 160NRushanara Ali (Bethnal Green and Bow): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what provisions he has made to freeze individual Chinese assets if they have played a role in the repression of the Uighur minority population; and if he will make a statement. (82661)

- 161N Rushanara Ali (Bethnal Green and Bow): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what estimate his Department has made of the size of the Uighur population in Xinjiang region for each of the last five years. (82664)
- 162NAlan Brown (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if he will publish the data used to make
 assessments of the travel quarantine restrictions applicable to travel between
 foreign countries and the UK; and if he will make a statement.

 (82124)
- 163NBen Everitt (Milton Keynes North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what (a) steps his Department is taking
 to support the rights of Uyghur Muslims in extra-judicial detention in Xinjiang
 and (b) recent representations he has made to his Chinese counterpart on human
 rights abuses in China. (82586)
- 164NPreet Kaur Gill (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he will have final sign-off
 of Official Development Assistance spending proposed by other Government
 departments. (82256)
- 165N**Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what discussions he has had with representatives of the CDC on private hospitals in receipt of funding from his Department making a profit during the covid-19 pandemic. (82266)
- 166NPatrick Grady (Glasgow North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what representations he has made to
 his counterpart in Venezuela on the case of imprisoned trade unionist, Ruben
 Gonzalez.

 (82053)
- 167NPatrick Grady (Glasgow North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what representations he has made
 to his Israeli counterpart on the (a) arrest and (b) detention of the Palestinian
 political activist Mahmoud Nawajaa. (82054)
- 168NClaire Hanna (Belfast South): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent discussions he has had
 with the Chinese Consulate-General in Belfast and Belfast City Council on the
 planning dispute at the Chinese Consulate-General. (82668)
- 169NSir Oliver Heald (North East Hertfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the effect of the covid-19 pandemic on routine immunisation funded by the UK Government through GAVI.

 [Transferred] (82667)
- 170N**Mr David Jones** (Clwyd West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,

 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what humanitarian support his

 Department is providing to people in Beirut. (81640)

- 171N Stephen Kinnock (Aberavon): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of
 the effectiveness of the Philippine Internet Crimes Against Children Centre
 in protecting vulnerable children and apprehending offenders; and what
 representations he has received on his Department's ongoing support for that
 centre.

 (81956)
- 172N Stephen Kinnock (Aberavon): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the
 potential merits of conducting an inquiry into the potential reported increase in
 cases of online sexual exploitation of children in the Philippines during the covid19 pandemic. (81957)
- 173NCaroline Lucas (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he has taken to help
 secure the release by the Israeli authorities of Palestinian human rights defender,
 Mahmoud Nawajaa. (81773)
- 174N Anna McMorrin (Cardiff North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether the Department for
 International Development's budgeted funding for the Mixed Migration Centre
 through to April 2023 will be (a) maintained following the merger of that
 department with the Foreign and Commonwealth Office and (b) maintained at
 the same level of projected spend.

 (82290)
- 175N Anna McMorrin (Cardiff North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, (a) what was the total budget this
 year for DFID's Palestinian aid programme; and (b) with reference to his 22 July
 announcement of cuts to the aid budget of £2.9bn, how much will be cut from
 the programme's proposed spend.

 (82291)
- 176N Anna McMorrin (Cardiff North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, a) what was the total budget this
 year for DFID's Syria aid programme; and (b) with reference to his 22 July
 announcement of cuts to the aid budget of £2.9bn, how much will be cut from
 the programme's proposed spend.

 (82292)
- 177NAnna McMorrin (Cardiff North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, a) what was the total budget this
 year for DFID's Turkey aid programme; and (b) with reference to his 22 July
 announcement of cuts to the aid budget of £2.9bn, how much will be cut from
 the programme's proposed spend.

 (82293)
- 178NAnna McMorrin (Cardiff North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, a) what was the total budget this
 year for DFID's Yemen aid programme; and (b) with reference to his 22 July
 announcement of cuts to the aid budget of £2.9bn, how much will be cut from
 the programme's proposed spend.

