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## Questions tabled on Thursday 25 February 2021

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### Questions for Answer on Monday 1 March

#### Questions for Written Answer

- 1 **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what assessment he has made of the effect on UK trade flows of the end of the EU Exit transition period. (158876)
- 2 **Saqib Bhatti** (Meriden): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if he will publish data on the number of households in each region that have switched energy suppliers in each month since 1 January 2019. (159055)
- 3N **Mrs Emma Lewell-Buck** (South Shields): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how much has been allocated to local authorities through the Additional Restrictions Grant; how much of that funding has (a) been spent and (b) remains unspent to date; and what the timeframe is for local authorities to be allocated that grant funding. [Transferred] (158071)
- 4N **Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if he will ensure that businesses that are unable to operate due to covid-19 lockdown rules but have not been mandated to close are eligible for the Additional Restrictions Support Grant. [Transferred] (158015)
- 5 **Caroline Nokes** (Romsey and Southampton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what risk assessment has been undertaken to permit 10,000 attendees at outdoor events in May 2021 while weddings are capped to attendees of 30 people in the same time period. (158921)

- 6 **Lucy Powell** (Manchester Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps his Department is taking to help ensure consumers are protected against misinformation online, including fake and misleading reviews. (158933)
- 7 **Lucy Powell** (Manchester Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether his Department plans to implement the recommendation of the Digital Markets Taskforce for the Government to strengthen powers to tackle unlawful or illegal activity or content on digital platforms which could result in economic detriment to consumers and businesses. (158934)
- 8 **Lucy Powell** (Manchester Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether his Department plans to implement the recommendation of the Digital Markets Taskforce to give the Competition and Markets Authority additional powers to prevent the trading of online reviews. (158935)
- 9 **Alexander Stafford** (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps his Department is taking to reduce the risk in respect of the sale of unsafe products on online marketplaces. (159064)
- 10 **Kelly Tolhurst** (Rochester and Strood): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of reviewing the competitiveness of the ports sector. (158983)
- 11 **Kelly Tolhurst** (Rochester and Strood): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment his Department has made of the potential effect of the lack of separation between port authorities and port service providers in some areas on anti-competitive behaviour in the ports sector. (158984)
- 12 **Kelly Tolhurst** (Rochester and Strood): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment his Department has made of the potential effect of limited potential for entry into the ports sector on anti-competitive behaviour in that sector. (158985)
- 13 **Sarah Champion** (Rotherham): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment he has made of the phase of the Government's plan to ease coronavirus restrictions under which community music rehearsals and performance are planned to be permitted to resume. [Transferred] (158064)
- 14N **Neil Coyle** (Bermondsey and Old Southwark): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what additional support his Department plans to offer to UK tourism businesses as covid-19 lockdown restrictions ease. [Transferred] (158073)

- 15N **Neil Coyle** (Bermondsey and Old Southwark): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment his Department has made of how long international tourism will take to return to previous levels as covid-19 lockdown restrictions ease. [Transferred] (158074)
- 16 **Robert Halfon** (Harlow): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment his Department has made of changes in the level of incidents relating to fraudulent calling during the covid-19 pandemic. (158912)
- 17N **Mrs Emma Lewell-Buck** (South Shields): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, when the covid-19 roadmap guidance will be updated to cover fairgrounds and travelling fairgrounds; and whether that guidance will include discretionary guidance for local authorities. [Transferred] (158070)
- 18 **Mr Jonathan Lord** (Woking): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what fiscal steps his Department is taking to support charities during the covid-19 outbreak. [Transferred] (158038)
- 19 **Dean Russell** (Watford): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment he has made of the importance of advertising planning notices in local newspapers to (a) the elderly and vulnerable, (b) other local residents and (b) local media organisations. (159053)
- 20 **Alexander Stafford** (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what steps he is taking to remove and prevent the selling of (a) illegal and (b) dangerous products on (i) online marketplaces and (ii) online community forums. (159065)
- 21 **Vicky Foxcroft** (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of extending pupil premium funding to all children from families with no recourse to public funds. (158986)
- 22 **Richard Fuller** (North East Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 5 February 2021 to Question 147056, on Childminding: Coronavirus, how he plans to prioritise the steps outlined; and if he will set out a timetable for taking those steps. (158896)
- 23 **Richard Fuller** (North East Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps he plans to take to provide asymptomatic covid-19 testing to all Ofsted registered childminders. (158897)
- 24 **Caroline Lucas** (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment he has made of the effect of nursery school attendance rates since September 2020 on plans to introduce Reception Baseline Assessment in September 2021; and if he will make it his policy to delay formal testing of four year olds in English and maths. (158900)

