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## Questions for oral answer on a future day

(Future Day Orals)

Questions for oral answer on a future day as of Friday 16 July 2021.

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

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

### Questions for Answer on Monday 19 July

## Oral Questions to the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government

- Layla Moran (Oxford West and Abingdon): With reference to the Government's commitment to end rough sleeping by 2024, whether he has plans to update the Rough Sleeping Strategy to set out how that commitment will be met. (902850)
- Mr Ian Liddell-Grainger (Bridgwater and West Somerset): How many people who responded to the Government's consultation on unitary local government in Somerset supported (a) One Somerset and (b) Stronger Somerset. (902851)
- Sir David Amess (Southend West): What steps his Department is taking to reduce the number of rough sleepers. (902852)
- Greg Clark (Tunbridge Wells): What recent discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues on the effect on local authority waste collections of HGV driver shortages. (902853)
- Dean Russell (Watford): What steps he is taking to modernise the planning system in England. (902854)
- Mick Whitley (Birkenhead): What progress he has made on the Government's new deal for social housing since the publication of the social housing green paper in 2018.
- Christian Matheson (City of Chester): What plans he has to review the local government finance settlement. (902856)

- Catherine McKinnell (Newcastle upon Tyne North): What discussions he has had with the (a) Chancellor of the Exchequer and (b) Secretary of State for Health and Social Care on tackling health inequalities through the Levelling Up Fund. (902857)
- Mark Logan (Bolton North East): What steps his Department is taking to help protect leaseholders from unfair practices. (902858)
- Rachel Hopkins (Luton South): What steps his Department is taking to reform the planning system.
  [R] (902860)
- Lee Anderson (Ashfield): What steps he is taking to regenerate towns and high streets. (902861)
- Kirsten Oswald (East Renfrewshire): What recent discussions he has had with devolved Administrations on delivering the Government's levelling up agenda. (902862)
- Liz Twist (Blaydon): What progress he has made on the Government's new deal for social housing since the publication of the social housing green paper in 2018. (902863)
- Rob Butler (Aylesbury): What steps he is taking to modernise the planning system in England. (902864)
- Rosie Cooper (West Lancashire): What progress (a) has been and (b) is being made on proposals to replace Lancashire County Council with three new unitary authorities.
  (902865)
- Aaron Bell (Newcastle-under-Lyme): What steps he is taking to regenerate towns and high streets. (902866)
- Stuart Anderson (Wolverhampton South West): What steps his Department is taking to increase the supply of affordable new homes. (902867)
- Stephen Timms (East Ham): What estimate he has made of the number of multistorey residential buildings with dangerous cladding or other fire defects that (a) will miss the deadline and (b) are not eligible for the Building Safety Fund. (902868)
- Simon Jupp (East Devon): What steps he is taking to regenerate towns and high streets. (902869)
- Andrew Lewer (Northampton South): What steps he is taking to increase the supply of new homes. (902870)
- Martin Vickers (Cleethorpes): What plans he has to ensure that local communities are fully consulted on planning matters. (902871)
- Alexander Stafford (Rother Valley): What steps he is taking to regenerate towns and high streets. (902872)
- Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): What estimate he has made of the number of buildings with dangerous cladding or other fire defects that (a) will miss the deadline and (b) are ineligible for the Building Safety Fund. (902873)

- **Judith Cummins** (Bradford South): What steps his Department is taking to reform the planning system. (902874)
- Alex Cunningham (Stockton North): What steps he is taking to help ensure that homelessness levels do not increase as a result of the end of the covid-19 evictions moratorium. (902875)
- Chris Clarkson (Heywood and Middleton): What steps he is taking to modernise the planning system in England. (902876)
- Laura Trott (Sevenoaks): What steps he is taking to modernise the planning system in England. (902877)
- Christine Jardine (Edinburgh West): What recent discussions he has had with the (a) Secretary of State for Scotland and (b) Scottish Government on the allocation of the UK Shared Prosperity Fund. (902878)
- Joanna Cherry (Edinburgh South West): What recent discussions he has had with devolved Administrations on delivering the Government's levelling up agenda. (902880)
- Mr Virendra Sharma (Ealing, Southall): When his Department plans to publish transparency data on the (a) meetings and (b) relevant interests of its Departmental board. (902887)
- Alan Brown (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): What recent discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues on the (a) Levelling Up Fund and (b) UK Shared Prosperity Fund. (902897)

