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## Questions for oral answer on a future day

(Future Day Orals)

Questions for oral answer on a future day as of Wednesday 9 September 2020.

The order of these questions may be varied in the published call lists.

[R] Indicates that a relevant interest has been declared.

### Questions for Answer on Thursday 10 September

### Oral Questions to the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs

•	James Wild (North West Norfolk): What steps his Department is taking to (a) protect and (b) enhance chalk streams.	(905804)	
	Ruth Edwards (Rushcliffe): What steps he is taking to prevent deforestation.	(905805)	
•	<b>Seema Malhotra</b> (Feltham and Heston): What steps he is taking with Cabinet colleagues to protect British food production standards in trade deals.	(905807)	
	Ruth Cadbury (Brentford and Isleworth): What representations he has received	eived on	

- the potential merits of amending the Environment Bill's provisions on air quality.
  - (905808)
- Paul Maynard (Blackpool North and Cleveleys): What steps he is taking to implement the National Food Strategy. (905810)
- Grahame Morris (Easington): What plans he has to increase the penalties for animal welfare offences. (905812)
- Danny Kruger (Devizes): What plans he has to promote UK-grown produce in the domestic market. (905815)
- Bambos Charalambous (Enfield, Southgate): What plans he has to increase the penalties for animal welfare offences. (905817)
- Ian Byrne (Liverpool, West Derby): What steps he is taking to ensure the accessibility of (a) healthy and (b) sustainable food. (905818)
- Chris Loder (West Dorset): What steps his Department is taking to ensure that small farmers obtain a fair price from supermarkets for their produce. [R] (905819)

- Harriett Baldwin (West Worcestershire): What steps he is taking to increase flood defences. (905820)
- Tom Randall (Gedling): What steps he is taking to increase animal welfare standards. (905821)
- **John Lamont** (Berwickshire, Roxburgh and Selkirk): What steps he is taking to promote sustainable fishing. (905822)
- Navendu Mishra (Stockport): What representations he has received on the potential merits of amending the Environment Bill's provisions on air quality. (905823)
- Selaine Saxby (North Devon): What steps he is taking to tackle plastic pollution.(905824)
- Fiona Bruce (Congleton): What steps he is taking to increase animal welfare standards. (905825)
- Munira Wilson (Twickenham): What assessment the Government has made of the potential role of hydrogen technology in improving air quality. (905828)

#### At 10:00am

# Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs

<b>Andrew Griffith</b> (Arundel and South Downs): If he will make a statement on his departmental responsibilities.	(905764)
Debbie Abrahams (Oldham East and Saddleworth):	(905765)
James Wild (North West Norfolk):	(905766)
Mark Menzies (Fylde):	(905767)
Tom Randall (Gedling):	(905769)
Alex Norris (Nottingham North):	(905771)
Kerry McCarthy (Bristol East):	(905773)
Kenny MacAskill (East Lothian):	(905774)
Munira Wilson (Twickenham):	(905802)

#### At 10:10am

Oral Questions to the Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, the hon. Member for Perth and North Perthshire, representing the House of Commons Commission, the Chairman of the Public Accounts Commission, the Right hon. Member for East Hampshire representing the Parliamentary Works Sponsor Body and the hon. Member for City of Chester, representing the Speaker's Committee on the Electoral Commission

- Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the right hon. Member for East Hampshire, representing the Parliamentary Works Sponsor Body, what discussions the (a) Prime Minister and (b) Prime Minister's staff have had with the Parliamentary Works Sponsor Body on the (i) timeline, (ii) cost and (iii) logistics of relocating the House of Lords to York.
- James Sunderland (Bracknell): To ask the hon. Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, what steps the Church of England is taking to support mental health during the covid-19 outbreak. (905855)
- Owen Thompson (Midlothian): To ask the hon. Member for City of Chester, representing the Speaker's Committee on the Electoral Commission, what recent assessment the Committee has made of the effectiveness of electoral arrangements during the covid-19 outbreak. (905856)
- Mr Philip Hollobone (Kettering): To ask the Chairman of the Public Accounts Commission, what plans he has to support the National Audit Office in following up the recommendations of its June 2020 report on Carrier Strike. (905857)
- Mr Peter Bone (Wellingborough): To ask the hon. Member for City of Chester, representing the Speaker's Committee on the Electoral Commission, what assessment he has made of the independence of the Electoral Commission. (905858)
- Alexander Stafford (Rother Valley): To ask the hon. Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, what assessment the Church of England has made of the extent of global persecution of Christians during the covid-19 pandemic. (905859)
- Mrs Maria Miller (Basingstoke): To ask the hon. Member for Perth and North Perthshire, representing the House of Commons Commission, who is responsible for setting the strategy for the running of the House of Commons. (905860)
- Mr Alistair Carmichael (Orkney and Shetland): To ask the hon. Member for City of Chester, representing the Speaker's Committee on the Electoral Commission, what representations he has received on recent media reports suggesting that the Government plans to abolish the Electoral Commission. (905862)
- Danny Kruger (Devizes): To ask the hon. Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, what steps the Church of England is taking to support national recovery from the covid-19 outbreak. (905863)