- 25 **Caroline Lucas** (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether he plans to ensure that data collected from the Reception Baseline Assessment will be adjusted to allow for children's differing learning experiences in pre-school settings as a result of the covid-19 pandemic, as well as for the individual rates at which they may catch up; and if he will make a statement. (158901)
- 26 **Caroline Lucas** (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what his policy is on how data collected from the Reception Baseline Assessment will be used by the Government; whether that data is planned to be sold to third party organisations; and whether he plans that parents will have the right to object to the collection and retention of their children's data. (158902)
- 27 **Caroline Lucas** (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether it is his policy that data collected from the Reception Baseline Assessment will (a) be black-boxed for seven years for the purposes of demonstrating whole-school progress from Reception to the end of year 6 and (b) be used as a diagnostic tool to assess the effects of covid-19 on young children. (158903)
- 28 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what the appeal mechanism will be for pupils to appeal grades awarded by their teachers in A Level and GCSE examinations. (158916)
- 29 **Dr Lisa Cameron** (East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to mitigate the effects of offshore unexploded ordnance disposal on marine mammals. (158961)
- 30N **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether aquariums are included among the indoor attractions that will be able to open in Step 3 of the roadmap for reopening announced on 22 February 2021. [Transferred] (158183)
- 31N **Andrea Leadsom** (South Northamptonshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether businesses may import birds of prey under (a) The Import of and Trade in Animals and Animal Products (Miscellaneous Amendments) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020 and (b) The Official Controls (Animals, Feed and Food, Plant Health etc.) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020 until the end of March 2021. [Transferred] (157098)
- 32 **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the potential effect of the introduction of import controls at UK ports in July 2021 on the supply of (a) food and (b) category 1 goods. (158877)
- 33 **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the potential effect of the introduction of import controls at UK ports in July 2021 on the price of food. (158878)

- 34 **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the effect of the (a) covid-19 pandemic and (b) end of the transition period on the income of UK fishing ports.  
(158879)
- 35 **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will publish the membership and terms of reference of (a) the Seafood Exports Working Group and (b) the Scottish Seafood Exports Task Force.  
(158880)
- 36 **Kate Osamor** (Edmonton): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what assessment she has made of the implications for her policy of her Department's updated guidance to UK firms operating in Nigeria that Nigeria has a democratic framework which guarantees human rights within its constitution. an independent judiciary and a strong civil society.  
(158994)
- 37 **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment his Department has made of the need to prioritise potential driving instructors (PDI) for PDI tests to enable people who pass to help meet demand for driving lessons when covid-19 restrictions are lifted.  
(159024)
- 38N **Tracy Brabin** (Batley and Spen): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of the effectiveness of the implementation of (a) Sections 64 and 65 of the Towns Improvement Clauses Act 1847 and (b) Sections 17-19 of the Public Health Act 1925.  
[Transferred] (157233)
- 39N **Tracy Brabin** (Batley and Spen): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of the regulation of (a) street names and (b) house numbering to allow (i) delivery drivers and (ii) emergency workers to find properties, and if he will make a statement.  
[Transferred] (157234)
- 40 **Rachel Hopkins** (Luton South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will extend the Airport and Ground Operations Support scheme to cover business rates for 2021-22.  
[Transferred] (158238)
- 41 **Paul Maynard** (Blackpool North and Cleveleys): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, when he plans to permit owners of (a) motor homes and (b) other leisure vehicles to be allowed to take them to workshops to carry out MOT tests.  
(158898)
- 42 **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of the readiness of (a) inland and (b) port border infrastructure by July 2021 for the introduction and enforcement of EU import controls.  
(158873)
- 43 **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to his Department's research and analysis, Reasonable Worst Case Scenario for borders at the end of the transition period on 31 December 2020,

published on 23 September 2020, whether his Department plans to update that research for the introduction of the enforcement of import controls on EU goods from July 2021; and if he will make a statement. (158874)

- 44 **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he made of the effect of reducing allocations to successful applicants to the Port Infrastructure Fund by 34 per cent. (158875)
- 45 **Gavin Newlands** (Paisley and Renfrewshire North): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 22 February 2021 to Question 153281, on High Speed 2 Railway Line, what the most costly (a) land and (b) property acquisition in Phase 1 of HS2 was, by cost. (158965)
- 46 **Gavin Newlands** (Paisley and Renfrewshire North): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many court actions there have been in respect of Compulsory Purchase Orders against High Speed Two (HS2) Ltd in relation to Phase 1 of HS2; and what expenditure High Speed 2 (HS2) Ltd has incurred in (a) solicitors and (b) other legal costs in connection with those court actions. (158966)
- 47 **Gavin Newlands** (Paisley and Renfrewshire North): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what estimate he has made of the total costs incurred by High Speed Two of procuring professional advice for the estimates of costs to acquire property in connection with HS2 Phase 1 since 2009; if he will publish a list of the companies involved in that work. (158967)
- 48 **Gavin Newlands** (Paisley and Renfrewshire North): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what the cost of the purchase of land and property in respect of the development of London Euston station has been to date in connection with High Speed Two, Phase 1. (158968)
- 49 **Gavin Newlands** (Paisley and Renfrewshire North): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will publish the total number of land and property acquisitions by High Speed Two (HS2) Ltd in connection with the development of London Euston station which were secured by (a) legal agreement with owners and (b) Compulsory Purchase Orders. (158969)
- 50 **Gavin Newlands** (Paisley and Renfrewshire North): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many land and property transactions have been conducted as part of phase 1 of High Speed 2; and how many of those transactions are subject to Non-Disclosure Agreements on behalf of either party to the transaction. (158970)
- 51 **Charlotte Nichols** (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will launch a review into the safety of smart motorways; and will he make a statement. (159052)
- 52 **Kate Osamor** (Edmonton): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps he is taking to accelerate the installation of tactile paving on train platforms at mainline stations. (158995)



