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Questions tabled on Monday 12 April 2021

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Questions for Answer on Tuesday 13 April

Questions for Written Answer

1N Helen Hayes (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, with reference to the role of local government in COP26, what plans the Government has to provide funding and resources to local government to support the development of a framework for local delivery of the national net zero target.

[Transferred] (174918)

Questions for Answer on Wednesday 14 April

Questions for Written Answer

- Hilary Benn (Leeds Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what estimate he has made of the number of UK citizens living in Spain who (a) have not applied for resident status and (b) may be required to return to the UK as result of not having obtained that status. (178820)
- Hilary Benn (Leeds Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, if he will publish the names of the companies contracted to work on the new press briefing room at 10 Downing Street. (178821)
- Anthony Browne (South Cambridgeshire): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether funding is available for the costs of (a) covid-19 testing and (b) quarantine for children who are required to travel internationally by custody order.

 (179635)

- 4 Dan Carden (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, if he will launch an investigation into (a) the accreditation of Greensill as a Coronavirus Large Business Interruption Loan Scheme lender and (b) the role of David Cameron prior to that decision being made. (179428)
- Dan Carden (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether he plans to expand the scope of the lobbying register; and if he will make a statement. (179429)
- Dan Carden (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what recent assssment he has made of the effectiveness of the Advisory Committee on Business Appointments; and if he will make a statement.
- Dan Carden (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what recent assessment he has made of the potential merits of reforming the Advisory Committee on Business Appointments (ACBOA) including (a) statutory status, (b) enhancing sanctioning powers, (c) increasing resources and (d) making ACOBA fully independent of Government. (179436)
- 8 **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether the review into Greensill lobbying led by Nigel Boardman will be supported by an independent advisory board. (179449)
- 9 **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether the review into the Greensill lobbying led by Nigel Boardman will hold public hearings. (179450)
- Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, if he will establish a Government-backed pandemic insurance scheme for wedding (a) businesses and (b) consumers. (179570)
- Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, if he will publish the advice he has received on the reasons for the disparity between the covid-19 guidance for weddings and receptions and the guidance for the events and hospitality sector. (179571)
- Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, which of the 139 recommendations identified in the Information Commissioner's Office audit of Government departments will be included as part of the National Data Strategy. (179577)
- Rosie Cooper (West Lancashire): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, when he plans to respond to the letter from the hon. member for West Lancashire of 5 February 2021 on EU parcels, reference ZA55434.

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- 14 Jack Dromey (Birmingham, Erdington): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, how many additional customs agents have been employed by HMRC since February 2020. (178990)
- Jack Dromey (Birmingham, Erdington): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what comparative assessment he has made of the number of (a) additional HMRC customs agents that are required to manage the new trading rules with the EU under the EU-UK Trade and Cooperation Agreement and (b) those agents required in February 2020. (178991)
- Ms Harriet Harman (Camberwell and Peckham): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what progress has been made on bilateral negotiations with individual EU member states on reciprocal touring rights for musicians. (178768)
- 17 **Ms Harriet Harman** (Camberwell and Peckham): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, which Minister is leading on negotiations to establish reciprocal touring rights for UK and EU musicians. (178769)
- Darren Henry (Broxtowe): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what recent discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues on publishing a roadmap out of the covid-19 lockdown for people who have been separated from families and partners who live outside of the UK. (179629)
- 19 Rachel Hopkins (Luton South): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether his Department has met the equality objectives set out in its single departmental plan; what assessment he has made of his Department's performance against those objectives; and if he will make a statement.
- 20 Rachel Hopkins (Luton South): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, with reference to Regulation 2 of the Equality Act 2010 (Specific Duties) Regulations 2011, whether his Department has published at the required intervals information to demonstrate its compliance with that regulation; and if he will make a statement. (179742)
- 21 Rachel Hopkins (Luton South): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, for what reason diversity data for his Department on publishing.service.gov.uk has not been updated since 2018. (179743)
- Rachel Hopkins (Luton South): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what steps he has taken to ensure that the equality objectives set out in his Department's single departmental plan are (a) specific, (b) measurable, (c) achievable, (d) realistic and (e) timely. (179744)

- Andrea Jenkyns (Morley and Outwood): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, with reference to the Written Statement of 25 March 2021, HCWS895 on infected blood update, what the planned timescale is for his Department to (a) publish and (b) implement the framework for compensation for victims of the Infected Blood tragedy. (178558)
- 24 Andrea Jenkyns (Morley and Outwood): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what steps he plans to take to ensure the impartiality of the choice of independent reviewer who will be appointed to carry out the compensation study for victims of the Infected Blood tragedy.

 (179266)
- Darren Jones (Bristol North West): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what assessment his Department has made of the international interoperability of a proposed covid-19 vaccination certification or passport for the UK in order to facilitate international travel. (179365)
- 26 **Sir Robert Neill** (Bromley and Chislehurst): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether the provisions agreed in the UK-EU Trade and Cooperation Agreement are reciprocal and include a binding non-discrimination clause covering all current and future EU member states. (178976)
- 27 **Sir Robert Neill** (Bromley and Chislehurst): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether provisions in the UK-EU Trade and Cooperation Agreement allow for (a) a short supplementing agreement or a Joint Declaration and (b) other bilateral agreements. (178977)
- 28 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, how many individual honours were forfeited in each of the last five years. (179048)
- 29 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, for what reasons individual honours were forfeited in each of the last five years. (179049)
- 30 Mr Barry Sheerman (Huddersfield): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what steps he is taking to ensure that the UK meets its obligations under international law. (178802)
- Cat Smith (Lancaster and Fleetwood): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, which age groups will have received a covid-19 vaccination ahead of the elections on 6 May 2021. (178696)
- Cat Smith (Lancaster and Fleetwood): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, pursuant to the Answer of 23 March 2021 to Question 171645 on Electoral Register: Travellers, what meetings (a) the Minister for the Constitution and Devolution has had and (b) officials of his

- Department have had with members of the Gypsy, Traveller and Roma community on improving voter turnout at elections of members of the Gypsy, Traveller and Roma community. (179210)
- 33 **Greg Smith** (Buckingham): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, how much the Government has spent on advertising covid-19 restrictions. (179594)
- 34 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether he plans to review the (a) funding, (b) objectives and (c) targeting of the Government's GREAT campaign. (178922)
- Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of suspending licences for trail hunting on land owned by the Church; and if he will make a statement. (178571)
- Jim Shannon (Strangford): To ask the Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, what the average length of term agreed on farm business tenancies let by the Church Commissioners, other than in cases where a tenancy is replacing a previous tenancy let under the Agricultural Holdings Act 1986, was in each of the last five years to 2020. (178589)
- 37 **Deidre Brock** (Edinburgh North and Leith): To ask the President of COP26, what steps he is taking to ensure that organic and similar agroecological farm systems are included as nature-based solutions to achieving net-zero. (178632)
- Deidre Brock (Edinburgh North and Leith): To ask the President of COP26, if he will publish any assessment he has made of the potential for organic and other agroecological farm systems to achieve the UK's nature-based climate change targets.

 (178636)
- Fleur Anderson (Putney): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what will replace the Green Homes Grant scheme. (179624)
- 40 **Stuart Anderson** (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that contracts of employment take into consideration the mental health needs of employees. (179556)
- 41 **Bob Blackman** (Harrow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what plans he has to introduce a new scheme to incentivise energy efficiency measures in homes to help meet the Government's net zero by 2050 target. (179041)
- 42 **Bob Blackman** (Harrow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment his Department has made of the role of high efficiency glazing in residential and commercial buildings in contributing to the net zero by 2050 target. (179042)

- Alan Brown (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether he plans to provide a progress update on implementation of the North Sea Transition Deal ahead of the COP26 summit in addition to the scheduled reporting in March 2022 as outlined in that Deal. (179237)
- Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, pursuant to the Answer of 8 February 2021 to Question 148866 on the hospitality sector, if he will make it his policy to provide financial assistance to invoice factoring schemes for suppliers in the hospitality sector. (179569)
- 45 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if he will assist the hon. Member for West Lancashire in securing a response from the Chief Executive of Just Eat plc, to a letter dated 18 January 2021 on outstanding payments to a constituent, reference ZA55172. (178941)
- 46 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, when he plans to respond to the letter dated 12 February 2021 from the hon. Member for West Lancashire on support programmes for those who heat their homes using oil, reference ZA55510. (178946)
- 47 Janet Daby (Lewisham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if he will make an equality impact assessment of hair care products for Black hair being classed as non-essential items during the covid-19 lockdown; and what assessment he has made of the effect of that matter on (a) closure levels of businesses selling Black hair care products during covid-19 lockdowns and (b) the extent to which those products are stocked in major retailers.
- Jonathan Edwards (Carmarthen East and Dinefwr): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of protections for consumers shopping online via (a) Facebook, (b)

 Twitter, (c) Instagram and (d) other social media platforms. (179008)
- 49 **Dr Luke Evans** (Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what progress the Government has on tackling the availability of counterfeit electrical goods on online platforms. (178536)
- 50 **Dr Luke Evans** (Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what plans he has to support county-based test events across the UK to monitor the rate of covid-19 transmission as covid-19 restrictions are eased to enable the events industry to reopen. (179596)
- 51 **Dr Luke Evans** (Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps he is taking to support the reopening of the events and exhibition sector in line with the easing of covid-19 lockdown restrictions. (178553)
- 52 **Dr Luke Evans** (Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps he is taking to increase (a) international and (b) domestic consumer awareness of non-food and drink products made in Britain. (179597)

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- Mary Glindon (North Tyneside): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, with reference to the £800 million commitment from Mubadala as part of the UAE-UK Sovereign Investment Partnership, which areas of the life sciences sector will receive funding from that Partnership. (179117)
- Darren Jones (Bristol North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, pursuant to the Answer of 9 October 2020 to Question 98272, when he plans to publish the (a) names of the beneficiaries and (b) amounts of the loans with a nominal value of over €100,000 provided under the (i) Coronavirus Business Interruption Loan Scheme and (ii) Coronavirus Large Business Interruption Loan Scheme. (179369)
- Mr Kevan Jones (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Business,
 Energy and Industrial Strategy, with reference to the recent report in Computer
 Weekly on the extension of the Post Office Horizon contact with Fujitsu, whether
 representatives of the Government, in their roles as members of the Post Office
 Ltd (POL) Board or other POL committees or otherwise, were (a) in attendance at
 meetings with Fujitsu and (b) involved in the decision to extend the contract with
 that company to 2024.
- Mr Kevan Jones (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether his Department has any plans to restrict the use of fireworks.

 (178870)
- John McDonnell (Hayes and Harlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, pursuant to the Answer of 18 March 2021 to Question 166306, on Competition and Markets Authority: Staff, if he will provide the same data for Non-Senior Civil Service performance management outcomes for (a) BAME staff (i) over the age of 55 and (ii) under the age of 24 and (b) female staff working for the Competition and Markets Authority in the 2019-20 performance year.
- Chi Onwurah (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, pursuant to the answer of 30 March 2021 to Question 173012 on Africa: Research, how many early career researchers in Africa will lose funding as a result of changes to official development assistance allocation to the Future Leaders African Independent Research (FLAIR) programme.
- 59 **Stephanie Peacock** (Barnsley East): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps his Department is taking to support businesses to become carbon neutral. (179348)
- 60 **Stephanie Peacock** (Barnsley East): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps he is taking to support businesses to switch to renewable energy sources for their power supply. (179349)

- 61 Mr Barry Sheerman (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps his Department is taking to provide specific support to the night-time economy in (a) Huddersfield and (b) West Yorkshire.
- Alexander Stafford (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if the Government will make an assessment of the effect of the rules of origin provisions in the UK-EU Trade and Cooperation Agreement on critical mineral supply chains for downstream original equipment manufacturers based in the UK.
- Gareth Thomas (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether providers of complementary medicine teaching who have been unable to deliver practical training in close contact services since 5 January 2021 are eligible to apply for Local Restrictions Support Grants; and if he will make a statement. (178776)
- Mick Whitley (Birkenhead): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what weighting he plans to give to the potential regional economic benefits of a project for domestic and industrial heat decarbonisation in the selection of track one and phase one carbon capture and storage projects. [R] (179561)
- Mick Whitley (Birkenhead): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what weighting he plans give to (a) cost and (b) deliverability by 2026 in the selection of track one carbon capture and storage projects. [R] (179562)
- Munira Wilson (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of bringing forward legislative proposals to introduce a five year expiry period on gift cards and vouchers.

 (179583)
- 67 **Paul Blomfield** (Sheffield Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of launching an inquiry into the collapse of Football Index. (179069)
- Paul Blomfield (Sheffield Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital,
 Culture, Media and Sport, with reference to the recent collapse of Football Index,
 what assessment he has made of the potential merits of creating a Gambling
 Ombudsman.

 (179070)
- 69 **Paul Blomfield** (Sheffield Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what directions he has issued to the Advertising Standards Authority on limiting the number of children that are exposed to gambling advertising. (179071)
- 70 **Sir Alan Campbell** (Tynemouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, if the Government will review the reopening date for indoor riding schools as covid-19 lockdown restrictions are eased. (178837)

- 71 Chris Elmore (Ogmore): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, whether his Department has made an assessment of the level of expectation among parents that VOD platforms should ensure that their film and TV content is age-rated in line with the BBFC's standards for content released in cinemas and on DVD. (179321)
- 72 **Chris Elmore** (Ogmore): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, if his Department will take steps to support the adoption of BBFC agerating standards for content on video on demand platforms. (179322)
- 73 Chris Elmore (Ogmore): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment he has made of the barriers to (a) Disney+ and (b) other platforms to prevent them from using BBFC's best practice guidelines. (179323)
- 74 **Dr Luke Evans** (Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what steps he is taking to support the participation of non-smartphone users without access to specific apps to take part in forthcoming covid-19 test events in the culture, media and sport sectors. (179598)
- Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, on how many occasions officials in his Department met with David Cameron since July 2016; and what the (a) subject, (b) dates, (c) times and (d) durations of those meetings were.
- 76 Mary Glindon (North Tyneside): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what steps he is taking to tackle online misinformation on the vaping industry. (179116)
- 77 Carolyn Harris (Swansea East): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, when the Government was made aware of the challenges facing Football Index before the collapse of that company. (179264)
- 78 Carolyn Harris (Swansea East): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture,
 Media and Sport, if he will hold an independent public inquiry into the
 circumstances of the collapse of Football Index. (178693)
- 79 Carolyn Harris (Swansea East): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what directions have been given to (a) regulators and (b) executive agencies in respect of the collapse of Football Index. (178695)
- Darren Jones (Bristol North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital,
 Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment his Department has made of the
 potential discretionary effect of the requirement by many online services for a
 mobile telephone number on elderly people using those services who rely on a
 landline telephone.

 (179367)
- Darren Jones (Bristol North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital,
 Culture, Media and Sport, what progress has been made on the work programme
 of the Global Partnership on Artificial Intelligence; what the UK's contribution is
 to that partnership; and if he will make a statement.

 [R] (179368)

- 82 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what steps his Department is taking to help ensure that copyright owners take adequate account of fair dealing before issuing take-down notices on social and digital media platforms. (179183)
- Danny Kruger (Devizes): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, with reference to page 25 of the Government's response to the consultation on expanding the Dormant Asset Scheme, if he will publish the methodology used to calculate that 54 per cent of dormant assets in the (a) insurance and pensions, (b) investment and wealth management and (c) securities sectors could be reclaimed by their owners as a result of enhanced tracing, verification and reunification efforts.
- 84 **Danny Kruger** (Devizes): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, if he will publish a timetable for (a) implementing the expanded dormant assets scheme and (b) funding for good causes derived from the new classes of dormant assets becoming available. (179699)
- Stephen Morgan (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, if his Department will publish guidance on when busking and street performances can begin safely as covid-19 restrictions are lifted.

 (179451)
- Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, if he will make it his policy to ensure that all sports played by UK national teams are available live for free on non-subscription services.

 (179633)
- Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture,
 Media and Sport, what discussions he has had with representatives of the BBC
 on ensuring that licence fee payers receive value for money during the covid-19
 outbreak with new content being broadcast. (178871)
- Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture,
 Media and Sport, what steps his Department is taking to encourage tourism in
 London in response to the covid-19 outbreak. (178891)
- 89 **Mr Barry Sheerman** (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what steps he is taking to reduce misinformation on social media. (178817)
- 90 Cat Smith (Lancaster and Fleetwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, how his Department calculated the running costs of the UK Youth Parliament in preparation for the 2021-22 Grant. (179206)
- 91 Cat Smith (Lancaster and Fleetwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment the Government has made of whether obtaining commercial sponsorship for the UK Youth Parliament is (a) achievable and (b) desirable.

- Jeff Smith (Manchester, Withington): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, how many (a) nightclubs, (b) live music venues, (c) festivals and (d) businesses that supply those entertainment businesses have received support from the Government under the second round of the Culture Recovery Fund.
- 93 **Jeff Smith** (Manchester, Withington): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, how many businesses received funding through the first round but not the second round of the Culture Recovery Fund. (179224)
- 94 Gareth Thomas (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment his Department made of the effectiveness of the (a) National Citizen Service, (b) Scout Association and (c) cadets prior to deciding on funding allocations for those organisations; and if he will make a statement.
- 95 Nadia Whittome (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what steps the Government has taken to support theatres during the covid-19 outbreak. (179723)
- 96 **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what steps he has taken to help ensure that elderly people are not excluded as a result of the digital divide. (178654)
- 97 **Nickie Aiken** (Cities of London and Westminster): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what estimate his Department has made of the number of universities that have adopted the International Holocaust Remembrance Alliance's working definition of antisemitism. (179553)
- 98 **Nickie Aiken** (Cities of London and Westminster): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department has taken to encourage a higher number of universities to adopt the International Holocaust Remembrance Alliance's working definition of antisemitism. (179554)
- 99 **Peter Aldous** (Waveney): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what proportion of adults have Level 2 as their highest qualification; and how many of those people are (a) in employment, (b) unemployed and (c) claiming benefits. (179084)
- 100 **Paula Barker** (Liverpool, Wavertree): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, when students who have not yet resumed in-person teaching and learning at university will be able to do so during the covid-19 outbreak. (179659)
- 101 Paula Barker (Liverpool, Wavertree): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, which step of the Government's covid-19 roadmap will allow all university students to return to their term-time addresses. (179660)

- 102 **Paul Blomfield** (Sheffield Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 23 March 2021 to Question 168889, on GCE A-level and GCSE: Assessments, what specific guidance his Department has issued to schools and colleges on taking into account the mitigating circumstances faced by young carers when determining GCSE and A level grades. (179073)
- 103 **Ben Bradley** (Mansfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, on what date all university students will be able to return to campus and resume in-person teaching during the covid-19 outbreak. (179493)
- 104 Anthony Browne (South Cambridgeshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, from which date all university students and staff will return to campus in order to resume in-person teaching. (179636)
- 105 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, when he plans to publish in full (a) the audit by the Information Commissioner's Office on his Department and (b) his Department's plans to implement the recommended improvements of that audit. (179576)
- 106 Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment he has made of the effect of the covid-19 pandemic on medical students and final year medical students; and what plans he has to provide support to those students. (179579)
- 107 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, when he plans to respond to the letter dated 28 January 2021, reference ZA55341, regarding the re-opening of schools. (178949)
- 108 Marsha De Cordova (Battersea): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether her Department collects data on free school meals by ethnicity. (179524)
- 109 Marsha De Cordova (Battersea): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps he is taking to support disabled children and their families in the recovery from covid-19.
- 110 **Nick Fletcher** (Don Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 23 March 2021 to Question 169074 and the Answer of 23 March 2021 to Question 169981, on Abortion: Health Education, and with reference to the endorsement by Public Health England of the Abortion and Abortion Care Fact Sheet for use in schools, what discussions he has had with the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care on ensuring that the school curriculum (a) equally respects the views of people opposed to abortion and (b) educates pupils on alternatives to abortion.
- 111 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, from what date university students will be able to return to campus and resume in-person teaching. (179286)

- 112 **Barry Gardiner** (Brent North): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether he has plans to update data held by his Department on the number of children that qualify for free school meals to ensure that pupil premium grant funding reflects the increase in the number of children whose families are eligible for that funding as a result of the economic consequences of the covid-19 outbreak. (178762)
- Preet Kaur Gill (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To the Secretary of State for Education, what recent estimate his Department has made of the number of universities that have implemented no detriment policies in each of the academic years (a) 2019-20 and (b) 2020-21; and what estimate he has made of the number of students that have been affected by those policies.
- 114 **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment he has made of the potential effect of no detriment policies implemented by universities on the future employment prospects of students; and what steps he is taking to ensure that those employment prospects are not negatively affected by those policies. (178709)
- 115 **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To the Secretary of State for Education, what estimate he has made of the average number of credits not taken per student as a result of no detriment policies implemented by universities in the 2019-20 academic year. (179335)
- 116 **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment he has made of the potential effect of the covid-19 outbreak on the provision of course modules at universities being delivered as advertised. (178711)
- 117 **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To the Secretary of State for Education, what recent assessment he has made of the potential effect on graduate teaching assistants of reductions in university funding as a result of the covid-19 outbreak in the academic year 2020-21. (179336)
- Preet Kaur Gill (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the answer of 31 March 2021 to Question 174230, on Hate Crime: Young People, when his Department last undertook an assessment of the efficacy of its policies on the prevention and reporting of hate crimes in schools.

 (179339)
- 119 Lilian Greenwood (Nottingham South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, which step of the Government's covid-19 roadmap will allow all university students to return to their term-time addresses. (179055)
- 120 **Robert Halfon** (Harlow): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, from what date university students will be able to return to campus and resume in-person teaching. (179029)
- 121 **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, on what date all students will be able to return to their university campus and resume in-person teaching during the covid-19 outbreak. (179410)

- 122 **Wera Hobhouse** (Bath): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what discussions officials in his Department have had with officials in the Department for Health and Social Care on the guidance on false positive lateral flow tests that have been administered by students in a controlled environment; and what assessment his Department has made of the potential effect of the receipt of those false positive tests on the education of those students. (179331)
- 123 **Wera Hobhouse** (Bath): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to the Disabled Children's Partnership's Report entitled The Loneliest Lockdown, what plans his Department has to tackle social isolation among disabled children.

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- 124 **Sajid Javid** (Bromsgrove): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department is taking to increase awareness of the National Tutoring Programme among (a) schools and (b) parents in (i) Bromsgrove District and (b) England. (179011)
- 125 **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what discussions he has had with (a) universities and (b) higher education providers on the continuation of online teaching in the academic year 2021-22.(179508)
- 126 Clive Lewis (Norwich South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, on what date all university students will be able to return to campus and resume in-person teaching.

 (179292)
- 127 Caroline Lucas (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, from which date all university students will be able to return to campus and resume in-person teaching; what assessment he has made of the potential merits of the provision of home covid-19 testing for university students using the type of testing system that is used by secondary school pupils; and if he will make a statement.
- 128 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department is taking to support colleges to offer an increased capacity for adult skills as part of a covid-19 recovery package. (179246)
- 129 Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if he will support extending the provision of the Duke of Edinburgh Award scheme in schools so that every child has the opportunity to participate in that scheme. (179248)
- 130 John McDonnell (Hayes and Harlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether his Department plans to prioritise the replacement of Consortium of Local Authorities Special Programme (CLASP) schools in the School Rebuilding Programme to ensure that teachers and schoolchildren are safe from asbestos.
 (178779)
- 131 **Ian Mearns** (Gateshead): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment he has made of implementing a COVID-19 recovery plan for disabled children and their families. (178639)

- 132 Ian Mearns (Gateshead): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department is taking to tackle social isolation in disabled children and their families.

 (178648)
- 133 Ian Mearns (Gateshead): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department is taking to support disabled children and their families recover from effects of the covid-19 outbreak. (179032)
- 134 Layla Moran (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, on what date all university students will be able to return to campus and resume in-person teaching. (179474)
- 135 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 30 September 2020 to Question 97703, on Outdoor Education: Finance, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of the report prepared for Ministers by civil servants following that meeting with campaigners. (178723)
- 136 **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if he will publish his plans for the return of university students to their term-time addresses. (179112)
- 137 **Neil Parish** (Tiverton and Honiton): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if the Government will reconsider including food and drink qualifications in the Lifetime Skills Guarantee. (179087)
- 138 **Mr Barry Sheerman** (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps he is taking to ensure that schools have sufficient resources to support students who are suffering from poor mental health as a result of covid-19 lockdown restrictions. (178808)
- 139 **Mr Barry Sheerman** (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps he is taking to ensure that private candidates taking A-levels are not disadvantaged by the use of centre assessed grades. (178809)
- 140 Cat Smith (Lancaster and Fleetwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, which step of the Government's covid-19 roadmap will allow all university students to return to their term-time addresses. (179212)
- 141 Cat Smith (Lancaster and Fleetwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, when students will be able to resume in-person teaching and learning at university as covid-19 restrictions are eased. (179213)
- 142 **Cat Smith** (Lancaster and Fleetwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what the Government's plans are for the return of university students. (179214)
- 143 **Alex Sobel** (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment he has made of the potential effect of removing funding for Applied General Qualifications on people that hope to study degrees in gaming. (179482)

- 144 **Alexander Stafford** (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, from what date university students will be able to return to campus and resume in-person teaching. (179716)
- 145 **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to the advice his Department issued to schools on delaying answering parental complaints until schools had re-opened after covid-19 restrictions were eased, what steps his Department took to ensure that parents were informed of the effect of that advice on reducing the time available to them to subsequently make appeals to (a) the First-tier Tribunal (Special Educational Needs and Disability) and (b) other bodies.
- 146 **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment his Department has made of the (a) effectiveness of the steps it has taken to ensure that parents are aware of the (i) existence and (ii) role of the First-tier Tribunal (Special Educational Needs and Disability) and (b) potential merits of taking additional steps to improve parental awareness of that body. (179091)
- 147 **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department has taken to assist schools in securing refunds for school trips that have been cancelled as a result of covid-19 restrictions. (179092)
- 148 Zarah Sultana (Coventry South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether he will include an open consultation as part of the initial teacher training market review. (179610)
- 149 Zarah Sultana (Coventry South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether he plans to (a) implement the recommendations of the Children Society's report entitled The Good Childhood Report 2020 and (b) widen the scope of the education recovery package announced in February 2021 to include children's wellbeing.
 (179616)
- 150 Gareth Thomas (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 23 March 2021 to Question 168825 on Languages: GCE A-level and GCSE and with reference to the data in provided in the Other modern languages category for each of the years from 2015-16 to 2019-20, how many entries there were for pupils studying (a) Arabic, (b) Bengali, (c) Chinese, (d) Gujarati, (e) Japanese, (f) Punjabi, (g) Persian and (h) Urdu at GCSE level; and if he will make a statement.
- 151 Gareth Thomas (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 23 March 2021 to Question 168825 on Languages: GCE A-level and GCSE and with reference to the data in provided in the Other modern languages category for each of the years from 2015-16 to 2019-20, how many entries there were for pupils studying (a) Arabic, (b) Bengali, (c) Chinese, (d) Gujarati, (e) Japanese, (f) Punjabi, (g) Persian and (h) Urdu at A-level; and if he will make a statement.