#### At 3:15pm

# Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government

Chris Loder (West Dorset): If he will make a statement on his departmental

| responsibilities.                             | (902910) |
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| Gordon Henderson (Sittingbourne and Sheppey): | (902911) |
| Rob Roberts (Delyn):                          | (902912) |
| Jane Stevenson (Wolverhampton North East):    | (902913) |
| Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford):          | (902914) |
| Robbie Moore (Keighley):                      | (902915) |
| Yvonne Fovargue (Makerfield):                 | (902916) |
| Kim Leadbeater (Batley and Spen):             | (902918) |
| Peter Gibson (Darlington):                    | (902919) |

| Stephen Metcalfe (South Basildon and East Thurrock): | (902920) |
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| Clive Efford (Eltham):                               | (902921) |
| Sara Britcliffe (Hyndburn):                          | (902926) |
| David Linden (Glasgow East):                         | (902927) |
| Aaron Bell (Newcastle-under-Lyme):                   | (902928) |

QUESTIONS FOR ORAL ANSWER ON A FUTURE DAY

### Questions for Answer on Tuesday 20 July

### Oral Questions to the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and **Development Affairs**

- Aaron Bell (Newcastle-under-Lyme): What recent assessment he has made of the effect of the National Security Law on the people of Hong Kong. (902990)
- Anthony Mangnall (Totnes): What steps he has taken to deploy personnel from the Preventing Sexual Violence in Conflict Initiative UK Team of Experts to Ethiopia. (902991)
- Patrick Grady (Glasgow North): What recent assessment he has made of the potential effect of reductions in the UK aid budget on the UK's humanitarian work overseas. (902992)
- Geraint Davies (Swansea West): What steps the Government is taking to work with partners in the Global South to reduce deaths from air pollution ahead of the COP26 summit. (902993)
- Paul Blomfield (Sheffield Central): What recent assessment he has made of the prospects for a negotiated peace settlement in Yemen. (902994)
- Selaine Saxby (North Devon): What diplomatic steps his Department is taking to promote international co-operation on tackling climate change. (902995)
- Clive Efford (Eltham): What recent discussions he has had with the Colombian Government on the policing of protests and incidents of violence against protesters in that country. (902996)
- Ellie Reeves (Lewisham West and Penge): What recent discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues on inserting clauses on human rights in future trade deals.
- Jacob Young (Redcar): What diplomatic steps the Government is taking to support the distribution of covid-19 vaccines throughout the world. (902998)
- Alex Sobel (Leeds North West): When he plans to make a decision on whether the UK will support the International Fund for Israeli-Palestinian Peace. (902999)

- **Suzanne Webb** (Stourbridge): What diplomatic steps his Department is taking to promote international co-operation on tackling climate change. (903000)
- Robbie Moore (Keighley): What steps his Department is taking with its counterparts in G7 countries to tackle human rights abuses throughout the world. (903002)
- Steve Double (St Austell and Newquay): What diplomatic steps his Department is taking with its counterparts in G7 countries to tackle global climate change challenges. (903003)
- Chi Onwurah (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): What recent discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues on inserting clauses on human rights in future trade deals. (903004)
- Rachael Maskell (York Central): What recent steps he has taken to support access of the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights to Xinjiang Province in China to investigate human rights violations against the Uyghur people. (903005)
- David Simmonds (Ruislip, Northwood and Pinner): What discussions he has had with his international counterparts on the principles outlined in the successor to the Cotonou Agreement and the effect of the implementation of that successor agreement on the UK's interests. (903006)
- Kerry McCarthy (Bristol East): What recent assessment he has made of the potential effect of reductions in the UK aid budget on the UK's humanitarian work overseas. (903007)
- Alex Cunningham (Stockton North): What recent discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues on inserting clauses on human rights in future trade deals. (903008)
- Janet Daby (Lewisham East): What progress he has made on making an assessment of the potential merits of granting diplomatic protection to Anoosheh Ashoori. (903009)
- Andy Slaughter (Hammersmith): Whether his Department's guidance advising against trade with illegal settlements in the West Bank extends to public bodies.