- 53 **Dean Russell** (Watford): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of the importance of advertising Traffic Regulation Orders in local newspapers to (a) the elderly and vulnerable, (b) other local residents and (b) local media organisations. (159054)
- 54 **Alexander Stafford** (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many residential properties have been acquired by HS2 Ltd by (a) compulsory purchase, (b) through private agreement, and (c) statutory blight in (i) Rother Valley and (ii) England. (159058)
- 55 **Alexander Stafford** (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what proportion of properties required for the development of HS2 Phase 2b eastern leg have received full compensation in accordance with the Compensation Code. (159059)
- 56 **Alexander Stafford** (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what the average length of time is for HS2 Ltd to agree (a) a statutory blight and (b) a non-statutory property compensation with a property owner. (159060)
- 57 **Alexander Stafford** (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what the complaint process is for property owners who are dissatisfied with HS2 Ltd's handling of blight claims. (159061)
- 58 **Alexander Stafford** (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what the process is for HS2 Ltd in agreeing the market value of properties through the (a) statutory blight and (b) non-statutory property compensation schemes. (159062)
- 59 **Alexander Stafford** (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many complaints have been received from landowners in relation to the valuation of property in the HS2 (a) statutory blight and (b) non-statutory property compensation schemes. (159063)
- 60 **Kelly Tolhurst** (Rochester and Strood): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what plans he has to reduce port charges in the UK. (158978)
- 61 **Kelly Tolhurst** (Rochester and Strood): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether he has plans to increase the competitiveness of ports to support operators that are facing high charges. (158979)
- 62 **Kelly Tolhurst** (Rochester and Strood): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what plans he has to regulate port charges. (158980)
- 63 **Kelly Tolhurst** (Rochester and Strood): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether he has plans to bring forward legislative proposals to regulate the charges imposed on port operators in the UK. (158981)
- 64 **Kelly Tolhurst** (Rochester and Strood): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether he has plans to bring forward legislative proposals to amend the Harbours Act 1964 in light of the changing demands on UK ports. (158982)

- 65 **Liz Twist** (Blaydon): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what funding will be made available for the acceleration of the installation of tactile paving at mainline rail stations. (159011)
- 66 **Liz Twist** (Blaydon): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will prioritise the installation of tactile paving at all mainline rail stations. (159012)
- 67 **Matt Western** (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of introducing a zero emissions vehicle mandate for manufactures to produce, import or sell new electric vehicles. (159003)
- 68 **Dr Lisa Cameron** (East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what information her Department holds on the proportion of employers that publish the percentage of (a) disabled staff they employ and (b) disabled staff they employ by pay grade. (158957)
- 69 **Dr Lisa Cameron** (East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what the timescale is for the consultation on the National Strategy for Disabled People; and when that process will include consultation with (a) disabled people's organizations and representatives of disabled workers and (b) trade unions. (158958)
- 70 **Dr Lisa Cameron** (East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what discussions her Department has had with relevant stakeholders on implementing mandatory reporting and action plans on the disability pay gap. (158959)
- 71 **Dr Lisa Cameron** (East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what information her Department holds on the proportion of employers that (a) have a disability leave policy and (b) allow homeworking as a reasonable adjustment. (158960)
- 72 **John Lamont** (Berwickshire, Roxburgh and Selkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what support she is providing to Galashiels Job Centre to further assist the unemployed. (158999)
- 73 **Mhairi Black** (Paisley and Renfrewshire South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he has taken with Cabinet colleagues to help ensure the importation of medicines into the UK that are manufactured in the EU. (158971)
- 74 **Bob Blackman** (Harrow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 24 February 2021 to Question 141963, in what format his Department and NHS England collects data on the average time for a patient with (a) Crohn's disease and (b) ulcerative colitis to be diagnosed in Harrow East constituency compared to the national average in the last 12 months. (158915)



- 75 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he has taken to ensure that unpaid carers have access to support services during the period of covid-19 lockdown restrictions. [Transferred] (158177)
- 76 **Mr Jonathan Lord** (Woking): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans he has to tackle misinformation on covid-19 vaccines to ensure all communities have access to accurate information. [Transferred] (158033)
- 77 **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what discussions he has had with the Chancellor of the Exchequer on the public health benefits of (a) setting alcohol duty at a level that covers the estimated costs of alcohol to society and (b) introducing scaled taxation for alcohol whereby stronger alcohol products are taxed more per unit of alcohol than lower strength products. (159037)
- 78 **Nicola Richards** (West Bromwich East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when his Department plans to publish the next stage of the NHS People Plan. (159068)
- 79 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that care homes allow residents to receive visits from one named individual from 8 March 2021. (158868)
- 80 **Tulip Siddiq** (Hampstead and Kilburn): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans he has to introduce covid-19 vaccine passports. (158996)
- 81 **Alex Sobel** (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of prioritising people with myalgic encephalomyelitis for covid-19 vaccinations. (159021)
- 82 **John Spellar** (Warley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what restrictions he will put on support to the care sector to ensure it does not benefit (a) companies located in tax havens and (b) people who have loaded companies with excessive debt or extracted excessive dividends. (158851)
- 83 **Alexander Stafford** (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will publish the proportion of care home (a) residents and (b) staff who have refused the covid-19 vaccine dose in (i) Rother Valley, (ii) South Yorkshire and (iii) England. (159057)
- 84 **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of adding further ports of entry in the north for travellers required to quarantine in quarantine hotels. [Transferred] (158032)
- 85 **Liz Twist** (Blaydon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether people with asthma not included in groups 4 and 6 are planned to be prioritised in the next phase of the covid-19 vaccination programme. (159005)

