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# **Questions tabled on Monday 28 February 2022**

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### Questions for Answer on Tuesday 1 March

### **Questions for Written Answer**

- Sir Mark Hendrick (Preston): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what recent assessment he has made of trends in the level of (a) exports and (b) imports between the UK and the Republic of Ireland.

  [Transferred] (129739)
- Justin Madders (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps he plans to take to ensure (a) investment in and (b) benefits for the local area from a hydrogen village in the North West by 2025.
  [Transferred] (129828)
- 3 Sir Robert Buckland (South Swindon): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, whether her Department plans to bring forward legislative proposals in the next parliamentary session to put the new Digital Markets Unit in the Competition and Markets Authority on a statutory basis.

[Transferred] (129806)

- Anneliese Dodds (Oxford East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
  Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment she has made of the
  risk to people from (a) Black, Asian and minority ethnic backgrounds, (b) LGBT+
  minorities and (c) religious minorities as a result of the Russian Federation's
  invasion of Ukraine; and if she will make a statement.

  [Transferred] (129876)
- Anneliese Dodds (Oxford East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
  Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what support her Department is
  offering to people from (a) Black, Asian and minority ethnic backgrounds, (b)
  LGBT+ minorities and (c) religious minorities in the Ukraine; and if she will make a
  statement.

  [Transferred] (129877)

- Ruth Jones (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
  Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if she will sanction the President of
  Russia. [Transferred] (129893)
- 7N Mr Virendra Sharma (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when she intends to respond to the case raised in HC debate 25 January, vol 707, col 832, on Iranian refugees, and the correspondence of 25 January and 9 February from the hon. Member for Ealing, Southall constituency.

  [Transferred] (129102)
- 8 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps he is taking to engage with the German G7 Presidency on agreeing a common approach to (a) debt relief and (b) debt sustainability for debt-distressed developing countries. [Transferred] (129790)
- 9 Ms Lyn Brown (West Ham): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what recent diplomatic steps he has taken to influence the implementation of the G20 Common Framework for Debt Treatments to improve (a) timeliness of processes, (b) engagement with debt-distressed countries at earlier stages, (c) transparent estimates by the International Financial Institutions of debt relief requirements for each eligible country, and (d) participation by private creditors. [Transferred] (129791)
- Ms Lyn Brown (West Ham): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what estimate he has made of the (a) aggregate and (b) per country impacts on debt service costs to the Debt Service Suspension Initiative countries of (i) the planned end of the Debt Service Suspension Initiative in 2022, (ii) the exhaustion of the August 2021 Special Drawing Rights allocation to these countries and (iii) expected increases in global interest rates in 2022.

  [Transferred] (129792)
- Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi (Slough): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will publish the annual value of (a) imports of alcoholic spirits from Russia to the UK and (b) exports of alcoholic spirits from the UK to Russia. [Transferred] (129867)
- Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of introducing an exception to the termination of tax credit applications due to absence in the event that the applicant was not able to safely return to the UK from Afghanistan.

  [Transferred] (129885)

## Questions for Answer on Wednesday 2 March

### **Questions for Written Answer**

- Liam Byrne (Birmingham, Hodge Hill): To ask the Attorney General, if she will (a) list the spending programmes her Department devolves for administration to local government in England and other local spending bodies and (b) specify the value for each programme for every year for which budgets are agreed. (131082)
- 2 **Lee Anderson** (Ashfield): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what steps his Department is taking to help increase opportunities for fulfilment companies in Ashfield to secure Government contracts. (131315)
- 3 Liam Byrne (Birmingham, Hodge Hill): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, if he will (a) list the spending programmes his Department devolves for administration to local government in England and other local spending bodies and (b) specify the value for each programme for every year for which budgets are agreed.
- 4 Martyn Day (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, pursuant to the Answer of 25 February 2022 to Question 125579 on Infected Blood Compensation Framework Study, if the Government will expedite any recommendation that is made on interim payments to mitigate further hardship to the victims.
- Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, pursuant to the Answer of 17 January 2022 to Question 105664 on Government: Procurement, whether the first meeting of the Disability Commissioning Taskforce took place on 26 January 2022 as planned; whether he plans to publish the minutes of the first meeting; and when the taskforce is due to meet next. (131252)
- 6 Carolyn Harris (Swansea East): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether he has plans to mandate defibrillators to be located in all government managed buildings and infrastructure. (131244)
- 7 Carolyn Harris (Swansea East): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether the cost of a defibrillator has prevented the government from mandating their access in all government managed buildings and infrastructure. (131245)
- 8 **Liz Saville Roberts** (Dwyfor Meirionnydd): To ask the President of COP26, what discussions he has had with his European counterparts regarding net-zero appropriate energy alternatives in response to sanctions on Russia. (131267)
- Liam Byrne (Birmingham, Hodge Hill): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if he will (a) list the spending programmes his Department devolves for administration to local government in England and other local spending bodies and (b) specify the value for each programme for every year for which budgets are agreed. (131068)

- 10 Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what discussions officials in his Department have had with Ofcom on allowing tracking in the Universal Service as part of the Review of postal regulation. (131339)
- 11 Chi Onwurah (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what the role of innovation accelerators is; and how these differ from existing catapults to support the commercial application of research. (131168)
- 12 **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps he is taking to help ensure that all SMEs are able to offer T-Level placements across the UK. (131173)
- 13 **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what discussions he has had with the Secretary of State for Education on ensuring that local skills improvement plans contribute to delivery of national net zero targets. (131174)
- 14 Chi Onwurah (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps his Department is taking to support researchers whose funding offers have been revoked due to delays in EU approval of UK participation in Horizon Europe. (131175)
- 15 **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what proportion of the UK Atomic Energy Authority's budget in 2021-2022 has been allocated to nuclear fusion. (131178)
- Jim Shannon (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps he is taking to ensure the UK's energy security. (131185)
- 17 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps he is taking to support the development of small modular reactors. (131186)
- 18 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps he is taking to develop new nuclear power stations.