- Mick Whitley (Birkenhead): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether his Department made an assessment of the potential merits of incorporating the £15 voucher scheme for local shops and supermarkets into the Healthy Start voucher scheme prior to the recent re-opening of schools during the covid-19 outbreak.
- Mick Whitley (Birkenhead): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to the guidance issued by the Government entitled COVID-19 Response: Spring 2021, on what date his Department plans to (a) announce and (b) conclude the review into the return of students in higher education that do not need to take part in practical teaching and do not require access to specialist facilities or equipment as part of their studies.
- **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what the budget for the Adoption Support Fund has been in each of the last five financial years. (179584)
- **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what the budget has been of the Adoption Support Fund in each of the last five financial years. (179585)
- **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether he has plans to change the eligibility criteria for applicants to the Adoption Support Fund. (179586)
- **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if he will commit funding to the Adoption Support Fund beyond the financial year of 2021-22.
- **Bob Blackman** (Harrow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, for what reason glass is classed as a qualifying material for the lower rate of landfill tax; and what plans he has to review that classification as part of plans to move towards circular economies. (179045)
- **Bob Blackman** (Harrow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he has take to consult the construction industry on the proposed Extended Producer Responsibility for certain construction materials set out in the Government's waste and resource strategy published in 2018. (179046)
- **Bob Blackman** (Harrow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what estimate he has made of the quantities of flat glass currently recycled through end-of-life vehicle authorised treatment facilities. (179047)
- 161 Alan Brown (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what tree planting targets were in place in each year since 2010; and how many hectares of tree planting took place in each of those years.

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- of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how many (a) meetings, (b) telephone calls, (c) emails, (d) letters and (e) other communications have taken place between his Department and officials of the Government of the Netherlands on implementing a ban on hunting trophy imports similar to the ban introduced in that country in 2017.
- Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of funding allocated to the National Wildlife Crime Unit. (179568)
- 164 Alberto Costa (South Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to support community groups and local authorities to tackle the increase in littering in rural communities. (179215)
- 165 **Virginia Crosbie** (Ynys Môn): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he is taking to (a) help prevent the depletion of fish stocks and (b) reduce the amount of bycatch discarded back into the sea; and how the amount of that discarded bycatch is monitored. (179703)
- 166 Martyn Day (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether his Department plans to extend the Food Information (Amendment) (England) Regulations to cover all food prepared by food businesses.

 (179265)
- Michael Fabricant (Lichfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of the Australian practice of using drainage nets to collect plastic and other small objects to prevent them from entering rivers and seas. (178790)
- 168 **Tim Farron** (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, with reference to the Landscapes Review, published September 2019, what plans his Department has to increase funding for National Park Authorities. (178973)
- 169 **Tim Farron** (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what plans his Department has to strengthen the role that local communities have in National Parks. (178735)
- 170 **Tim Farron** (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what plans his Department has to increase the (a) resources and (b) powers available to Areas of Outstanding Natural Beauty.

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- 171 **Stephen Farry** (North Down): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to tackle the risks to the existing honey bee population in Great Britain from the importation of honey bees from the EU via Northern Ireland. (179693)

- 172 Andrea Jenkyns (Morley and Outwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment his Department has made of the potential economic effect of banning farrowing crates on the pig farming industry.

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- 173 Andrea Jenkyns (Morley and Outwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether his Department has plans to diverge from EU standards to pursue higher animal welfare standards for the pig farming industry.

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- 174 Sarah Jones (Croydon Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, with reference to the Government's commitment to increase tree planting across the UK to 30,000 hectares per year by 2025 set out in the England Tree Strategy consultation document published in June 2020, how many trees have been planted to date; whether those trees are (a) whips or (b) adult trees; where he plans to plant trees in the future; whether he plans to plant trees in Croydon; who will be responsible for maintaining those trees; and which Minister is accountable for that programme.
- 175 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of banning the export of (a) Gramoxone and (b) other paraquat based herbicides. (178627)
- 176 **Neil Parish** (Tiverton and Honiton): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he is taking to improve governance of organic certification.

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- 177 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of extending the date beyond 5 April 2021 on which Avian flu restrictions end for farmers and smallholders. (178580)
- 178 Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the extent of trail hunting on privately-owned land; and if he will make a statement. (178570)
- 179 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, when he plans to publish the results of his Department's Water conservation: measures to reduce personal water use consultation that concluded in October 2019. (179529)
- 180 Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what plans he has to introduce a personal water consumption target for consumers based on (a) the amount abstracted for supply or (b) per capita consumption. (178715)

- 181 Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of introducing a mandatory water efficiency label on all water consuming products. (179530)
- 182 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will remove restrictions to permit water companies to roll out universal water metering to areas beyond those designated as areas of serious water stress. (178717)
- Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 19 March 2021 given to Question 167317, which 10 fisheries have had the highest rates of (a) dolphin, (b) porpoise and (c) whale bycatch in each year since 2010 to date. (179534)
- Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 19 March 2021 to Question 167317, what assessment he has made of the (a) adequacy and (b) accuracy of the population level assessments of porpoise and dolphins upon which the assessments he refers to in his Answer are made. (179535)
- 185 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to help tackle the overbreeding of (a) pugs, (b) French bulldogs and (c) other dog breeds. (178886)
- 186 **Mr Barry Sheerman** (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what support his Department is providing to organisations that aim to tackle food (a) waste and (b) poverty in West Yorkshire. (178814)
- 187 **Mr Barry Sheerman** (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he is taking to protect the wild badger population in England. (178815)
- 188 **Mr Barry Sheerman** (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to reduce overfishing in UK waters. (178816)
- 189 **Tulip Siddiq** (Hampstead and Kilburn): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of (a) regulating the number of animals that can be slaughtered without being stunned and (b) banning the export of meat from animals that have not been stunned before slaughter. (179311)
- 190 **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent assessment his Department has made of the risk to the marine environment from the clearance of unexploded ordnance; and what steps his Department is taking to mitigate that risk. (179095)

- 191 **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to reduce the use of animals in scientific experiments through promoting investment in human-relevant life sciences. (179096)
- 192 **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent assessment his Department has made of the animal welfare evidence for prohibiting the use of whips during horseracing. (179097)
- 193 Zarah Sultana (Coventry South): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment,
 Food and Rural Affairs, if his Department will assess the potential merits of
 implementing a deposit return scheme that includes containers of all sizes earlier
 than 2023. (179615)
- 194 Theresa Villiers (Chipping Barnet): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much funding his Department has allocated to Keep Britain Tidy in each of the last five years. (178625)
- 195 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what estimate she has made of the cost to the UK frozen food industry of tariffs applied to frozen fruit imported from Serbia as a result of the UK not yet having a trade deal with that country. (179574)
- 196 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what her planned timescale is for concluding a trade deal with Serbia. (179575)
- 197 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, when she plans to respond to the letter dated 12 February 2021 from the hon. Member for West Lancashire on access to seed potato markets, reference ZA55507.
- 198 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, when she plans to respond to the letter dated 12 February 2021 from the hon. Member for West Lancashire, reference ZA55555, regarding delays to international purchasing and business imports. (178947)
- 199 **Dr Luke Evans** (Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what steps she is taking to build (a) international and (b) domestic consumer awareness of non-food and drink products made in the UK. (178555)
- 200 Andrea Jenkyns (Morley and Outwood): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that the members nominated for the Trade and Agriculture Commission have (a) science-led animal welfare expertise and (b) practical commercial experience in farming to high welfare standards.

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- 201 Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what assessment her Department has made of the reasons for the decrease in the export to the EU of (a) whisky, (b) cheese and (c) beef; and what steps her Department will take to tackle the decline in sales of those products to the EU.
- 202 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what the cost to the public purse has been of each Trade Envoy since their appointment, to date. (178681)
- 203 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what estimate she has made of the accumulated investment results achieved by each Trade Envoy. (178683)
- 204 **Greg Smith** (Buckingham): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, if officials in her Department will continue to work with representatives of the employee relocation sector to maximise opportunities to attract inward investment by exploring options to give the UK a competitive advantage over other prospective destinations; and if she will make a statement. (179595)
- 205 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, how much funding has been allocated for the costs of moving her Department into the Old Admiralty Building. (178916)
- 206 Emily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, if she will publish the business case for moving her Department into the Old Admiralty Building. (178917)
- 207 Emily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, when and for what reason her responsibilities for chairing the Ministerial Committee on the Government's GREAT campaign were transferred to the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster. (178918)
- 208 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what (a) staff, (b) budget and (c) other resources have been transferred from her Department to the Cabinet Office alongside the transfer of Ministerial responsibility for the Government's GREAT campaign. (178919)
- 209 Emily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what (a) line management and (b) contract management responsibilities have been transferred from her Department to the Cabinet Office alongside the transfer of Ministerial responsibility for the Government's GREAT campaign.
- 210 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, who in Government has responsibility for consulting business and other external stakeholders on the effective promotion of the UK's exports and export industries through the Government's GREAT campaign. (178921)

- 211 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, which issues in (a) trade policy and (b) ongoing trade negotiations require the coordination of cross-Government positions with the support of the Minister of State in the Cabinet Office, Lord Frost. (178923)
- 212 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what support her Department receives from the Minister of State in the Cabinet Office, Lord Frost, for the coordination of cross-Government positions on trade issues. (178924)
- 213 Emily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, for what reason the decision was taken to give responsibility to the Minister of State in the Cabinet Office, Lord Frost, for supporting the coordination of cross-Government positions on trade issues; and when that decision was taken.

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- 214 Emily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, whether (a) staff, (b) budget and (c) other resources have been transferred from her Department to the Cabinet Office to enable that department to provide support on the coordination of cross-Government positions on trade issues.
- 215 Emily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, whether the business case for her Department's move to the Old Admiralty Building was prepared (a) before or (b) after the decisions to (a) transfer her ministerial responsibilities for the GREAT campaign to the Cabinet Office and (b) provide her Department with support from the Cabinet Office on the coordination of cross-Government positions on trade issues. (178927)
- 216 **Daniel Zeichner** (Cambridge): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, when she plans to lay before Parliament an impact assessment of the proposed free trade agreement with Australia as per clause 42 of the Agriculture Act 2020.

 (179164)
- 217 **Hilary Benn** (Leeds Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what representations he has received from UK citizens living in France on the problems that those citizens are encountering in exchanging a UK driving licence for a local driving licence; and if he will make a statement. (178819)
- 218 **Ben Bradley** (Mansfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether applications made to the Pinch Points Fund will be automatically resubmitted to the Levelling Up Fund. (179490)
- 219 **Dr Lisa Cameron** (East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps his Department is taking to reduce the backlog of drivers that are waiting to take a practical driving test as quickly as possible. (179186)

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- 221 Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 25 March 2021 to Question 170712 on Railways: Electrification, if he will publish details of the 212km of line(s) electrified in 2019-20 in Wales. (178610)
- 222 Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 25 March 2021 to Question 170712 on Railways: Electrification, if he will publish details of the 554km of line(s) electrified in England in 2018-19. (178612)
- 223 Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 25 March 2021 to Question 170712 on Railways: Electrification, if he will publish details of the 291km of line(s) electrified in England in 2017-18. (178613)
- 224 Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 25 March 2021 to Question 170712, if he will publish details of the 7km of line(s) electrified in England in 2015-16. (178616)
- 225 Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 25 March 2021 to Question 170712 on Railways: Electrification, if he will publish details of the 89km of line(s) electrified in England in 2014-15. (178618)
- 226 Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 25 March 2021 to Question 170712 on Railways: Electrification, if he will publish details of the 61km of line(s) electrified in England in 2013-14. (178621)
- 227 Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 25 March 2021 to Question 170712 on Railways: Electrification, for what reason there was no electrification of lines in England in 2016-17. (178622)
- 228 Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 25 March 2021 to Question 170712, for what reason there was no electrification of railway lines in England in 2012-13. (178623)
- 229 Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 25 March 2021 to Question 170712, for what reason there was no electrification of lines in Wales between 2012 and 2019. (178626)
- 230 Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent discussions has he had with representatives of rail operating companies on the implementation of flexible season tickets. (179383)

- **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what discussions he has had with rail operators on their planned timetable changes, following the reduction of services in response to covid-19 guidance. (179384)
- **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what information Network Rail holds on the number of agency staff working on railway infrastructure contracts let by Network Rail. (179390)
- **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what information (a) he or (b) Network Rail holds on the number of staff on zero hours contracts working on railway infrastructure contracts let by Network Rail.

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- **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to the Prior Information Notice issued on 31 March 2021, for what reasons his Department is planning to give a direct award of 10 years to run the West Coast Main Line franchise from 1 April 2022, rather than the six years it had anticipated in the Prior Information Notice issued in November 2020. (179392)
- **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many rail workers hold personal track safety tickets allowing them to work on mainline railway infrastructure. (179393)
- **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, for what reasons he is seeking to give a direct award to operate the West Coast Main Line franchise from 1 April 2022 instead of taking control of its operations via the Operator of Last Resort. (179394)
- **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much funding he has provided for rail renewals contracts let by Network Rail in the last five years. (179395)
- **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what estimate he has made of the level of annual subsidy that will be paid to the operator of the West Coast Main Line from 1 April 2022. (179396)
- **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what information (a) his Department or (b) Network Rail holds on the spend on contracts let by Network Rail which use workers on zero hours contracts, in the last five years.

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- **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, for what reasons he is seeking to obtain a direct award for the West Coast Main Line franchise from 1 April 2022; and what comparative assessment he has made of the potential merits of (a) that approach and (b) a franchise competition exercise.

Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of the value for money of a direct award for ten years for the operation of the West Coast Main Line franchise from 1 April 2022.

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- **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what the (a) internal rate of return and (b) profit margin has been for rail renewal contracts let by Network Rail in each of the last five years. (179400)
- **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much Network Rail has spent on agency contracts in each of the last five years. (179401)
- **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to his Department's notice entitled West Coast Partnership: prior information notice published on 31 March 2021, what management fee the operator of the West Coast Main Line will receive under the anticipated direct award from 1 April 2022. (179402)
- Jonathan Edwards (Carmarthen East and Dinefwr): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what representations he has received from the Welsh Government in support of the proposal for a West Wales Parkway station near Swansea for the South Wales Mainline. (179010)
- **Dr Luke Evans** (Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps he plans to take to ensure that projects, such as Strategic Rail Freight Interchanges approved as National Significant Infrastructure Projects meet project projections after operations commence. (178539)
- **Dr Luke Evans** (Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps his Department is taking to assess proposals for Strategic Rail Freight Interchanges; and what criteria is used to ensure that those projects meet stated objectives.

 (178549)
- 248 Lilian Greenwood (Nottingham South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether his Department's forthcoming decarbonisation strategy will include carbon reduction targets for the (a) aviation and (b) shipping sectors. (179056)
- **Stephen Hammond** (Wimbledon): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to the National Bus Strategy, what cost-benefit analysis his Department has undertaken on the value of (a) bus franchising and (b) enhanced partnerships.

 [R] (178668)
- **Stephen Hammond** (Wimbledon): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment his Department has made of the change in bus patronage as a result of bus franchising and enhanced partnerships compared to operation of the deregulated bus market.

 [R] (178965)

- **Stephen Hammond** (Wimbledon): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what criteria his Department plans to use to define model networks in the National Bus Strategy.

 [R] (178672)
- **Stephen Hammond** (Wimbledon): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what the definition is of socially necessary networks in the National Bus Strategy. [R] (178966)
- **Stephen Hammond** (Wimbledon): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether he has plans to bring forward legislative proposals to provide statutory backing to the policy proposals in the National Bus Strategy. [R] (178967)
- **Stephen Hammond** (Wimbledon): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether the funding identified in the National Bus Strategy is dependant on a local transport authority committing to either a franchise or an enhanced partnership arrangement for the provision of their bus services. [R] (178968)
- **Stephen Hammond** (Wimbledon): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what plans he has to make funding for buses available beyond the £3 billion worth of funding set out in the National Bus Strategy.

 [R] (178674)
- Stephen Hammond (Wimbledon): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether it is mandatory for every combined authority and local transport authority to commit to a franchise or an enhanced partnership arrangement for the provision of their bus services by the end of June 2021. [R] (178676)
- **Stephen Hammond** (Wimbledon): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether a private bus operator will be permitted to provide bus services outside of an enhanced partnership arrangement as proposed in the National Bus Strategy in the event that that operator is willing to forego any form of public subsidy for the provision of those bus services.
- **Stephen Hammond** (Wimbledon): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether he has plans to bring forward legislative proposals to amend the provisions of the Bus Services Act 2017. [R] (178970)
- **Stephen Hammond** (Wimbledon): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will provide a progress report to Parliament on the work of his Department's Transport Acceleration Unit.

 [R] (178680)
- **Stephen Hammond** (Wimbledon): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what proposals his Department's Transport Acceleration Unit has put forward to accelerate the delivery of transport infrastructure projects. [R] (178971)
- **Stephen Hammond** (Wimbledon): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, when he plans to publish the outcomes of the Williams Rail Review. [R] (178972)
- **Mrs Sharon Hodgson** (Washington and Sunderland West): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps he is taking to ensure that the North East receives equitable investment as part of the Integrated Rail Plan; and what steps he is

- taking to ensure that (a) Tyne and Wear Metro can maintain services as passenger levels remain affected by the covid-19 outbreak and (b) the Leamside rail line is re-opened. (178564)
- 263 **Mrs Sharon Hodgson** (Washington and Sunderland West): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what plans his Department has for the long-term capacity of the East Coast Main Line between Berwick and Northallerton. (178909)
- 264 **Mrs Sharon Hodgson** (Washington and Sunderland West): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of the economic benefits of High Speed Two for Wearside; and what funding his Department plans to allocate for rail in Wearside. (178910)
- of State for Transport, with reference to the oral contribution of the Minister of State of 17 March 2021, Official Report, column 446, what transport infrastructure has been considered for (a) Tyne and Wear and (b) Durham. (178911)
- 266 **Kim Johnson** (Liverpool, Riverside): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what discussions he has had with representatives of the Isle of Man Government on the potential effect of the Liverpool City Region Freeport on infrastructure projects affecting Isle of Man Steam Packet services between Liverpool and the Isle of Man; and if he will make a statement. (178671)
- 267 **Kim Johnson** (Liverpool, Riverside): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will make an assessment of the potential effect of the Liverpool City Region Freeport on existing (a) road, (b) rail and (c) ports infrastructure. (178673)
- 268 Darren Jones (Bristol North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps his Department is taking to enable parents whose children live in the UK and another country to see those children during the covid-19 pandemic. (178746)
- 269 **Darren Jones** (Bristol North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether his Department has plans to issue guidance to enable parents to hand over children that live between two parents in separate countries in an airport before returning to their own country during covid-19 travel restrictions. (179364)
- 270 John Lamont (Berwickshire, Roxburgh and Selkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what discussions he has had with his counterpart in the Scottish Government on the easing of domestic travel restrictions during the covid-19 outbreak.
 (179351)
- 271 Clive Lewis (Norwich South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to the Global Travel Taskforce report to the Prime Minister on international travel of 12 April 2021, whether the report or its findings or recommendations will be published; and when the Global Travel Taskforce will next report after that.

- 272 **Rebecca Long Bailey** (Salford and Eccles): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether humanitarian aid work and volunteering qualify for exemptions from covid-19 travel restrictions; and if he will update the online Government guidance on travel to clarify what travel restrictions apply to humanitarian aid work and volunteering. (179179)
- 273 **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what progress the UK has made towards meeting the 2018 International Maritime Organisation target of halving shipping emissions by 2050. (178901)
- 274 Ian Mearns (Gateshead): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of the effect Highways England's policy to infill bridges which spanned railway lines using permitted development powers on the Government's policy to (a) increase walking and cycle routes and (b) reinstate disused railway lines.
- 275 **Stephanie Peacock** (Barnsley East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps he is taking to support businesses to electrify their road delivery fleet.

 (179350)
- 276 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what plans the Government has to ensure the affordability of bus fares in rural areas. (179537)
- 277 **Mr Virendra Sharma** (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether he plans to require people seeking to board international flights to provide a negative covid-19 test. (178988)
- 278 Sam Tarry (Ilford South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to the RSSB report, Covid Transmission Rates on Rail, published in August 2020, what recent assessment his Department has made of the level of covid-19 transmission on rail journeys. (179666)
- 279 Sam Tarry (Ilford South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what plans the Government has to bring forward the end date for his Department's competition to select areas for bus orders so that the necessary infrastructure can be built.

 (179667)
- 280 Sam Tarry (Ilford South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what plans the Government has to purchase the remaining 3,200 zero-emission buses in the 2021-22 financial year. (179668)
- 281 Sam Tarry (Ilford South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many of the new zero emission buses will be manufactured in the UK. (179669)
- 282 **Sam Tarry** (Ilford South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many of the new zero emission buses will be manufactured overseas. (179670)

- **Sam Tarry** (Ilford South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what the average time taken is from the announcement of previous Government funding rounds for zero-emission buses to those buses being available to operators to run services.

 (179671)
- 284 Sam Tarry (Ilford South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, by what date orders should be placed to ensure the delivery of 4,000 zero emission buses by 2025.
 (179672)
- **Christian Wakeford** (Bury South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what plans his Department has to reduce overall travel through the upcoming Transport Decarbonisation Plan. (179736)
- **Christian Wakeford** (Bury South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether the upcoming Transport Decarbonisation Plan will set out quantified emissions reductions pathways for decarbonising the transport sector. (179737)
- **Christian Wakeford** (Bury South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment his Department has made of the (a) economic and (b) employment benefits of the policies which will be set out in the Transport Decarbonisation Plan. (179738)
- 288 Catherine West (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether procedures are in place to ensure that all airlines have up-to-date lists of approved providers for day two and day eight covid-19 testing for travel.

 (179316)
- Hilary Benn (Leeds Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many personal independence payment renewal assessment cases were awaiting consideration in Leeds Central constituency on 1 January in each of the last five years; and if she will make a statement. (178823)
- **Paul Blomfield** (Sheffield Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, for what reason rapid response funding does not cover retraining for those who have been made redundant. (179078)
- **Mr Ben Bradshaw** (Exeter): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what recent estimate she has made of the number of employees with epilepsy working in Government departments. (178748)
- **Mr Ben Bradshaw** (Exeter): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what recent estimate she has made of the number of companies that are signed up to the Disability Confident Scheme; and what assessment she has made of the effect of that scheme on employment rates for disabled people. (178784)
- **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many universal credit claims were made by people who were both homeless and in receipt of severe disability premium in 2017. (179166)

- **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many universal credit claims were made by people who were both homeless and in receipt of severe disability premiums in January 2017. (179167)
- Pensions, pursuant to the Answer of 8 March 2021 to Question 162619, o Funeral Payments, what assessment she has made of the reasons for the rejection of 47 per cent of applications for the funeral expenses payment in January 2021. (178930)
- **Neil Coyle** (Bermondsey and Old Southwark): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment her Department has made of the effect of the (a) benefit cap and (b) two child limit on people fleeing domestic abuse. (179157)
- **Jack Dromey** (Birmingham, Erdington): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether the reciprocal pension rights of UK and Belgian nationals who have yet to reach state retirement age, which were accrued in Belgium or in the UK before the end of the transition period, are the subject of bilateral negotiations towards agreement between the UK and Belgium. (178992)
- **Jack Dromey** (Birmingham, Erdington): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether the Government has entered into negotiations with the Belgian Government to ensure the continued state pension rights of UK nationals who have paid into the Belgian state pension system. (178993)
- **Jack Dromey** (Birmingham, Erdington): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what the Government's policy is on UK nationals' access to accrued state pension entitlements in the event that a reciprocal bilateral agreement on state pension entitlements is not agreed with Belgium; and which Minister is responsible for that policy. (178994)
- 300 Jack Dromey (Birmingham, Erdington): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether the UK-EU Trade and Cooperation Agreement, and its integrated social security protocol, provides for UK nationals who worked and accrued state pension entitlements in Belgium before 1 January 2021, but have not reached state pension age, to maintain their state pension rights accrued in Belgium payable on the date they would be eligible for state pension under the Belgian system, including with any indexation increases.
- **Dr Luke Evans** (Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps he is taking to consult (a) people with disabilities and (b) representative groups on any developments of her Department's strategic objectives following the covid-19 outbreak. (178551)
- **Stephen Farry** (North Down): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps she is taking to ensure that pregnant women are not disadvantaged when changing jobs with respect to statutory maternity pay. (179694)

- Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps her Department is taking to implement the Court of Appeal's decision in the case of R (TD & Ors) v Secretary of State for Work And Pensions [2020] EWCA Civ 618.
- 304 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many claimants of (a) New Style and (b) contribution-based Employment and Support Allowance are in the assessment phase; and of those claimants how many are awaiting a face-to-face assessment. (179282)
- 305 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, since March 2020, how many claimants of (a) New Style and (b) contribution-based Employment and Support Allowance have been in the assessment phase when their payments stopped at the end of 365 days since March 2020.
- 306 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps her Department is taking to ensure that the Restart employment scheme is fully accessible for disabled people. (179284)
- 307 **Vicky Foxcroft** (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many and what proportion of Kickstart candidates are disabled. (179285)
- 308 **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to the Office for National Statistics' labour market statistics data published in February 2021, what steps she is taking to tackle the disproportionate rise in unemployment among (a) Black African, (b) Black Caribbean and (c) Black British people compared to white people in the UK from 2019 to 2020.
- 309 **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what recent assessment she has made of the effect of providing 15 hours free childcare for three and four year olds to people who are out of work on the ability of unemployed people with children to find work; and what comparative assessment she has made of the effect of (a) that policy and (b) the provision of 30 hours free childcare for people who are in work on levels of educational attainment of the children of households with (i) higher and (ii) lower rates of unemployment.
- 310 Andrew Gwynne (Denton and Reddish): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps her Department is taking to increase the number of people with epilepsy entering employment. (178586)
- 311 **Sajid Javid** (Bromsgrove): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what support she is providing to Bromsgrove Jobs Centre to help unemployed people in Bromsgrove District. (179012)

- 312 **Peter Kyle** (Hove): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether she has plans to reform benefits payments in order to protect recipients with complex needs from criminal exploitation. (179299)
- Shabana Mahmood (Birmingham, Ladywood): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many benefit fraud referrals by Local Authorities were (a) made to her Department, (b) rejected by her Department, (c) accepted by her Department, and (d) awaiting a decision by her Department on tenants in Supported Accommodation Units in each of the last 3 years in each local authority area.
- 314 **Alison McGovern** (Wirral South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many Kickstart scheme jobs have been (a) approved and (b) started in each region. (179100)
- 315 **Layla Moran** (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what estimate she has made of the number of companies that have received workplace inspections in respect of covid-19 from the Health and Safety Executive to date.