(903010)

- Mark Pawsey (Rugby): What diplomatic steps his Department is taking to promote international co-operation on tackling climate change. (903011)
- **John Lamont** (Berwickshire, Roxburgh and Selkirk): What diplomatic steps the Government is taking to support the distribution of covid-19 vaccines throughout the world. (903012)
- Owen Thompson (Midlothian): What recent assessment he has made of the potential effect of reductions in the UK aid budget on the UK's humanitarian work overseas. (903013)

- Alec Shelbrooke (Elmet and Rothwell): What recent assessment he has made of the political situation in the Crimea. (903015)
- Sally-Ann Hart (Hastings and Rye): What steps he is taking to enhance UK soft power overseas. (903016)
- Ian Levy (Blyth Valley): What diplomatic steps his Department is taking to promote international co-operation on tackling climate change. (903018)
- Simon Baynes (Clwyd South): What diplomatic steps the Government is taking to support the distribution of covid-19 vaccines throughout the world. (903019)
- Dr Neil Hudson (Penrith and The Border): What steps he is taking to ensure that tackling poverty and inequality throughout the world remains a priority for his Department. (903020)
- **Deidre Brock** (Edinburgh North and Leith): What progress the Government has made through international co-operation on tackling climate change. (903023)

### At 12:15pm

# Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs

| Sarah Jones (Croydon Central): If he will make a statement on his departmental |          |  |
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| responsibilities.  | (903050) |  |
| Richard Thomson (Gordon):  | (903051) |  |
| Catherine McKinnell (Newcastle upon Tyne North):                               | (903052) |  |
| Mark Fletcher (Bolsover):  | (903053) |  |
| Andrew Bowie (West Aberdeenshire and Kincardine):                              | (903054) |  |
| Mark Eastwood (Dewsbury):  | (903055) |  |
| Chris Green (Bolton West):   | (903056) |  |
| Paul Holmes (Eastleigh):   | (903057) |  |
| Bill Esterson (Sefton Central):  | (903059) |  |
| Sally-Ann Hart (Hastings and Rye):   | (903060) |  |
| Wendy Chamberlain (North East Fife):   | (903061) |  |
| Alicia Kearns (Rutland and Melton):  | (903062) |  |
| Claire Coutinho (East Surrey):   | (903064) |  |

Rachel Hopkins (Luton South): (903065)

Dr Rupa Huq (Ealing Central and Acton): (903066)

### Questions for Answer on Wednesday 21 July

### **Oral Questions to the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland**

- Dan Jarvis (Barnsley Central): What plans he has to bring forward legislative proposals to address Northern Ireland legacy issues.
  [R] (902940)
- **Bob Blackman** (Harrow East): What recent discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues on bringing forward legislative proposals to protect veterans from prosecution for actions taken during the Troubles. (902941)
- Tom Randall (Gedling): What discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues on the implementation of the Northern Ireland Protocol. (902942)
- Alan Brown (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): What recent discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues on reducing delays to trade between Northern Ireland and Great Britain during the implementation of the Northern Ireland Protocol. (902943)
- Liz Twist (Blaydon): What recent discussions he has had with the Northern Ireland Executive on the Research Report, Mother and Baby Homes and Magdalene Laundries in Northern Ireland, published in January 2021. (902944)
- Mr Mark Harper (Forest of Dean): What steps his Department is taking to address the legacy of the Troubles. (902945)
- Alexander Stafford (Rother Valley): What recent discussions he has had with the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport on the protection of UNESCO World Heritage Sites in Northern Ireland. (902947)
- Caroline Ansell (Eastbourne): What assessment he has made of trends in the level of economic support for businesses in Northern Ireland during the covid-19 outbreak. (902948)
- Matt Vickers (Stockton South): What steps his Department is taking to address the legacy of the Troubles. (902949)
- Marco Longhi (Dudley North): What steps the Government is taking to help create jobs and attract investment in Northern Ireland. (902950)
- Geraint Davies (Swansea West): What recent discussions he has had with (a)
   Cabinet colleagues and (b) representatives of social media platforms on tackling
   sectarian abuse and incitement online. (902952)

- Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi (Slough): What discussions he has held with cabinet colleagues and social media platforms on tackling sectarian abuse and incitement online.
  (902953)
- Christian Matheson (City of Chester): What recent discussions he has had with the Northern Ireland Executive on the Research Report, Mother and Baby Homes and Magdalene Laundries in Northern Ireland, published in January 2021. (902956)
- Rob Roberts (Delyn): What recent discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues on co-ordinating a UK wide response to the covid-19 outbreak. (902959)
- Sammy Wilson (East Antrim): What progress the Government has made on delivering unfettered access for trade between Northern Ireland and Great Britain.

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### Questions for Answer on Thursday 22 July

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

Mr Philip Hollobone (Kettering): What steps he is taking to help ensure the National Food Strategy provides a sustainable future for small-scale family farms.

(903130)

- Robin Millar (Aberconwy): What steps he is taking to help tackle livestock worrying. (903131)
- Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi (Slough): If he will bring forward legislative proposals to set a target for the abundance of wildlife species by 2030. (903132)
- Bob Blackman (Harrow East): What steps he is taking to increase tree planting. (903133)
- Andrew Bowie (West Aberdeenshire and Kincardine): What steps he is taking to maximise the share of quota for British fishermen in the next round of Coastal State fisheries negotiations. (903134)
- Catherine McKinnell (Newcastle upon Tyne North): What the planned timescale is for the introduction of the compulsory microchipping of cats. (903135)
- Alan Brown (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): What criteria his Department used to determine the allocation of the Seafood Response fund. (903136)
- Andrew Selous (South West Bedfordshire): What steps he is taking to help improve river health. (903137)
- Katherine Fletcher (South Ribble): What steps he is taking to support farmers. (903138)
- Douglas Ross (Moray): What recent discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues on support for the Scottish seed potato industry. (903139)

- Ian Byrne (Liverpool, West Derby): What steps his Department is taking to ensure food security for consumers in the UK. (903140)
- Jessica Morden (Newport East): What steps the Government is taking to improve recycling rates. (903141)
- Sir Robert Neill (Bromley and Chislehurst): What discussions he has had with Ofwat and representatives of utility companies on reducing leaks from water mains. (903142)
- Caroline Nokes (Romsey and Southampton North): What steps he is taking to improve cooperation between government agencies tackling pollution of rivers and streams. (903143)
- John Lamont (Berwickshire, Roxburgh and Selkirk): What steps he is taking to increase animal welfare standards. (903144)
- Mrs Emma Lewell-Buck (South Shields): What steps he is taking to help ensure untreated sewage is not discharged into rivers, inland waterways and the sea. (903146)
- Matt Western (Warwick and Leamington): What recent discussions he has had with the Secretary of State for International Trade on maintaining British food standards in the trade deal with Australia. (903147)
- Paul Blomfield (Sheffield Central): What recent discussions he has had with the Secretary of State for International Trade on maintaining British food standards in the trade deal with Australia. (903148)
- Stephen Flynn (Aberdeen South): What recent assessment his Department has made of trends in the level of supply and demand in the UK agricultural sector labour market. (903154)
- Munira Wilson (Twickenham): What assessment he has had made of the potential effectiveness of providing free garden waste collections as proposed in the consultation on Consistency in Household and Business Recycling in England. (903161)