  (131187)
- 19 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps he is taking to ensure that the UK has sufficient reliable low carbon electricity to achieve net zero. (131188)
- 20 Liam Byrne (Birmingham, Hodge Hill): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital,
  Culture, Media and Sport, if she will (a) list the spending programmes her
  Department devolves for administration to local government in England and
  other local spending bodies and (b) specify the value for each programme for
  every year for which budgets are agreed.

  (131081)

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- Afzal Khan (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what plans her Department has to support children's television industry after the closure of the Youth Audience Content Fund. (131312)
- 22 Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, if she will take steps to guarantee that funding for the BBC and public sector broadcasting will continue in response to the continuous broadcasting BBC World Service and BBC News are providing over the Ukrainian crisis.
- 23 **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, whether she plans to make the 105 power cut phone number the same status as 999 to enable free emergency calls to that number from any mobile phone network. (131170)
- 24 **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, with reference to the article entitled Facebook failing to flag harmful climate misinformation, new research finds, published by the Centre for countering digital hate in February 2022, what assessment her Department has made of the implications for her policies of the findings that Metaverse is unsafe.
- Matt Vickers (Stockton South): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, how the proposed Single Customer View (CSV) to monitor customer activity of those who use internet betting platforms will be regulated to ensure that gamblers who make a profit are not unjustly registered as problem gamblers; and whether she has had discussions with relevant stakeholders on additional costs that may be caused by SCV to the levy and racing industry. (131352)
- 26 Catherine West (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what recent discussions she has had with the theatre industry about skills and training opportunities in the performing arts technical skills sector. (131273)
- 27 Catherine West (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what steps her Department is taking to tackle skills shortages in the performing arts technical skills sector. (131275)
- Nadia Whittome (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what proportion of her Department's funding for youth programmes is provided to programmes in the Midlands. (131364)
- 29 **Liam Byrne** (Birmingham, Hodge Hill): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if he will (a) list the spending programmes his Department devolves for administration to local government in England and other local spending bodies and (b) specify the value for each programme for every year for which budgets are agreed.

- 30 Carolyn Harris (Swansea East): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether his Department plans to require schools to have defibrillators on their premises. (131243)
- Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what recent discussions he has had with the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care on providing additional child and adolescent mental health service support in schools.

  (131238)
- Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps he is taking to ensure that all young people receive mental health resilience support.

  (131239)
- 33 Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if he will increase the number of places available for students to study medicine and nursing at university. (131338)
- 34 **Sir Desmond Swayne** (New Forest West): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if he will take steps to change guidance so that child-minding professionals are able to use their judgment and chose to work if a member of their household tests positive for covid-19. (131026)
- 35 Catherine West (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what recent discussions he has had with schools to promote technical theatre skills as a valid career path. (131274)
- 36 Liam Byrne (Birmingham, Hodge Hill): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will (a) list the spending programmes his Department devolves for administration to local government in England and other local spending bodies and (b) specify the value for each programme for every year for which budgets are agreed. (131079)
- 37 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he is taking to support the reintroduction of (a) the white-tailed sea eagle and (b) other endangered raptor species in the East of England.
- 38 **Dr Luke Evans** (Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what progress he has made on (a) implementing the Resource and Waste Strategy and (b) developing a fly-tipping toolkit. (131335)
- 39 **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent assessment his Department has made of the extent of the rise of professional misconduct claims against veterinary practices in the UK.
- 40 Angus Brendan MacNeil (Na h-Eileanan an Iar): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of a SPS agreement with the EU in the context of decreasing volumes of UK chicken exports to the EU. (131140)

- 41 Angus Brendan MacNeil (Na h-Eileanan an Iar): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of concluding a SPS agreement with the EU for UK industries that export (a) salmon, (b) beef, (c) lamb, (d) shellfish and (e) fish to the EU.
- 42 Angus Brendan MacNeil (Na h-Eileanan an Iar): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of an SPS agreement between the UK and EU on the number of vets required [to conduct veterinary checks on imports from the EU]. (131142)
- 43 Alex Norris (Nottingham North): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether his Department is planning to take steps through the forthcoming food strategy white paper to work with the food industry to help improve intake of fibre.