 (179465)
- 316 **Jessica Morden** (Newport East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what the (a) average and (b) longest waiting times were for Independent Case Examiner decisions in (i) 2018, (ii) 2019 and (iii) 2020. (178958)
- Jessica Morden (Newport East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what the average time was for a complaint submitted to her Department for the (a) case to be assigned to an Independent Case Examiner, (b) investigation to commence and (c) decision to be provided to the complainant in the most recent period for which figures are available. (178556)
- 318 Caroline Nokes (Romsey and Southampton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many people under the age of 25 were refused Discretionary Housing Payment (a) nationally and (b) in each Local Authority area in (i) 2019 and (ii) 2020. (179064)
- 319 Caroline Nokes (Romsey and Southampton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what plans she has to review the universal credit rate for young people who live alone.

 (179065)
- 320 Caroline Nokes (Romsey and Southampton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what recent assessment she has made of the potential merits of making people under the age of 25 living in supported accommodation eligible for the work allowance under universal credit. (179066)
- 321 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of recognising long covid as a disability. (179050)

- Jonathan Reynolds (Stalybridge and Hyde): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to her Department's Official Statistics entitled Benefit sanctions statistics to October 2020 (experimental), published on 23 February 2021, what assessment her Department has made of the effect of the reduction in the use of benefit sanctions since March 2020 on the mental health of social security benefit claimants in that time period. (179104)
- Jonathan Reynolds (Stalybridge and Hyde): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to her Department's Official Statistics entitled Benefit sanctions statistics to October 2020 (experimental), published on 23 February 2021, what assessment her Department has made of the effect of the reduction in the use of benefit sanctions since March 2020 on trends in the number of social security benefit claimants seeking help from food banks in that time period.
- Jonathan Reynolds (Stalybridge and Hyde): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to her Department's Official Statistics entitled Benefit sanctions statistics to October 2020 (experimental), published on 23 February 2021, what assessment her Department has made of the effect of the reduction in the use of benefit sanctions since March 2020 on social security benefit claimants' (a) work search activity and (b) willingness to take up employment in that time period.
- Jonathan Reynolds (Stalybridge and Hyde): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to her Department's Official Statistics entitled Benefit sanctions statistics to October 2020 (experimental), published on 23 February 2021, what plans her Department has to conduct a full evaluation of the lessons that can be learnt from the period of running the social security system with little use of such sanctions.
- Jonathan Reynolds (Stalybridge and Hyde): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to her Department's Official Statistics entitled Benefit sanctions statistics to October 2020 (experimental), published on 23 February 2021, how many and what proportion of the 4,628 universal credit claimants under sanction in November 2020 had been continuously under such sanctions for more than seven months.
- 327 Alex Sobel (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what the average timescale is for a personal independence payment applicant to receive an assessment for (a) a new applications and (b) a renewal claim.

 (179488)
- 328 Chris Stephens (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many people are repaying overpayments of carer's allowance; and what the total value being repaid is.

 (179232)

- 329 Zarah Sultana (Coventry South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether the Government plans to apply the EU Directive 2019/130 on the protection of workers from the risks related to exposure to carcinogens or mutagens from February 2023.
 (179606)
- 330 Imran Ahmad Khan (Wakefield): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the need for routine lateral flow and PCR covid-19 testing in homeless accommodation settings. (179681)
- 331 **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to help tackle the high suicide rate among people with bipolar disorder. (179324)
- Or Rosena Allin-Khan (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will publish a breakdown of spending before 31 March 2021 under the £1.4 billion Future in Mind strategy. (179325)
- 333 **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of funding mental health support for ICU survivors to ensure they can be emotionally supported through rehabilitation. (179326)
- Or Rosena Allin-Khan (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans he has to increase access to mental health support services for ICU survivors; and whether he has assessed the potential merits of working with local authorities and local health services to help ICU survivors' rehabilitation via peer support groups.
- 335 **Stuart Anderson** (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to Public Health England's, Health Matters: Prevention A Life Course Approach, published in May 2019, what steps his Department is taking to promote regular (a) physical and (b) mental exercise. (178565)
- 336 Hilary Benn (Leeds Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether NHS patients have access to Transcranial Magnetic Resonance Guided Focused Ultrasound (TcMRgFUS) for the treatment of medication refractory Essential Tremor (ET) in (a) Leeds and (b) the North of England; and if he will make a statement.
- 337 **Hilary Benn** (Leeds Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans he has to reduce the cost of covid-19 home test kits for travellers entering the UK. (178824)
- 338 Hilary Benn (Leeds Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether NHS England will continue to fund BSL Health Access; and if he will make a statement.

 (178825)

- **Paul Blomfield** (Sheffield Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 12 March 2021 to Question 158991 on Coronavirus: Vaccination, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of prioritising special school staff for receipt of covid-19 vaccines. (179068)
- **Paul Blomfield** (Sheffield Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department has undertaken an assessment of the potential effect on (a) the gambling industry and (b) gamblers of that industry taking a self-regulatory approach to gambling addition. (179072)
- **Paul Blomfield** (Sheffield Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the stock level of rapid lateral flow covid-19 tests is; and how many of those tests are needed to provide for twice weekly rapid lateral flow testing for all people in England. (179075)
- **Ben Bradley** (Mansfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans his Department has to ensure opportunities for parliamentary scrutiny of the proposed restrictions on the (a) promotion and placement of products that are high in fat, salt and sugar that will be introduced as secondary legislation under the Food Safety Act 1990 and (b) advertising of those products that will be introduced in the Health and Care Bill. (179491)
- **Ben Bradley** (Mansfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to his Department's Tackling obesity strategy published in July 2020, for what reason restrictions on the promotion and placement of products that are high in fat, salt and sugar proposed in that strategy are (a) set out separately from the proposed restrictions on advertising of those products and (b) not contained in the Health and Care Bill.
- **Mr Ben Bradshaw** (Exeter): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to issue guidance on the mental health needs of children and young people with epilepsy to (a) schools, (b) colleges and (c) universities. (178740)
- **Mr Ben Bradshaw** (Exeter): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when his Department plans to publish data on epilepsy deaths in 2020. (178742)
- **Mr Ben Bradshaw** (Exeter): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will support the implementation of the recommendations on epilepsy in the reports by the Learning Disability Mortality Review (LeDeR) and MBRRACE to help speed up the prevention of avoidable epilepsy deaths. (178744)
- **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what impact assessment his Department undertook on the removal of ear wax syringing as a core NHS service. (179165)
- **Dr Lisa Cameron** (East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the finding in the report published in December 2020 by NHS Digital, entitled Health Survey for England

- 2019 Eating Disorders, that 16 per cent of adults screened positive for a possible eating disorder, what steps his Department is taking to (a) reduce waiting lists for adult eating disorders services and (b) ensure that provision of those services is prioritised following the covid-19 outbreak. (179185)
- 349 **Sir Alan Campbell** (Tynemouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department has plans to introduce mandatory covid-19 vaccinations for NHS workers. (178836)
- 350 **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential effect on staffing levels of the changes to the registration fees for the Health and Care Professions Council from July 2021.
- 351 Dan Carden (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department has plans to increase statutory funding for clinical palliative care services provided by independent hospices. (179430)
- 352 **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the adequacy of levels of statutory funding for palliative care services provided by independent hospices for meeting projected future demand for those services. (179431)
- 353 **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will commit to an urgent review into the level of statutory funding required for palliative care provided by independent hospices to ensure that those hospices can continue to provide care in the medium term. (179432)
- 354 **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the level of projected future demand for clinical palliative care services; and whether his Department has plans to increase funding to meet that future demand. (179433)
- Sarah Champion (Rotherham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether the (a) sexual and reproductive health strategy and (b) women's health strategy will include provisions for creating a central hub of accessible information for patients on menstrual health and other women-specific health concerns.
- Sarah Champion (Rotherham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether the (a) sexual and reproductive health strategy and (b) women's health strategy will include provisions to improve clinical awareness of heavy menstrual bleeding and associated diagnostics and treatments as recommended by the Menstrual Health Coalition's report Heavy Menstrual Bleeding breaking silence and stigma, published in March 2020. (179129)

- Sarah Champion (Rotherham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the effect of split commissioning on the effectiveness of women's health services in England; and whether he plans to recommend changes to the current system through the forthcoming women's health strategy.

 (179130)
- 358 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to (a) increase pay and (b) improve working conditions in the social care sector. (179648)
- Rosie Cooper (West Lancashire): 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 dementia research; and if he will make a statement. (178931)
- Rosie Cooper (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment he has made of the potential merits of extending the funding for BSL Health Access; and if he will make a statement. (178932)
- 361 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure that deaf British Sign Language users have access to be able to communicate with health providers 24 hours per day, seven days a week.
- Rosie Cooper (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure that covid-19 (a) testing and (b) vaccination services are accessible for deaf British Sign Language users in the context that the wearing of personal protective equipment by the people providing those services makes lipreading impossible.
- Rosie Cooper (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to respond to the letter dated 4 December 2020 from the hon. Member for West Lancashire, reference ZA54741, regarding a constituent's covid-19 test and personal data; and if he will assist that constituent in seeking a response from the head of NHS Test and Trace to a letter of the same reference number.
- 364 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to respond to the letter dated 11 December 2020 from the hon. Member for West Lancashire, reference ZA54827, regarding the Government's £500 covid-19 self-isolation grant. (178939)
- Rosie Cooper (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he intends to respond to the letter dated 8 January 2021 from the hon. Member for West Lancashire, reference ZA55025, regarding a constituent's covid-19 vaccine grouping. (178940)

- 366 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to respond to the letter dated 25 January 2021 from the hon. Member for West Lancashire on the rollout of the covid-19 vaccine, reference ZA55223.
- 367 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to respond to the letter dated 25 January 2021 from the hon.

 Member for West Lancashire on the rollout of the covid-19 vaccine, reference ZA55246.
- 368 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to respond to the letter from the hon. Member for West Lancashire dated 29 January on a constituent's vaccine grouping, reference ZA55328.
- Rosie Cooper (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to respond to the letter from the hon. Member for West Lancashire of 11 November 2020 on dementia, reference ZA54485. (178950)
- 370 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to respond to the letter from the hon. Member for West Lancashire of 27 October 2020 on Nightingale hospitals, reference ZA54243. (178955)
- 371 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to respond to the letter from the hon. Member for West Lancashire of 20 November 2020 on isolation payments, reference ZA54482. (178956)
- 372 **Janet Daby** (Lewisham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will prioritise police officers for the covid-19 vaccine. (179540)
- 373 Janet Daby (Lewisham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to GP surgeries' role in delivering the flu vaccine, f his Department will make an assessment of the potential merits of prioritising GP surgeries to provide the covid-19 vaccine over 24-hour vaccination centres specially-created. (179541)
- Philip Davies (Shipley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many patients were admitted from the community into NHS hospitals specifically for the treatment of covid-19 symptoms, as opposed to being discovered to be infected after admission, from 1 March 2020 to 1 August 2020; and of those so admitted, how many were (i) admitted from a care home and (ii) readmitted after prior discharge from hospital with a covid-19 diagnosis. (178961)
- 375 Marsha De Cordova (Battersea): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he plans to take steps to guarantee that people without NHS numbers have access to a covid-19 vaccination. (178595)

- 376 Marsha De Cordova (Battersea): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to promote NHS England guidance for GPs, vaccination centres and health trusts on vaccinating people without an NHS number.
- **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, for what reasons life expectancy decreased from 2010 to 2018 in the most deprived regions of England; and what steps he is taking to reduce the increasing gap in life expectancy between England's most deprived and least deprived regions. (179386)
- **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many requests the quarantine exemptions team receives on average each day; what proportion of those requests relate to (a) seeing dying relatives and (b) funerals; whether requests for exemption are triaged based on urgency; and what the average time taken is to consider and decide requests. (179388)
- **Allan Dorans** (Ayr, Carrick and Cumnock): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he plans to extend compensation to (a) immediate family members and (b) others affected by the contaminated blood scandal. (179552)
- **Barry Gardiner** (Brent North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what measures his Department has put in place for healthcare workers who are shielding from covid-19 and unable to complete their three year nursing revalidation. (178764)
- **Barry Gardiner** (Brent North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what mental health support he is providing to NHS workers who are treating covid-19 patients. (178766)
- **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate he has made of the number of NHS dental patients who have had to secure (a) services and (b) treatments from private providers because it was unavailable from their NHS provider in the most recent period for which figures are available.
- **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the availability of treatments for severe periodontitis, including x-rays and other auxiliary support on the NHS. (179344)
- 384 Mary Glindon (North Tyneside): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate he has made of the cost to the NHS of treating smoking-related illnesses in each of the past five years. (179114)
- 385 Mary Glindon (North Tyneside): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to challenge misinformation preventing long-term smokers from making the switch to less harmful alternatives as part of Vaping Awareness Month in April 2021.

- 386 Mary Glindon (North Tyneside): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the effectiveness of e-cigarettes in helping adult smokers switch to less harmful alternatives; and if his Department will promote campaigns to encourage long-term smokers to switch to vaping.

 (179118)
- Andrew Griffith (Arundel and South Downs): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many people admitted to hospital with covid-19
 (a) had not received a covid-19 vaccination, (b) had received a single covid-19 vaccination and (c) had received both vaccinations.
- Robert Halfon (Harlow): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, for what reason data on the uptake of Healthy Start vouchers is no longer publicly available; and what assessment he has made of the potential merits of making that data available online prior to the value of that scheme increasing in April 2021 so that local teams may assess their progress in promoting that scheme and increasing uptake.
- 389 **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of introducing mandatory covid-19 tests for people that have received fines for breaking the national covid-19 lockdown rules. (178725)
- 390 Emma Hardy (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether pregnant women are exempt from the hotel quarantine restrictions when they are travelling to the UK from a red list country for essential reasons.

 (179407)
- 391 **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the safety of travelling to hotel quarantine settings for people who are clinically extremely vulnerable.

 (179408)
- 392 Emma Hardy (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans his Department has to support disabled children and their families recover from the effects of the covid-19 outbreak. (178699)
- 393 **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to monitor the long-term effectiveness of covid-19 vaccination. (178706)
- 394 Emma Hardy (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the (a) standard of dental health and (b) potential effect on people's dental health of the ability of dental practices to de-register patients without notice leaving those patients to rely on 111 services in the event that urgent treatment is required. (179409)

- **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what guidance his Department has provided to care homes on ensuring that residents are able to receive family member visits on a regular basis as lockdown restrictions are eased during the covid-19 outbreak. (179411)
- Helen Hayes (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment has he made of the effectiveness of guidance issued by his Department to unpaid carers on how to prove eligibility for covid-19 vaccinations at vaccination centres; and what steps he is taking to ensure that unpaid carers receive clear guidance on proving eligibility in advance of vaccination appointments. (179302)
- **Mrs Sharon Hodgson** (Washington and Sunderland West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent discussions he has had with the Secretary of State for Defence on traumatic brain injuries affecting (a) serving personnel and (b) veterans. (178912)
- **Mrs Sharon Hodgson** (Washington and Sunderland West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many (a) serving personnel and (b) veterans have been diagnosed with a traumatic brain injury in the last 10 years. (178913)
- **Mrs Sharon Hodgson** (Washington and Sunderland West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 17 March 2020 to Question 157977 on Antenatal Care, what assurances he is providing to families who give birth to multiples in units in England and Wales that they will be seen by a multidisciplinary team of doctors, midwives and sonographers who are experts in twin pregnancies. (178914)
- **Kim Johnson** (Liverpool, Riverside): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department plans to take to improve housing-based social care provision for older people. (179650)
- **Kim Johnson** (Liverpool, Riverside): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what further steps officials in his Department plan to take with officials in the Ministry of Housing, Communities and Local Government to increase housing-with-care provision for older people. (179651)
- **Darren Jones** (Bristol North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, for what reason a covid-19 test for travel to France costs £219 each way when that travel is for a permitted reason, such as a family funeral. (179366)
- **Darren Jones** (Bristol North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of covid-19 vaccine prioritisation for people who are visually impaired and unable to manage social distancing in all circumstances. (179370)

- **Darren Jones** (Bristol North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department has taken to ensure equal access to covid-19 rapid testing for (a) people who are visually impaired and (b) other people who are unable to administer the tests themselves. (179371)
- **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether the Joint Biosecurity Centre will be subject to oversight by the Intelligence and Security Committee. (178716)
- **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will publish the list of bodies with whom the Joint Biosecurity Centre will be permitted to share data. (178719)
- **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether the UK Health and Security Agency will be subject to accountability through the Intelligence and Security Committee. (178729)
- **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether the UK Health and Security Agency will receive data from the Joint Biosecurity Centre. (178731)
- **Danny Kruger** (Devizes): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the recommendations of the 2019 PHE Prescribed Medicines Review, when he plans to introduce a dedicated national helpline and website to support people with prescribed drug dependence. (179700)
- **Robert Largan** (High Peak): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to respond to the letter dated 27 November 2020 from the hon. Member for High Peak, reference RL15338. (179689)
- **Robert Largan** (High Peak): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to respond to the letter dated 7 September 2020 from the hon. Member for High Peak, reference RL11063. (179690)
- **Robert Largan** (High Peak): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to respond to the letter dated 3 December 2020 from the hon. Member for High Peak, reference RL10735. (179691)
- Clive Lewis (Norwich South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment the Government has made of the potential effect of draft World Health Assembly 74 resolution on Strengthening Local Production of Medicines and Other Health Technologies to Improve Access on expanding (a) production of and (b) access to essential medicines and vaccines. (179288)
- 414 Clive Lewis (Norwich South): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether the UK Government supports
 referencing the role of the COVID-19 Technology Access Pool in the draft World
 Health Assembly 74 resolution entitled Strengthening Local Production of
 Medicines and Other Health Technologies to Improve Access.

 (179289)

- Clive Lewis (Norwich South): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, for what reason the UK Government is
 recommending the deletion of text relating to generic competition in operative
 paragraph 2(8) of the draft World Health Assembly 74 resolution entitled
 Strengthening Local Production of Medicines and Other Health Technologies to
 Improve Access.

 (179290)
- 416 Clive Lewis (Norwich South): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to the draft World
 Health Assembly 74 resolution entitled Strengthening Local Production
 of Medicines and Other Health Technologies to Improve Access, what
 the Government's policy is on supporting an increase in covid-19 vaccine
 manufacturing capacity in developing countries; and what assessment the
 Government has made of the potential contribution that an increase in covid-19
 vaccine manufacturing capacity in developing countries might make to tackling
 the covid-19 pandemic. (179291)
- Carla Lockhart (Upper Bann): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 19 December 2017 to Question 118932 on Abortion: Childbirth and the response that information on the number of live births following termination of pregnancy is not collected centrally, how data is recorded on the number of babies born live after abortion; and if his Department will publish the data on that matter that is available.
- 418 Carla Lockhart (Upper Bann): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether medical practitioners are required to wait until 14 days have elapsed before submitting the HSA4 form following an electronic consultation to dispense home medical abortion pills or whether that form can be submitted at any point within the 14-day period of those pills having been dispensed. (178575)
- Carla Lockhart (Upper Bann): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how long a medical practitioner is required to wait before submitting an HSA4 form after dispensing medical abortion pills by post or through a clinic for patients to take at home; how complications as a result of taking those pills can be reported after an HSA4 form has already been submitted; and whether in the event that such complications are later reported there is a process in place to ensure that that HSA4 form is amended to record those complications. (178577)
- 420 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the Learning from Deaths programme, what the timeframe is for the establishment of the new board; and when the first meeting of that board will take place. (179191)
- 421 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the Learning from Deaths programme, what plans he has to undertake a national inquiry into unresolved historical cases.

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- 422 Justin Madders (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the Learning from Deaths programme, what recent assessment he has made of the independence of NHS investigation systems.
 (178663)
- Justin Madders (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the Learning from Deaths programme, what plans he has to publish updated guidance for NHS trusts. (179193)
- 424 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the Learning from Deaths programme, what plans he has to publish a new framework for investigating deaths. (178664)
- 425 Justin Madders (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 11 March 2021 to Question 162633, on Coronavirus: Screening, how many and what proportion of covid-19 tests were processed in the UK in (a) total and (b) each month since March 2020.

 (179194)

426 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the second interim bulletin published by Healthcare Safety Investigation Branch on 25 March 2021 entitled Oxygen issues during the covid-19 pandemic, what plans he has to issue guidance on the (a) role,

427 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many covid-19 mobile testing units are operating in England. (179196)

(b) function and (c) key attendees of medical gas committees.

- 428 Justin Madders (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans he has to extend the notice made under Regulation 3(4) of the Health Service (Control of Patient Information) Regulations 2002 (COPI) requiring NHS Digital to share confidential patient information for purposes relating to the outbreak of covid-19 beyond September 2021. (179197)
- 429 **Stuart C McDonald** (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to (a) monitor the quality of (i) accommodation and (ii) food provided to people and families and (b) promote the welfare of children required to quarantine in hotels during the covid-19 outbreak. (179173)
- 430 **John McDonnell** (Hayes and Harlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to address any failure of companies required to deliver covid-19 tests under the Government's quarantine procedures that fails to deliver the test. (178780)

- 431 **John McDonnell** (Hayes and Harlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure that companies listed on the Government's website as a provider of covid-19 tests under the Government's quarantine procedures are not acting in a fraudulent manner. (178781)
- 432 **John McDonnell** (Hayes and Harlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he make an urgent assessment of the quality of the provision of services provided by the company 001Doctor.uk, listed on the government's website as a provider of tests under the government's quarantine procedures. (178782)
- 433 **Ian Mearns** (Gateshead): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential effect of his Department's Tackling Obesity strategy on the prevalence, diagnosis and treatment of people with eating disorders.

 (179036)
- 434 Ian Mearns (Gateshead): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential effect of covid-19 restrictions on the prevalence of diagnosed eating disorders in the UK. (179037)
- 435 **Ian Mearns** (Gateshead): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans his Department has to increase (a) diagnosis, (b) treatment and (c) support for people suffering from eating disorders in the UK. (179038)
- 436 Ian Mearns (Gateshead): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he plans to take to (a) reduce the number of people with eating disorders and (b) tackle the stigma attached to people who suffer from conditions such as bulimia and anorexia.

 (179039)
- 437 **Layla Moran** (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether (a) he and (b) his Ministers have visited a long Covid clinic to date. (179463)
- 438 **Layla Moran** (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department has plans to set up more genome sequencing centres for the detection of covid-19 variants. (179467)
- 439 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to answer Questions 126847 and 132867 tabled by the hon.

 Member for Hendon in December 2020. (178677)
- 440 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure that people who are not registered to a GP surgery and receive private medical treatment are able to receive a covid-19 vaccine.

 (178873)
- 441 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment he has made of the potential effect of the covid-19 lockdown on the mental health of people who are caring for family members with dementia.

 (178887)

- 442 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what discussions officials in his Department have had with their Dutch counterparts on the effect of large outdoor events on the spread of covid-19 following the Back to Life pilot festival in Biddinghuizen, the Netherlands in March 2021.
- 443 Lee Rowley (North East Derbyshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment has been made has made of whether pink sputum should be part of the critical illness assessment in the NHS pathway review. (178686)
- **Dean Russell** (Watford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department has plans to support the (a) adoption and (b) spread of innovative medical technology across the NHS. (179638)
- Jim Shannon (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many people have suffered from hearing loss or tinnitus as a result of being infected with covid-19. (178598)
- **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what research is being undertaken on personalised medicine to detect genes that make people more vulnerable to strokes and heart attacks. (178606)
- **Mr Virendra Sharma** (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans the Government has to require people attending large scale events to provide a negative covid-19 test result. (178987)
- **Mr Barry Sheerman** (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure the same working conditions for NHS workers and primary care providers contracted by the NHS. (178804)
- **Mr Barry Sheerman** (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what support his Department is providing to local authorities to help people suffering from poor mental health as a result of the covid-19 outbreak. (178805)
- **Mr Barry Sheerman** (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure that covid-19 tests are available for people returning to the UK following international travel. (178806)
- **Mr Barry Sheerman** (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to support organisations that are tackling the spread of disinformation related to the roll-out of the covid-19 vaccination. (178807)
- **Tulip Siddiq** (Hampstead and Kilburn): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department has taken to procure doses of covid-19 vaccine boosters to help deliver immunity to tackle new coronavirus variants which may have greater levels of resistance to currently available covid-19 vaccines.

- **Greg Smith** (Buckingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of the all-party Parliamentary group on cerebral palsy's report, Early identification, intervention and pathways of care of infants and young children with cerebral palsy: The case for reform and investment.
- **Greg Smith** (Buckingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the all-party Parliamentary group on cerebral palsy's report, Early identification, intervention and pathways of care of infants and young children with cerebral palsy: The case for reform and investment, published March 2021, what steps he is taking to work in partnership with NHS England and devolved health bodies to develop a high-quality, standardised national surveillance programme for preterm babies and infants who are at high-risk of diagnosis of cerebral palsy. (178637)
- **Greg Smith** (Buckingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the all-party Parliamentary group on cerebral palsy's report, Early identification, intervention and pathways of care of infants and young children with cerebral palsy: The case for reform and investment, published March 2021, what steps he is taking to fund and ringfence streamlined pathways for children at risk of neurodisability. (178641)
- **Greg Smith** (Buckingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the all-party Parliamentary group on cerebral palsy's report, Early identification, intervention and pathways of care of infants and young children with cerebral palsy: The case for reform and investment, published March 2021, if his Department will establish fully mapped out, costed, and funded national care pathways, between primary care and secondary and tertiary multidisciplinary centres of excellence for children with cerebral palsy and their families.
- **Greg Smith** (Buckingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the all-party Parliamentary group on cerebral palsy's report, Early identification, intervention and pathways of care of infants and young children with cerebral palsy: The case for reform and investment, published March 2021, if his Department will take steps to ensure health authorities are required to implement the NICE Guidelines and Quality Standard as a minimum standard for the prompt referral of children with Cerebral Palsy to expert multidisciplinary teams.
- **Greg Smith** (Buckingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the all-party Parliamentary group on cerebral palsy's report, Early identification, intervention and pathways of care of infants and young children with cerebral palsy: The case for reform and investment, published March 2021, whether his Department is taking steps to ensure all care pathways include agreed and audited quality standards. (178644)

- 459 Greg Smith (Buckingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the all-party Parliamentary group on cerebral palsy's report, Early identification, intervention and pathways of care of infants and young children with cerebral palsy: The case for reform and investment, published March 2021, if he will ensure that referral-to-treatment timescales for cerebral palsy are tightened and minimised to facilitate rapid intervention at the earliest possible stage for a child.
- Greg Smith (Buckingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the all-party Parliamentary group on cerebral palsy's report, Early identification, intervention and pathways of care of infants and young children with cerebral palsy: The case for reform and investment, published March 2021, if he will ensure all families of children with cerebral palsy have access to expert services provided by the private or voluntary sectors, where there was inadequate provision or lengthy waiting times in the statutory sector for assessment and intervention.
- 461 Greg Smith (Buckingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the all-party Parliamentary group on cerebral palsy's report, Early identification, intervention and pathways of care of infants and young children with cerebral palsy: The case for reform and investment, published March 2021, if he will modify the Personal Child Health Records to check for signs of abnormal motor development to enable parents and health visitors to identify signs of cerebral palsy in children and enable more rapid onward referrals. (178647)
- 462 **Greg Smith** (Buckingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the all-party Parliamentary group on cerebral palsy's report, Early identification, intervention and pathways of care of infants and young children with cerebral palsy: The case for reform and investment, published March 2021, if he will provide specific training for non-specialist health professionals, including GPs, community paediatricians, health visitors and social workers to identify the early signs of cerebral palsy and associated neurodisabilities in infants.
- 463 Greg Smith (Buckingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the all-party Parliamentary group on cerebral palsy's report, Early identification, intervention and pathways of care of infants and young children with cerebral palsy: The case for reform and investment, published March 2021, if he will put in place three additional universal health visiting contacts at three to five weeks, three months and three and half years, to increase the opportunity for early detection of children with cerebral palsy and refer those with early signs to specialised care pathways.
- Greg Smith (Buckingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the all-party Parliamentary group on cerebral palsy's report, Early identification, intervention and pathways of care of infants and young children with cerebral palsy: The case for reform and investment, published March 2021, what steps he is taking to increase the size and capacity of the health visiting workforce.