- 86 **Liz Twist** (Blaydon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment the Joint Committee on Vaccination and Immunisation has made of the implications for prioritisation in the next phase of the covid-19 vaccination programme of the 2020 findings of King's College London that people with asthma may be at increased risk of hospitalisation and of developing long covid. (159006)
- 87 **Liz Twist** (Blaydon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the report on Alcohol-specific deaths in the UK: registered in 2019, published by the ONS on 2 February 2021, what recent discussions he has had with the Chancellor of the Exchequer on the potential merits of increasing alcohol duty. (159009)
- 88 **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of creating a pay body to set pay and terms and conditions for nursing in general practice. (159040)
- 89 **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many and what proportion of general practice nurses did not receive the 2 per cent pay uplift included in the 2018-19 GP contract. (159041)
- 90 **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the potential effect of implementing the NHS Agenda for Change Payscale on the average general practice nurse salary. (159042)
- 91 **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate his Department has made of the proportion of nurses employed in GP practices that do not have sick pay included in their contracts. (159043)
- 92N **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent discussions he has had with the President of COP26 on the continued use of public money to fund fossil fuel projects overseas. [Transferred] (157242)
- 93 **Kate Osamor** (Edmonton): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether the cost of the surplus covid-19 vaccine doses for low income countries will be met by the UK. (158993)
- 94 **Mr Barry Sheerman** (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking to support the education of girls in lower income countries worldwide. (158853)
- 95 **Mr Barry Sheerman** (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment his Department has made of the effect of the merger of his Department with the Department for International Development on the Government's ability to support (a) vulnerable people abroad and (b) the 4th Sustainable Development Goal of ensuring a high quality education for all. (158854)

- 96 **Mr Barry Sheerman** (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking to work with international partners to ensure that United Nations Sustainable Development Goal Four is reached by 2030 and all children are provided with a high quality education, irrespective of their country of origin. (158855)
- 97 **Mr Barry Sheerman** (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking (a) to mitigate the effects of war on women and children and (b) to safeguard vulnerable people in places of war. (158856)
- 98 **Mr Barry Sheerman** (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking to advocate for the protection of civilians in dangerous parts of Afghanistan. (158857)
- 99 **Mr Barry Sheerman** (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking to advocate for the protection of civilians in dangerous parts of Yemen. (158858)
- 100 **Mr Barry Sheerman** (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking to advocate for the protection of civilians in dangerous parts of Syria. (158859)
- 101 **Mr Barry Sheerman** (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking to advocate for the protection of civilians in dangerous parts of Afghanistan. (158860)
- 102 **Mick Whitley** (Birkenhead): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps the Government is (a) taking and (b) planning to take to compel the Government of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia to end human rights abuses. (159029)
- 103 **Mick Whitley** (Birkenhead): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to support the activities of human rights defenders in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia. (159030)
- 104 **Mick Whitley** (Birkenhead): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment his Department has made of the effectiveness of the steps the Government is taking to promote human rights in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia. (159031)
- 105 **Mick Whitley** (Birkenhead): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of emulating the US administration's change in policy on relations with the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia. (159032)
- 106 **Ms Diane Abbott** (Hackney North and Stoke Newington): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what plans her Department has to create small units for the detention of women within existing immigration removal centres;

how many women will be detained in those centres; and for what reason the detention estate for women is being expanded by the creation of a new detention centre in Durham. (158849)

- 107 **Apsana Begum** (Poplar and Limehouse): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many locations are housing asylum seekers under section 98 of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999 in (a) Poplar and Limehouse constituency, (b) Tower Hamlets and (c) London. (159051)
- 108 **Dr Luke Evans** (Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the potential merits of aligning the time limit for professional investigations of police officers with the time limit for police investigations of suspected criminals. (159044)
- 109 **Sir Edward Leigh** (Gainsborough): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what her Department's policy is on a potential offer of asylum to Maira Shahbaz. (158852)
- 110 **Neil O'Brien** (Harborough): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many pet thefts were reported in each year since 2008. (159026)
- 111 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to ensure that bans on the use of e-scooters are strictly enforced by local police forces. (158867)
- 112 **Alexander Stafford** (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to tackle the illegal online sale of nitrous oxide for recreational consumption. (159066)
- 113 **Alexander Stafford** (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what recent discussions her Department has had with representatives from (a) Amazon and (b) Facebook on the recreational consumption of nitrous oxide sold on their online marketplace and community forum platforms. (159067)
- 114 **Gareth Thomas** (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when she plans to respond to the letter dated 21 February 2021 from the hon Member for Harrow West with case reference number GT44980. (158850)
- 115 **Kate Osamor** (Edmonton): To ask the Leader of the House, whether he has had discussions with the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care on the time taken to answer Questions (a) 102133 tabled on 9 October 2020 and (b) 105481 to 105483 tabled on 19 October 2020. (158992)
- 116 **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what assessment he has made of the effectiveness of UK involvement in the Joint Strike Fighter programme in meeting the Governments defence objectives. (158862)

- 117 **Dame Margaret Hodge** (Barking): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what progress has been made on the research being undertaken by the Building Research Establishment into trigger heights and thresholds. (158844)
- 118 **Dame Margaret Hodge** (Barking): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment his Department has undertaken of non-cladding related building safety risks, including combustible insulation and wooden timber balconies; and what steps his Department is taking to mitigate these risks. (158845)
- 119 **Dame Margaret Hodge** (Barking): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether the Government funding for remediation combustible cladding includes the remediation of (a) combustible insulation, (b) wooden timber balconies and (c) other non-cladding related building safety defects. (158846)
- 120 **Kirsten Oswald** (East Renfrewshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what plans he has to tackle increases in the level of rent arrears in the private rented sector as a result of the covid-19 outbreak. [Transferred] (158084)
- 121 **Kirsten Oswald** (East Renfrewshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, if he will create a covid rent debt fund to support people dealing with rent arrears built up during the pandemic. [Transferred] (158087)
- 122 **Karin Smyth** (Bristol South): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues on improving consumer protection in the residential building industry. (158973)
- 123 **Neil Coyle** (Bermondsey and Old Southwark): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what responsibilities the most senior contractors who used the loan charge scheme had while they were engaged at Her Majesty's Revenue and Customs and Revenue and Customs Digital Technology Services. (158948)
- 124 **Neil Coyle** (Bermondsey and Old Southwark): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how his Department determines who the employer is between the promoter and end user client engaged in the loan charge scheme in circumstances where HMRC and Customs Digital Technology Services are also the engagers of a contractor using a loan scheme. (158949)
- 125 **Neil Coyle** (Bermondsey and Old Southwark): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what estimate his Department has made of how many clients of loan scheme promoters may become bankrupt. (158950)