  (131301)
- Jim Shannon (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he is taking to tackle illegal puppy farms. (131184)
- 45 **Stuart Anderson** (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what steps she is taking to ensure that new trade deals support UK farmers and food producers. (131314)
- 46 Liam Byrne (Birmingham, Hodge Hill): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, if she will (a) list the spending programmes her Department devolves for administration to local government in England and other local spending bodies and (b) specify the value for each programme for every year for which budgets are agreed. (131078)
- 47 Navendu Mishra (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, pursuant to the Answer of 22 February 2022 to Question 119886 on Trade Agreements: Greater Manchester, what assessment her Department has made of the potential impact of the Free Trade Agreement with India on (a) Stockport and (b) Greater Manchester.
- 48 Gareth Thomas (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what the Preference Utilisation Rates are in total for UK trade with the EU since the end of the transition period; and if she will make a statement. (131038)
- 49 **Gareth Thomas** (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what the Preference Utilisation Rates are in total for UK trade with Japan for each of the last five years; and if she will make a statement. (131039)
- Gareth Thomas (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what the Preference Utilisation Rates are in total for UK trade with South Korea for each of the last five years; and if she will make a statement. (131040)

- Gareth Thomas (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what the Preference Utilisation Rates are in total for UK trade with (a) Albania, (b) Columbia, (c) Ecuador, (d) Peru, (e) Canada and (f) Cameroon for each of the last five years; and if she will make a statement.
- Gareth Thomas (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what the Preference Utilisation Rates are in total for UK trade with (a) Antigua and Barbuda, (b) Bahamas, (c) Barbados, (d) Belize, (e) Dominica, (f) Dominican Republic, (g) Grenada, (h) Guyana, (i) Jamaica, (j) St Kitts and Nevis, (k) Saint Lucia, (l) St Vincent and Grenadines, (m) Suriname, (n) Trinidad and Tobago and (o) for the Cariforum Trade Bloc as a whole in each of the last five years; and if she will make a statement.
- Gareth Thomas (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what the Preference Utilisation Rates are in total for UK trade with (a) Costa Rica, (b) El Salvador, (c) Guatemala, (d) Honduras, (e) Nicaragua, (f) Panama, (g) Chile and (h) Cote d'Ivoire for each of the last five years; and if she will make a statement.
- Gareth Thomas (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what the Preference Utilisation Rates are in total for UK trade with (a) Mauritius, (b) Seychelles, (c) Zimbabwe and (d) the ESA trade bloc as a whole for each of the last five years; and if she will make a statement. (131044)
- Gareth Thomas (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what the Preference Utilisation Rates are in total for UK trade with (a) Egypt, (b) Faroe Islands, (c) Georgia, (d) Ghana, (e) Israel, (f) Jordan, (g) Kenya, (h) Kosovo, (i) Lebanon and (j) Liechtenstein for each of the last five years; and if she will make a statement.
- Gareth Thomas (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what the Preference Utilisation Rates are in total for UK trade with (a) Iceland, (b) Norway and (c) Iceland and Norway together for each of the last five years; and if she will make a statement.
- Gareth Thomas (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what the Preference Utilisation Rates are in total for UK trade with (a) Mexico, (b) Morocco, (c) North Macedonia, (d) Palestinian Authority, (e) Serbia and (f) Singapore for each of the last five years; and if she will make a statement. (131047)
- Gareth Thomas (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what the Preference Utilisation Rates are in total for UK trade with (a) Fiji, (b) Papa New Guinea, (c) Samoa and (d) Solomon Islands for each of the last five years; and if she will make a statement.

- Gareth Thomas (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what the Preference Utilisation Rates are in total for UK trade with (a) Botswana, (b) Eswatini, (c) Lesotho, (d) Mozambique, (e) Namibia, (f) South Africa and (g) the SACUM Trade Bloc as a whole for each of the last 5 years; and if she will make a statement.
- Gareth Thomas (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what the Preference Utilisation Rates are in total for UK trade with (a) Switzerland, (b) Tunisia, (c) Turkey, (d) Ukraine and (e) Vietnam for each of the last five years; and if she will make a statement. (131050)
- 61 Emily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, how much of the £1,860,018 maximum liability for UK Export Finance arising between 2014-15 and 2020-21 from the underwriting of contract bonds for exports to the Russian Federation is still at stake as of the end of February 2022. (131131)
- 62 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, how much of the £6,968,303 maximum liability for UK Export Finance arising between 2014-15 and 2020-21 from the provision of insurance for exports to the Russian Federation is still at stake as of the end of February 2022.
- 63 Emily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, how much of the £3,426,277.44 maximum liability for UK Export Finance arising between 2014-15 and 2020-21 from the underwriting of working capital for exports to the Russian Federation is still at stake as of the end of February 2022. (131133)
- 64 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, how much of the £7,623,339.97 maximum liability for UK Export Finance arising from the underwriting of credit for Joy Global (UK) Ltd in 2019-20 on the export of mining equipment to SUEK OJSC is still at stake as of the end of February 2022. (131134)
- 65 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what Care on Location restrictions UK Export Finance is operating with respect to requests for cover on exports to the Russian Federation; and when those restrictions were last updated. (131136)
- 66 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, with reference to exports to the Russian Federation, what total value of export wins were achieved by her Department in each financial year from 2014-15 to 2020-21. (131138)
- 67 **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what assessment his Department has made of the potential impact of the rising costs of energy on local government finances. (131310)

- 68 **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether his Department is taking steps to support local authorities in managing the financial impact of wholesale price rises in the energy market. (131311)
- 69 Harriett Baldwin (West Worcestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how much European Regional Development Fund money has been spent in Worcestershire in each of the last five financial years. (131165)
- 70 Harriett Baldwin (West Worcestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling
  Up, Housing and Communities, how much European Social Fund money has been
  spent in Worcestershire in each of the last five financial years. (131166)
- Harriett Baldwin (West Worcestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling
  Up, Housing and Communities, how much Shared Prosperity Fund money he plans
  to allocate to Worcestershire in each of the next three financial years. (131167)
- 72 Liam Byrne (Birmingham, Hodge Hill): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling
  Up, Housing and Communities, if he will (a) list the spending programmes his
  Department devolves for administration to local government in England and
  other local spending bodies and (b) specify the value for each programme for
  every year for which budgets are agreed.