- 465 Greg Smith (Buckingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the all-party Parliamentary group on cerebral palsy's report, Early identification, intervention and pathways of care of infants and young children with cerebral palsy: The case for reform and investment, published March 2021, if he will offer the health visitor workforce specialised training in identifying signs of early movement difficulty in infants to help identify those with cerebral palsy.
- 466 Greg Smith (Buckingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the all-party Parliamentary group on cerebral palsy's report, Early identification, intervention and pathways of care of infants and young children with cerebral palsy: The case for reform and investment, published March 2021, what plans he has to review how personal budgets in the Local Offer under the Children and Families Act 2014 can be used to enable access to early support for families with babies with or at risk of cerebral palsy.
- 467 **Greg Smith** (Buckingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the all-party Parliamentary group on cerebral palsy's report, Early identification, intervention and pathways of care of infants and young children with cerebral palsy: The case for reform and investment, published March 2021, what plans he has to assign each family an independent partner within their Child Development Team or from a specialist voluntary provider who is a qualified professional with knowledge of cerebral palsy and who is able to provide monitoring, in-reach, information, and support to the family, and help them to refer to and co-ordinate services.
- 468 **Greg Smith** (Buckingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the all-party Parliamentary group on cerebral palsy's report, Early identification, intervention and pathways of care of infants and young children with cerebral palsy: The case for reform and investment, published March 2021, what steps he is taking to improve systems of data collection on the incidence, diagnosis, medical history, developmental needs and outcomes of children with cerebral palsy in the UK.
- 469 Greg Smith (Buckingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the all-party Parliamentary group on cerebral palsy's report, Early identification, intervention and pathways of care of infants and young children with cerebral palsy: The case for reform and investment, published March 2021, if he will create a national cerebral palsy register. (178665)
- 470 **Greg Smith** (Buckingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much his Department has spent on advertising covid-19 restrictions. (179593)
- 471 Alex Sobel (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment his Department has made of the progress made on (a) preventing and (b) treating all types of brain tumours. (179487)

- 472 Alexander Stafford (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies on the prioritisation of covid-19 vaccines of the Joint Statement on prioritisation of COVID-19 vaccination for seafarers and aircrew by the International Civil Aviation Organization, International Labour Organization, International Maritime Organization, International Organization for Migration and World Health Organization, published on 25 March 2021 that calls on Governments to prioritise seafarers and aircrew in their national covid-19 vaccination programmes. (178583)
- 473 **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what urgent steps the Government is taking to help prevent transmission of the South African variant of covid-19 from continental Europe. (179094)
- 474 Zarah Sultana (Coventry South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the need for perinatal mental health services in light of the covid-19 outbreak. (179612)
- Zarah Sultana (Coventry South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of publishing a minimum standard of mental healthcare and support for (a) pregnant women and (b) mothers of young infants.
- 476 Zarah Sultana (Coventry South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he has taken to (a) improve care for people affected by Neurofibromatosis Type 1 (NF1) and (b) raise awareness of NF1 since the publication of the UK Rare Diseases Framework. (179614)
- 477 Sam Tarry (Ilford South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what protections his Department has put in place for key workers that travel to work and live with vulnerable people during the covid-19 outbreak. (179662)
- 478 Sam Tarry (Ilford South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what covid-19 workplace protections have been put in place for keyworkers who are travelling to and from work and are living with vulnerable people. (179665)
- 479 Sam Tarry (Ilford South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he plans to take to increase the allocation of funding from the public purse to NHS cancer services in (a) north east London and (b) England. (179673)
- 480 Sam Tarry (Ilford South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to (a) tackle the backlog of cancer screenings and (b) shorten the referral time for treatment for patients in north east London. (179674)
- 481 Gareth Thomas (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many nurses were employed by the NHS in learning disabilities care settings in each year since 2010; and if he will make a statement. (178631)

- **Gareth Thomas** (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the potential effect of the covid-19 outbreak on the ability of people with learning disabilities to receive annual health checks; and if he will make a statement. (178774)
- **Liz Twist** (Blaydon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure patients who were first made aware of their severe asthma via shielding letters received in 2020 have been seen in a specialist asthma clinic.

 (179359)
- **Liz Twist** (Blaydon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the finding by Asthma UK that one in every five severe asthma patients receive a referral, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that patients with severe asthma receive timely referrals to specialist care. (179360)
- **Liz Twist** (Blaydon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the implications for its policies of the finding in the report published in February 2021 by Demos entitled Potential Limited that people in work who suffer from uncontrolled asthma earn around £3,000 less per year than the average adult. (179361)
- 486 Liz Twist (Blaydon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the implications for its policies of the finding in the report published in February 2021 by Demos entitled Potential Limited that uncontrolled asthma is linked to a £2 billion loss each year to the economy due to lower pay. (179362)
- **Liz Twist** (Blaydon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that patients with (a) severe asthma and (b) other conditions that place them at higher risk from covid-19 are able to access new medicines; and whether his Department has plans to prioritise appraisals for those medicines for review. (179363)
- 488 Catherine West (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, for what reason his Department has removed .001 Doctor UK from the list of approved providers for day two and day eight covid-19 testing for travel; what due diligence was undertaken by his Department before providers were added to that list; and whether his Department is providing support to consumers who purchased covid-19 test packages from suppliers that are no longer recognised by the Government.
- **Craig Whittaker** (Calder Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans he has to ensure adequate opportunity for parliamentary scrutiny of (a) proposed restrictions on promotion and placement of products that are high in fat, salt and sugar, and (b) advertising restrictions on such products, in the context of the differing proposed legislative vehicles for those policies. (179006)

- 490 **Craig Whittaker** (Calder Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, for what reason his Department's Tackling obesity strategy is using a combination of both primary and secondary legislation to introduce proposed restrictions on advertising of products that are high in fat, salt and sugar, and promotion and placement of such products, respectively. (179007)
- 491 Nadia Whittome (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the efficacy of the (a) Pfizer and (b) Moderna vaccine after 12 weeks; and if he will publish those assessments. (179721)
- 492 Nadia Whittome (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the public health risks of the use of hand dryers in toilets in public venues during the covid-19 outbreak. (179725)
- 493 Nadia Whittome (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if the Government will prioritise staff in schools for children with learning difficulties for covid-19 vaccination. (179726)
- 494 James Wild (North West Norfolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many patients with (a) psoriasis and (b) atopic dermatitis were waiting longer than 18 weeks for care at the end of (i) 2018 (ii) 2019 and (iii) 2020.

 (179617)
- 495 James Wild (North West Norfolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to NHS Digital's publication on Hospital Outpatient Activity 2019-20, how many patients with (a) psoriasis and (b) atopic dermatitis attended outpatient appointments in (i) England and (ii) each commissioning region.
- 496 **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans his Department has to increase the number of clinical psychology training places beyond 2020-21. (179581)
- 497 **Nickie Aiken** (Cities of London and Westminster): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether the Government plans to announce a £600 million pledge to the 2021-25 replenishment of the Global Partnership for Education at the G7 Summit to encourage other donors to commit funds.
- 498 **Nickie Aiken** (Cities of London and Westminster): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what plans the Government has to use its presidency of the G7 to ensure the 2021-25 replenishment of the Global Partnership for Education is fully funded. (178739)
- 499 **Fleur Anderson** (Putney): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what discussions he has had with Colombian counterpart on reports of Colombian police using live ammunition against protesters in Bogota on 9 and 10 September 2020. (179625)

- 500 Scott Benton (Blackpool South): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if his Department will review its
 relationship with the British Red Cross charity in response to that charity's recent
 criticisms of Government policy. (178608)
- Felicity Buchan (Kensington): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,

 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what further steps he plans to take to

 promote a peaceful resolution to the conflict in the Tigray region of Ethiopia prior

 to the forthcoming elections in that country. (179643)
- 502 **Dr Lisa Cameron** (East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what programmes run by his Department specifically support women and girls from marginalised religious or belief communities; and how much was spent by those programmes in 2020.
- 503 **Dr Lisa Cameron** (East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether supporting women and girls from marginalised religious and belief communities is a priority for his Department. (179184)
- of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent representations he has made to the UN and the international community on the treatment of Uighur women by the Chinese Government. (178619)
- 505 **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, when he plans to publish the Ending Preventable Deaths Action Plan. (179422)
- 506 **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether the allocation of funding from the public purse for global child and maternal health outcomes remains a priority for his Department; and if he will make a statement. (179423)
- 507 Dan Carden (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if his Department will meet the request
 by civil society to allocate £600 million of funding to the Global Partnership for
 Education for the 2021-25 replenishment in 2021.
- 508 **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what plans he has to increase (a)
 political and (b) financial support for the forthcoming replenishment of the Global
 Partnership for Education. (179426)
- 509 Dan Carden (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if he will deliver the commitment made by the Prime Minister in September 2019 to 12 years of quality education for all girls by (a) protecting the ODA allocation for education from budget reductions,

(b) increasing that allocation to 15 per cent of UK ODA and (c) allocating £600 million of funding from the public purse to the Global Partnership for Education.

(179427)

- 510 Feryal Clark (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he has made representations
 to his Turkish counterpart on the undemocratic banning of the People's
 Democratic Party (HDP) for advocating for ethnic and religious minority rights in
 Turkey.
- 511 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, when he plans to publish the
 Government's Ending Preventable Deaths Action Plan. (179645)
- 512 Marsha De Cordova (Battersea): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent steps he has taken on
 ending the maltreatment of Uyghur Muslims in China. (179526)
- Thangam Debbonaire (Bristol West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he has plans to negotiate a six
 month tourist visa for travellers from the UK to the EU. (179201)
- Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the
 security and humanitarian situation in the Republic of Mozambique. (179405)
- Preet Kaur Gill (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the potential effect of the reduction in funding allocated by the Government to the World Bank's International Development Association (IDA 19) on eradicating poverty in 2021-22.
- Preet Kaur Gill (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what his Department's budget for polio eradication under the Global Polio Eradication Initiative is in 2021-22. (179345)
- Fabian Hamilton (Leeds North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what discussions he has had with his
 Colombian counterpart on the removal of the Colombian Police Force from that
 country's Ministry of Defence. (178826)
- 518 **Fabian Hamilton** (Leeds North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps the Government is taking to promote an educational partnership between academic institutions in Haiti and the UK.

- Fabian Hamilton (Leeds North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to the Integrated
 Review of Security, Defence, Development and Foreign Policy, what discussions
 he has had with his counterpart in the US Administration on plans to increase the
 amount of nuclear warheads held by the UK.

 (178828)
- 520 **Fabian Hamilton** (Leeds North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking to encourage the Colombian Government to tackle reported violence against trade unionists in that country.

 (178829)
- Fabian Hamilton (Leeds North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the effectiveness of attempts by China to extend the political and economic influence of that country to the Caribbean. (179746)
- Fabian Hamilton (Leeds North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what discussions he has had with his
 Saudi Arabian counterpart on reports that that country is establishing a uranium
 enrichment programme. (178830)
- Fabian Hamilton (Leeds North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking to ratify
 Protocol V of the UN Convention on Certain Conventional Weapons. (178831)
- 524 Claire Hanna (Belfast South): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent diplomatic steps his
 Department has taken in the effort to end the war in Syria. (179653)
- Claire Hanna (Belfast South): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether his Department plans to
 announce the UK's allocation of 2021-22 overseas development assistance for Syria
 by the end of April 2021.

 (179654)
- 526 **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the
 effect of not allowing travel to attend a commemorative event under the current
 covid-19 regulations on different religious groups whose practices require such
 commemorative events to take place quickly.

 (179509)
- 527 **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if he will make an assessment of
 the potential merits of allowing foreign travel for people separated from their
 partners regardless of martial status during the covid-19 outbreak. (179510)

- 528 **Ben Lake** (Ceredigion): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 9 March to Questions 151798 and 160767 on Western Sahara: Trade Agreements, whether the consultations included seeking the consent of the UN recognised representatives of the Saharawi people, the Polisario. (179379)
- 529 **Ben Lake** (Ceredigion): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 9 March 2021 to Questions151799 and 160768 on Western Sahara: Politics and Government, if will he ask the UN Secretary-General when the UN Commission announced in 2016 on the situation in Guerguerat plans to publish a report. (179380)
- Chris Law (Dundee West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether the Commonwealth Fund
 will continue to support (a) the network of Women Mediators across the
 Commonwealth and (b) a programme to provide support to Commonwealth
 governments looking to reform legislation that disproportionately affects women
 and girls and LGBT people.

 (179180)
- 531 Marco Longhi (Dudley North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent progress has been made
 on the international review of the content of Palestinian Authority school
 textbooks.

 (178714)
- Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he took to join other UN
 member states in calling for a convention on the rights of older persons at the
 Eleventh Session of the Open-ended Working Group on Ageing. (179243)
- John McDonnell (Hayes and Harlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what representations he has made to his Bahraini counterpart on the treatment of prisoners in Jau Prison during the covid-19 pandemic. (178778)
- 534 Layla Moran (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to the reported detention of an eight-year-old and a ten-year-old by Israeli forces while the two children were playing near their house, what recent representations he has made to the Government of Israel about the detention of Palestinian children under the age of twelve.
- 535 Layla Moran (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of reports and video documentation of the arrest of five young Palestinian children aged 9-13 years, reportedly interrogated and detained for approximately eight hours. (179477)

- Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to the publication entitled Global Britain in a competitive age: the Integrated Review of Security, Defence, Development and Foreign Policy, CP 403, published on 16 March 2021, what assessment he has made of the effect of the reduction in Official Development Assistance funding to International Planned Parenthood Federation's women's integrated sexual health programmes on the Integrated Review's plans to improve global health.
- 537 Layla Moran (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the potential effect of the reduction to Official Development Assistance funding to International Planned Parenthood Federation's women's integrated sexual health programmes on cases of (a) HIV, (b) sexually transmitted diseases and (c) unintended pregnancies amongst women in conflict zones in (i) Ethiopia and (ii) Pakistan.
- 538 Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking to ensure that
 developing nations have access to a covid-19 vaccine. (179634)
- 539 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment his Department has
 made of the use of covid-19 vaccinations that have been made available to the
 Palestinian Authority. (178701)
- 540 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what estimate his Department has
 made of the number of Palestinians residing in East Jerusalem that have received
 the covid-19 vaccination from the Government of Israel. (178703)
- 541 **Matthew Pennycook** (Greenwich and Woolwich): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what his policy is on the recognition by the United Nations of the human right to a safe, clean, healthy and sustainable environment. (179314)
- Mr Toby Perkins (Chesterfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment his Department
 has made of the current political and security situation in Syria. (179015)
- 543 **Mr Toby Perkins** (Chesterfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that the people responsible for atrocities in Syria are held to account. (179016)
- Mr Toby Perkins (Chesterfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what impact assessment his
 Department has undertaken on the proposed reductions in official development
 assistance for programmes in Syria; and if he will publish that assessment. (179017)

- 545 **Mr Toby Perkins** (Chesterfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what diplomatic or political pressure
 the Government is putting on the Syrian regime to reduce the atrocities
 committed in that country. (179018)
- Yasmin Qureshi (Bolton South East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he plans to make
 representations to the Government of China on the arrest of (a) Carol Ng and (b)
 52 other pro-democracy activists in Hong Kong.
- 547 Ellie Reeves (Lewisham West and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the accuracy of recent information released by the Special Jurisdiction for Peace in Colombia that that the security forces of that country intentionally killed at least 6,402 civilians between 2002 and 2008.
- 548 **Ms Marie Rimmer** (St Helens South and Whiston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the adequacy of freedom of religion or belief in Nepal. (178543)
- 549 **Ms Marie Rimmer** (St Helens South and Whiston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether his Department has prepared a written strategy for tackling freedom of religion or belief violations in Pakistan.
- 550 **Ms Marie Rimmer** (St Helens South and Whiston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he plans to implement the recommendations of the APPG for International Freedom of Religion or Belief's 2018 report on the treatment of different religious communities in Pakistan entitled Religious Minorities of Pakistan. (178545)
- Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to
 assist Commonwealth members in the Caribbean roll out covid-19 vaccines. (178879)
- 552 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what discussions officials in his
 Department have had with their Saudi Arabian counterparts on the plan to offer a
 ceasefire to the Houthi rebels. (178880)
- Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what discussions officials in his
 Department have had with officials in the US Administration on the threat caused
 by the recently reported launch of ballistic missiles from North Korea. (178881)
- 554 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,

 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what plans he has to hold discussions

 with the government of Mauritius on the future of the Chagos Islands. (178888)

555 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what discussions he has had with his Australian counterpart on the effect of the EU's decision to apply export controls to the Oxford/AstraZeneca vaccine on the covid-19 situation in Papua New Guinea.

(178592)

- Jim Shannon (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what discussions he has had with his
 Nigerian counterpart on helping to prevent the kidnap of children from school in that country.
- 557 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking to help bring
 to justice the people responsible for the shooting down of Ukraine International
 Airlines flight PS752 over Tehran in January 2020. (178601)
- 558 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent steps he has taken to
 support marginalised religious and belief communities in developing countries
 that have been affected by the covid-19 pandemic. (178603)
- 559 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent discussions he has had with his Pakistani counterpart on the introduction of legislation to tackle forced conversion. (179121)
- Mr Virendra Sharma (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what contributions they made to the (a) core, and (b) non-core, funding of (i) United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA) (ii) World Health Organization (WHO) (iii) United Nations International Children's Emergency Fund (UNICEF) (iv) Joint United Nations Programme on HIV and AIDS (UNAIDS) (v) International Planned Parenthood Federation (IPPF) (vi) Women and Children First UK (vii) Global Fund to Fight AIDS, TB and Malaria and (viii) United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (UN Women) in (A) 2018, (B) 2019 and (C) 2020.
- Mr Virendra Sharma (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if he will list the Department for International Development's bilateral expenditure directly targeting HIV and AIDS under input sector codes 13041 and 13042 in financial years (a) 2017-18, (b) 2018-19 and (c) 2019-20.
- Mr Virendra Sharma (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if he will list the Department for International Development's bilateral expenditure directly targeting reproductive health under input sector codes 13010, 13021, 13022, 13030 and 13081 in financial years (a) 2017-18, (b) 2018-19 and (c) 2019-20.

- Mr Virendra Sharma (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what proportion of the Department for International Development's Official Development Assistance budget was allocated to sexual and reproductive health and rights in (a) 2017, (b) 2018 and (c) 2019.
- Mr Barry Sheerman (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what further steps his Department
 is taking to (a) advocate for and (b) safeguard the human rights of people in
 Myanmar.

 (178803)
- Tulip Siddiq (Hampstead and Kilburn): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to support family visits between the UK and Japan under current covid-19 regulations. (179313)
- Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what plans his Department has to revise the covid-19 travel advice on cruises.
- John Spellar (Warley): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, when his Department plans to reply to the letters of 3 February 2021 and 13 August 2020 from the hon. Member for Warley on the report into the content of Palestinian Authority school textbooks. (178745)
- Alexander Stafford (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether the allocation of funding from
 the public purse for global child and maternal health outcomes remains a priority
 for his Department.

 (179710)
- 569 Alexander Stafford (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, when he plans to publish the Ending
 Preventable Deaths Action Plan. (179711)
- 570 Alexander Stafford (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what discussions his Department is
 having with its counterparts in G7 countries on providing debt relief that supports
 climate and nature investments in developing countries. (179712)
- 571 **Alexander Stafford** (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to compensate poorer countries for the loss and damage incurred as a result of climate change.

 (179713)
- Alexander Stafford (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps his Department is taking
 to ensure the \$100 billion climate finance goal, pledged by prosperous nations to
 help the poorest nations adapt to climate impacts, set in the Paris Agreement is
 increase and renewed at COP26.

 (179714)

573 Alexander Stafford (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to help ensure other G7 countries are ending support for fossil fuel projects abroad.

(179715)

- 574 Zarah Sultana (Coventry South): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking to promote the (a) human rights and (b) civil liberties of the English-speaking minority in South Cameroon. (179611)
- 575 Sam Tarry (Ilford South): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps his Government is taking to roll out the AstraZenica covid-19 vaccine to the developing world. (179664)
- 576 Munira Wilson (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what support his Department is providing for minority groups in the Democratic Republic of the Congo. (179582)
- 577 Fleur Anderson (Putney): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when the UK Resettlement Scheme will be launched; and what number of refugees will be resettled in the UK under the scheme. (179623)
- 578 Hilary Benn (Leeds Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many and what proportion of immigration casework queries from hon. Members are not responded to within the 20 working day service standard; and if she will make a statement. (178818)
- 579 Paul Blomfield (Sheffield Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 24 February 2021 to Question 155013 on Graduates: Visas, for what reason people on a Tier 2 visa route cannot use time spent in the UK under a previous Tier 1 (Graduate Entrepreneur) visa to contribute towards their continuous residence requirement. (179077)
- 580 Paul Blomfield (Sheffield Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the potential benefits of allowing international students who have completed their studies and whose Tier 4 visa leave expires ahead of 1 July 2021 to submit an early application to the Graduate Route opening on that date. (179079)
- 581 Ruth Cadbury (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much revenue her Department raised from fees for applications for naturalisation as a British citizen in 2019. (179168)
- 582 Ruth Cadbury (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether she plans to review the level of fees for applying for naturalisation as a British citizen. (179169)
- 583 Sarah Champion (Rotherham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment her Department has made of the potential effect of the new immigration system on (a) the glass sector and (b) other industries

- that require the services of temporary specialist workers who enter the UK as frontier workers; and what consultation her Department has undertaken with representatives of the glass industry on this matter. (179131)
- Sarah Champion (Rotherham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what discussions she has had with the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy on the potential effect of the new immigration system on (a) the glass sector and (b) other industries that require the services of temporary specialist workers that are currently entering the UK as frontier workers.
- Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to the recommendations in the report by Alcohol Change UK, entitled Effective age-gating for online alcohol sales, published on 9 June 2020, what assessment she has made of the potential merits of introducing the technical measures included in those recommendations for protecting children from the harm of alcohol.
- Rosie Cooper (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what plans she has to ensure that changes brought in by the Coronavirus Act 2020, which have digitised the death registration process, are retained after March 2022. (178629)
- 587 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when he plans to respond to the letter from the hon. Member for Wet Lancashire of 12 February 2021 on domestic abuse, reference ZA55563. (178952)
- Rosie Cooper (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home
 Department, when she plans to respond to the letter from the hon. Member for
 West Lancashire of 12 February 2021 on weddings, reference ZA55504. (178954)
- Neil Coyle (Bermondsey and Old Southwark): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she has taken to ensure that asylum seekers living in initial and dispersal accommodation have been encouraged to undertake the 2021 Census. (179154)
- 590 Angela Crawley (Lanark and Hamilton East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many applicants to the EU Settlement Scheme have updated their birth name to their married name using the Update My Details service since March 2019. (179236)
- 591 Marsha De Cordova (Battersea): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to ensure access to covid-19 vaccination for people on temporary visas. (178597)
- 592 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps the Government is taking to prevent the killing of UK residents in the UK by the Russian state. (179404)

- 593 **Florence Eshalomi** (Vauxhall): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether she has plans to review the number of proscribed far-right groups classified as terrorist. (179733)
- 594 **Tim Farron** (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department has taken alongside the Scottish Government to accelerate the activation of Extended Area Services sites in Scotland.

 (178975)
- 595 **Stephen Farry** (North Down): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the effectiveness of the spousal visa minimum income requirement in allowing sufficient participation in everyday life to facilitate integration. (179692)
- Marion Fellows (Motherwell and Wishaw): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the potential benefits of continuing to cover the cost of replacing an expired 90 day vignette, at a cost of £154, where a visa has expired due to flights being cancelled as a result of the covid-19 outbreak.
- 597 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many claims to the Windrush Compensation Scheme from residents living in (a) Lewisham Deptford constituency, (b) London and (c) the UK have been fully settled.
- 598 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what provision has been made in the Windrush Compensation Scheme for claimants who die before their claim under that scheme is fully settled.

 (179275)
- 599 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to the Windrush Compensation Scheme, what criteria her Department uses to determine the effect of the Windrush scandal on the lives of the claimants to that scheme.

 (179276)
- 600 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many and what proportion of claims to the Windrush Compensation Scheme from residents living in (a) Lewisham Deptford constituency, (b) London and (c) the UK have been considered eligible for a preliminary payment under the terms of that scheme.
- 601 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to her October 2019 report to the Home Affairs Select Committee on the Windrush scandal, how many of the families of the 14 Commonwealth citizens who died after having been removed from the UK by her Department since 2002 have applied for compensation under the Windrush Compensation Scheme.