- 126 **Neil Coyle** (Bermondsey and Old Southwark): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to the finding of the Independent Loan Charge Review that loans made pre-December 2010 were made before the law was clear, for what reason HMRC has pursued tax from people with pre-2010 open years. (158951)
- 127 **Andrew Lewer** (Northampton South): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps his Department will take to provide sector specific support to the wedding industry in response to the restrictions to guest numbers being in place until 21 June 2021. (159022)
- 128 **Caroline Lucas** (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether his Department has identified a method of income certification which would enable directors of micro limited companies to access support during the covid-19 crisis that accurately reflects previous income levels; and if he will make a statement. (158904)
- 129 **Caroline Lucas** (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will publish the criteria used to determine the circumstances in which (a) self-certification and (b) a statement from an accountant are considered a reliable means of certifying a business or an individual's statement of income. (158905)
- 130 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what estimate he has made of the number of people employed in sectors unable to open due to covid-19 restrictions who have been excluded from the Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme since November 2020. [Transferred] (158102)
- 131 **Mark Menzies** (Fylde): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the effect of the rate of Alcohol Duty on spirits on the growth of small distilleries. (158914)
- 132 **Liz Twist** (Blaydon): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many meetings he has had with (a) representatives of the alcohol industry and (b) representatives from public health organisations to discuss alcohol duty in the last six months. (159007)
- 133 **Liz Twist** (Blaydon): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many meetings Ministers in his Department have had on alcohol duty with representatives of the (a) alcohol industry and (b) public health organisations in each of the last 6 months. (159008)
- 134 **Liz Twist** (Blaydon): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many meetings officials in his Department have had on alcohol duty with representatives of the (a) alcohol industry and (b) public health organisations in each of the last 6 months. (159010)
- 135 **Matt Western** (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of introducing (a) a bonus-malus or grant scheme and (b) zero per cent or reduced VAT rate on new electric vehicles, to incentivise consumer purchase of those vehicles. (159001)



- 136 **Matt Western** (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether he plans to phase out the (a) EV Homecharge Scheme and (b) Workplace Charging Scheme after 2022. (159002)
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## Questions for Answer on Tuesday 2 March

### Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Andrew Gwynne** (Denton and Reddish): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what progress his Department has made on negotiating mutual recognition agreements with the EU that would apply to mountain professionals. (158882)
- 2N **Ian Murray** (Edinburgh South): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what effect the UK-EU Trade and Co-operation Agreement has had on the (a) costs and (b) timescales of shipping from the UK to the EU since the end of the transition period. (158907)
- 3N **Rachel Reeves** (Leeds West): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, how much and what proportion of the PPE procured by the Government since September 2020 has been made in the UK. (158919)
- 4N **Rachel Reeves** (Leeds West): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what the Government's timeframe is for meeting the commitment to manufacture 70 per cent of PPE in the UK. (158920)
- 5N **Robert Halfon** (Harlow): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that electrical goods offered for sale by third party sellers on online marketplaces are safe for use in the UK. (158909)
- 6N **Ian Murray** (Edinburgh South): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what estimate he has made of the average (a) cost and (b) time taken to ship a parcel to the EU in 2021 compared to 2020. (158906)
- 7N **Kelly Tolhurst** (Rochester and Strood): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment his Department has made of (a) the adequacy of competition in the ports sector and (b) the ability of customers to switch between different ports. (158976)
- 8N **Kelly Tolhurst** (Rochester and Strood): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps can be taken in the event that a port operator is suspected of breaking competition law through abuse of a dominant position. (158977)

- 9N **Colleen Fletcher** (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, how much grant funding has been allocated to Championship Rugby Clubs through the Sports Winter Survival Package to date; how many Championship Rugby Clubs (a) applied for grant funding through that scheme and (b) were awarded (i) all, (ii) part and (iii) none of the grant funding they applied for; and what criteria was applied to such applications to determine whether a club was eligible for grant funding through that scheme. (158953)
- 10N **Andrew Gwynne** (Denton and Reddish): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment his Department has made of the potential effect of the UK-EU Trade Cooperation Agreement on the UK mountain leaders sector. (158881)
- 11N **Robert Halfon** (Harlow): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what steps his Department is taking to tackle fraudulent calling. (158910)
- 12N **Robert Halfon** (Harlow): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what steps his Department plans to take to strengthen measures to prevent fraudulent calling. (158911)
- 13N **Mrs Emma Lewell-Buck** (South Shields): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, for what reason the Government's policy is that adult gaming centres are unable to open on 12 April 2021; and what the evidential basis is for that policy. (158944)
- 14N **Fleur Anderson** (Putney): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department is taking ensure the return of international boarders to boarding school during the covid-19 outbreak before 8 March 2021. (159047)
- 15N **Fleur Anderson** (Putney): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of quarantining boarding school pupils who have returned from abroad in boarding accommodation that is operated by the school during the covid-19 lockdown. (159048)
- 16N **Fleur Anderson** (Putney): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether safeguarding measures have been considered and implemented for those returning international boarding school pupils made to quarantine in hotels. (159049)
- 17N **Fleur Anderson** (Putney): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether safeguarding measures have been implemented for pupils returning from international boarding school who have been required to quarantine in hotels during the covid-19 lockdown. (159050)
- 18N **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, when he plans to respond to the letter dated 11 December 2020 from the hon. Member for West Lancashire, regarding covid-19 safety in SEN schools, reference ZA54854. (158892)