  (131077)
- 73 **Dr Luke Evans** (Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what assessment he has made of the ability of local authorities to (a) investigate all incidents of fly-tipping in a timely manner and (b) prosecute fly-tippers in the event that they have sufficient evidence of that offence. (131334)
- Henry Smith (Crawley): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps his Department is taking to help ensure that people living with (a) motor neurone disease and (b) other terminal illnesses have timely access to housing adaptations. (131162)
- Nadia Whittome (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling
  Up, Housing and Communities, what assessment he has made of the potential
  merits of levelling-up assets of community value for the Government's levelling-up
  agenda in (a) Nottingham East constituency and (b) England. (131365)
- Liam Byrne (Birmingham, Hodge Hill): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will (a) list the spending programmes his Department devolves for administration to local government in England and other local spending bodies and (b) specify the value for each programme for every year for which budgets are agreed.
- 77 **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of requiring all (a) bus, (b) taxi and (c) minicab drivers to undertake disability equality training. (131065)

- 78 **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps he is taking in response to reports of discrimination by (a) bus, (b) taxi and (c) minicab drivers against (i) assistance dog owners and (ii) wheelchair users. (131066)
- 79 **Tonia Antoniazzi** (Gower): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment she has made of the potential effect of not uprating benefits in line with inflation on levels of child poverty in Gower. (131290)
- 80 Liam Byrne (Birmingham, Hodge Hill): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if she will (a) list the spending programmes her Department devolves for administration to local government in England and other local spending bodies and (b) specify the value for each programme for every year for which budgets are agreed.

  (131075)
- Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what guidance her Department plans to issue to employers to support their immunocompromised staff to work safely from their place of work after the existing covid-19 infection control measures are lifted. (131258)
- Paul Maynard (Blackpool North and Cleveleys): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many people with cystic fibrosis in England are in receipt of (a) universal credit, (b) income-related employment support allowance, (c) income-based job seekers allowance and (d) income support. (131160)
- 83 Nadia Whittome (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what support her Department provides to women leaving prison on signing up for universal credit. (131366)
- Nadia Whittome (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps her Department is taking to ensure there are specialist staff with trauma training in job centres. (131367)
- Nadia Whittome (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many work coaches who specialise in working with women leaving prison are currently employed by her Department. (131368)
- Nadia Whittome (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of allowing women who are due to be released from prison to claim universal credit before their release date to prevent destitution. (131369)
- Nadia Whittome (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if her Department will make an assessment of the impact of the five week wait for universal credit on the wellbeing of (a) women from marginalised backgrounds leaving prison and (b) all women leaving prison. (131370)
- 88 **Hilary Benn** (Leeds Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what (a) advice and (b) communications her Department is providing to people who are immunosuppressed following the removal of covid-19 restrictions.

(131060)

- 89 **Dawn Butler** (Brent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, who is responsible for monitoring the levels of demand placed on general practitioners and their teams; and what checks are in place to help ensure that extra-contractual reporting and other activities do not compromise the provision of safe patient care. (131104)
- 90 **Dawn Butler** (Brent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what mechanisms are in place to help ensure that safe levels of workload are deployed in general practice. (131105)
- 91 Dawn Butler (Brent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps the Government is taking to increase the recruitment and retention of GPs in (a) Brent, (b) London and (c) England. (131106)
- Dawn Butler (Brent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent estimate he has made of the number of full time employed (a) qualified GPs and (b) training grade GPs in the general practice workforce in (i) London and (ii) England in each year since 2010.
- Dawn Butler (Brent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if she will make an estimate of the (a) average, (b) largest and (c) smallest patient list size per full time employed GP working in general practice under (i) General Medical Service and (ii) Alternative Provider Medical Services contracts in (A) Brent, (B) London and (C) England for each year since 2010.
- 94 Dawn Butler (Brent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how frequently the Government conducts regular analyses of workforce pressures and trends within (a) healthcare, (b) primary care and (c) general practice; and whether those analyses are published. (131109)
- 95 **Dawn Butler** (Brent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate he has made of the amount and proportion of the Additional Roles Reimbursement Scheme disbursed for items other than the recruitment and employment of additional healthcare professionals in (a) London and (b) England in each year since that scheme's introduction. (131110)
- 96 **Dawn Butler** (Brent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he is taking steps to increase core funding for general practice. (131111)
- 97 **Dawn Butler** (Brent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans he has to take steps to support general practice to help meet the health needs of Afghan refugees. (131112)
- 98 Dawn Butler (Brent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent discussions he has had with professional bodies representing GPs and general practice staff on improving clinical knowledge and training for call handlers at the national 119 and 111 services. (131113)