- **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what plans she has to review the levels of THC content allowed in CBD products. (179338)
- Afzal Khan (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home
 Department, when she plans to respond to the letter of 17 December 2020 from
 the hon Member for Manchester Gorton regarding Hamar Jalal. (179495)
- **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when she plans to to provide a substantive response to the letters dated 17 November 2020 and 22 December 2020 from the hon Member for Manchester Gorton regarding Amirabbas Banan. (179496)
- **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when she plans to provide a substantive response to the correspondence from the hon. Member for Manchester Gorton of 15 December 2020 on Mr K Mahmood, Mr Hafeez Ahmed and Ms Tayyaba Malik. (179499)
- **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when she plans to provide a substantive response to the correspondence from the hon. Member for Manchester Gorton of 15 December 2020 on Mr Abdul Rehman Abba. (179501)
- **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when she plans to provide a substantive response to the correspondence from the hon. Member for Manchester Gorton of 12 January 2021 on Mr Tolani Lawal.
- **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when she plans to provide a substantive response to the correspondence from the hon. Member for Manchester Gorton of 12 January 2021 on Ms Nuala Jarjes. (179503)
- **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when she plans to provide a substantive response to the correspondence from the hon. Member for Manchester Gorton of 12 January 2021 on Ms Aminata Koroma and Mr Bryan Ashley Musa. (179504)
- **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when she plans to provide a substantive response to the correspondence from the hon. Member for Manchester Gorton of 12 January 2021 on Mr Imran Masqood. (179505)
- Afzal Khan (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when she plans to provide a substantive response to the correspondence from the hon. Member for Manchester Gorton of 28 January 2021 on Mr Asghar Khodadoust. (179506)

- **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when she plans to respond to the correspondence from the hon.

 Member for Manchester Gorton of 22 January 2021 on Ajmal Waziri. (178530)
- Afzal Khan (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when she plans to respond to the correspondence from the hon.

 Member for Manchester Gorton of 2 February 2021 on Mitra Oloufi. (178532)
- **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when she plans to respond to the correspondence from the hon. Member for Manchester Gorton of 9 February 2021 on Hasanain A Alstai. (179507)
- **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when she plans to respond to the correspondence from the hon.

 Member for Manchester Gorton of 3 February 2021 on Maziyar Salehi. (178533)
- **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when she plans to respond to the correspondence from the hon.

 Member for Manchester Gorton of 9 February 2021 on Matarr Touray. (178535)
- **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when she plans to respond to the correspondence from the hon.

 Member for Manchester Gorton of 9 February 2021 on Amir Hasan-Zada. (178538)
- **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if her Department will take steps to ensure that covid-19 pandemic travel restrictions are taken into account when assessing evidence of relationships for future UK visa applications. (179511)
- **Peter Kyle** (Hove): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what progress the Government has made on establishing a National Crime Laboratory.

 (179294)
- **Peter Kyle** (Hove): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to page five of the National Crime Agency's report entitled County Lines Drug Supply, Vulnerability and Harm 2018, what recent assessment she has made of the prevalence of concealing drugs internally for transportation in (a) England and (b) Wales.
- **Ben Lake** (Ceredigion): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, of the Extended Area Services (EAS) mast sites that are located in Ceredigion how many (a) have been designed and have received planning approval, (b) are awaiting physical work to connect the mast to the network and (c) are awaiting final activation.
- **John Lamont** (Berwickshire, Roxburgh and Selkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much funding has been provided to the Scottish Borders Council as part of the Syrian vulnerable person resettlement programme.

(179353)

- John Lamont (Berwickshire, Roxburgh and Selkirk): To ask the Secretary of
 State for the Home Department, what discussions she has had with the Scottish
 Government on the Hong Kong British national (overseas) visa. (179354)
- 624 Anthony Mangnall (Totnes): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether the new Emergency Services Network will include lifeboats.

 (179566)
- 625 **Layla Moran** (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what her Department's rationale is for building a new immigration detention centre on the site at Hassockfield Secure Training at Meadomsley, County Durham; and if she will make a statement. (179475)
- 626 **Layla Moran** (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment her Department has made of the eligibility of Uyghurs fleeing persecution in Xinjiang for (a) asylum and (b) visa rights in the UK.

 (179481)
- 627 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what recent assessment she has made of the implications for her policies of far-right graffiti and stickers in public places; and what steps she is taking to tackle that graffiti. (178635)
- 628 **David Mundell** (Dumfriesshire, Clydesdale and Tweeddale): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to include the EU within the Youth Mobility Scheme. (178908)
- 629 Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how her Department's settlement with its former permanent secretary, Sir Philip Rutnam, will be funded. (179630)
- 630 **John Nicolson** (Ochil and South Perthshire): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to help prevent fraudulent phone calls from overseas being routed through UK exchanges. (179189)
- 631 **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 26 March 2021 to Question 169852, on Sexual Offences, whether she has made an assessment of whether there has been an increase in sexually explicit email spam during the covid-19 outbreak. (179108)
- 632 **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 26 March 2021 to Question 169852, on Sexual Offences, how a report of sexually explicit spam can be made on the website of the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO); and to what volume of those reports the ICO is able to respond.

- 633 Chi Onwurah (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 26 March 2021 to Question 169852, on Sexual Offences, who is responsible for safeguarding people who may be being exploited as a result of receiving sexually explicit emails; and what investigations have been undertaken to date.
- 634 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home

 Department, if she will grant citizenship to East African Asian children on the basis
 of compelling compassionate grounds and exceptional circumstances. (178874)
- 635 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 1 March 2021 to Question 160548, on VFS Global: China, if he will publish a list of the 16 VFS visa centres in China that are run by subcontractors.

 (178876)
- 636 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 1 March 2021 to Question 160548, VFS Global: China, if he will publish a list of the subcontractors that run the 16 VFS visa centres in China.
- 637 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home

 Department, if her Department will undertake an assessment of how the covid-19

 lockdown has affected the spread of extremist ideologies in the UK. (178878)
- 638 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home

 Department, what steps her Department is taking to help the police tackle the
 recent rise in scam messages and calls.

 (178883)
- Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what the eligibility requirements will be for a person to be granted citizenship via the discretionary adult registration route as announced in her new plan for immigration in March 2021.
- 640 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to encourage women in east London boroughs that have been sexually assaulted to report those incidents to the police.

 (17888)
- Jim Shannon (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to improve the condition of housing offered to asylum seekers as part of Operation Oak. (178604)
- 642 **Mr Barry Sheerman** (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to ensure the adequacy of accommodation for asylum seekers. (178810)
- 643 **Mr Barry Sheerman** (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to tackle dog theft in England and Wales. (178811)

- 644 Henry Smith (Crawley): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps the Government is taking towards the full replacement of procedures on live animals for scientific and educational purposes. (178568)
- 645 **Alex Sobel** (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether she has made an assessment of the potential effect of a points-based immigration system on the video games industry in the UK. (179485)
- of John Spellar (Warley): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when her Department plans to provide a substantive response to the letter of 14 December 2020 from the hon. Member for Warley on Mr Gamaralalage. (178791)
- Zarah Sultana (Coventry South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home
 Department, what steps the Government took to ensure the health and safety of
 HS2 protestors during their eviction from the Euston tunnel in February 2021. (179608)
- 648 Sam Tarry (Ilford South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if the Government will take steps to review the English B1 and Life in UK Test for spouses and carers of disabled and extremely vulnerable patients in light of the role that carers and spouses have played during the covid-19 outbreak. (179663)
- 649 Catherine West (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what discussions she has had with police chief constables on the importance of protecting freedom of the press for journalists covering protests.

 (179315)
- 650 **Bambos Charalambous** (Enfield, Southgate): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to the non-military development agreement between the Republic of Cyprus and the Government that applies to the sovereign base areas, what environmental assessment was undertaken when that agreement was signed in 2014.
- 651 Bambos Charalambous (Enfield, Southgate): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to the non-military development agreement between the Republic of Cyprus and the Government that applies to the sovereign base areas, what steps he plans to take to ensure that development (a) is linked to the housing needs of the local population, (b) protects sites designated under EU Birds and Habitats Directives and (c) is sustainable and eco-tourism based. (178678)
- 652 **Bambos Charalambous** (Enfield, Southgate): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to the non-military development agreement between the Republic of Cyprus and the Government that applies to the sovereign base areas, what discussions his Department has had with local stakeholders in the Akrotiri Peninsula in respect of the (a) development and (b) delivery of that agreement.(178682)

- **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to paragraph 5.22 on page 32 of his Department's report, Defence in a competitive age, CP411, published in March 2021, how the UK plans to make a bigger and more consistent contribution to the Five Power Defence Arrangements.
- **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to the new initiatives set out in the Defence and Security Industrial Strategy published on 23 March 2021, whether single source, non-competitive foreign military sales contracts with the US Administration will come under the regulation of the Single Source Regulations Office. (178854)
- **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the cost to the public purse has been of upgrades to the UK's defence footprint in Brunei over the last five years. (178855)
- **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the cost to the public purse has been of upgrades to the UK's defence footprint in Oman over the last five years. (178700)
- **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the cost to the public purse has been of upgrades to the UK's defence footprint in Bahrain over the last five years. (178702)
- **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the cost to the public purse has been of upgrades to the UK's defence footprint in Qatar over the last five years. (178704)
- **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the cost to the public purse has been of upgrades to the UK's defence footprint in Singapore over the last five years. (178856)
- **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many and what proportion of evaluation criteria for the Type 31 were attributed to social value. (178857)
- **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will publish the Intellectual Property strategies referred to on page 32 of the Government's Defence and Security Industrial Strategy, published 23 March 2021.

(178858)

- **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether components for the F-35b aircraft manufactured in the US will be subject to ITAR. (178859)
- **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what processes are in place for his Department to consult with industry before entering international arrangements with the potential to lead to the disclosure of industry-supplied information. (178860)

- Mr Kevan Jones (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, which personnel will be placed in charge of the Intellectual Property strategies referred to on page 32 of the Defence and Security Industrial Strategy, published 23
 January 2021. (178861)
- 665 Mr Kevan Jones (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether his Department has plans to reaffirm the National Shipbuilding Strategy in 2021.
 (178863)
- **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether the Military Aviation Authority has certified that it is safe to conduct parachute operations from A400M aircraft. (178865)
- **John Lamont** (Berwickshire, Roxburgh and Selkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much funding has been provided to organisations in the Scottish Borders Council area as part of the Armed Forces Covenant Fund. (179352)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to the Government's response to the Selous Report, Living in our shoes Understanding the needs of UK armed forces families, published on 29 March 2021, how his Department plans to incentivise a move away from a fix-onfail approach to a preventative maintenance philosophy. (179452)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to the Government's response to the Selous Report, Living in our Shoes understanding the needs of UK Armed Forces families, published on 29 March 2021, if he will publish the feedback that Amey's Customer Service Centre for Defence has received in the last 12 months.
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to the Government's response to the Selous Report, Living in our Shoes understanding the needs of UK Armed Forces families, published on 29 March 2021, how many applications from service personnel to carry out DIY improvements to their Service Family Accommodation have been (a) made and (b) granted in each of the last five years.
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will publish Amey's (a) target and (b) actual maintenance appointment waiting times in respect of armed forces personnel accommodation for each of the last three years.
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will publish details on the performance management framework included in the Future Defence Infrastructure Services Programme. (179456)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many schools in receipt of the Service Pupil Premium are using the self-review tool as at 12 April 2021. (179457)

- 674 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how his Department plans to incorporate commitments to reduce defence emissions in any declarations resulting from COP26. (179458)
- 675 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how his Department measures its contribution towards the Government's emissions targets; and if his Department will publish what the volume of its carbon emissions have been by operational area in each of the last five years. (179459)
- 676 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what recent assessment his Department has made of the proportion of his Department's overall emissions of HM Naval Base Portsmouth; and what steps his Department is taking to reduce emissions at that base to meet Greening Government Commitments.
- 677 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many and what proportion of service personnel that are due to be deployed as part of the UK's Carrier Strike Group have received a covid-19 vaccination. (179461)
- 678 Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what assessment he has made of the potential effect on the UK's security of the decision to reduce the number of troops in the Army; and if he will make that decision subject to a vote in the House.
- 679 Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what assessment he has made of the implications of the Royal Navy, Royal Air Force and the Army having different medical discharge policies in relation to autism and Asperger's syndrome on the implementation of the Armed Forces Covenant's principle that armed forces personnel should face no disadvantage compared to other citizens in the provision of public and commercial services.
- 680 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of suspending licences for trail hunting on land owned by his Department; and if he will make a statement. (179528)
- 681 Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether the new Multi Role Ocean Surveillance ship for the Royal Navy will be (a) built in British shipyards, (b) built abroad, (c) reconfigured from an existing vessel in a British shipyard or (d) reconfigured from an existing vessel abroad.
- 682 Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what estimate he has made of the number of (a) Royal Navy personnel,
 (b) Royal Fleet Auxiliary personnel and (c) other civilians who will be part of the crew of the new Multi Role Ocean Surveillance ship.

- 683 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what estimate he has made of when HMS Trenchant will be fully recycled. (179532)
- 684 Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many retired Royal Navy nuclear submarines HMNB Devonport has capacity for.

 (178726)
- 685 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, for what reasons the Submarine Dismantling Project was not included in the Integrated Review of security, defence, development and foreign policy documentation.

 (179533)
- 686 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what recent assessment he has made of the adequacy of the Army's Armoured Vehicle capacity.

 (178596)
- 687 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what assessment his Department has made of the accuracy of recent reports that Iran is concealing the scale of its nuclear programme. (178875)
- 688 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what recent assessment he has made of the increased threat from ISIS in Africa. (178890)
- 689 Alec Shelbrooke (Elmet and Rothwell): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether his Department has plans to provide covid-19 vaccinations for British Nationals that are working overseas under defence infrastructure organisation contracts as part of the vaccination programme for armed forces personnel at UK sovereign bases. (179031)
- 690 **John Spellar** (Warley): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many Enhanced Pallet Load System trucks the British Army has; and where those vehicles were manufactured. (178792)
- 691 **Bob Blackman** (Harrow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
 Communities and Local Government, what plans he has to increase building
 standards for glazing in line with improvements in modern glazing technology for
 (a) new and (b) existing homes. (179043)
- 692 **Bob Blackman** (Harrow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what his plans are to increase the glazing renovation rate of existing houses. (179044)
- 693 Alan Brown (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, if he will list the local authorities that have been awarded £125,000 of capacity funding for future Levelling Up Fund bids. (179239)

- 694 Dan Carden (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, with reference to his oral contribution of 24 March 2021 on Liverpool City Council, Official Report, column 937, what the process will be for appointing Commissioners under the proposed intervention package.
 (179437)
- 695 **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, with reference to his oral contribution of 24 March 2021,Official report, column 937 on Liverpool City Council, what consultation he is undertaking on his proposed intervention package in addition to seeking representations from the Council. (179438)
- 696 Dan Carden (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
 Communities and Local Government, with reference to his oral contribution of 24
 March 2021, Official report, column 937 on Liverpool City Council, what impact
 assessment his Department is undertaking on the proposal for electing a reduced
 number of councillors in single member wards.

 (179439)
- 697 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps he is taking to support leaseholders living in buildings under 18 metres in height with (a) dangerous cladding and (b) other fire safety defects in Enfield North constituency. (179646)
- 698 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
 Communities and Local Government, what assessment he has made of the effect
 of closing of the Green Homes Grant scheme on the Government's plans to meet
 its 5th Carbon Budget.
 (179647)
- Rosie Cooper (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
 Communities and Local Government, when he plans to respond to the letter dated
 27 October 2020 from the hon. Member for West Lancashire, reference ZA54204,
 regarding households in debt. (178948)
- Neil Coyle (Bermondsey and Old Southwark): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, with reference to the finding of Solace Women's Aid's report entitled Violence against women and girls, housing and homelessness: A joined up strategy, that 70 per cent of women who have experienced domestic violence also have a housing need, what steps his Department is taking to address the shortage of suitable long-term housing for domestic abuse survivors.
- 701 Virginia Crosbie (Ynys Môn): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
 Communities and Local Government, with reference to £125,000 of capacity
 funding for Welsh local authorities in the Levelling Up Fund, how the Government
 plans to allocate that funding; what the timeframe is for allocating that funding;
 whether the Government plans to undertake an assessment of the effort made by
 each local authority in respect of the awarding of that funding; and whether the
 Government plans to award that funding in the event that a local authority does
 not make a bid.

 (179706)

- 702 Marsha De Cordova (Battersea): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
 Communities and Local Government, what steps he is taking to tackle the increase
 in homelessness for Black residents of England and Wales in 2020. (179523)
- 703 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, in light of new covid-19 restrictions, what plans the Government has to implement a smoking ban in outdoor areas attached to pubs, bars, restaurants and cafes. (179385)
- 704 **Stephen Farry** (North Down): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
 Communities and Local Government, whether organisations based in the Republic
 of Ireland will be permitted to partner with organisations in (a) Northern Ireland
 and (b) elsewhere in the UK to access funding from the UK Shared Prosperity
 Fund.

 (179695)
- 705 **Stephen Farry** (North Down): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, pursuant to the Answer of 30 March 2021 to Question 174332 on UK Shared Prosperity Fund: Northern Ireland, if he will publish a list of the community and voluntary groups that the Department has engaged with on the design of the UK Shared Prosperity Fund. (179696)
- 706 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, when his Department plans to respond to the consultation on raising accessibility standards for new homes published on 8 September 2020. (179279)
- 707 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether his Department has plans to bring forward legislative proposals to require all new homes to meet the accessible and adaptable standard. (179280)
- 708 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
 Communities and Local Government, what steps the Government is taking to
 ensure that provision of accessible housing for older and disabled people is
 prioritised in light of the covid-19 outbreak. (179281)
- 709 **Richard Fuller** (North East Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment his Department has made of the prevalence of non-disclosure agreements used by house building companies where there are disputes between the company and the house buyer after completion of the purchase of a property. (178989)
- 710 **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps he is taking to ensure that contractors are charging fair and reasonable prices for remediation works on buildings clad with unsafe materials given the high demand for those remediation services.

- 711 Sir George Howarth (Knowsley): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
 Communities and Local Government, when his Department plans to publish the
 findings from its research on fire safety and property protection; and whether he
 has plans to incorporate the findings from that research into the draft Building
 Safety Bill.

 (178835)
- 712 **Kim Johnson** (Liverpool, Riverside): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, if he will guarantee that reforms to leaseholder laws announced in January 2021 will align the Duchy of Cornwall's tenants' rights with other leaseholders in England. (179649)
- 713 Marco Longhi (Dudley North): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
 Communities and Local Government, if his Department will take steps to help
 reduce the level of local authority burial fees; and what support the Government
 provides to people who cannot meet the cost of burials. (178628)
- 714 **Seema Malhotra** (Feltham and Heston): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of rolling out the voluntary right to buy scheme to housing association tenants in Feltham and Heston constituency. (179127)
- 715 **Siobhain McDonagh** (Mitcham and Morden): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what recent estimate he has made of the number of families living in temporary accommodation in London who have to travel over an hour each way to their children's schools. (178728)
- 716 Layla Moran (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment his Department has made of the recommendations of the analysis provided at the department's request by the Courtyard Societies on their tenancy and public value. (179471)
- 717 Layla Moran (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what plans his Department has to resume negotiations with Courtyard Societies on the tenancy and the value of Burlington House. (179472)
- 718 Layla Moran (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what plans his Department has to preserve the use of Burlington House for the Courtyard Societies. (179473)
- 719 Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment he has made on the potential effect on water efficiency of lowering the requirement to 100 litres per person per day as part of a building regulations review. (178718)
- 720 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of including a water neutral planning policy requirement within the OxCam Arc development. (178720)

- 721 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
 Communities and Local Government, whether he has made an assessment of the
 potential merits of removing covid-19 restrictions on funeral services before 20
 April 2021. (178897)
- 722 **Mr Barry Sheerman** (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps he is taking to ensure that local authorities have adequate resources to provide safe public spaces for transgender people. (178813)
- Henry Smith (Crawley): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, if he will publish his Department's policy on new homes being built near to existing airports; and what assessment he has made of the compatibility of that policy with the Government's aim to reduce the number of people significantly affected by aircraft noise. (179020)
- 724 **Royston Smith** (Southampton, Itchen): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of offering council tax exemption to leaseholders at high-rise residential buildings with unsafe cladding. (179258)
- Royston Smith (Southampton, Itchen): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
 Communities and Local Government, what financial support is available to
 leaseholders at high-rise residential buildings with unsafe cladding, who are
 issued with increased insurance premiums as a result of their buildings being
 classed as not fire-safe.

 (179259)
- Royston Smith (Southampton, Itchen): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment his Department has made of the effect on the mental health of leaseholders at high-rise residential buildings with unsafe cladding of their homes being classed as not fire-safe. (179260)
- 727 **Royston Smith** (Southampton, Itchen): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether he has made an assessment of the adequacy of financial advice services available to leaseholders of high-rise residential buildings with unsafe cladding that are facing interim remedial costs and increased building insurance premiums. (179261)
- 728 **Royston Smith** (Southampton, Itchen): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, when his Department plans to issue the guidance announced on 10 February 2021 for the finance scheme to provide reassurance for leaseholders in buildings between 11 and 18 metres, or 4 to 6 storeys, for cladding removal. (179263)
- 729 **John Spellar** (Warley): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what estimate he has made of how many local councils in England have invested in funds of (a) Greensil Capital and (b) Archegos Capital Management.

730 **Bill Wiggin** (North Herefordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, how much funding the Government allocated to Herefordshire Council in 2011.

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731 Bill Wiggin (North Herefordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, how much funding the Government allocated to Herefordshire Council in 2017.

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732 Bill Wiggin (North Herefordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, how much funding the Government allocated to Herefordshire Council in 2018.

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733 Bill Wiggin (North Herefordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, how much funding the Government allocated to Herefordshire Council in 2019.

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734 Bill Wiggin (North Herefordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, how much funding the Government allocated to Herefordshire Council in 2020.

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- 735 Daniel Zeichner (Cambridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, pursuant to the Answer of 29 March 2021 to Question 174145 on Affordable Housing: Cambridgeshire, what other criteria were assessed in addition to value for money. (179163)
- 736 Rosie Cooper (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, when he plans to respond to the letter from the hon. Member for West Lancashire of 5 February 2021 on prisoners and vaccines, reference ZA55418. (178951)
- 737 Janet Daby (Lewisham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what plans he has to implement the recommendations of the review commissioned by his Department in 2018 into Tottenham Park Cemetery; and what recent assessment he has made of the need to regulate private cemeteries. (179542)
- 738 Marsha De Cordova (Battersea): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what guidance his Department has issued to staff in the Jury Central Summoning Bureau in respect of deferral of jury service by (a) breastfeeding mothers and (b) those on maternity or other statutory parental leave. (179525)
- 739 Peter Kyle (Hove): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what recent assessment he has made of the size of the case backlog in the youth court system. (178747)
- 740 Peter Kyle (Hove): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, whether he plans to publish the Covid Recovery Plans submitted by youth offending teams to the Youth Justice Board. (179295)

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- 741 Mrs Emma Lewell-Buck (South Shields): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, with reference to the recommendation of Charlie Taylor's review into the use of pain-inducing restraint in the youth secure estate, what steps his Department has taken to remove pain-inducing techniques from the Minimising and Managing Physical Restraint syllabus.
- 742 Mrs Emma Lewell-Buck (South Shields): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, with reference to the recommendations of Charlie Taylor's review into the use of pain-inducing restraint in the youth secure estate, what steps his Department has taken to ensure that (a) the Minimising and Managing Physical Restraint syllabus does not train escorts to secure training centres and secure children's homes in pain-inducing restraint techniques, (b) escort staff are not allowed to use restraint on children for good order and discipline and (c) escorts taking children to and from young offender institutions are trained in Minimising and Managing Physical Restraint.
- 743 Carla Lockhart (Upper Bann): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, with reference to the Department for Health and Social Care's response of 1 October 2020 to Freedom of Information request FOI-1250644, whether the Government has plans to prosecute abortion providers for enabling women to take abortion pills beyond the 10-week gestation period limit. (179697)
- 744 Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many women in each ethnic group were known to be pregnant while on remand or serving a sentence in HMP Askham Grange in each quarter from 31 March 2015 to 30 September 2020.
- 745 **Esther McVey** (Tatton): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what plans his Department has to bring forward legislative proposals to ensure that sentencing is commensurate with the severity of the crime. (178684)
- 746 Layla Moran (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what estimate he has made of the number of employers that have been prosecuted for breaches of health and safety in relation to covid-19 to date. (179466)
- 747 **Mr Barry Sheerman** (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what steps he is taking with Cabinet colleagues to help eliminate sexual harassment in the workplace. (178812)
- 748 **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, for what reason the First-tier Tribunal (Special Educational Needs and Disability) has not extended the six month deadline for complaint submission to 12 months to reflect disruption caused by the covid-19 outbreak, in line with the Department for Education's deadlines. (179093)
- 749 **Gareth Thomas** (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many staff are employed by the Office of the Public Guardian (a) in total and (b) to investigate powers of attorney or safeguarding; and if he will make a statement.

(178685)

- **Jack Lopresti** (Filton and Bradley Stoke): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, if his Department will hold discussions with the Northern Ireland Health Minister on ensuring that veterans in Northern Ireland receive urgent medical care, including accessing medical care in Great Britain, to reduce the time they have to wait for surgery. (179030)
- **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, what his plans are for the future of the Northern Ireland protocol; and what steps he is taking to consult unionist communities in Northern Ireland on those plans. (178609)
- 752 Clive Lewis (Norwich South): To ask the Prime Minister, how many and what proportion of eligible NHS and social care workers have been refunded the immigration health surcharge since his announcement on 17 June 2020. (179287)
- **Zarah Sultana** (Coventry South): To ask the Prime Minister, what information the Government holds on the breakdown of costs in the construction of the briefing room in 10 Downing Street. (179607)
- **Nickie Aiken** (Cities of London and Westminster): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of lowering the requirement for freelancers to receive at least 50 per cent of their income from self-employed work to qualify for financial support from the Self-Employment Income Support Scheme. (179555)
- **Peter Aldous** (Waveney): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that end-clients administer IR35 status accurately for contractors in instances where contractors are working in a genuinely independent manner. (179085)
- **Peter Aldous** (Waveney): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether HMRC has made an assessment of the potential merits of updating its CEST tool used for determining employment status to account for Mutuality of Obligation in the determination of independent contract work. (179086)
- **Paul Blomfield** (Sheffield Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of bringing forward the application date for the fourth round of Self-employment income support scheme grants.

 (179074)
- **Alan Brown** (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what sectoral targeted support has been provided to food wholesalers. (179240)
- **Sir Alan Campbell** (Tynemouth): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what recent progress his Department has made on increasing neonatal (a) pay and (b) leave. (178738)
- 760 Dan Carden (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether
 (a) persons and (b) organisations from outside Government were involved in
 designing the Government's covid-19 emergency loan schemes. (179434)

- 761 **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of a global minimum tax rate, as proposed by President Biden; and if he will make a statement. (179441)
- 762 Dan Carden (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential effect of the super-deduction on levels of tax fraud.