- 19N **Colleen Fletcher** (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department is taking to reduce barriers to university for people from disadvantaged backgrounds in (a) Coventry North East constituency and (b) Coventry. (158955)
- 20N **Robert Halfon** (Harlow): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department plans to take to support early years providers with the additional costs associated with (a) personal protective equipment and (b) enhanced cleaning measures. (158913)
- 21N **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that potential discrepancy between the grading of GCSE and A-level examinations by different schools is minimised. (158885)
- 22N **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department has taken to ensure that school pupils who have not had access to digital devices to learn from home, are fairly graded in their (a) GCSE and (b) A-Levels this year. (158886)
- 23N **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment his Department has made of the adequacy of the provision of mental health services for students at university. (158887)
- 24N **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that the provision of tutors reaches all pupils that require additional tuition due to the covid-19 outbreak. (158888)
- 25N **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department has taken to reassure school pupils that the grading of GCSEs and A-levels will be fair and equitable. (158889)
- 26N **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what recent steps his Department has taken to ensure that children with (a) autism and (b) high-functioning autism (i) have access to therapy while schools are closed and (ii) will continue to have access to that therapy once schools re-open as part of the education route map. (158894)
- 27N **Mrs Emma Lewell-Buck** (South Shields): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to his Department's press release, Unregulated accommodation banned for vulnerable children under 16, published on 19 February 2021, who made the decision to change policy on unregulated care; which organisations contributed to the consultation ahead of that policy change; which organisations consulted were in (a) favour and (b) against the change; and how many of the organisations who were in favour of the change are in receipt of any contracts or financial awards from his Department. (158942)

- 28N **Mrs Emma Lewell-Buck** (South Shields): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with regard to the Children's Social Care Review, a) how many applications were made to join the Experts by Experience Group; b) what criteria was used to assess applicants c) who made the decision on which applications were accepted and rejected; d) which of the applicants that have been accepted are currently employed or in receipt of any contracts or financial awards from the Department of Education. (158943)
- 29N **Anne Marie Morris** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if he will provide a map of school funding for England at (a) county level and (b) for each school. (158926)
- 30N **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether Lord Wharton was the highest scoring candidate for the role of Chair of the Office for Students, following the Independent Advisory Assessment Panel's recruitment process. (159038)
- 31N **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if he will publish the Independent Advisory Assessment Panel's report to him on that panel's recommendations for the appointment of the new Chair of the Office for Students. (159039)
- 32N **Bill Esterson** (Sefton Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, with reference to Answer of 25 February to Question 156364, when the Minister for flooding will meet the Member for Sefton Central. (158922)
- 33N **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what plans his Department has to introduce requirements for criminal record checks to the dog licensing process. (158924)
- 34N **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment his Department has made of the potential effect of excluding criminal record checks from the dog licensing process on the safety of (a) animals and (b) local communities. (158925)
- 35N **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he is taking to ensure that organic farming is included in the Environmental Land Management National Pilot phase 1. (158872)
- 36N **Zarah Sultana** (Coventry South): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of amendment the Hunting Act 2004 to prohibit trail hunt organisers from (a) organising trail hunts in close proximity to areas of high density fox populations and (b) using animal-based scents to set trail hunts. (159045)

- 37N **Mary Kelly Foy** (City of Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, with reference to her oral contribution of 25 February 2021, what discussions she has had with Mary Ng regarding the review of procedures for the resolution of investment disputes between investors and states in the UK-Canada Agreement on Trade Continuity. (159028)
- 38N **Sarah Champion** (Rotherham): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many incidents in which a vehicle was stranded in a live lane have taken place between junctions 32 and 35A of the M1 since March 2017. (158937)
- 39N **Angus Brendan MacNeil** (Na h-Eileanan an Iar): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether his Department has plans to mandate controlled airspace at air traffic control airports. (158893)
- 40N **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of (a) the Society for Automotive Engineer's Six Levels of Vehicle Autonomy and the level of current Automated Lane Keeping Systems in England (ALKS) and (b) how his Department plans to determine ALKS technology's compliance with Section 8 of the Automated and Electric Vehicles Act before listing ALKS vehicles as automated. (158869)
- 41N **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent discussions he has had with (a) manufacturers, (b) insurers and (c) enforcement authorities on the need to balance technical capability and public safety in the approach to Automated Lane Keeping System deployment. (158870)
- 42N **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of the timeframe for the deployment of Automated Lane Keeping System vehicles on UK roads. (158871)
- 43N **Sarah Olney** (Richmond Park): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what representations he has made to the Port of London Authority to re-open the River Thames at Hammersmith Bridge for commercial traffic to support the river economy, jobs and businesses. (158997)
- 44N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many bids to funds for transport infrastructure improvements offered by his Department have Ministers directed councils to submit as bids to the Levelling Up Fund. (158938)
- 45N **David Linden** (Glasgow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, pursuant to the Answer of 24 February 2021 to Question 155335 on Jobcentres, when she plans to publish details on gov.uk of the temporary Jobcentre site in Southend which was reported to have been confirmed in writing by her Department to the hon. Member for Rochford and Southend East. (159015)
- 46N **Seema Malhotra** (Feltham and Heston): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to the oral evidence of the Minister for Employment at the Work and Pensions Committee of 11 February 2021, what steps her