- 99 **Dawn Butler** (Brent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of allowing (a) midwives, (b) allied health professionals, (c) nurse practitioners and (d) other health care professionals to complete fit notes. (131114)
- 100 Liam Byrne (Birmingham, Hodge Hill): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will (a) list the spending programmes his Department devolves for administration to local government in England and other local spending bodies and (b) specify the value for each programme for every year for which budgets are agreed. (131072)
- 101 Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the effectiveness of the ways his Department communicated with clinically extremely vulnerable people during the outbreak of covid-19 with reference to (a) shielding and (b) the vaccination programme; and if he will publish any lessons learned.
- 102 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the effect of removing free-of-charge covid-19 lateral flow tests for individuals living in a household with someone who is immuno-suppressed or immuno-compromised. (131320)
- 103 Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the impact of ending free-of-charge covid-19 lateral flow testing for the general public on health services and patient outcomes.
- 104 Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the impact of ending free-of-charge covid-19 lateral flow tests on pregnant women. (131322)
- 105 Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the decision to end the free provision of covid-19 tests, what modelling his Department has made of the financial costs of procuring covid-19 (a) lateral flow tests and (b) PCR tests for (i) schools, (ii) care homes, (iii) NHS primary care services, (iv) NHS secondary care services and (v) NHS tertiary care. (131323)
- 106 Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of providing monoclonal antibodies to prevent covid-19 in adults and children over 12 who have primary and secondary antibody deficiency and who may not produce an adequate response to covid vaccines or for those in whom vaccination is not recommended.

  (131324)
- 107 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what discussions he has had with the MHRA on approving the antibody treatment Evusheld.

  (131325)

- 108 Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether the UK intends to place an order of Evusheld in advance of its potential approval by the MHRA. (131326)
- 109 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of providing preventative covid-19 treatments to patients who are being treated with immunoglobulin replacement therapy. (131327)
- 110 Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent discussions he has had with patient groups representing people who have primary and secondary antibody deficiency. (131328)
- Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to his oral evidence to the Health and Social Care Select Committee's inquiry, Work of the Department, on 25 January 2022, if he will publish the terms of reference for the NHS long-term workforce strategy. (131329)
- Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to his oral evidence to the Health and Social Care Select Committee's inquiry, Work of the Department, on 25 January 2022, when he plans to publish the conclusions of his review of the workforce needs for health and social care.
- Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to (a) tackle workforce shortages in NHS pathology and (b) support recruitment campaigns in that specialism. (131332)
- 114 Martyn Day (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what proportion of the £44 billion of additional funding announced in the 2021 Spending Review he plans to allocate to mental health services.

  (131247)
- 115 Martyn Day (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what discussions he has had with the Chancellor of the Exchequer prior to the Spring Statement on (a) funding allocations for mental health services and (b) the provision of additional funding for mental health services in the context of increasing demand.
- 116 Martyn Day (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what discussions his Department has had with the Health and Social Care Directorates of Scotland on sharing learning and best practice on improving the mental health of children and young people. (131249)
- 117 **Martyn Day** (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department is aware of NHS Grampian's virtual support service; and whether he has had discussions with the Scottish health minister on that service. (131250)

- 118 **Peter Dowd** (Bootle): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what his timetable is for reducing the cost of repeatable hormone replacement therapy prescriptions announced on 29 October 2021. (131217)
- 119 **Peter Dowd** (Bootle): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what progress he has made on implementing the reduction of hormone replacement therapy prescription costs which was announced in October 2021. (131218)
- 120 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 17 January 2022 to Question 105652 on Disability, whether the first meeting of the Disability Data Working Group went ahead as planned in February 2022; if he will publish the minutes of the first meeting; and when the working group is due to meet next. (131251)
- 121 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department consulted with charities representing immunosuppressed people on the Government's plan for living with covid-19. (131253)
- 122 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether (a) friends, (b) family members and (c) carers of immunocompromised people will be able to access free asymptomatic covid-19 tests once mass free testing has ended.

  (131254)
- 123 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of prophylactic use of antivirals for people who are immunocompromised.

  (131255)
- 124 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether people eligible to take part in the PANORAMIC study will continue to receive free covid-19 tests once free mass testing has ended. (131256)
- 125 **Vicky Foxcroft** (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, for what reason the next covid-19 booster jab is not being offered to people under the age of 75 with underlying health conditions that put them at higher risk of severe covid-19. (131257)
- 126 Carolyn Harris (Swansea East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to improve survival rates from sudden cardiac arrest; and whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of increasing access to defibrillators by mandating them to be located in out of hospital settings. (131242)
- 127 **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to support children and young people with vision impairment. (131064)
- 128 Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will bring forward guidance on consumption of alcohol by young people to tackle alcohol consumption rates among young people. (131228)

- 129 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps is he taking to ensure that parents (a) understand the risks of alcohol consumption in children and (b) do not provide their children with alcohol.
- 130 Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to reduce the number of hospital admissions of people under the age of 18 as a result of consuming alcohol. (131230)
- Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the use of alcohol by young people in public places; and if he will ensure that his Department's policies treat that matter as both a safeguarding issue and a public health issue. (131231)
- 132 Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to support Community Alcohol Partnerships to reduce alcohol consumption in young people. (131232)
- 133 Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he is making additional mental health support available for (a)

  Ukrainian refugees and (b) the wider Ukrainian diaspora in the UK. (131240)
- 134 Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what methodology his Department uses to assess the need for mental health support for women and girls who have been subject to sexual violence; and what steps he is taking to ensure that those services are (a) adequate and (b) easily accessible.
- 135 **Paul Maynard** (Blackpool North and Cleveleys): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many and what proportion of people with cystic fibrosis in England over the age of 18 are exempt from prescription charges. (131161)
- of State for Health and Social Care, if he will confirm that (a) Sir Robert Francis'
  Infected Blood Compensation Framework Study will be published soon after he has received it and (b) it will be given to the Infected Blood Inquiry soon after he has received it.