#### At 10:00am

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

| departmental responsibilities.     | (903090) |
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| Sarah Owen (Luton North):          | (903091) |
| Sally-Ann Hart (Hastings and Rye): | (903092) |
| Fleur Anderson (Putney):           | (903093) |
| Claire Coutinho (East Surrey):     | (903094) |

| Andrew Bowie (West Aberdeenshire and Kincardine): | (903095)     |
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| Bill Wiggin (North Herefordshire):                | [R] (903096) |
| Mark Pawsey (Rugby):                              | (903098)     |
| Patricia Gibson (North Ayrshire and Arran):       | (903107)     |
| Kenny MacAskill (East Lothian):                   | (903127)     |
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QUESTIONS FOR ORAL ANSWER ON A FUTURE DAY

#### At 10:10am

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

- Mr Philip Hollobone (Kettering): To ask the Chairman of the Public Accounts Commission, what the planned timescale is for a response by the Government to the National Audit Office's report on Local government and net zero in England, published in July 2021. (903180)
- John Lamont (Berwickshire, Roxburgh and Selkirk): To ask the hon. Member for City of Chester, representing the Speaker's Committee on the Electoral Commission, what steps the Commission is taking to ensure that it is accountable.

(903181)

- Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the hon. Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, what steps the Church of England is taking to support social prescribing within its communities. (903182)
- Caroline Ansell (Eastbourne): To ask the hon. Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, what guidance the Church of England is providing on (a) singing in church and (b) public worship following the move to Step 4 of the covid-19 roadmap on 19 July 2021. (903183)
- Gavin Newlands (Paisley and Renfrewshire North): To ask the hon. Member for City of Chester, representing the Speaker's Committee on the Electoral Commission, what assessment the Committee has made of the potential effect of the proposal in the Elections Bill to introduce a strategy and policy statement for the Electoral Commission on the ability of the Commission to discharge its functions. (903184)
- Sir Desmond Swayne (New Forest West): To ask the hon. Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, what assessment the Church of England has made of trends in the level of persecution of people for their religion or belief in 2021. (903185)

- Alexander Stafford (Rother Valley): To ask the hon. Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, what assessment the Church of England has made of trends in the level of persecution of people for their religion or belief in 2021. (903188)
- Jacob Young (Redcar): To ask the hon. Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, what assessment the Church of England has made of trends in the level of persecution of people for their religion or belief in 2021.
  (903189)
- David Simmonds (Ruislip, Northwood and Pinner): To ask the right hon. Member for East Hampshire, representing the Parliamentary Works Sponsor Body, what recent estimate that Body has made of the total cost of the restoration and renewal of the Palace of Westminster. (903190)
- Mr Alistair Carmichael (Orkney and Shetland): To ask the hon. Member for City of Chester, representing the Speaker's Committee on the Electoral Commission, what assessment the Commission has made of the adequacy of the data on electoral fraud used in support of Government proposals to introduce voter ID. (903194)
- Andrew Gwynne (Denton and Reddish): To ask the hon. Member for City of Chester, representing the Speaker's Committee on the Electoral Commission, what recent assessment the Committee has made on the potential effect of proposed voter ID laws on electoral participation. (903195)
- Andrew Jones (Harrogate and Knaresborough): To ask the right hon. Member for East Hampshire, representing the Parliamentary Works Sponsor Body, what assessment that Body has made of the procurement opportunities for businesses in Harrogate and Knaresborough constituency as part of the restoration and renewal programme. (903196)
- Matt Western (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the hon. Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, what assessment the Commissioners have made of the effect of the charging of VAT on church repairs on the affordability of undertaking those repairs. (903204)
- Chi Onwurah (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the hon. Member for Broxbourne, representing the House of Commons Commission, what steps the Commission is taking to ensure a covid-19 secure workplace for House of Commons staff following the lifting of restrictions on 19 July 2021. (903210)
- Janet Daby (Lewisham East): To ask the hon. Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, what recent steps the Church of England has taken to progress implementation of the Anti-Racism Taskforce recommendations.
  (903214)