Department has taken to ensure that Kickstart scheme placements provide young participants with a positive experience; and what criteria her Department is using to assess whether such placements are providing that experience. (158930)

47N **Seema Malhotra** (Feltham and Heston): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to the oral evidence of the Minister for Employment at the Work and Pensions Committee on 11 February 2021, how claimants are being supported via virtual mentoring circles; and will she make a statement. (158931)

48N **Seema Malhotra** (Feltham and Heston): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, to ask the Secretary of State, how many claimants her Department has provided with a laptop or computer in each of the last twelve months; and what recent estimate she has made of the number of claimants without online access to their journal. (158932)

49N **Andy McDonald** (Middlesbrough): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, when she plans to answer Questions 155052 and 155053 on Employment: Coronavirus tabled by the hon Member for Middlesbrough. (158940)

50N **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to respond to the letter dated 8 January 2021 from the hon. Member for West Lancashire on covid-19 vaccinations, reference ZA55034. (158890)

51N **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to respond to the letter dated 6 November 2020 from the Hon. Member for West Lancashire, on covid-19 testing for care workers, reference ZA54381. (158891)

52N **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he has taken to ensure that visually impaired people are sent information on the covid-19 vaccine in an accessible format. (159013)

53N **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of introducing body bags with a transparent face window which allow families to pay respects to a deceased person while maintaining effective infection control. (159014)

54N **Stephen Doughty** (Cardiff South and Penarth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how data on HIV is being taken into account in the new QCOVID population risk assessment tool, following concerns raised by people living with HIV who have been asked to shield for the first time. (158936)

55N **Colleen Fletcher** (Coventry North East): 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 provision of IVF services in (a) Coventry, (b) the West Midlands and (c) England. (158954)



- 56N **Andrew Gwynne** (Denton and Reddish): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 13 January 2021 to Question 134382, what assessment he has made of the merits of ensuring that unused covid-19 vaccines are offered to (a) police officers and (b) other key workers. (158883)
- 57N **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure that adequate supplies of each covid-19 vaccine are available for second doses in terms of (a) volume of supply and (b) distribution of first doses of Pfizer and Oxford/Astra Zeneca vaccines. (158988)
- 58N **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the capacity of local healthcare services to plan their covid-19 vaccine supply in advance to ensure all second doses are given on time, with reference to the short notice of vaccine deliveries. (158989)
- 59N **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the proportion of special school staff who have received the covid-19 vaccine; and what steps he is taking to ensure staff can access vaccinations as soon as possible. (158990)
- 60N **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what discussions he is having with the Secretary of State for Education on the prioritisation of special school staff for covid-19 vaccines. (158991)
- 61N **Peter Kyle** (Hove): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when clinicians working with clinically extremely vulnerable children are planned to receive guidance on when it is appropriate to administer a covid-19 vaccine. (158987)
- 62N **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential effect on public health of freezes on spirits duty over the last seven years. (159036)
- 63N **Andy McDonald** (Middlesbrough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to respond to Questions 149246 and 155054 tabled by the hon. Member for Middlesbrough. (158941)
- 64N **Anne Marie Morris** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will provide a map of mental health funding allocation for each CCG in England. (158927)
- 65N **Anne Marie Morris** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will provide a country map of waiting times for Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services in England. (158928)

- 66N **Sarah Olney** (Richmond Park): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the findings of the Institute of Health Visiting's December 2020 report, State of Health Visiting in England, what steps his Department is taking to tackle the projected 20 per cent shortfall in the health visiting workforce in England due to retirements and attrition. (158998)
- 67 **Sir Mike Penning** (Hemel Hempstead): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he publish the number of applications for Continuing Healthcare in (a) England and (b) Herts Valleys Clinical Commissioning Group area that were successful at (i) first review and (ii) on appeal in each year since 2017-18. (158884)
- 68N **Rachel Reeves** (Leeds West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to ONS release published on 23 February 2021, Experimental statistics – personal protective equipment distributed for use by health and social care services in England: 15 February to 21 February 2021 and with reference to the 8.6 billion items of PPE that DHSC has distributed since February 2020, what the product type categories are for the remaining PPE purchased by the Government; and how much and what proportion of that remaining PPE is usable. (158917)
- 69N **Rachel Reeves** (Leeds West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate his Department has made of the size of the PPE stockpile as at 25 February 2021; and how much of that PPE is usable within the next (a) month, (b) 3 months and (c) 6 months. (158918)
- 70N **Nick Smith** (Blaenau Gwent): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the cost per test has been at the covid-19 testing site in Cwm, Marine Colliery, Ebbw Vale, in each month since its opening in July 2020. (158899)
- 71N **Derek Twigg** (Halton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 24 February 2021 to Question 154772, when his Department plans to recommence collecting that data on cancelled operations. (158861)
- 72N **Matt Western** (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether the South African variant of covid-19 can be identified through processing available at the Milton Keynes Lighthouse Laboratory. (159000)
- 73N **Matt Western** (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what contracts his Department has signed with private companies relating to the running of a new high throughput laboratory in Leamington Spa. (159004)
- 74N **Fleur Anderson** (Putney): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to reduce the financial costs of covid-19 testing for UK arrivals who have had to travel abroad for essential reasons. (159046)