  (131123)
- 137 Alex Norris (Nottingham North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the effectiveness of direct payment pay rates in attracting care staff; and whether his Department has plans to increase the rate of pay for carers under the direct payment system. (131302)
- 138 Alex Norris (Nottingham North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he has taken since the publication of the Women's Health Strategy, to ensure that all healthcare professionals undertake training on domestic abuse delivered by specialist organisations to ensure trauma-informed practices. (131303)

- 139 Alex Norris (Nottingham North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what engagement his Department has had with (a) survivors of domestic abuse, (b) the domestic abuse sector and (c) the wider violence against women and girls sector, since the publication of the Women's Health Strategy. (131304)
- 140 Alex Norris (Nottingham North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he plans to implement local women and girls' mental health strategies, to help ensure that meeting the mental health needs of domestic abuse survivors is reflected at both a national and local level. (131305)
- 141 Alex Norris (Nottingham North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of including aspiration in the vaccine administration procedures for the covid-19 vaccine rollout.

  (131306)
- 142 **Kate Osamor** (Edmonton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will take steps to ensure that covid-19 lateral flow tests for people visiting residential care homes remain free after 1 April 2022. (131264)
- 143 **Cat Smith** (Lancaster and Fleetwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps the Government is taking to increase awareness of fetal valproate spectrum disorder among health care professionals. (131221)
- 144 **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether people with the Acute Myeloid Sarcoma form of Leukaemia will continue to be eligible for free covid-19 testing after the end of free mass testing for the public on 1 April 2022. (131164)
- 145 Catherine West (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will commit to keeping NHS covid-19 lateral flow tests for people who visit care home residents. (131276)
- 146 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
  Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment she has made of the
  implications for her policies on development and humanitarian assistance in Africa
  of potential increases in food prices caused by the invasion of Ukraine by Russia.

  (131144)

147 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
Commonwealth and Development Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 19 January
2022 to Question 102572, Bain and Company, if she will make an assessment
of the potential risks to the (a) aims set out in the Government's Integrated
Review and (b) public perception of those aims, specifically of tackling (i) global
corruption, (ii) illicit finance and (iii) the use of UK corporate structures in
facilitating high-end money laundering, of continued participation in UK public
procurement by Bain and Company. (131145)

- **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
  Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether she has made an assessment
  of the implications for her policies of (a) the proposals for reform set out in
  the report entitled Facilitating progress towards SDG2: Zero Hunger, published
  by Chatham House on 15 February 2022 and (b) the proposals on improving
  transparency in the selection process of leaders of the three UN Rome-based
  agencies by (i) creating a code of conduct for the election process and (ii)
  holding public events for leadership candidates to answer questions from key
  stakeholders.
- **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
  Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment she has made
  of (a) working conditions and (b) adherence to International Labour Organisation
  standards in relation to people in African countries contracted to provide content
  moderation services to global digital companies. (131147)
- **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
  Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what projects her Department is
  funding through its Human Rights and Democracy Programme Fund to work on
  remedy procedures for human rights abuses by businesses operating in African
  countries as of 28 February 2022. (131148)
- **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
  Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent steps she has taken
  to support the Government of Mozambique in (a) protecting the lives of (i)
  human rights defenders and (ii) journalists and (b) delivering accountability for
  extrajudicial killings.

  (131149)
- **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
  Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent representations she has
  made to the Government of Mozambique on the disappearance of journalist
  Ibraimo Abú Mbaruco in 2020. (131150)
- **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
  Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if she will (a) raise the cases of
  journalists Amir Aman Kiyaro, Thomas Engida and Temerat Negara with the
  Ethiopian authorities and (b) take steps to support the Government of Ethiopia in
  protecting journalists from punitive measures. (131151)
- **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
  Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment she has made of the
  (a) levels of uptake and (b) progress towards implementation of the International
  Code of Conduct for Private Security Service Providers in sub-Saharan African and
  Sahelian states.

  (131152)
- **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 11 February 2022 to Question 117758 on India: Rape, on which date she last raised the matter of criminalising marital rape with the Government of India. (131153)

- 156 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
  Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps she is taking to work with
  partner countries neighbouring Ukraine to help ensure that citizens of African
  states resident in Ukraine (a) are able to seek refuge and (b) are not subject
  to discrimination; and what support she is offering to African states making
  coordinated efforts to evacuate their citizens from Ukraine.

  (131154)
- 157 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
  Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment she has made
  of the level of risk of a further coup in Sudan. (131155)
- 158 Liam Byrne (Birmingham, Hodge Hill): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
  Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if she will (a) list the spending
  programmes her Department devolves for administration to local government
  in England and other local spending bodies and (b) specify the value for each
  programme for every year for which budgets are agreed. (131074)
- 159 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, for what reason the Government has not implemented every sanction possible on Russia for its invasion of Ukraine. (131292)
- 160 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether she has held discussions with her (a) EU counterparts and (b) NATO allies on the potential merits of coordinated expulsions of Russian diplomats from EU and NATO countries. (131294)
- Preet Kaur Gill (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to the Answer of 23 February 2022 to Question 125398, what plans her Department has to resume the estimation of beneficiary numbers of humanitarian and social protection. (131284)
- Navendu Mishra (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
  Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps her Department is taking to
  support the preservation of the Tibetan language across Tibet. (131340)
- 163 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,

  Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps her Department is taking to
  help support Ukraine's food supply.

  (131095)
- 164 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,

  Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether her Department is taking steps
  to supply Ukraine with oxygen cannisters. (131097)
- Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
  Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what discussions she has had with her
  Indian counterpart on India's neutrality on the UN Security Council Resolution
  condemning Russia's actions in Ukraine.