 (82294)

- 179NJessica Morden (Newport East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the
 prevalence of human rights abuses against (a) Uighur Muslims and (b) Christians in
 China; and if he will make a statement.
- 180NKate Osborne (Jarrow): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the accuracy of reports of a massacre in Tibu in Colombia on 18 July 2020. (82672)
- 181N Yasmin Qureshi (Bolton South East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how many staff will be employed by his
 Department on 1 September 2020. (81762)
- 182N**Yasmin Qureshi** (Bolton South East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether his Department plans to
 continue to use the Interserve agency to carry out work under their newly
 established Department. (81763)
- 183NLiz Saville Roberts (Dwyfor Meirionnydd): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to ensure delivery on the aims of the Strategic Vision for Gender Equality.

 (82219)
- 184NCatherine West (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how many FTE staff in the Foreign and Commonwealth Office have been allocated to work dedicated to Belarus in each year since 2015.

 (82225)
- 185NKevin Brennan (Cardiff West): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what provisions are being made for families of three or more to register their biometrics where (a) the closest UK Visa and Citizenship Application Services centres are no longer able to accommodate them due restrictions due to the covid-19 outbreak and (b) travelling a longer distance to an alternative centre is not viable.
- 186NDawn Butler (Brent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to tackle (a) financial fraud committed by rogue traders and (b) doorstep crimes committed during the covid-19 lockdown.

 (82655)
- 187NPaul Girvan (South Antrim): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home
 Department, whether it is the Government's policy that British Nationals
 (Overseas) in Hong Kong who are in the UK before January 2021 will be able to
 apply for a 30 month stay while in the UK.

 (82296)
- 188NChristine Jardine (Edinburgh West): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to (a) limit the level of turnover of caseworkers in her Department and (b) ensure the effective training of caseworkers.

 (82308)

- 189NChristine Jardine (Edinburgh West): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what guidance her Department provides to asylum caseworkers on the extent to which country-of-origin information should be (a) used in interviews and (b) evaluated in claimant decision-making. (82309)
- 190NChristine Jardine (Edinburgh West): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, (a) how do asylum caseworkers access country of origin information for asylum seekers; and (b) how often this information is updated. (82310)
- 191N Christine Jardine (Edinburgh West): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of effectiveness of teleconferencing interviews for asylum seekers to ensure that the (a) quality and experience of interviews is maintained; (b) claimants do not suffer retraumatisation and dehumanisation; (c) the loss of physical communication and body language does not result in adverse credibility assessments.
- 192NDan Jarvis (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home
 Department, how many and what proportion of Zimbabwean Government
 officials who have been granted British citizenship in each of the last five years are
 included in the Government's Designated Persons list.

 (81907)
- 193NRuth Jones (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home
 Department, what plans she has to extend eligibility for the health and care visa
 to include physiotherapy and rehabilitation staff earning the equivalent of the
 NHS Bands 3 and 4 pay scales to help the UK meet post-covid-19 demand for
 rehabilitation services.

 (82367)
- 194NSarah Jones (Croydon Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home

 Department, how many police officers have retired as a result of injury received
 on duty in each of the last three years.

 (82286)
- 195NSarah Jones (Croydon Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home

 Department, how many police officers have been assaulted by a deadly weapon
 while on duty in each of the last three years. (82287)
- 196NSarah Jones (Croydon Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home

 Department, what proportion of the number of police officers assaulted while on
 duty are BAME, in each of the last three years. (82288)
- 197NSarah Jones (Croydon Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home

 Department, how many police officers have been subject to unarmed physical
 attacks while on duty in each of the last three years. (82289)
- 198NBarbara Keeley (Worsley and Eccles South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will take steps to allow asylum seekers to work after they have been waiting six months for a decision on their case. (81747)
- 199NBarbara Keeley (Worsley and Eccles South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will take steps to allow asylum seekers to work in roles in addition to those on the Shortage Occupation List. (81748)

- 200N Barbara Keeley (Worsley and Eccles South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what estimate she has made of the cost to the public paper of providing support to asylum seekers who are unable to work because their case has not yet been heard.