- **Dr Luke Evans** (Bosworth): To ask the hon. Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, what steps the Church of England is taking to support people in financial difficulty during the covid-19 outbreak. (905864)
- Steve Double (St Austell and Newquay): To ask the hon. Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, what steps the Church of England is taking to support churches to continue to use innovative ways of conducting services after the covid-19 outbreak. (905865)
- Kevin Brennan (Cardiff West): To ask the hon. Member for City of Chester, representing the Speaker's Committee on the Electoral Commission, what recent representations the Committee has received on maintaining the independence of the Electoral Commission. (905872)
- Chris Bryant (Rhondda): To ask the right hon. Member for East Hampshire, representing the Parliamentary Works Sponsor Body, when he plans to provide an outline business case for the Restoration and Renewal of the Palace of Westminster. (905877)
- Wes Streeting (Ilford North): To ask the hon. Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, what (a) steps the Church of England is taking and (b) recent discussions the Church of England has had with the Government on overseas aid and development. (905882)
- Janet Daby (Lewisham East): To ask the hon. Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, if he will publish an update on the Archbishop of Canterbury's steps to tackle racial discrimination in the Church of England.
  (905884)

### Questions for Answer on Monday 14 September

### **Oral Questions to the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions**

- Martyn Day (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): What steps she is taking with the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy to ensure that vulnerable people have access to welfare benefits through Post Office services. (905894)
- **Bob Blackman** (Harrow East): What steps her Department is taking to ensure that welfare benefits for rent are paid to landlords to prevent rental arrears building up. (905895)
- Cat Smith (Lancaster and Fleetwood): When she plans to publish the findings of her Department's review of how well the welfare system supports terminally ill people, which was announced in July 2019. (905896)

- Dame Diana Johnson (Kingston upon Hull North): What steps her Department is taking to (a) investigate and (b) rectify errors made in the payment of the state pension to retired women. (905897)
- Jane Stevenson (Wolverhampton North East): What steps her Department is taking to help ensure employment support is tailored to local labour market conditions.
  (905898)
- Paula Barker (Liverpool, Wavertree): What steps her Department is taking to (a) investigate and (b) rectify errors made in the payment of the state pension to retired women.
  (905899)
- Joy Morrissey (Beaconsfield): What steps her Department is taking to support disabled people during the covid-19 outbreak. (905900)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): What recent assessment she has made of trends in the level of unemployment. (905901)
- Jane Hunt (Loughborough): What steps her Department is taking to support people of all ages to return to employment as covid-19 lockdown restrictions are eased. (905902)
- Robert Halfon (Harlow): How many businesses have signed up to the Kickstart scheme in Harlow constituency. (905903)
- Virginia Crosbie (Ynys Môn): What steps her Department is taking to support young people into employment as covid-19 lockdown restrictions are eased. (905904)
- Lucy Powell (Manchester Central): How many businesses have signed up to the Kickstart scheme. (905905)
- Matt Western (Warwick and Leamington): What recent assessment she has made of trends in the level of unemployment. (905906)
- Gerald Jones (Merthyr Tydfil and Rhymney): What financial support her Department plans to make available to shielding people affected by covid-19 local lockdowns. (905907)
- Margaret Ferrier (Rutherglen and Hamilton West): What assessment she has made of the effect of bonuses on the level of payments made to universal credit claimants. (905908)
- Tom Hunt (Ipswich): What steps her Department is taking with employers to help ensure as many young people as possible benefit from the Kickstart scheme. (905909)
- Sally-Ann Hart (Hastings and Rye): What steps her Department is taking to support people of all ages to return to employment as covid-19 lockdown restrictions are eased. (905910)
- Mary Robinson (Cheadle): What steps her Department is taking to help ensure employment support is tailored to local labour market conditions. (905911)