 (179442)
- 763 **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential effect of the super-deduction on progress towards the Government's climate emissions targets. (179443)
- 764 Dan Carden (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what recent assessment he has made of the regional distribution of capital gains in the UK.
- 765 **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential effect of the designation of freeport status on levels of (a) tax evasion, (b) tax avoidance and (c) other criminality in those areas.
- 766 Dan Carden (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment has he made of the potential (a) distributional effect and (b) projected receipts of equalising capital gains tax rates with income tax rates. (179446)
- 767 **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what recent progress has been made on the publication of aggregate data from the country-by-country reporting of multinational companies; and if he will make a statement. (179447)
- 768 Dan Carden (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the effect of a global minimum tax rate on revenues under the corporation tax charge in 2022-23. (179448)
- 769 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential merits for relatives of the recently deceased of requiring all UK registered financial institutions to register with the Death Notification Service. (178697)
- 770 **Ronnie Cowan** (Inverclyde): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what discussions his Department has had with relevant stakeholders on bringing forward legislative proposals to allow cashback without a purchase. (178727)
- 771 **Neil Coyle** (Bermondsey and Old Southwark): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether his Department's Spending Review 2020, which includes a £125 million settlement for the new duty on local authorities contained in the Domestic Abuse Bill, took into account the effect of the covid-19 pandemic on domestic abuse. (179158)

- 772 Marsha De Cordova (Battersea): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of extending the zero VAT rating on children's shoes to adult shoes in the event that those shoes are sold for children with larger feet. (179518)
- 773 Marsha De Cordova (Battersea): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of extending empty property business rates relief on properties that remain empty due to the covid-19 outbreak.

 (178591)
- 774 Marsha De Cordova (Battersea): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential effect on small businesses of VAT charges on goods imported from the EU. (178593)
- 775 **Marsha De Cordova** (Battersea): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps he has taken during the covid-19 outbreak to support small businesses that supply goods to the events and hospitality sector. (179519)
- 776 Emma Hardy (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of providing funding to the private hire vehicle sector to help that sector recover from the effects of the national covid-19 lockdown restrictions that began in January 2021.
- 777 Emma Hardy (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment his Department has made of the potential effect on self-employed people of the delay in the fourth grant under the Self-Employed Income Support Scheme; and whether he has plans to provide further support for those people.
- 778 Andrea Jenkyns (Morley and Outwood): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps his Department is taking to support businesses with high capital investments apart from the super-deduction of capital gains tax. (179270)
- 779 Andrea Jenkyns (Morley and Outwood): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps his Department is taking to increase foreign investment in UK industry in order to raise productivity. (179271)
- 780 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if the Government will take steps to ensure that victims of the Equitable Life scandal receive full compensation for their losses. (179543)
- 781 **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, when he plans to reply to the correspondence of 19 January 2021 from the hon. Member for Manchester Gorton on coronavirus job retention scheme: supply teachers. (179512)
- Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps he is taking to ensure that HMRC are able to comply with their guidelines on (a) clearing 80 per cent of customer post within 15 days of receipt and (b) clearing customer post within 40 days of receipt. (179247)

- 783 **Stuart C McDonald** (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential effect on short selling the financial market of the The Short Selling (Notification Thresholds) Regulations 2021; and what plans he has to bring forward legislative proposals to regulate short selling in the future. (179172)
- 784 Layla Moran (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, pursuant to the Answer of 2 February 2021 to Question 144833 on Official Development Assistance allocations, when his Department plans to publish the allocation of Official Development Assistance to each Department for the financial year 2020-21.
- 785 **Ian Paisley** (North Antrim): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether his Department has undertaken an assessment of the effect of the reduction in VAT on the hospitality sector. (179119)
- 786 **Ian Paisley** (North Antrim): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will publish the sales figures for hospitality broken down by (a) food, (b) alcohol and (c) non-alcoholic drinks in each month since the introduction of the reduction in VAT.
- 787 **Nicola Richards** (West Bromwich East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to the recent upsurge in catalytic converter thefts, if his Department will take steps to ensure that insurance companies do not impose higher excesses or premiums on future policies as a result of those crimes. (179717)
- 788 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of adding golf club and premise to the businesses that are eligible to receive the Local Restrictions Support Grant.

 (178872)
- 789 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how much and what proportion of the £40 million Chagossian Support Package announced by the Government in November 2016 remains unspent. (178892)
- 790 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps he is taking to help ensure that all Chagossians living in the UK are able to access support provided by the Government's Chagossian Support Package announced in November 2016.
- 791 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment his Department has made of the value of additional tax revenues as a result of the implementation of Pillar 2 of the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development's Base Erosion and Profit Shifting (BEPS) framework.

- Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment his Department has made of the potential effect of implementing Pillar 2 of the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development's Base Erosion and Profit Shifting (BEPS) framework on costs to (a) businesses and (b) consumers in the UK.
- 793 **Royston Smith** (Southampton, Itchen): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of making leaseholders of high-rise buildings with unsafe cladding who are required to complete a self-assessment tax return exempt from any taxes due as a result of that assessment.

(179257)

794 Alex Sobel (Leeds North West): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of the proposal by The Independent Game Developers' Association to introduce a video games investment fund.

(179483)

- 795 **Alex Sobel** (Leeds North West): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of the proposal by the games industry to increase video games tax relief from 25 per cent to 32 per cent. (179484)
- 796 Zarah Sultana (Coventry South): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what the Government's guidance is to UK-based banks on allowing money transfers to Sudan-based bank accounts. (179605)
- 797 **Christian Wakeford** (Bury South): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of increasing the rates charged on soft drinks that are eligible for the Soft Drinks Industry Levy. (179735)
- 798 **Nadia Whittome** (Nottingham East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will confirm that the amount of funding allocated to education in 2022-23 will be at least that allocated in 2021-22. (179722)
- 799 **Nadia Whittome** (Nottingham East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether student accommodation providers have been eligible for covid-19 business support and assistance during the outbreak. (179724)
- 800 Sarah Atherton (Wrexham): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, what assessment she has made of the effect on women's income of excluding reusable sanitary underwear from the new zero rate of VAT. (178541)
- 801 Dan Carden (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, what assessment she has made of the potential merits of giving British Sign Language (BSL) full legal recognition; and whether the Government plans to grant full legal recognition to BSL. (179440)
- 802 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of bringing forward amendments to the Equality Act 2010 to include caste as a protected characteristic. (179578)

- Afzal Khan (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, with reference to the report of the Commission on Race and Ethnic Disparities published on 31 March 2021, to what extent that Commission participated and engaged with (a) people and (b) organisations in order for those people and organisations to be listed in (a) Appendix C: commissioned research and (b) Appendix D: Stakeholders of that report.
- Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, with reference to the report of the Behavioural Insights Team, Reducing the gender pay gap and improving gender equality in organisations: Evidence-based actions for employers, whether it is Government policy to encourage employers to clearly communicate the salary range on offer for a role to encourage women to negotiate their salary as an effective action to close the gender pay gap. (178657)
- 805 Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, what plans she has to bring forward legislative proposals to require employers to display the salary range when advertising employment opportunities. (178660)
- 806 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, what assessment his Department of the potential merits for social development among children of ceasing the use by children of facemasks in schools. (178882)
- 807 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, what recent assessment her Department has made of the levels of discrimination against Chagossians living in the UK. (178896)
- 808 Zarah Sultana (Coventry South): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, which transgender charities the Government consulted with prior to the removal of gender neutral language from the Ministerial and other Maternity Allowances Bill.

Questions for Answer on Thursday 15 April

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N Mike Amesbury (Weaver Vale): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, pursuant to the Answer of 25 March 2021 to Question 171714 on Kingspan Group, whether the Government plans to exclude Kingspan plc from eligibility for departmental and government contracts. (179494)
- 2N Bambos Charalambous (Enfield, Southgate): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what covid-19 related public awareness campaigns the Government has funded and promoted over the last 12 months.
 (179357)

- 3N Colum Eastwood (Foyle): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, if he will commission a review into the accuracy of information given by Government Departments in aftermath of the 1971 bombing of McGurk's Bar in Northern Ireland. (178582)
- 4N **Barry Gardiner** (Brent North): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether Deloitte drafted answers to written parliamentary questions on behalf of Government departments other than the Department of Health and Social Care. (178767)
- 5N Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, how many Cabinet Office jobs he plans to relocate to York; and by when those jobs will be so relocated. (179241)
- 6N Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what framework the Government uses to determine which civil service jobs are relocated to which locations. (178659)
- 7N **Jessica Morden** (Newport East): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, pursuant to the Answer to Question 169810, on 10 Downing Street: Iron and Steel, what records his Department holds on the use of UK-produced steel in the construction of the briefing room facilities in 9 Downing Street.
- 8N Kate Osborne (Jarrow): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what steps he is taking to provide a live British Sign Language interpreter at each daily covid-19 briefing. (178550)
- 9N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, if he will publish research commissioned by the Government and undertaken by external polling and communications agencies into public attitudes on the levelling up agenda. (179137)
- 10N Cat Smith (Lancaster and Fleetwood): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, when the Government plans to publish findings from his Department's pilot schemes of audio voting devices. (179208)
- 11N Cat Smith (Lancaster and Fleetwood): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, with reference to the Government's plans to introduce voter identification, whether voters that are applying for absentee ballots will be required to provide a copy of their photo identification along with their application. (179209)
- 12N **Nick Smith** (Blaenau Gwent): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether he had (a) discussions and (b) text communication with former Prime Minister David Cameron on Government support for Greensill Capital. (178999)

- 13N Virginia Crosbie (Ynys Môn): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment he has made of the potential contribution of tidal power to the energy base load; and what funding the Government has allocated from the public purse to (a) Morlais on Ynys Môn and (b) other tidal energy projects.
- 14N **Thangam Debbonaire** (Bristol West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of reforming full repairing and insuring leases for small business premises.

 (179202)
- 15N **Jonathan Edwards** (Carmarthen East and Dinefwr): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what discussions he has had with (a) Facebook, (b) Twitter, (c) Instagram and (d) other social media platforms on increasing protections for consumers shopping online from fraudulent commercial activity.
- 16N **Patricia Gibson** (North Ayrshire and Arran): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what recent changes her Department has made to regulations on the safe transport of nuclear flasks. (179204)
- 17N **Patricia Gibson** (North Ayrshire and Arran): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what recent changes her Department has made to the regulations on the carriage of nuclear materials. (179205)
- 18N Louise Haigh (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how much funding his Department has allocated to Northern Ireland for local growth deals in each year since the inception of those deals.

 (179255)
- 19N Helen Hayes (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what estimate his Department has made of the proportion of applications to the Green Homes Grant Scheme which have been (a) withdrawn before a final decision and (b) rejected. (179303)
- 20N Helen Hayes (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how the Social Housing Decarbonisation Fund will interact with the Green Homes Grant Scheme; and whether unspent funding announced as part of that scheme has been redirected to that new fund.

 (179304)
- 21N **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether the Maritime Enterprise Working Group is a permanent structure. (178864)
- 22N **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, pursuant to the Answer of 26 March 2021 to Question 167238 on Employment: Coronavirus, if he will publish the (a) number and (b) value of fixed penalty notices that have been issued to employers

for knowingly allowing a person who is required to self-isolate to work anywhere other than where they are self-isolating since the start of the covid-19 outbreak.

(179190)

- 23N Sarah Olney (Richmond Park): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps he is taking to negotiate the automatic mutual recognition of professional qualifications with the EU for (a) architects and (b) other professions. (179330)
- 24N **Abena Oppong-Asare** (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how many Additional Restrictions grants have been issued by each local authority in England. (179639)
- 25N **Abena Oppong-Asare** (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment he has made of the effect on businesses of the differences in criteria used by local authorities to determine applications for the Additional Restrictions Grant. (179640)
- 26N Abena Oppong-Asare (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if he will provide further guidance to businesses in the personal care sector on the meaning of the advice to consider providing shorter, more basic treatments as part of the covid-19 secure guidance.

(179641)

- 27N **Abena Oppong-Asare** (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether he undertook an equalities impact assessment before publishing the guidance to businesses in the personal care sector on providing shorter, more basic treatments as part of the covid-19 secure guidance. (179642)
- 28N **Gavin Robinson** (Belfast East): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether his Department plans to take steps to help prevent the sale of white goods that have been recalled by the manufacturer on online marketplaces. (179149)
- 29N **Gavin Robinson** (Belfast East): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of recognising online marketplaces as actors in the supply chain. (179150)
- 30N Karl Turner (Kingston upon Hull East): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps he plans to take to help secure (a) existing investment in the distant waters fishing fleet on Humberside and (b) future investment in that fleet and associated infrastructure; and what comparative assessment he has made between (a) the combined value of those investments and (b) the cost of establishing the proposed freeport across the Humber ports.

- 31N Valerie Vaz (Walsall South): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment he has made of the effect of the closure of GKN Automotive, Erdington on job losses; and if he will make a statement. (179089)
- 32N Valerie Vaz (Walsall South): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps he is taking to support employees of GKN Automotive, Erdington facing redundancy. (179090)
- 33N **Mick Whitley** (Birkenhead): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps his Department is taking to help ensure that industry in the North West has access to carbon capture and storage infrastructure needed to meet regional and national decarbonisation targets by 2026. [R] (179560)
- 34N **Mr William Wragg** (Hazel Grove): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps he is taking to ensure that the Department's guidance for close contact services in England is consistent with the latest evidence on covid-19 transmissibility; and what the evidential basis for advising against the provision of newspapers and magazines for clients is, as referenced in section 5.2 of that guidance.
- 35N Mark Eastwood (Dewsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture,
 Media and Sport, with reference to the Gov.uk page Coronavirus (COVID-19):
 Organised events guidance for local authorities, what the basis is for the decision
 to prohibit the attendance of spectators at grassroots and amateur sports games
 during Step 2 of the easing of lockdown restrictions.

 (179637)
- 36N Bill Esterson (Sefton Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture,
 Media and Sport, what the appeals process is for businesses that have been turned
 down for a grant from the Culture Recovery Fund; and whether there will be
 further rounds during which businesses that have been unsuccessful can reapply.

 (179081)
- 37N **Bill Esterson** (Sefton Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, for what reason the bid for a grant from the Culture Recovery Fund from MSP, Bridle Way, Liverpool, was rejected. (179082)
- 38N **Patricia Gibson** (North Ayrshire and Arran): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what plans does he have to launch an independent public inquiry into the collapse of Football Index. (179203)
- 39N **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, whether agricultural shows will be able to take place in 2021.

 (178962)
- 40N **Tim Loughton** (East Worthing and Shoreham): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what (a) steps his Department is taking, (b) discussions he has had with (i) Cabinet colleagues and (ii) Historic England on arranging the (A) investigation, (B) protection and (c) management of Galloper wreck site in the UK Marine Area as an international important heritage asset. (178756)

- 41N **Tim Loughton** (East Worthing and Shoreham): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, with reference to his Department's Guidance on how existing policies and legislation apply to historic military wreck sites, published with the Ministry of Defence in April 2014, whether it remains the Government policy to ensure historic military wrecks are offered appropriate protection and management. (178757)
- 42N **Tim Loughton** (East Worthing and Shoreham): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what requirements Historic England sets for developers on funding the (a) reporting and (b) assessment of (i) wrecks discovered at the Galloper Offshore Wind Farm site and (ii) other historically significant wrecks; and what assessment he has made of the potential risks to historical assets on that site from unregulated salvage attempts. (178758)
- 43N **Tim Loughton** (East Worthing and Shoreham): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, for what reason the Government does not provide full funding for the investigation of historically significant shipwrecks in the UK Marine Area; and how much funding has been provided by the Cultural Heritage Agency of the Netherlands for that purpose in each of the last three years.
- 44N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, whether busking is permitted under covid-19 rules. (179242)
- 45N **Alison McGovern** (Wirral South): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what steps he is taking to support the Sport England Tackling Inequalities Fund to help tackle inequality in sport. (179101)
- 46N **Alison McGovern** (Wirral South): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment his Department has made of the effect of access to green spaces on the equality of access to sport. (179102)
- 47N Chi Onwurah (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what discussions he has had with the Information Commissioner's Office on the Facebook data leak of 2019; how many UK Facebook users were informed of that leak; and whether UK users data remains compromised. (179113)
- 48N **Alex Sobel** (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment he has made of the potential effect of the Tourism Recovery Plan on the review of Destination Management Organisations.

 (179489)
- 49N **Sir David Amess** (Southend West): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, from what date university students will be able to return to campus and resume in-person teaching. (178750)

- 50N **Fleur Anderson** (Putney): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of implementing a covid-19 recovery plan for disabled children and their families. (179619)
- 51N Fleur Anderson (Putney): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, from what date university students will be able to return to campus and resume in-person teaching as covid-19 restrictions are eased. (179622)
- 52N **Olivia Blake** (Sheffield, Hallam): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if he will bring forward statutory guidelines on (a) the lines of responsibility and (b) standards for remote learning for disabled students. (179707)
- 53N **Paul Blomfield** (Sheffield Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, on what date all university students will be able to return to campus and resume in-person teaching during the covid-19 outbreak. (179076)
- 54N **Neil Coyle** (Bermondsey and Old Southwark): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether his Department's decision to change the pupil premium eligibility date from January 2021 to October 2020 will lead to a £1.2 million reduction in funding for schools in the London Borough of Southwark. (179153)
- 55N **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if he will take steps to help ensure that no maintained nursery school closes in Slough constituency as a result of reductions in the Maintained Nursery School supplementary funding; and what steps he is taking to provide financial support to maintained nursery schools at risk of closure. (179403)
- 56N **Bill Esterson** (Sefton Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what criteria are used to assess the eligibility of schools for the School Rebuilding Programme. (178666)
- 57N **Bill Esterson** (Sefton Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to the letter dated 15 March 2021 from the Parliamentary Under Secretary of State for the School System to the hon. Member for Sefton Central, if he will publish details of the criteria for bids for funding for the rebuilding of schools with high levels of need. (179080)
- 58N Barry Gardiner (Brent North): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if he will extend the Primary PE and Sports Premium beyond the 2020-21 academic year to enable children who have been in lockdown to catch up with the level of physical skills attainment appropriate to their age. (178763)
- 59N **Kate Green** (Stretford and Urmston): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, when the National Centre for Social Research's Opportunity areas place-based evaluation will be completed; and if his Department will publish the findings of that evaluation. (179105)
- 60N **Kate Green** (Stretford and Urmston): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, when he plans to bring forward legislative proposals require all full-time educational settings to be registered. (178588)

- 61N **Kate Green** (Stretford and Urmston): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, when his Department plans to publish its response to the 2019 Children not in school consultation; and whether he plans to introduce the register of children educated otherwise than at mainstream schools outlined in that consultation. (179106)
- 62N **Kate Green** (Stretford and Urmston): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, when his Department plans to publish a response to the consultation on Regulating independent educational institutions. (178590)
- 63N **Lilian Greenwood** (Nottingham South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what the Government's plans are for the return of university students; and if he will make a statement. (179053)
- 64N Lilian Greenwood (Nottingham South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, when in-person teaching and learning for students at university will resume. (179054)
- 65N Andrew Gwynne (Denton and Reddish): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of using calculated grades to award Access to Higher Education qualifications in line with those calculated grades being used for the award of other qualifications as a result of the covid-19 outbreak. (178722)
- 66N **Robert Halfon** (Harlow): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many (a) schools and (b) colleges have a designated lead for mental health. (178705)
- 67N **Robert Halfon** (Harlow): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 29 January 2021 to Question 142897 on National Tutoring Programme, what the procurement arrangements are for the second phase of the National Tutoring Programme. (179028)
- 68N **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many children have been removed from school rolls and not moved to another school in each of the last five years. (179414)
- 69N **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many children are known to be home educated in each of the last five years; and how many of those children had special educational needs. (179415)
- 70N Emma Hardy (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many and which local areas have been required to produce a written statement of action after a local area SEND inspection in each year since 2016; which of those areas have been re-visited by (a) Ofsted and (b) Care Quality Commission inspectors; and what the outcome was for each such area. (179416)
- 71N Rachel Hopkins (Luton South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what the average per pupil funding was for 11 to 16 year olds in England in each of the last five years.

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- 72N Rachel Hopkins (Luton South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what the average per pupil funding was for 16 to 19 year olds in (a) further education colleges and (b) other colleges and schools in each of the last five years. (179740)
- 73N **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, on what date will all university students be permitted to return to receive in-person teaching in response to the easing of covid-19 restrictions. (179310)
- 74N **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what support he is providing to schools during the covid-19 outbreak to support children with an Education, Health and Care Plan. (178605)
- 75N Dame Diana Johnson (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, when all university students will be able to return to campus and resume in-person teaching as lockdown restrictions are eased during the covid-19 outbreak.

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- 76N **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, from what date university students will be able to return to campus and resume in-person teaching. (178963)
- 77N **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, when he plans to respond to the correspondence from the hon. Member for Manchester Gorton of 15 January 2021 on schools in Manchester Gorton constituency. (179513)
- 78N Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to the Education and Skills Funding Agency 2020 to 2021 end of year reconciliation for adult education budget and advanced learner loans bursary grant funded providers, if he will (a) remove or (b) further lower the reconciliation threshold.
- 79N Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to the disruption to higher education as a result of the covid-19 outbreak, what plans his Department has to review the Education and Skills Funding Agency's proposals to clawback adult skills funding from colleges in the event that they miss their 2020 21 academic year targets by more than 10 per cent.
- 80N lan Mearns (Gateshead): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, from what date university students will be able to return to campus and resume in-person teaching.

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- 81N Ian Murray (Edinburgh South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, when university students will be permitted to return to campuses in the UK; and what discussions he is having with universities on the safe return of students as soon as possible.

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- 82N **Kate Osborne** (Jarrow): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether his Department plans to prioritise the replacement of Consortium of Local authorities Special Programme (CLASP) schools in the School Rebuilding Programme to ensure that teachers and schoolchildren are safe from asbestos. (179600)
- 83N **Mr Toby Perkins** (Chesterfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what plans his Department has to integrate increased levels of modular assessment in Further and Technical Education at (a) Level 3 and (b) lower levels. (179013)
- 84N **Mr Toby Perkins** (Chesterfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment his Department has made of the impact that the introduction of an outcomes based funding model will have on educational opportunities for (a) 16-24 year olds, and (b) those aged 24 and above, who are NEET (Not in Education, Employment, or Training), or have additional needs. (179014)
- 85N **Mr Toby Perkins** (Chesterfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether the flexible loan entitlement announced in January 2021 as part of the Lifetime Skills Guarantee will include maintenance support. (179019)
- 86N Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, from what date all university students will be able to return to campus and resume in-person teaching. (179536)
- 87N **Mr Virendra Sharma** (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether the School Rebuilding Programme will prioritise the replacement of CLASP schools to ensure teachers and schoolchildren are safe from the health effects of asbestos.

 (178978)
- 88N Wes Streeting (Ilford North): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if he will publish a copy of the financial assessment that was made ahead of his Department's decision to base pupil premium allocations for the 2021-22 academic year on the October 2020 school census and not the January 2021 school census.

 (179293)
- 89N **Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, on what date university students will be able to return to their campus and resume face-to-face teaching.

 (178770)
- 90N Aaron Bell (Newcastle-under-Lyme): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how many odour complaints have been received by the Environment Agency about Walley's Quarry Landfill in Newcastle-under-Lyme, each day since 27 February 2021.
- 91N Aaron Bell (Newcastle-under-Lyme): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how many odour complaints have been received about each site regulated by the Environment Agency in March 2021. (179680)

- 92N **Virginia Crosbie** (Ynys Môn): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the potential effect on fish stocks of limiting the size of fishing vessels in the (a) UK's Marine Protected Areas and (b) 6-12 nautical mile fishing zone.
- 93N **Virginia Crosbie** (Ynys Môn): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to protect the seas around the UK as part of the Government's work on helping to tackle climate change. (179702)
- 94N Wayne David (Caerphilly): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, when he plans to (a) publish the results of the consultation on improvements to animal welfare in transport and (b) bring forward legislative proposals to ban the export of live animals for slaughter and fattening. (178842)
- 95N Alex Davies-Jones (Pontypridd): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the adequacy of law enforcement for crimes involving the illegal dumping of commercial fishing equipment in UK waters; and if he will make a statement. (179685)
- 96N Alex Davies-Jones (Pontypridd): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the adequacy of the Marine Stewardship Council's certification and verification process when classifying fish for consumption; and if he will make a statement. (179687)
- 97N Colleen Fletcher (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to tackle fly-tipping in (a) Coventry North East constituency, (b) Coventry and (c) England; what (i) economic and (ii) other support he is providing to (A) local police forces and (B) local authorities to help tackle fly-tipping; and what assessment he has made of the effect of the covid-19 outbreak on trends in the level of fly-tipping in (1) Coventry North East constituency, (2) Coventry and (3) England.
- 98N **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to encourage members of the public to wear reusable face coverings during the covid-19 outbreak. (179309)
- 99N Sarah Jones (Croydon Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how many home owners have applied successfully to the Green Home Grants scheme from Croydon Central constituency, to date. (179381)
- 100NLuke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he is taking to ensure seals are protected.

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- 101NKarl Turner (Kingston upon Hull East): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the economic effect of a potential loss of access to Arctic cod on (a) jobs and (b) investment in Humberside. (179057)
- 102NTheresa Villiers (Chipping Barnet): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he is taking to promote the 2021 Great British Spring Clean campaign. (178620)
- 103NTheresa Villiers (Chipping Barnet): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, with reference to the Government's Roadmap out of lockdown, whether reaching the end of step one of that roadmap on 29 March 2021 means that voluntary litter-picks can take place where social distancing is observed.
- 104NTheresa Villiers (Chipping Barnet): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment,
 Food and Rural Affairs, whether he has made an assessment of the potential
 merits of introducing auditable tracking for products and packaging to assist with
 the enforcement of rules on litter and flytipping.

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- 105NTheresa Villiers (Chipping Barnet): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment,
 Food and Rural Affairs, if he will use the ANPR camera network to gather
 evidence for the enforcement of regulations on litter and flytipping. (178903)
- 106NTheresa Villiers (Chipping Barnet): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment,
 Food and Rural Affairs, how much his Department has spent on communications
 to discourage litter and flytipping in each of the last five years. (178904)
- 107NDr Alan Whitehead (Southampton, Test): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether, following the decision to ban electric pulse fishing in UK waters, the Government plans to make further use of its powers under the Fisheries Act 2020 to restrict fishing vessel licenses from the most destructive industrial vessels in offshore Marine Protected Areas. (178751)
- 108NDr Alan Whitehead (Southampton, Test): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the compatibility of pelagic supertrawlers in UK offshore Marine Protected Areas with the Government's commitment to protecting 30 per cent of oceans by 2030 as a member of the Global Ocean Alliance.
- 109NDr Alan Whitehead (Southampton, Test): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment his Department has made of the economic benefits to UK coastal communities of banning (a) bottom trawlers and (b) pelagic supertrawlers that are over 100 metres in length from the UK's marine protected areas. (178753)

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- 110N Nadia Whittome (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to (a) collect data on the increase in pet theft during the covid-19 lockdown and (b) help tackle the increase in that crime.