 (81749)
- 201NCatherine McKinnell (Newcastle upon Tyne North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to tackle (a)
 Islamophobia and (b) the number of Islamophobic incidents. (81894)
- 202NCatherine McKinnell (Newcastle upon Tyne North): To ask the Secretary of
 State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to tackle
 misogyny and racism experienced by Muslim women.

 (81895)
- 203NAlyn Smith (Stirling): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what plans she has to bring forward legislative proposals to amend the Official Secrets Acts 1911 to 1989. (82384)
- 204N Alex Sobel (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to (a) provide refugees and asylum seekers with (i) additional financial support and (ii) support with their travel during the covid-19 outbreak and (b) support social distancing within asylum seeker accommodation. (82338)
- 205NDr Ben Spencer (Runnymede and Weybridge): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many and what proportion of detainees remained in immigration detention centres for longer than 28 days; what the longest recorded length of stay is; and what the (a) median and (b) inter-quartile range of length of stay was in the most recent period for which figures are available. (82488)
- 206N Nick Thomas-Symonds (Torfaen): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many (a) men and (b) women are detained in Yarl's Wood Immigration Removal Centre. (82134)
- 207NNick Thomas-Symonds (Torfaen): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home

 Department, how many people are detained in Yarl's Wood Immigration Removal

 Centre. (82135)
- 208N Nick Thomas-Symonds (Torfaen): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many (a) people, (b) men and (c) women were detained in Yarl's Wood Immigration Removal Centre in each month from 1 July 2019. (82136)
- 209NStephen Timms (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many visa extensions were granted to people in the UK in each of the last five years; and how many of those extensions were granted to people subject to the No Recourse to Public Funds condition in each of those years. (81495)
- 210NCatherine West (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many unexplained wealth orders have been sought in each financial year since 2014. (82224)

- 211N Dave Doogan (Angus): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many civilian employees with a permanent duty station recorded in Scotland were employed by his Department as at 31 December 1989. (82383)
- 212N Andrew Gwynne (Denton and Reddish): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what progress the Government has made on implementing Phase 2 of the roll-out of veterans ID cards.

 (81645)
- 213N Dan Jarvis (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what plans his Department has to extend the expiration date for claims made to the Enhanced Learning Credits scheme after the covid-19 outbreak. (81906)
- 214N Owen Thompson (Midlothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will make it his policy to cease all military training by the UK to the Belarusian military.

 (82147)
- 215N**Thangam Debbonaire** (Bristol West): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
 Communities and Local Government, what criteria he will use to decide when to
 increase the number of people permitted to attend a wedding ceremony; and
 when he plans to review the current guidance. (82060)
- 216NLayla Moran (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, with reference to the statement entitled, Government response to the 33rd report of the NHS Pay Review Body, HCWS409, what discussions his Department has had with representatives from social care providers on a pay rise for social care staff in the next year. (82335)
- 217N Stephen Morgan (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps he is taking to support the families of young people who misuse substances. (82324)
- 218NMatt Rodda (Reading East): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
 Communities and Local Government, what plans he has for a public consultation
 on the Government's proposals for changes to the planning system; what changes
 to regulations on (a) height, (b) appearance and (c) quality are proposed; what
 steps he plans to take to ensure that new houses will be built in addition to
 flats; and what steps he plans to take to ensure that new houses will be built on
 brownfield land and not in the countryside.

 (82333)
- 219N Stephen Timms (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
 Communities and Local Government, what plans he has to support private tenants
 who find themselves unable to pay their rent debt after evictions are allowed to
 resume as covid-19 lockdown restrictions are eased.

 (81492)
- 220NJames Wild (North West Norfolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
 Communities and Local Government, if he will issue guidance to the Planning
 Inspectorate on appeals relating to housing development sites which local
 authorities have begun removing from local plans.