- Stuart C McDonald (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): What steps she is taking with the Chancellor of the Exchequer to ensure the adequacy of benefits for claimants.
  (905912)
- Mr Virendra Sharma (Ealing, Southall): What financial support her Department plans to make available to shielding people affected by covid-19 local lockdowns. (905913)
- Feryal Clark (Enfield North): What representations she has received from food bank providers on the increased demand for emergency food assistance in the last six months. (905914)
- Andrew Lewer (Northampton South): When she plans to publish the findings of her Department's review of how well the welfare system supports terminally ill people, which was announced in July 2019.
  (905915)
- Justin Madders (Ellesmere Port and Neston): What recent assessment she has made of trends in the level of unemployment. (905916)
- Sarah Champion (Rotherham): What assessment she has made of the potential effect on universal credit claims of the end of covid-19 income support schemes.(905917)
- Mark Jenkinson (Workington): What steps her Department is taking to support young people into employment as covid-19 lockdown restrictions are eased. (905919)
- Greg Smith (Buckingham): What steps her Department is taking with employers to help ensure as many young people as possible benefit from the Kickstart scheme. (905921)
- Stephen Metcalfe (South Basildon and East Thurrock): What steps her Department is taking with employers to help ensure as many young people as possible benefit from the Kickstart scheme. (905922)
- Dehenna Davison (Bishop Auckland): What steps her Department is taking with employers to help ensure as many young people as possible benefit from the Kickstart scheme. (905924)
- Selaine Saxby (North Devon): What steps she is taking with her Cabinet colleagues to support back into the labour market people who became unemployed as a result of the covid-19 outbreak. (905925)
- Elliot Colburn (Carshalton and Wallington): What steps her Department is taking to promote employment opportunities as covid-19 lockdown restrictions are eased. (905926)
- Tim Farron (Westmorland and Lonsdale): What steps she is taking with Cabinet colleagues to (a) tackle unemployment and (b) promote job retention in the tourism and hospitality sector. (905930)

Mr Alistair Carmichael (Orkney and Shetland): What steps she is taking to encourage SMEs to participate in the Kickstart scheme. (905948)

#### At 3:15am

### **Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions**

<b>Andrew Bowie</b> (West Aberdeenshire and Kincardine): If she will make a statement on her departmental responsibilities.	ent (906004)
Selaine Saxby (North Devon):	(906005)
Chi Onwurah (Newcastle upon Tyne Central):	(906006)
Mrs Pauline Latham (Mid Derbyshire):	(906007)
Mr Steve Baker (Wycombe):	(906008)
Lilian Greenwood (Nottingham South):	(906009)
Dr Luke Evans (Bosworth):	(906010)
Helen Hayes (Dulwich and West Norwood):	(906011)
Andrew Jones (Harrogate and Knaresborough):	(906012)
Edward Timpson (Eddisbury):	(906013)
Mr Virendra Sharma (Ealing, Southall):	(906014)
Steve McCabe (Birmingham, Selly Oak):	(906015)
Robert Halfon (Harlow):	(906016)
Tim Farron (Westmorland and Lonsdale):	(906036)

### Questions for Answer on Wednesday 16 September

### **Oral Questions to the Secretary of State for Wales**

- Chris Bryant (Rhondda): How many self-employed people in Wales have not received support from the Government's covid-19 support schemes. (905954)
- Jonathan Edwards (Carmarthen East and Dinefwr): What discussions he has had with the Welsh Government on legislative proposals for a UK Internal Market. (905955)
- Jo Gideon (Stoke-on-Trent Central): What recent assessment he has made of Wales' role in the proposed UK Internal Market. (905956)

- Tommy Sheppard (Edinburgh East): What recent discussions he has had with the First Minister of Wales on legislative proposals for a UK Internal Market. (905957)
- Kevin Brennan (Cardiff West): What recent discussions he has had with the First Minister of Wales on the effect on the Welsh economy in the event that the UK does not reach an agreement with the EU on the future relationship by the end of the transition period. (905958)
- Geraint Davies (Swansea West): What discussions he has had with the Welsh Government on the comparative effectiveness of the (a) Development Bank of Wales and (b) high street banks in providing finance to business in Wales during the covid-19 outbreak. (905960)
- Ben Everitt (Milton Keynes North): What recent assessment he has made of Wales' role in the proposed UK Internal Market. (905961)
- Craig Williams (Montgomeryshire): What recent assessment he has made of Wales' role in the proposed UK Internal Market. (905964)
- Robbie Moore (Keighley): What recent discussions he has had with the Welsh Government on covid-19 testing in Wales. (905965)
- Fay Jones (Brecon and Radnorshire): What steps the Government is taking to support people back into work in Wales. (905966)
- Lucy Powell (Manchester Central): What discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues on support for the steel industry in Wales during the covid-19 outbreak.
  (905967)
- Jacob Young (Redcar): What steps his Department is taking to support Wales' economic recovery from the covid-19 outbreak. (905969)
- Scott Benton (Blackpool South): What progress his Department has made on City and Growth deals in Wales. (905970)
- Wayne David (Caerphilly): What recent discussions he has had with the First
  Minister of Wales on levels of covid-19 in Wales. (905971)
- Stuart Anderson (Wolverhampton South West): What progress his Department has made on City and Growth deals in Wales. (905972)