 (179720)
- 111N Nadia Whittome (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what the Government's policy is on the importation of (a) foie gras, (b) fur and (c) other products the production of which is banned in the UK on grounds of cruelty; and if he will make a statement. (179731)
- 112N Nadia Whittome (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what the Government's policy is on the import of (a) animal fur which is farmed and slaughtered in conditions which do not meet the UK's animal welfare standards and (b) other similarly produced animal products.
- 113N Bill Esterson (Sefton Central): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what assessment she has of the implications for her policies of the letter addressed to her from Trade Partners UK dated 9 April 2021 on British exporters. (179083)
- 114N Emma Hardy (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what measures are under consideration to ensure that trade deals with (a) Norway, (b) Iceland and (c) Greenland remain fair and balanced in the event that the UK loses access to fishing opportunities previously guaranteed through pre-existing EU agreements with those countries; and what assessment she has made of the potential for tariffs to be introduced for such trade with those countries.
- 115N Daniel Kawczynski (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what steps her Department is taking to help businesses to continue exporting to the EU. (178964)
- 116N Jessica Morden (Newport East): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, when the Government plans to publish UK export figures for February 2021. (178733)
- 117N **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, whether the Government's policy on freeports forms part of the negotiating mandate for UK negotiators. (179061)
- 118N **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, whether goods processed and produced in a freeport in the UK, regardless of their prior origin, are entitled to the arrangements for goods originating in the UK for the purposes of trade with the EU, as governed by the EU-UK Trade and Co-operation Agreement; and which provisions in that treaty specify that treatment.

- 119N **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, with reference to the UK-EU Trade and Co-operation Agreement, whether the Government's policy on freeports formed part of the negotiating mandate for the UK negotiators. (179063)
- 120NEmily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, which of the continuity free trade agreements negotiated by her Department since 2019 contain prohibitions on duty (a) drawback and (b) exemptions. (178928)
- 121N Karl Turner (Kingston upon Hull East): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what assessment she has made of the potential merits of incorporating into future fisheries agreements between the UK and Norway (a) the terms of the agreement established in the Oporto letters and (b) all other terms of the existing agreements between the EU and Norway. (179058)
- 122N Dave Doogan (Angus): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what functions national maritime operations centres perform; what resources and equipment are located at those centres; and how many staff are stationed at each of those centres.

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- 123NDave Doogan (Angus): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what types of
 (a) helicopter and (b) ships HM Coastguard has access to; and where those vehicles
 are stationed.

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- 124N Dave Doogan (Angus): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what role the Maritime and Coastguard Agency performs apart from coastguard. (179546)
- 125N Dave Doogan (Angus): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many staff are employed by (a) the Maritime and Coastguard Agency and (b) HM Coastguard in (i) England, (ii) Scotland, (iii) Northern Ireland and (iv) Wales. (179547)
- 126N Dave Doogan (Angus): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what is the budget for HM Coastguard has been in each of the last five years. (179548)
- 127N Jonathan Edwards (Carmarthen East and Dinefwr): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what progress his Department has made on developing the proposal for a West Wales Parkway station near Swansea for the South Wales Mainline.

 (179009)
- 128NLilian Greenwood (Nottingham South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether he plans to take steps to review the potential effect of the changes to the plug-in grant on the adoption of electric vehicles over the next six months. (179052)
- 129NLilian Greenwood (Nottingham South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what plans he has to provide support for the purchase of used electric vehicles; and if he will make a statement. (178600)
- 130N**Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, for what reason Pakistan has been placed on the red list of travel ban countries. (179515)

- 131N Sir Greg Knight (East Yorkshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, when he plans to publish the report commissioned by his Department with NatCen in response to the 2018 Cycling and Walking Safety Review. (178840)
- 132NPeter Kyle (Hove): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 13 May 2020 to Question 46749, on Public Transport: Coronavirus, what progress he has made on introducing flexible season tickets; and when passengers will be able to access those tickets.
- 133NKerry McCarthy (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues on extending funding for the On-street Residential Charge Point Scheme beyond the 2021-22 financial year. (178542)
- 134NKerry McCarthy (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport,
 what assessment he has made of the effect of the delay in the publication of
 the Transport Decarbonisation Plan from December 2020 to Spring 2021 on
 his Department's ability to reduce carbon emissions to meet carbon budget
 commitments.

 (178898)
- 135NKerry McCarthy (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues on the inclusion of a roadmap for decarbonising international aviation and shipping in the Transport Decarbonisation Plan. (178899)
- 136NKerry McCarthy (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of the International Chamber of Shipping proposals to the United Nations for a global carbon levy on shipping. (178900)
- 137N Jim McMahon (Oldham West and Royton): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, when will the preferred bidder of the HS2 rolling stock procurement process will be announced. (178669)
- 138NJim McMahon (Oldham West and Royton): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to the DfT OLR Holdings Limited Annual Report and Financial Statements for the year ended 31 March 2020, what assessment he has made of the value for money for the public purse of the Company operating with the risks set out on page 12 (a) that the Company is not sufficiently well equipped to manage any further Franchise Operations should this be required and (b) concerning the Company's ability to deliver timetable changes, due to lack of resource resilience having adverse impact on revenue, operational efficiency and reputation.
- 139N Jim McMahon (Oldham West and Royton): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether smart motorway schemes referenced the Road Investment Strategy 2: 2020 2025 that have not yet started main works will (a) include emergency refuge areas no more than a mile apart and (b) be built to the other new safety standards detailed in his Department's March 2020 smart motorway safety evidence stocktake and action plan.

- 140NJim McMahon (Oldham West and Royton): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, when the Bikeability grant was last put out to contract. (179319)
- 141N Jim McMahon (Oldham West and Royton): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much funding has been provided under the Bikeability grant scheme on average per child in each of the last 10 years. (179320)
- 142Nlan Murray (Edinburgh South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will extend the validity of driving licences for foreign nationals from the US who are eligible to drive in the UK for 12 months before requiring a theory test in the context of disruption caused by the covid-19 outbreak. (179022)
- 143NApsana Begum (Poplar and Limehouse): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what criteria her Department is using to review extended personal independence payment awards. (179626)
- 144NApsana Begum (Poplar and Limehouse): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many of the extended personal independence payment awards that are currently being reviewed were awarded following an appeal to the First Tier Tribunal or the Upper Tier Tribunal. (179627)
- 145NApsana Begum (Poplar and Limehouse): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether claimants for extended personal independence payment awards will be given a choice between a face-to-face assessment and a phone/ video assessment. (179628)
- 146NHilary Benn (Leeds Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if she will prioritise personal independence payment reassessments in cases where the applicant has a known mental health issue. (178630)
- 147N Hilary Benn (Leeds Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what the average waiting time is for a personal independence payment (PIP) renewal assessment to be undertaken; and what comparative assessment she has made of that waiting time with waiting times in April (a) 2020 and (b) 2019. (178599)
- 148NAlex Cunningham (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether the additional costs of working from home are taken into account when calculating universal credit payments for claimants who are working from home during covid-19 restrictions. (178584)
- 149NLouise Haigh (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether the extension to personal independence payment awards to allow time for renewal claims to be submitted is still in place; and whether that policy incorporates awards that are won at appeal. (179256)
- 150NHelen Hayes (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what the (a) average and (b) longest waiting time for a response to be issued to a Freedom of Information request made to her Department was in the most recent period for which figures are available. (179305)

- 151N Drew Hendry (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment her Department has made of the potential merits of extending universal credit rent support to adult children living in their familiar home where that rent is not paid to a family member. (179234)
- of State for Work and Pensions, when she plans to reply to the letters from the hon. Member for Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey of 23 November 2020 passed to the Department for Housing Communities and Local Government and then the Department for Health and Social Care before being returned to her Department for response on 17 March 2021.
- 153NAlison McGovern (Wirral South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many applications to the Kickstart Scheme have been (a) received and (b) approved to date; and how many young people have started a job on that scheme.

 (179099)
- 154NSarah Olney (Richmond Park): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps she is taking to remedy the winter fuel allowance payment letters that were sent out with incorrect information and ensure that people who are entitled to that payment receive it. (179328)
- 155NChris Stephens (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what (a) risk assessments and (b) discussions with trade unions her Department conducted in preparation for the full reopening of jobcentres on 12 April 2021.
- 156NChris Stephens (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to the return of staff for the full reopening of jobcentres on 12 April 2021, how many staff were expected to return immediately; how much notice they were given; and whether individual covid-19 risk assessments were carried out.

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- 157N**Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many recipients of pension credit are eligible for, but not receiving, severe disability premium. (179229)
- 158NChris Stephens (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many recipients of employment and support allowance are eligible for, but not receiving, severe disability premium. (179230)
- 159N Chris Stephens (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps he is taking to maximise take-up of Severe Disability Premium among eligible recipients of (a) Pension Credit and (b) employment and support allowance. (179231)

- 160NMick Whitley (Birkenhead): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether her Department has taken steps to encourage employers to furlough employees who have been instructed to shield during the covid-19 outbreak rather than place those employees on Statutory Sick Pay. (179563)
- 161N Mick Whitley (Birkenhead): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps her Department is taking to ensure that workers who were instructed to shield during the covid-19 outbreak and placed on Statutory Sick Pay (SSP) by their employers do not have their entitlements deducted in the event that they claim SSP in the future.
- 162N**Tonia Antoniazzi** (Gower): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the planned timescale is for (a) consultation with stakeholders and (b) the roll-out of the new Innovative Medicines Fund. (179372)
- 163N**Tonia Antoniazzi** (Gower): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, which cancer drugs are currently being considered by Project Orbis. [R] (179373)
- 164N**Tonia Antoniazzi** (Gower): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether any applications have been submitted to the Medicines & Healthcare products Regulatory Agency within the Project Orbis procedure. [R] (179374)
- 165NJonathan Ashworth (Leicester South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans he has for increasing funding awards for brain tumour research, particularly for research on brain tumours in children. (179122)
- 166NJonathan Ashworth (Leicester South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans the Government has to increase public awareness of the symptoms of brain tumours in children. (179123)
- 167NJonathan Ashworth (Leicester South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps the Government is taking to improve the speed of diagnosis for children with brain tumours. (179124)
- 168NDuncan Baker (North Norfolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the (a) importance of the OCTAVE trial and the timescale for its preliminary and full results for people who are clinically extremely vulnerable immunosuppressed and (b) level of risk to those people during the period from the end of shielding to the completion of the covid-19 vaccination programme for all adults; and what steps he is taking to reduce the risk of infection and protect people who are immunosuppressed, who may not fully benefit from their own vaccination, in addition to prioritising the vaccination for the people who live with them.
- 169NMr John Baron (Basildon and Billericay): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to respond to (a) the letter of 6 January 2021 and (b) follow-up letters of 8 February and 8 March 2021 from the hon. Member for Basildon and Billericay regarding his constituent, reference JB30605. (178841)

- 170N Hilary Benn (Leeds Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he made of the adequacy of the number of mental health beds in England; and what estimate he has made of waiting times to access those beds.

 (178642)
- 171N Olivia Blake (Sheffield, Hallam): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department plans to offer antibody testing for people who are immune suppressed to assess whether they have generated a response to covid-19 vaccines.
- 172N Fiona Bruce (Congleton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether the Addictions Strategy will include measures to prevent as well as treat alcohol addiction. (178546)
- 173N Fiona Bruce (Congleton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans he has to protect funding for alcohol treatment in the Addictions

 Strategy. (178547)
- 174N Fiona Bruce (Congleton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure that the Addictions Strategy will help reduce alcohol harm.

 (178548)
- 175N 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 proposed one per cent pay rise for NHS staff on staff retention. (179417)
- 176N 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 OBR's inflation forecast of his Department's proposed one per cent pay rise for NHS staff. (179418)
- 177N Dan Carden (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what discussions he has had with the Chancellor of the Exchequer on the potential effect on the wider economy of a greater than 1 per cent pay rise for NHS staff.
- 178N Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether the (a) MHRA and (b) JCVI have plans to examine the study undertaken by Pfizer on the safety and efficacy of covid-19 vaccinations for children. (179572)
- 179N Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to make an announcement on the vaccination timetable for children with underlying health conditions who are not included in the Green Book guidance.

 (179573)
- 180NDaisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of British Sign Language (BSL) interpretations services for deaf people accessing health services since funding was withdrawn for the BSL Health Access app on 1 April 2021. (179580)

- 181NRosie 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 11 December 2020 on continuing care. (178929)
- 182NRosie Cooper (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 29 January 2021 to Question 142842 on Inflammatory Bowel Disease: Medical Treatments, what plans his Department has to ensure that the NHS RightCare inflammatory bowel disease (IBD) scenario is implemented throughout England to help reduce variations in IBD care. (178935)
- 183NRosie Cooper (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 29 January 2021 to Question 142842 on Inflammatory Bowel Disease: Medical Treatments, what the timeframe is for the NHS RightCare inflammatory bowel disease scenario to be released to stakeholders for consultation. (178936)
- 184NRosie Cooper (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department has made an assessment of the effect of of NHS RightCare scenarios on improving the quality of life for patients with long term conditions.

 (178937)
- 185NRosie Cooper (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the report by the Disabled Children's Partnership, entitled The Loneliest Lockdown, published on 29 March 2021, what steps his Department plans to take to tackle the disproportionate level of mental health issues affecting disabled children and their families. (178957)
- 186NMr David Davis (Haltemprice and Howden): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what NHS England's policy and guidelines are on applying Do Not Resuscitate orders to patients; and whether age is the primary factor taken into account.

 (178794)
- 187NMr David Davis (Haltemprice and Howden): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what NHS England's policy and guidelines are on applying Do Not Resuscitate orders to patients; and whether budgetary factors are taken into account.

 (178795)
- 188N**Mr David Davis** (Haltemprice and Howden): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what NHS England's policy and guidelines are on applying Do Not Resuscitate orders to patients; and whether specific underlying health conditions are factors taken into account. (178796)
- 189N**Mr David Davis** (Haltemprice and Howden): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what NHS England's policy and guidelines are on applying Do Not Resuscitate orders to patients; and what specific factors are taken into account when applying such an order.

 (178797)

- 190N**Mr David Davis** (Haltemprice and Howden): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether NHS England issue guidelines on when GPs should start discussions with their patients on end of life care; and whether (a) budgetary factors and (b) underlying health conditions are considered as part of the decision to begin those discussions. (178798)
- 191N**Mr David Davis** (Haltemprice and Howden): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether NHS England issue guidelines on when GPs should start discussions with their patients on end of life care; and whether age is the primary factor taken into account when starting those discussions. (178799)
- 192NMarsha De Cordova (Battersea): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what progress has been made on implementing the continuity of care model of midwifery for women (a) of Black and Asian ethnic backgrounds and (b) living in the most deprived decile lower layer super output areas. (179521)
- 193NMarsha De Cordova (Battersea): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what proportion of new mothers from Black, Asian and ethnic minority backgrounds was offered the continuity of care midwifery model in (a) 2019-20 and (b) 2020-21.
- 194NMr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many staff from his Department work in the quarantine Exemptions team as of 1 April 2021; and what the average number of staff working on shift within the Exemptions team is at (a) 6.00AM, (b) 12.00PM, (c) 6.00PM and (d) 12.00AM.
- 195NMr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure that people arriving in the UK for the purpose of seeing a relative before they pass away are not prevented from doing so as a result of response times within his Department's Exemptions team.

(179389)

- 196NFlorence Eshalomi (Vauxhall): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department has plans to provide early access to covid-19 vaccinations for single parents who are at risk of being unable to care for their children in the event that they fall ill with covid-19 and do not have support from another parent or carer during the covid-19 lockdown. (178688)
- 197NColleen Fletcher (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues on the merits of increasing access to public green spaces in urban areas to help reduce health inequalities; and what steps the Government is taking to increase (a) access to and (b) the number of public green spaces in (i) urban areas and (ii) deprived communities.
- 198NBarry Gardiner (Brent North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many answers to written parliamentary questions in respect of NHS

 Track and Trace were drafted by Deloitte. (178765)

- 199NAndrew Gwynne (Denton and Reddish): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if his Department will publish the number of patients who have received an assessment through the NHS post-COVID assessment service since Oct 2020.
- 200N Andrew Gwynne (Denton and Reddish): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if his Department will publish the number of people that have used the Your COVID Recovery online service since July 2020. (178743)
- 201NRobert Halfon (Harlow): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, for what reason data on the uptake of Healthy Start vouchers is no longer publicly available; and if he will make that data available again online ahead of the increase in value of Healthy Start payments in April 2021 to allow local teams to assess their progress in promoting the scheme and increasing uptake. (179027)
- 202NKate Hollern (Blackburn): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will publish the impact assessments carried out on the (a) covid-19 vaccines delivery programme and (b) vaccination sites in (i) Blackburn and (ii) Lancashire.

 (179152)
- 203N**Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if the Government will intervene to block Centene's acquisition of GP practices in England. (179306)
- 204N Imran Hussain (Bradford East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will publish the advice from the Joint Biosecurity Centre on expanding the countries on the red list travel ban to include (a) Pakistan and (b) Bangladesh.

 (179174)
- 205NImran Hussain (Bradford East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure that there is sufficient capacity in managed quarantine hotels to accommodate travellers who are returning from Pakistan and Bangladesh. (179175)
- 206N Imran Hussain (Bradford East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what financial support his Department is providing to travellers on low incomes with limited savings that are required to pay for a managed quarantine hotel on returning to the UK from countries on the red list travel ban. (179176)
- 207NImran Hussain (Bradford East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking with Corporate Travel Management to tackle the issue of travellers returning to the UK from covid-19 red list countries unable to book accommodation in a managed quarantine hotel. (179177)
- 208N Imran Hussain (Bradford East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will publish the list of medical conditions that would exempt an individual from the requirement to stay in a managed quarantine hotel on their return from a covid-19 red list country. (179178)

- 209NDame Diana Johnson (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment his Department has made of the risk of covid-19 infection in prisons for (a) prisoners and (b) prison officers. (178734)
- 210NPeter Kyle (Hove): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how the notional PrEP allocation of £577,957 in the Public Health Grant 2021-2022 for Brighton and Hove Council was calculated. (179301)
- 211N Mrs Emma Lewell-Buck (South Shields): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department has plans to import the plant-based covid-19 vaccine produced by Medicago in Canada; and whether his Department has plans to make a vegan-friendly vaccine available in the UK. (179138)
- 212NTim Loughton (East Worthing and Shoreham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment has been made of the potential merits of making mercaptamine hydrochloride eye drops available through the NHS. (178754)
- 213N Holly Lynch (Halifax): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to improve access to NHS dentists in (a)

 Calderdale and (b) England. (179250)
- 214Nlan Mearns (Gateshead): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the effect of the closure of gym and fitness facilities as a result of the covid-19 restrictions on (a) physical and (b) mental public health.
- 215Nlan Mearns (Gateshead): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies on care home visiting during the covid-19 outbreak of the restriction by some private sector care homes of visits to residents by friends and families despite guidance from his Department that visits are permitted; and what steps his Department is taking to ensure that all care homes allow visits unless there is a reasonable reason not to.

 (179034)
- 216NLayla Moran (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate he has made of the cost to the public purse of his Department's spending on external consultants working on long Covid to date.(179462)
- 217N Layla Moran (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate he has made of the cost to the public purse of marketing campaigns designed to help tackle vaccine hesitancy among ethnic minority groups.

 (179464)
- 218NLayla Moran (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many children's social care cases were (a) reported to and (b) taken forward by Multi-Agency Safeguarding Hubs after being initially reported in (i) England and (ii) Oxfordshire in each month in 2021 to date. (179468)

- 219N Layla Moran (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the range of rates paid to agencies by local authorities was for children's social care workers in (a) the South-East and (b) England in each of the last five years.
- 220NLayla Moran (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department has plans to create a social care workforce strategy to regulate fluctuations in agency rates. (179470)
- 221NAnne Marie Morris (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when the Government plans to bring forward legislative proposals on the regulation of physician associates. (179125)
- 222NAlex Norris (Nottingham North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will take steps to ensure that the Tobacco and Related Products Regulations 2016 are used to remove any products found to contain menthol immediately from the market following the results of the Public Health England investigation into the illegal sale of these products. (179406)
- 223NNaz Shah (Bradford West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether doctors can refuse to register individuals, whose immigration status is yet to be decided, for a covid-19 vaccine. (179181)
- 224NMr Virendra Sharma (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans his Department has to reform social care; and what the timescale is for the publication of those plans. (178979)
- 225NMr Virendra Sharma (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to his Department's announcement on 5 April 2021 that everyone in England will be able to access free, regular rapid coronavirus testing from 9 April 2021, what recent estimate he has made of the number of tests that will be administered on a weekly basis.
- 226NMr Virendra Sharma (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department has secured the supply of rapid lateral flow tests necessary to meet projected demand. (178985)
- 227NMr Virendra Sharma (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment the Government has made of the potential merits of introducing less invasive lateral flow covid-19 tests for individuals seeking to take regular tests.

 (178986)
- 228NAlex Sobel (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure that the remainder of the £40 million funding for brain tumour research announced by his Department as part of the establishment of the Tessa Jowell Brain Cancer Mission Brain Tumour Research is disbursed to support scientific research on brain tumours; and if he will provide funding to increase the number of NHS staff qualified to provide services and support to brain tumour patients.

- 229NStephen Timms (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans he has for a multi-disciplinary approach to rehabilitation for people affected by dementia following the covid-19 outbreak; and if he will make a statement.

 (178773)
- 230NCraig Whittaker (Calder Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what data (a) his Department and (b) NHS trusts are collecting in order to monitor interruptions to prostate cancer treatment for existing patients during the covid-19 outbreak. (179001)
- 231NCraig Whittaker (Calder Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many Integrated Care Systems (ICS) specifically cover prostate cancer as part of their local cancer recovery plans; and whether the (a) National Cancer Board and (b) Cancer Recovery Taskforce have plans to issue guidance to ICS on this matter.
- 232NCraig Whittaker (Calder Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what proportion of NHS Cancer Recovery Funding his Department has allocated to tackle the backlog in prostate cancer services as a result of the covid-19 outbreak; and what comparative assessment he has made of how that allocation compares with such funding allocated to other cancers. (179003)
- 233NCraig Whittaker (Calder Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many of clinical nurse specialists are focused solely on (a) urology and (b) prostate cancer in England. (179004)
- 234NCraig Whittaker (Calder Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to increase the number of clinical nurse specialists working in (a) urology and (b) prostate cancer. (179005)
- 235NNadia Whittome (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure that (a) people with chronic and terminal illnesses receive the second dose of the covid-19 vaccine as quickly as possible after the first dose and (b) there are no delays in the administration of that vaccination.
- 236NNadia Whittome (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will take steps to ensure that the UK participates in international covid-19 tracking in the same way as (a) Germany with the corona-warn-app and (b) other countries.
- 237NMunira Wilson (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to private providers of coronavirus testing for (a) test to release for international travel and (b) domestic covid-19 testing listed on gov.uk, what minimum standards those providers must declare before appearing on that list.

- 238NMunira Wilson (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the prevalence of fraudulent companies claiming to be providers of coronavirus testing listed on gov.uk under the test to release scheme.

 (179589)
- 239NMunira Wilson (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether people affected by fraudulent companies claiming to be private providers of coronavirus testing listed on gov.uk under the test to release scheme will be entitled to a refund.

 (179590)
- 240NMunira Wilson (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether people who never received their covid-19 test kits from companies which were listed on gov.uk under the test to release scheme will be entitled to a refund.

 (179591)
- 241N Fleur Anderson (Putney): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the potential effect of pledging funding to the 2021-25 replenishment of the Global Partnership for Education on meeting his Department's target to get 40 million more girls into education globally and get 12 million girls literate by the age of 10. (179620)
- 242NFleur Anderson (Putney): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps the Government plans to take during its presidency of the G7 to ensure the 2021-25 replenishment of the Global Partnership for Education is fully funded. (179621)
- 243NBambos Charalambous (Enfield, Southgate): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, when he plans to publish the Ending Preventable Deaths Action Plan. (179356)
- 244N **Sir Jeffrey M Donaldson** (Lagan Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what progress his Department has
 made in implementing the recommendations of the Bishop of Truro's Independent
 Review of his Department's work to support persecuted Christians. (178838)
- 245NSir Jeffrey M Donaldson (Lagan Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what plans he has to introduce
 sanctions against human rights violators in (a) Eritrea, (b) North Korea and (c)
 Myanmar.

 (178839)
- 246NPreet Kaur Gill (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether his Department has advised charities and private sector suppliers in receipt of UK aid that they should not share information publicly on proposed reductions to that aid; and what his Department's policy is on the allocation of UK aid funding to charities and private sector suppliers in the event that those potential recipients have shared information publicly on proposed reductions to that aid. (179337)

- 247NPreet Kaur Gill (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the
 potential effect of the reduction in funding allocated by the Government to the
 World Bank's International Development Association (IDA 19) on tackling the
 covid-19 pandemic in low income countries in 2021-22. (179341)
- 248NFabian Hamilton (Leeds North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent discussions he has had
 with his Turkish counterpart ahead of the P5+1 talks on a political settlement for
 the island of Cyprus. (178832)
- 249NFabian Hamilton (Leeds North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent discussions he has had
 with his counterpart in the Republic of Cyprus ahead of the P5+1 talks on a
 political settlement for the island of Cyprus. (178833)
- 250NFabian Hamilton (Leeds North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what (a) financial and (b) technical
 support the Government is providing to the St Vincent Government in response to
 the recent eruptions of the La Soufrière volcano. (178834)
- 251NEmma Hardy (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent discussions he has had with his Norwegian counterpart on fishing quotas in the Svalbard Special Protection Zone; and what steps the Government is taking as a signatory to the Treaty of Paris to preserve rights to (a) fish and (b) minerals in that zone. (179413)
- 252NAfzal Khan (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent representations he has
 made to his counterparts in the Indian Government on its application of the
 Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Act and other similar legislation in that country in
 response to (a) mass protests and (b) other activities by activists in that country. (178713)
- 253NAfzal Khan (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, when he plans to reply to the
 correspondence of 17 December 2020 from the hon. Member for Manchester
 Gorton on the EU DisinfoLab Report on Indian Chronicles. (179514)
- 254NAfzal Khan (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what representations he has made
 to (a) Chinese and (b) Hong Kong authorities on the detention of Andy Li; and
 what assessment he has made of reports that Andy Li is being held in solitary
 confinement without access to his family or lawyers.

 (179516)
- 255N**Stephen Kinnock** (Aberavon): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether the sanctions placed on
 Myanmar Economics Holdings Ltd on 25 March 2021 include (a) financial services
 and (b) insurance.

 (179145)

- 256NStephen Kinnock (Aberavon): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what discussions he has had with the
 Prime Minister on the potential merits of using his upcoming visit to India to make
 representations to Prime Minister Narendra Modi on the shutdown of Amnesty
 International India since September 2020 despite no charges having been brought
 against the organisation.

 (179146)
- 257NStephen Kinnock (Aberavon): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what discussions he plans to have with
 the Prime Minister ahead of his visit to India on making representations to Prime
 Minister Narendra Modi on attacks on media freedom and journalists in that
 country.