 (82501)

- 221N**Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, pursuant to the Answer of 28 July to Question 76655, whether the accommodation support scheme for prison leavers was extended beyond 31 July 2020. (81738)
- 222NColleen Fletcher (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what proportion of appeals to the tribunals service in (a) Coventry, (b) the West Midlands and (c) England which related to (i) personal independence payments, (ii) employment and support allowance, (iii) income support, (iv) jobseeker's allowance, (v) tax credits and (vi) universal credit were successful in the most recent period for which figures are available.
- 223NMatt Rodda (Reading East): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what the reasons are for the time taken in selling Reading Gaol; and when negotiations on the sale of that site will be concluded.

 (82329)
- 224NMatt Rodda (Reading East): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what progress has been made on the negotiations with the preferred bidder for Reading Gaol. (82330)
- 225NLiz Saville Roberts (Dwyfor Meirionnydd): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many prison leavers in 2019 had an origin address in Wales, by prison establishment. (82217)
- 226NLiz Saville Roberts (Dwyfor Meirionnydd): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if he will provide a breakdown of the accommodation status of prison leavers in 2019 who had an origin address in Wales. (82218)
- 227NLiz Saville Roberts (Dwyfor Meirionnydd): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many and what proportion of inmates are housed in double cells in each prison as at September 2020. (82221)
- 228NMr Gregory Campbell (East Londonderry): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, when he plans to respond to the correspondence of 23 June, 21 July and 3 August 2020 from the hon. Member for East Londonderry, on extending maternity pay. (81590)
- 229NStella Creasy (Walthamstow): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what monitoring the Government undertakes to assess whether funding from the (a) Coronavirus Business Interruption Loan Scheme and (b) Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme has been provided to firms based outside of the UK. (81865)
- 230NAlex Davies-Jones (Pontypridd): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to his oral statement of 8 July 2020, Official Report, column 973, on Economic Update, when employers will be able to apply to employ a young person through the Kickstart Scheme. (82595)
- 231NAlex Davies-Jones (Pontypridd): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether new employers will be able to employ young people using the Kickstart scheme when that scheme is launched. (82596)

- 232NMr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi (Slough): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of the financial support available to taxi drivers who have been affected financially by the covid-19 outbreak. (82312)
- 233NJonathan Edwards (Carmarthen East and Dinefwr): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the effect on the construction industry of prohibiting the use of red diesel. (81787)
- 234NJonathan Edwards (Carmarthen East and Dinefwr): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the effect of prohibiting the use of diesel on construction companies with contracts running beyond April 2022. (81788)
- 235NJonathan Edwards (Carmarthen East and Dinefwr): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment has he made of the effect of prohibiting the use of red diesel on the plant machinery sector. (81789)
- 236NJonathan Edwards (Carmarthen East and Dinefwr): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of whether exempting tier 3 and 4 engines from the ban on red diesel would promote industry to upgrade their machinery to low emission engines.

 (81790)
- 237NJonathan Edwards (Carmarthen East and Dinefwr): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the merits of creating a specific fund to support the construction industry in transitioning to (a) alternative cleaner machinery and (b) low carbon fuel sources. (81791)
- 238NGill Furniss (Sheffield, Brightside and Hillsborough): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps he is taking to support furloughed workers in the events industry who may be unable to return to work after the furlough scheme ends in October 2020. (82236)
- 239NPatrick Grady (Glasgow North): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will publish a response to the open letter of 20 July 2020 signed by 50 hon. Members calling for urgent action to protect research funded by UK medical research charities.

 (82055)
- 240NPatrick Grady (Glasgow North): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of (a) the adequacy of the classification of sunscreen as a cosmetic product and (b) the potential merits of reducing the rate of VAT applied to sun protection products. (82058)
- 241N Dame Diana Johnson (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to the his Department's news story entitled, Pay rises for doctors, police and more in the public sector, published on 21 July 2020, for what reasons the fire service was not included in the list of public sector professions to receive a pay rise.
- 242N**Jim McMahon** (Oldham West and Royton): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what conditions were included in financial support packages through the Birch scheme to airline operators. (82230)

243N**Jim McMahon** (Oldham West and Royton): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will publish a list of rateable values for airports and ancillary uses in England.