  (131098)

- 166 Nadia Whittome (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what estimate she has made of the number of people fleeing war in Ukraine who are not Ukrainian or British nationals.

  (131371)
- 167 Nadia Whittome (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
  Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment she has made of the
  number of people from Commonwealth countries currently in Ukraine. (131372)
- 168 Nadia Whittome (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
  Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment she has made of the
  number of Gypsy, Traveller and Roma people affected by war in Ukraine. (131373)
- 169 Nadia Whittome (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
  Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment she has made of
  discrimination faced by Gypsy, Traveller and Roma communities in Ukraine. (131374)
- 170 Nadia Whittome (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
  Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment she has made of
  discrimination faced by minority communities seeking to leave Ukraine. (131375)
- 171 **Hywel Williams** (Arfon): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what discussions she has had with the UK permanent representative to the UN on the feasibility of initiating global governance arrangements limiting the use of anti-satellite weaponry including (a) direct ascent anti-satellite missiles, (b) co-orbital anti-satellite weaponry and (c) ground or space-based directed energy weapons.
- 172 Liam Byrne (Birmingham, Hodge Hill): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will (a) list the spending programmes her Department devolves for administration to local government in England and other local spending bodies and (b) specify the value for each programme for every year for which budgets are agreed. (131071)
- 173 Liam Byrne (Birmingham, Hodge Hill): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will set out (a) the number of FTE's and (b) the resources devoted to the Kleptocracy cell in the National Crime Agency. (131086)
- 174 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps the Government is taking to tackle the potential operation in the UK of covert agents acting for the Russian state. (131293)
- 175 **Ben Everitt** (Milton Keynes North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will make it her policy to support the Initial Police Learning and Development Programme into the future. (131351)
- 176 Adam Holloway (Gravesham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of implementing a visa scheme for seasonal workers to support the agricultural industry.

  (131125)

- 177 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will take steps to co-operate with European countries to ensure that no refugee from the Ukrainian crisis is denied access to the UK. (131237)
- 178 **Abena Oppong-Asare** (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to enable the Ukrainian family members of British nationals to obtain family migration visas in the event that they cannot safely reach a Visa Application Centre. (131346)
- 179 **Abena Oppong-Asare** (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what her Department is prioritising applications for family migration visas made by people who are fleeing Ukraine. (131347)
- 180 Abena Oppong-Asare (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what proportion of applications for family migration visas made in Ukraine have been concluded within 24 hours as of 25 February 2022. (131348)
- 181 Alex Sobel (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home
  Department, how many Russian nationals who are holders of tier 1 visas have
  been identified as having previously been in the Russian armed forces. (131309)
- 182 **David Warburton** (Somerton and Frome): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to reduce rural crime; and what assessment her Department has made of the impact on communities of rural crime in (a) Somerton and Frome and (b) the South West. (131277)
- 183 Nadia Whittome (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether it is her policy to open safe routes to the UK for non-British and non-Ukrainian nationals fleeing war in Ukraine. (131376)
- 184 Nadia Whittome (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether it is her policy to provide support to Commonwealth nationals who are fleeing war in Ukraine. (131377)
- 185 Liam Byrne (Birmingham, Hodge Hill): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will (a) list the spending programmes his Department devolves for administration to local government in England and other local spending bodies and (b) specify the value for each programme for every year for which budgets are agreed.
- 186 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many individual ARAP primary applicants his Department has relocated to the UK in each month since April 2021. (131058)
- 187 **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether he plans to reverse the decision to cut full-time Army personnel to 73,000.
- 188 **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many F-35b aircraft his Department plans to procure. (131090)

- 189 **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, for what reason his Department decided not to undertake a Defence Capability

  Assessment Register assessment in 2022 as part of its Equipment Plan. (131093)
- 190 Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will halt his Department's plans for (a) rebasing and (b) closure of bases in response to the invasion of Ukraine. (131223)
- 191 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether he plans to launch a new recruitment programme for the armed forces in response to the situation in Ukraine. (131224)
- 192 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps he is taking with his NATO counterparts to ensure routes out of the Ukraine remain safe and open. (131225)
- 193 Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will take steps to help ensure that food and medical supplies are available in neighbouring countries to that of Ukraine. (131226)
- 194 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps his Department is taking to prevent Russian disinformation in the UK. (131096)
- 195 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many armed forces medics are (a) deployed and (b) planned to be deployed in hospitals in Northern Ireland. (131183)
- 196 Liam Byrne (Birmingham, Hodge Hill): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if he will (a) list the spending programmes his Department devolves for administration to local government in England and other local spending bodies and (b) specify the value for each programme for every year for which budgets are agreed.

  (131069)
- 197 **Dr Luke Evans** (Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what assessment he has made of the (a) effectiveness and (b) adequacy of the severity of the deterrent for flytipping. (131336)
- 198 **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, with reference to the oral contribution of the then Under Parliamentary Secretary of State for Justice of 25 January 2018, Official Report column 475, whether his Department has taken steps to increase the data it collects on the number of cases brought under joint enterprise. (131205)
- 199 **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many recommendations from The Lammy Review of the treatment of, and outcomes for, Black, Asian and Minority Ethnic individuals in the Criminal Justice System have been (a) been accepted by his Department and (b) implemented by his Department to date.