- 75N **Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many section 95 asylum seekers were accommodated in dispersal accommodation for the first time in each quarter in each of the last two years, by local authority. (158847)
- 76N **Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when she plans to publish the Immigration and Protection data for quarter 4 of 2020. (158848)
- 77N **Dave Doogan** (Angus): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to the Answer of 25 February 2021 to Question 156559 on European Fighter Aircraft, whose commercial interests would be compromised if an answer to the Question was provided. (159027)
- 78N **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to the Answer of 25 February 2021 to Question 156277, what the out of service date is for those aircraft. (158863)
- 79N **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether his Department regards (a) the cockpit canopy system and (b) all-composite engine fan inlet for the Joint Strike Fighter Programme as UK-content. (158864)
- 80N **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether his Department has designated (a) flaperons, (b) Inflight Opening Doors (IFOD), (c) Arresting Gear, (d) Electrical Wiring and Interconnection Systems (EWIS) of the Joint Strike Fighter programme as UK-content. (158865)
- 81N **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to the Answer of 9 February 2021 to Question 148723, on Joint Strike Fighter Aircraft: Procurement, whether all work undertaken by Cobham within the Joint Strike Fighter programme has been designated as UK-content by his Department. (158866)
- 82N **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether the Government's procurement strategy for new Fleet Solid Support ships will set any lower limit on the proportion of work that must be completed in the UK in order to qualify as UK-Led. (159017)
- 83N **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will make an assessment of the potential economic benefits of a higher proportion of work on new Fleet Solid Support Ships being completed in the UK as part of assessing value for money in that procurement. (159018)
- 84N **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the timetable is for the Government to make a decision on where new Fleet Solid Support ships will be maintained. (159019)

- 85N **Alex Sobel** (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether his Department plans to replace (a) the contractor and (b) the terms of the contract when the existing contract for maintenance of Service Family Accommodation expires. (1589020)
- 86N **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, how many buildings have been converted into Class E use since September 2020. (1589023)
- 87N **Colleen Fletcher** (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps his Department is taking to increase the supply of new homes in (a) Coventry North East constituency and (b) Coventry. (158956)
- 88N **Kate Hollern** (Blackburn): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, if he will publish the amount of European Structural and Investment Funding that is (a) unallocated and (b) allocated but yet to be spent in the next three years. (158945)
- 89N **Kate Hollern** (Blackburn): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, if he will publish the list of projects that have been allocated European Structural and Investment Funding in (a) 2021-22 and (b) 2022-23. (158946)
- 90N **Kate Hollern** (Blackburn): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what criteria his Department uses to assess whether a fund should be (a) competitive or (b) allocated on the basis of need. (158947)
- 91N **Neil O'Brien** (Harborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what schemes have been supported by Homes England through (a) the small sites scheme and (b) the land assembly fund; and how much Homes England has invested in each of those schemes. (159025)
- 92N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, how many bids for funding under existing housing and planning schemes have councils been asked to submit instead to the Levelling Up Fund. (158939)
- 93N **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, with reference to the report of the Prisons and Probation Ombudsman, COVID-19 PPO Fatal Incident Investigations, published on 23 February 2021, what steps he plans to take to implement the recommendations of that report. (158895)
- 94N **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many people convicted of a stalking offence received a custodial sentence in the last 24 months. (158923)

- 95N **Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, pursuant to the Answer of 24 February 2021 to Question 154966, Prison Officers: Pay, if he will place in the Library a copy of the equalities impact assessment that was conducted and considered in reaching the decision to reject recommendation 3. (158908)
- 96N **Colleen Fletcher** (Coventry North East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what financial support his Department is providing to people in (a) Coventry North East constituency and (b) Coventry who are clinically extremely vulnerable and unable to work from home. (158952)
- 97N **Patricia Gibson** (North Ayrshire and Arran): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what recent discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues on the potential merits of introducing a £20 a week supplement to carers with an entitlement to Carer's Allowance. (158972)
- 98N **Claire Hanna** (Belfast South): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will bring forward proposals to change Support for Mortgage Interest from a loan to a grant. (159056)
- 99N **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential merits for public health of introducing scaled taxation for alcohol where stronger alcohol products are taxed more per unit of alcohol than lower strength products. (159034)
- 100N **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of introducing scaled taxation for alcohol, where stronger products are taxed more per unit of alcohol than lower strength products, to encourage reformulation and increase the availability of lower strength products. (159035)
- 101N **Seema Malhotra** (Feltham and Heston): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps he is taking to support long term R&D innovation (a) for all regions and nations of the UK and (b) to support the industries and jobs of the future. (158929)
- 102N **Kirsten Oswald** (East Renfrewshire): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will amend the earnings criteria for the Self Employed Income Support Scheme in the context of the periods of lockdown that have taken place since the commencement of that scheme. (158962)
- 103N **Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Streatham): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will announce a pay rise for NHS staff and other public sector workers in Budget 2021. (159033)
- 104N **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what the Average Working Days Lost was in HMRC for civil servants who have (a) declared themselves as having a disability and (b) not declared themselves to have a disability in the calendar year (i) 2019 and (ii) 2020. (158974)

**105NChris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what the Average Working Days Lost was in HMRC for civil servants (a) from Black, Asian and Minority Ethnic backgrounds and (b) recording themselves as White in the calendar year (i) 2019 and (ii) 2020. (158975)

**106NDan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, what plans the Government has to bring forward legislative proposals to update the definition of adultery to include members of the LGBT+ community. (159016)

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