(82233)

- 244N Jessica Morden (Newport East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what recent discussions his Department has had with HMRC on a resolution to the dispute between HMRC and the Roadchef Employee Benefits Trust; and if he will make a statement.

 (81699)
- 245NSarah Olney (Richmond Park): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will publish the businesses taking part in the Eat Out to Help Out scheme. (82248)
- 246NBridget Phillipson (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will publish data by (a) parliamentary constituency and (b) local authority for (i) the number of premises registered for the Eat Out to Help Out scheme, (ii) the number of covers in respect of which claims have been made, (iii) the total amount so far claimed, and (iv) the total amount so far disbursed; and if he will publish that data on a fortnightly basis.
- 247NBridget Phillipson (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what estimate he has made of the annual cost to businesses of paying statutory sick pay at its current rate of £95.85 a week. (81829)
- 248NBridget Phillipson (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to his oral contribution, Official Report, 11 March 2020 col 280, what the evidential basis was for the Government's commitment to reimburse businesses with fewer than 250 employees for statutory sick pay costs in relation to employees being off work for covid-19-related reasons for up to a fortnight as potentially providing over £2 billion for up to two million businesses; and if he will place the modelling used to underpin that estimate in the Library. (81830)
- 249NLiz Saville Roberts (Dwyfor Meirionnydd): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the effect of credit card processing fees on small businesses and charities since the discouragement of cash payments during the covid-19 outbreak; and what steps he is taking to ensure businesses are not negatively affected by the increase in credit card payments. (82216)
- 250NAlex Sobel (Leeds North West): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he had made on continuing Social Investment Tax Relief beyond April 2021. (82341)
- 251NAlex Sobel (Leeds North West): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what representations he has received on extending Social Investment Tax relief to April 2023. (82342)
- 252N**Dr Ben Spencer** (Runnymede and Weybridge): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how much revenue accrued to the public purse from VAT on vehicle rentals in 2019-20; and what estimate he has made of the projected effect of covid-19 on that revenue in 2020-21. (82489)

- 253NAlison Thewliss (Glasgow Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to Question 884 of the evidence given to the Treasury Committee on 15 July 2020, what the median figure is for the income of self-employed people. (82052)
- 254NStephen Timms (East Ham): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what plans he has to increase the minimum age at which people can access their private pension under the tax rules; and if he will make a statement (81494)
- 255NTheresa Villiers (Chipping Barnet): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps he is taking to prevent fraud in the Eat Out to Help Out scheme. (81638)
- 256NTheresa Villiers (Chipping Barnet): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what precautions are in place to prevent fraudulent claims being made under the Eat Out to Help Out scheme. (81639)
- 257NMick Whitley (Birkenhead): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of requiring employers who have furloughed employees through the Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme repay money to the Exchequer if they subsequently make redundancies. (82424)

Questions for Answer on Monday 7 September

Questions for Written Answer

IN Jonathan Reynolds (Stalybridge and Hyde): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment her Department has made of the covid-19 sick pay policies implemented by G4S under the contracts they hold with her Department with respect to the (a) fair treatment of staff employed to deliver those contracts, (b) ability of those staff to self-isolate when they or others in their household are experiencing covid-19 symptoms as required by Government guidance and (c) effect on the (i) health, (ii) welfare and (iii) in-work efficiency of those staff members who have experienced covid-19 symptoms in the event that they return to work before they are fit to do so.

Questions for Answer on Thursday 10 September

Questions for Written Answer

1N Paula Barker (Liverpool, Wavertree): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what steps the Government is taking to secure frictionless trade with the EU. (82581)

2N Paula Barker (Liverpool, Wavertree): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that raw products imported into the UK for the use in advanced medical nutrition products will not be subject to tariffs at the end of the transition period. (82583)