 (179147)
- 258NStephen Kinnock (Aberavon): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether it is his policy that all (a)
 Uyghurs, (b) Kazakhs and (c) other members of Chinese ethnic groups resident in
 the UK, regardless of their immigration status, will be provided with consular and
 other appropriate assistance to establish (i) the whereabouts of and (ii) contact
 with their children in China in the event that they require such assistance. (179148)
- 259NMrs Pauline Latham (Mid Derbyshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how much and what proportion of
 the UK's total Official Development Assistance budget was allocated to sexual
 and reproductive health and rights including family planning and reproductive,
 maternal, neonatal and child health as calculated using the (a) Muskoka 1 and (b)
 Muskoka 2 methodology in (i) 2017, (ii) 2018 and (iii) 2019.
- 260NAnna McMorrin (Cardiff North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to the £11.6 billion
 committed by the Government to international climate finance between 202122 and 2025-26, how much and what proportion of that £11.6 billion the
 Government plans to spend in each financial year between 2021-22 and 2025-26.

(179382)

- 261N Carol Monaghan (Glasgow North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what estimate he has made of (a)
 the number of political prisoners in Myanmar and (b) the number of peaceful
 protestors killed in Myanmar since the coup in that country. (179219)
- 262NCarol Monaghan (Glasgow North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,

 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what representations he has made to
 the Myanmar military on the torture of political prisoners in that country. (179220)
- 263NCarol Monaghan (Glasgow North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking to support dialogue and a peaceful transfer of power to the democratically elected government in Myanmar. (179221)

264NCarol Monaghan (Glasgow North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of levels of violence against or detention of faith leaders and religious figures in Myanmar.

(179222)

- 265NLisa Nandy (Wigan): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent representations he has made to his Iranian counterpart on the release of the detained British-Iranian national, Mehran Raoof from Evin prison.

 (179098)
- 266NKate Osborne (Jarrow): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if he will make representations to his Colombian counterpart on the high number of ocular injuries reportedly caused by the Colombian ESMAD police unit during demonstrations in that country. (179599)
- 267NSarah Owen (Luton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 16 March
 2021 to Question 167327, if he will provide an update on support provided to
 Tanveer Ahmed Rafique. (179592)
- 268NYasmin Qureshi (Bolton South East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment has he made of
 the potential effect of Pakistan's red list travel status on the British-Pakistani
 community. (178998)
- 269NZarah Sultana (Coventry South): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 18
 September 2020 to Question 84707, on Developing Countries: Children, what
 steps his Department has taken to help end preventable deaths of (a) mothers, (b)
 newborns and (c) children around the world in 2021.
- 270NZarah Sultana (Coventry South): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps his Department has taken
 to promote the human rights and civil liberties of the English-speaking minority in
 South Cameroon. (178736)
- 271NStephen Timms (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if he will make representations to
 the Government of Israel to provide (a) compensation and (b) restitution for the
 destruction of UK-funded humanitarian aid structures in the occupied West Bank
 which led to the displacement of people in the community of Khirbet Humsah
 al-Foqa in February 2021.
- 272NStephen Timms (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,

 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what representations he has made
 to his Israeli counterpart on the sexual violence reportedly committed against a
 Palestinian child in Israeli detention on 13 January 2021. (178772)

- 273NCatherine West (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what representations he has made to his counterpart in Azerbaijan on releasing remaining Armenian prisoners of war.

 (178534)
- 274N Sarah Atherton (Wrexham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home

 Department, what assessment she has made of the potential merits of offering a
 covid-19 vaccine to police officers who will be working at the G7 Summit. (178707)
- 275NPaul Blomfield (Sheffield Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home

 Department, what steps she is taking to expand youth mobility schemes. (178710)
- 276NMr Ben Bradshaw (Exeter): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when she or her Department plans to reply to the letter from the hon. Member for Exeter of 5 March 2021 to the Secretary of State for Defence on the disposal of a World War II bomb in Exeter, which was copied to her and referred to her Department by the Ministry of Defence for further response. (178785)
- 277N**Mr Ben Bradshaw** (Exeter): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home

 Department, what estimate her Department has made of the liability for the

 damage caused by the recent detonation of a World War II bomb in Exeter. (178786)
- 278NMr Ben Bradshaw (Exeter): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home

 Department, whether the Government has made an assessment of the potential
 merits of establishing a fund to reimburse and compensate people affected by
 damage caused by the recent detonation of a World War II bomb in Exeter. (178787)
- 279N**Mr Ben Bradshaw** (Exeter): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home
 Department, whether the Government will provide a briefing on the recent
 disposal of a World War II bomb in Exeter and distribute that briefing to the
 residents, businesses and insurance companies affected. (178788)
- 280N **Mr Ben Bradshaw** (Exeter): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home

 Department, if the Government will intervene where insurers refuse or query

 claims in relation to the recent disposal of a World War II bomb in Exeter. (178789)
- 281NAlex Davies-Jones (Pontypridd): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if her Department will publish information on the number of females across the UK who have domestic abuse markers against their name and are currently missing for each year since 2010. (179688)
- 282NDave Doogan (Angus): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when she plans to publish details of the remaining two licenced operators for the seasonal agricultural workers scheme; and what steps she has taken to transfer allocations between licensed suppliers where any one supplier cannot fulfil their allocation of workers.

- 283NDave Doogan (Angus): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will publish the (a) selection criteria and (b) scoring mechanism for that criteria used by her Department when selecting which operators to licence to supply seasonal agricultural labour from abroad as part of the seasonal agricultural workers scheme.

 (179550)
- 284N Preet Kaur Gill (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the answer of 31 March 2021 to Question 174230, on Hate Crime: Young People, when her Department last undertook a review of the efficacy of its policies on the prevention and reporting of hate crimes in schools and colleges. (179340)
- 285NClaire Hanna (Belfast South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home

 Department, what assessment she has made of the potential merits of waiving the
 citizenship application fee for Irish citizens resident in Northern Ireland applying
 for British citizenship.

 (179656)
- 286NDrew Hendry (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment her Department has made of the potential merits of enabling visa applicants who would have to travel between local authority areas to attend a testing centre to undertake online English language testing during the covid-19 outbreak. (179233)
- 287NAfzal Khan (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when she plans to provide a substantive response to the correspondence from the hon. Member for Manchester Gorton of 16 October 2020 on Kharajan Mohammad. (179497)
- 288N **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when she plans to provide a substantive response to the correspondence from the hon. Member for Manchester Gorton of 21 October 2020 on Mr Tariq Mahmood and Mr Muhammad Naeem Khan. (179498)
- 289NAfzal Khan (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when she plans to provide a substantive response to the correspondence from the hon. Member for Manchester Gorton of 17 December 2020 on Mohamed Shakanti. (179500)
- 290N **Peter Kyle** (Hove): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what recent assessment she has made of the adequacy of existing modern slavery legislation in tackling child criminal exploitation. (179296)
- 291NPeter Kyle (Hove): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many and what proportion of Biometric Residence Permit cards are produced by the DVLA within 10 working days of a notification of the decision to grant leave being sent out.

 (179297)

- 292NHolly Lynch (Halifax): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what estimate she has made of the number of dispersal asylum properties that are required to end the use of hotels as asylum accommodation; and what the timeframe is for contractors to acquire those properties. (179251)
- 293NStewart Malcolm McDonald (Glasgow South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what recent assessment her Department has made of the level of the threat faced by interpreters who previously worked with UK armed forces in Iraq. (179225)
- 294N **Stewart Malcolm McDonald** (Glasgow South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the effect of the killing of Qasem Soleimani on the safety of interpreters in Iraq who had previously worked for the UK armed forces; and whether her Department plans to update its visa guidance for such interpreters. (179226)
- 295NStuart C McDonald (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what most recent information her Department holds on the number of applicants to the Windrush Compensation Scheme who have died in the period between applying for and receiving that compensation. (179170)
- 296N Stuart C McDonald (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what most recent information her Department holds on the number of people whose applications to the Windrush Compensation Scheme remain outstanding more than (a) two years, (b) 18 months and (c) 12 months after first submitting those applications. (179171)
- 297NJessica Morden (Newport East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home
 Department, what steps her Department is taking to reduce the length of time
 taken during police misconduct hearings. (178960)
- 298N **Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will allocate additional policing resources to areas experiencing

 (a) anti-social behaviour and (b) crime rates above the national average. (179024)
- 299NBrendan O'Hara (Argyll and Bute): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home
 Department, pursuant to the Answer of 1 March 2021 to Question 157144 on
 Emergency Services Network: Strathconon, for what reason the activation of
 extended area service sites cannot be accelerated on sites where both the passive
 infrastructure and electricity are already in place.

 (178675)
- 300N Naz Shah (Bradford West): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home

 Department, what provisions her Department has put in place for Muslims who

 are required to stay in a covid-19 quarantine hotel during Ramadan. (179182)

- 301NNadia Whittome (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many people who (a) are refugees, (b) have indefinite leave to remain, (c) have a temporary visa, such as a work or spouse visa, and (d) with no immigration status have been vaccinated against covid-19.
- 302NDave Doogan (Angus): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will list the tail numbers and corresponding airframe hours of each of the UK's C130 transport aircraft.

 (179551)
- 303NJohn Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether he is planning to not announce the headquarters of the national cyber force during local government election purdah. (178800)
- 304N **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many Intellectual Property technologies have been made available to the private sector through (a) Ploughshare Innovations and (b) Easy Access IP in the last five years.

 (178862)
- 305N **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what estimate his Department has made of the in-service date of Ajax armoured vehicles.

 (178866)
- 306N **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the cost is to the public purse of the Government's leasing arrangement with Titan Airways.

 (178867)
- 307NMr Kevan Jones (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether the Government's agreement with Titan Airways for the lease of A321 transport aircraft was put out to tender. (178868)
- 308N Chris Loder (West Dorset): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to the Integrated Review of Security, Defence, Development and Foreign Policy, what plans he has for The Rifles, the successor regiment of the Devonshire and Dorset Regiment. (179557)
- 309N Chris Loder (West Dorset): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the purpose is of the operations undertaken by the Light Dragoons Regiment in Mali.

 (179558)
- 310N Carol Monaghan (Glasgow North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether there are circumstances in which an armed forces pension would not be paid to a veteran in the event that they are residing outside the UK. (179218)
- 311N Stephen Morgan (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much Continuity of Education Allowance has been claimed in each of the last five years; and if he will provide a breakdown of the ranks that have claimed that allowance.

 (178721)

- 312N Jamie Stone (Caithness, Sutherland and Easter Ross): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps the British Army is taking in response to the proposal made in the 2019 Junior Entry Review to create new terms of service aligning the minimum commitment lengths of recruits aged under 18 with those of recruits who join over the age of 18.
- 313N Derek Twigg (Halton): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to the Answer of 22 March 2021 to Question 170542 on armed forces: officers, (a) when and (b) for what reasons his Department stopped collecting information identifying the (i) state and (ii) private school background of successful applicants for scholarships.
- 314N Hilary Benn (Leeds Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
 Communities and Local Government, for what reason, following the
 acknowledgement by the Building Safety Fund of its appeal in respect of Clarence
 House, Leeds Dock on 27 January 2021, the managing agents, LIV, have had no
 further contact about that appeal despite the 15 working day timetable for a
 response.

 (178611)
- 315NPaul Blomfield (Sheffield Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
 Communities and Local Government, what assessment he has made of the extent
 of landlords and private letting agents refusing prospective tenants who are in
 receipt of support from the Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme. (179067)
- 316NNeil Coyle (Bermondsey and Old Southwark): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether the statutory guidance accompanying the Domestic Abuse Bill will make clear that housing officers should accept evidence from specialist services as proof of homelessness when they assess applications from women made homeless by domestic abuse. (179155)
- 317NVirginia Crosbie (Ynys Môn): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,

 Communities and Local Government, how many bids local authorities in the second category can submit to the Levelling Up Fund (a) in the first tranche of bidding and (b) over the lifetime of the Fund.

 (179704)
- 318NVirginia Crosbie (Ynys Môn): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
 Communities and Local Government, whether his Department has issued guidance
 on the likelihood of success for a second category submission to the Levelling Up
 Fund; and whether his Department has targets for the proportion of successful
 bids in the (a) first, (b) second and (c) third category.

 (179705)
- 319N Alex Cunningham (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
 Communities and Local Government, if he will publish the expected timescale for
 Phase 2 of the Levelling Up Fund; and if he will make a statement. (179107)
- 320NColleen Fletcher (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
 Communities and Local Government, what (a) financial and (b) other steps his
 Department is taking to support local authorities to increase (i) access to and (ii)
 the number of public green spaces in urban areas. (179162)

(179253)

- 321NLouise Haigh (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
 Communities and Local Government, pursuant to the Answer of 22 March 2021 to
 Question 173088 on Levelling Up Fund: Northern Ireland, when the allocation of
 funding from the Levelling Up Fund will be determined for Northern Ireland for
 the financial years (a) 2022-23, (b) 2023-24 and (c) 2024-25.
- 322NLouise Haigh (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, pursuant to the Answer of 22 March 2021 to Question 173088 on Levelling Up Fund: Northern Ireland, what proportion of the £800 million Levelling Up Fund for the devolved administrations will be allocated to Northern Ireland in the financial years (a) 2022-23, (b) 2023-24 and (c) 2024-25.
- 323NDame Margaret Hodge (Barking): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, how many staff in his Department are involved in processing applications for the Building Safety Fund; and what grades those staff are.
- 324NDame Margaret Hodge (Barking): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
 Communities and Local Government, what proportion of applications to the
 Building Safety Fund have been accepted; and what proportion of those
 applications have received funding. (178761)
- 325NKate Hollern (Blackburn): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, if his Department will publish any impact assessment it has undertaken on councils returning to in-person meetings after the expiry of the Local Authorities and Police and Crime Panels (Coronavirus) (Flexibility of Local Authority and Police and Crime Panel Meetings) (England and Wales) Regulations 2020.
- 326NKate Hollern (Blackburn): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, when he plans to respond to the letter of 2 March 2021 from the hon. Member for Blackburn on local authority remote participation. (179151)
- 327NSteve Reed (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,

 Communities and Local Government, what steps his Department is taking in
 response to the Planning for the future consultation. (179133)
- 328NSteve Reed (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
 Communities and Local Government, if his Department will publish details
 for each of the 53 agreed Town Deals confirming which aspects of the town
 investment plans will be funded.

 (179134)
- 329N**Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,

 Communities and Local Government, what steps he is taking to ensure that Town

 Deal Boards operate in accordance with guidance issued by his Department. (179135)

- 330NSteve Reed (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
 Communities and Local Government, what guidance his Department has issued
 to lead local authorities on who would be an appropriate chair of a Town Deal
 Board.

 (179136)
- 331NTheresa Villiers (Chipping Barnet): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
 Communities and Local Government, when he plans to publish further details
 of the loan system to ensure that required fire safety remediation works can be
 carried out in buildings under 18 metres without leaseholders having to pay more
 than £50 per month.

 (178905)
- 332NTheresa Villiers (Chipping Barnet): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
 Communities and Local Government, how his loan scheme for funding fire safety
 remediation works for buildings under 18 metres will operate in cases where
 the £50 per month payment by leaseholders will not meet the cost of the works
 needed even if it continues right up the end of the lease term. (178906)
- 333NNadia Whittome (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of (a) reducing the charge for freehold information packs for individuals selling properties or (b) making those charges means tested. (179730)
- 334NBill Wiggin (North Herefordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,

 Communities and Local Government, how much funding the Government

 allocated to Herefordshire Council in 2010. (178843)
- 335NBill Wiggin (North Herefordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
 Communities and Local Government, how much funding the Government
 allocated to Herefordshire Council in 2012. (178845)
- 336NBill Wiggin (North Herefordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
 Communities and Local Government, how much funding the Government
 allocated to Herefordshire Council in 2013. (178846)
- 337NBill Wiggin (North Herefordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
 Communities and Local Government, how much funding the Government
 allocated to Herefordshire Council in 2014. (178847)
- 338NBill Wiggin (North Herefordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
 Communities and Local Government, how much funding the Government
 allocated to Herefordshire Council in 2015. (178848)
- 339NBill Wiggin (North Herefordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
 Communities and Local Government, how much funding the Government
 allocated to Herefordshire Council in 2016. (178849)
- 340N Ian Byrne (Liverpool, West Derby): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what steps his Department is taking to facilitate visits to prisons that are not currently allowing social visitors; and what steps he is taking to support prisons in reaching stage 3 of the covid-19 national framework for prison regimes and services. (179675)

- 341Nlan Byrne (Liverpool, West Derby): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what steps his Department is taking to support the wellbeing of prisoners that are unable to receive social visitors due to covid-19 health restrictions. (179676)
- 342Nlan Byrne (Liverpool, West Derby): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what additional steps his Department is taking to support the mental health of prisoners during the covid-19 outbreak. (179677)
- 343NAlex Davies-Jones (Pontypridd): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what provisions his Department have put in place to support breast feeding women who are called to undertake jury service. (179683)
- 344N **Alex Davies-Jones** (Pontypridd): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, whether needing to breast feed a child is a legitimate reason to (a) postpone or (b) be exempted from jury service. (179684)
- 345NAlex Davies-Jones (Pontypridd): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what the average waiting time was to examine digital devices at Digital Investigation Units across the UK in the most recent period for which figures are available. (179686)
- 346N **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, with reference to the recommendation made by the Law Commission as part of its project on Insanity and automatism in 2013, what steps the Government is taking to bring forward legislative proposals to replace the common law defence of insanity with a new defence of being not criminally responsible by reason of recognised medical condition. (179307)
- 347NDr Rupa Huq (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what recent assessment he has made of the adequacy of the common law defence of insanity; and what steps the Government will take to improve the law on criminal insanity.

 (179308)
- 348N **Peter Kyle** (Hove): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many suspects in (a) murder and (b) rape cases received bail in each of the last five calendar years.

 (178749)
- 349NAndrea Leadsom (South Northamptonshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if he will name the clauses within the Police, Crime, Sentencing and Courts Bill on whole life orders for people who commit the premeditated murder of a child, Freya's Law, as requested by Adam Whelan in memory of his late daughter.

 (179103)
- 350NMrs Emma Lewell-Buck (South Shields): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, with reference to clause 138 of the Police, Crime, Sentencing and Courts Bill, whether providers running secure 16 to 19 academies will be required to apply to Ofsted to register those establishments as children's homes. (179140)

- 351NMrs Emma Lewell-Buck (South Shields): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, with reference to clause 138 of the Police, Crime, Sentencing and Courts Bill, whether providers running secure 16 to 19 academies will be required to follow The Children's Homes (England) Regulations 2015.
- 352NMrs Emma Lewell-Buck (South Shields): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, with reference to the recommendation of Charlie Taylor's review into the use of pain-inducing restraint in the youth secure estate, what steps his Department has taken to establish an independent restraint and behaviour panel. (179142)
- 353NAlison Thewliss (Glasgow Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, whether his Department plans to introduce an exemption from jury service to people breastfeeding. (179199)
- 354NAlison Thewliss (Glasgow Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what childcare provision is available for people called for jury service. (179200)
- 355NKarl Turner (Kingston upon Hull East): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many firms of solicitors held a (a) civil and (b) criminal legal aid contract as of 1 April 2021.
- 356NLouise Haigh (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, whether funding for Northern Ireland from the Community Ownership Fund will be ringfenced. (178687)
- 357NLouise Haigh (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, further to the Answer of the 25 March to Written Question 173085, where the funding to support the implementation of the Stormont House Agreement proposals on legacy will be drawn. (178689)
- 358NLouise Haigh (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, when he plans to hold the next implementation review meeting under New Decade, New Approach. (178691)
- 359NLouise Haigh (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, if his Department will publish an assessment of the extent to which commitments under the New Decade, New Approach agreement have been met by the (a) Northern Ireland Executive and (b) Government. (178694)
- 360N Louise Haigh (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, if he will list the victims groups that he has met as part of stakeholder engagement on legacy legislation. (178698)
- 361NLouise Haigh (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, with reference to New Decade, New Approach agreement, published on 8 January 2020, how much funding the Government has allocated to address the unique circumstances of Northern Ireland referred to in Annexe A of that agreement; how much of that funding has been allocated; to which priorities that funding has been allocated; how much of that funding remains to be allocated; and to which priorities that remaining funding will be allocated. (179254)

- 362NClaire Hanna (Belfast South): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, what recent discussions he has had with the Home Secretary on the application process and fee for Irish citizens resident in Northern Ireland who wish to reclaim British citizenship. (179657)
- 363NPreet Kaur Gill (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Prime Minister, what metrics the Government is using to measure the delivery of its levelling up agenda. (179333)
- 364N Cat Smith (Lancaster and Fleetwood): To ask the hon. Member for City of Chester, representing the Speaker's Committee on the Electoral Commission, what recent estimate the Commission has made of the number of eligible people who are (a) not on the electoral register and (b) not registered correctly; and how the Commission calculated those estimates. (179211)
- 365NDuncan Baker (North Norfolk): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to the briefing note published by the Institute for Fiscal Studies on 31 March 2020, and its finding that public spending per person in Scotland is over 30 per cent higher than equivalent English funding, if he will review the Barnett formula to take account of (a) recent trends in the level of Scotland's population growth and (b) the cost of living in that country.
- 366NPaul Blomfield (Sheffield Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment his Department has made of the potential effect of HMRC rules which incur VAT charges on returning boats on UK citizens with boats in the EU as a result of covid-19 travel restrictions. (178712)
- 367NDan Carden (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential effect on the wider economy of a pay rise greater than one per cent for NHS staff. (179420)
- 368N Dan Carden (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, pursuant to the Answer of 23 November 2020 to Question 119350 on Capital Gains Tax, when he plans to publish the Government's response to the Office for Tax Simplification's Capital Gains Tax Review. (179421)
- 369NMr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi (Slough): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of financial support available to serviced office providers during the covid-19 outbreak. (178679)
- 370NColum Eastwood (Foyle): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether eligibility for the Bounce Back Loan Scheme is dependent on an applicant holding a bank account with a bank that is accredited under that scheme. (179682)
- 371NFlorence Eshalomi (Vauxhall): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what support his Department is providing to small businesses that are unable to access business grant schemes during the covid-19 outbreak because they share premises with a larger business and are not therefore registered as business ratepayers. (179734)

- 372NColleen Fletcher (Coventry North East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what estimate he has made of the number of free-to-use ATMs that have closed in (a) Coventry North East constituency and (b) Coventry in each of the last five years; and what assessment he has made of the effect of such closures on levels of financial exclusion in those areas.
- 373NLilian Greenwood (Nottingham South): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what plans he has in 2021 to publish benefit in kind tax rates beyond the financial year 2024-25. (178602)
- 374N Claire Hanna (Belfast South): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many times HMRC confirmed with Betindex that they were able to meet their Betting Duty liabilities between 1 January 2020 and 1 March 2021. (178552)
- 375NClaire Hanna (Belfast South): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what estimate he has made of the amount of eligible gift aid on charitable donations that is unclaimed each year. (179652)
- 376NClaire Hanna (Belfast South): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of temporarily decoupling the link between rates of gift aid and income tax to help support charities who have experiencing reductions in donations as a result of the covid-19 outbreak.
- 377NClaire Hanna (Belfast South): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will allocate funds to the devolved Governments equivalent to the £51.3 billion package for councils in England announced by the Minister of Housing, Communities & Local Government, on 10 February 2021. (179655)
- 378NClaire Hanna (Belfast South): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether there will be a Barnett consequential for the Northern Ireland devolved government as a result of the announcement of 10 February 2021 of £5 million funding for the removal of unsafe cladding. (179658)
- 379NBen Lake (Ceredigion): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, when he plans to open the online claims service for the fourth Self-Employment Income Support Scheme grant to applicants. (179376)
- 380N **Ben Lake** (Ceredigion): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether his

 Department has conducted a regional economic impact assessment by NUTS-1

 region of the capital allowance super-deduction. (179377)
- 381NBen Lake (Ceredigion): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what recent discussions he has had with his US counterpart on a (a) Digital Tax and (b) minimum corporation tax. (179378)
- 382N Mrs Emma Lewell-Buck (South Shields): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, which Departments received funding from revenues from the Soft Drinks Industry Levy during Spending Review 2020. (179139)

383N Ian Mearns (Gateshead): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if his Department will make an assessment of the potential merits of introducing a scheme similar to the Eat Out to Help Out scheme to encourage people to access health and fitness facilities to support public health and businesses in the sector.

(178741)

- 384N **Huw Merriman** (Bexhill and Battle): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what recent estimate his Department has made of the potential effect of the take-up of zero emission vehicles on receipts to the Exchequer from fuel duty in (a) 2025, (b) 2030, (c) 2040 and (d) 2050. (179217)
- 385N Anne Marie Morris (Newton Abbot): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what discussions he has had with representatives of the Financial Conduct Authority on enabling lenders to (a) restructure and (b) extend loans in light of the covid-19 outbreak.
- 386N Grahame Morris (Easington): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will identify the 20 constituencies most in need of levelling up; and if he will make it his policy to deliver investment to strengthen local economies and increase the employment rate and average wage in those areas. (179025)
- 387Nlan Murray (Edinburgh South): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of the international arbitration tribunal decision in favour of Cairn Energy plc in its dispute with the Indian Government; and if he will make a statement. (179021)
- 388N Sarah Olney (Richmond Park): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how much revenue to the Exchequer was generated from the 20 per cent tax on period pants in the (a) 2018-19, (b), 2019-20 and (c) 2020-21 financial years. (179329)
- 389N Zarah Sultana (Coventry South): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps he has taken to support self-employed people who have had no financial income for the duration of the covid-19 restrictions and lockdowns who are ineligible for support through universal credit or the Self-Employment Income Support Scheme. (179603)
- 390N Zarah Sultana (Coventry South): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps he has taken to support self-employed taxi drivers experiencing reductions in work as a result of the covid-19 outbreak and who require financial support to bridge the gaps between receipt of Self-Employment Income Support Scheme grants.
- 391NZarah Sultana (Coventry South): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what the evidential basis was for not raising the Capital Gains Tax in line with Income Tax as part of Budget 2021. (178615)
- 392NNadia Whittome (Nottingham East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether he has plans to make small business grants available to taxi drivers. (179728)

- 393NNadia Whittome (Nottingham East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will introduce a specific grant for taxi drivers whose incomes have suffered as a result of the covid-19 outbreak. (179729)
- 394NSarah Owen (Luton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Wales, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of introducing a one-off payment scheme for NHS workers similar to the £735 payment introduced by the Welsh Government.
- 395NTim Loughton (East Worthing and Shoreham): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, what assessment she has made of the potential merits of giving same sex couples the same rights as heterosexual couples to access IVF treatment. (178755)

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Questions for Written Answer

1N Paula Barker (Liverpool, Wavertree): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department has plans to prioritise students for covid-19 vaccinations during summer 2021 before their departure to universities in the UK and across Europe as part of the Turin scheme. (179661)