- **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, whether (a) he and (b) other Ministers in his Department have received from law firms with offices in London attempting to stop efforts to implement asset freezes and travel bans relating to the Russian invasion of Ukraine. (131207)
- **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what estimate he has made of the number of law firms potentially involved in money laundering by people or organisations linked to the Russian Government. (131208)
- 202 Liam Byrne (Birmingham, Hodge Hill): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will (a) list the spending programmes his Department devolves for administration to local government in England and other local spending bodies and (b) specify the value for each programme for every year for which budgets are agreed.
- 203 Richard Fuller (North East Bedfordshire): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to the independent review of Loan Charges published on 3

  December 2020, whether he plans to commission a new review to examine the Loan Charge in the context of promoters of these schemes as well individuals using these schemes.

  (131158)
- **Dame Margaret Hodge** (Barking): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many licences OFSI has issued for legal fees in FY2022 as of 28 February 2022. (131031)
- 205 Adam Holloway (Gravesham): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if the Government will make an assessment of the potential merits of introducing a reduced duty rate for sales at the production point for the English wine industry, in order to provide support for that industry and the tourism sector through vineyard visits, winery tours, and distillery and brewery visits. (131124)
- **David Linden** (Glasgow East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential implications for his policies that a 4 per cent alcohol by volume pint of beer or cider contains more alcohol than a Scotch Whisky cocktail but raises less duty under his Department's reform proposals; and he if will make a statement. (131295)
- **David Linden** (Glasgow East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what comparative assessment he has made of the potential implications for his policies of the way his Department's plans to tax alcohol by product strength with the guidance of the Chief Medical Officer which does not make a distinction in how units of alcohol are consumed in respect of responsible drinking. (131296)
- **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what fiscal steps he is taking to tackle levels of child poverty in (a) families with three or more children and (b) other families in response to rising costs of living. (131180)
- **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will increase funding through the Barnett consequentials to support levelling up in the devolved Administrations. (131181)

- 210 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps he is taking to protect access to cash for elderly people. (131182)
- 211 **David Warburton** (Somerton and Frome): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps his Department is taking to mitigate the impact of business rates on the economic viability of music venues. (131278)
- 212 Yasmin Qureshi (Bolton South East): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, what assessment she has made of the potential merits of bringing forward legislative proposals to make single parents the tenth protected characteristic to the Equality Act 2010. (131159)

### Questions for Answer on Thursday 3 March

### **Questions for Written Answer**

- 1N **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, which Government Department is the policy lead for (a) climate mitigation and (b) climate adaptation in the British Overseas Territories. (131117)
- 2N **Jessica Morden** (Newport East): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, pursuant to the Answer of 24 February 2022 to Question 125060 on Infected Blood Compensation Framework Study, when the Government plans to publish the infected blood compensation framework report by Sir Robert Francis QC. (131143)
- 3N **Brendan O'Hara** (Argyll and Bute): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, with reference to the oral contribution of the Minister for Brexit Opportunities and Government Efficiency, if he will publish the 1,800 recommendations received in response to his recent article in The Sun newspaper relating to opportunities arising from the UK's departure from the EU. (131210)
- 4N **Mr Virendra Sharma** (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, pursuant to the Answer of 28 February 2022 to Question 128229, how many outstanding (a) emails and (b) letters he has from the public as at 28 February 2022.
- 5N **Virginia Crosbie** (Ynys Môn): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps he is taking to help and encourage households to improve energy efficiency. (131355)
- 6N Chi Onwurah (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of SMEs accessing Public Sector contracts via the digital platform of Bloom Services; and if he will make an assessment of the compatibility of those services with those provided by Crown Commercial Services. (131172)

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- 7N Chi Onwurah (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps are being taken to prevent a loss of scientific skills and expertise in the event that the UK fails to secure association to Horizon. (131176)
- 8N Chi Onwurah (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how much funding his Department has allocated to to research on alternative energy resources for (a) 2020-21 and (b) 2021-22.
- 9N Chi Onwurah (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if he will (a) review all Belarusian and Russian beneficiaries of UK R&D spending and (b) assess how much R&D investment in the UK comes from Russia or Belarus. (131179)
- 10N Lloyd Russell-Moyle (Brighton, Kemptown): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what estimate he has made of training times required to achieve basic certification to work in the offshore (a) oil and gas and (b) wind sector of the UK Continental Shelf (UKCS).
- 11N Lloyd Russell-Moyle (Brighton, Kemptown): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, with reference to the North Sea Transition Deal, published on 24 March 2021, what progress the Energy Skills Alliance has made in developing training and standards for all offshore energy industries.
- 12N **Lloyd Russell-Moyle** (Brighton, Kemptown): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, with reference to the North Sea Transition Deal, published on 24 March 2021, when he plans to publish the Integrated People and Skills Plan. (131288)
- 13N Lloyd Russell-Moyle (Brighton, Kemptown): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what the membership of the Energy Skills Alliance is. (131289)
- 14N **Mr Virendra Sharma** (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether his Department is taking steps to legislate for more energy efficient homes. (131156)
- 15N Alison Thewliss (Glasgow Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how many Scottish Limited Partnerships failed to register a Person of Significant Control in each year since the requirement to register came into force. (131219)
- 16N Alison Thewliss (Glasgow Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how many Scottish Limited Partnerships have been fined for failing to register a Person of Significant Control in each year since the requirement to register came into force; and what the value of those fines was.

(131220)

17N Nadia Whittome (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps he is taking to help ensure that workplaces provide statutory bereavement leave to both parents after baby loss.

(131360)

- 18N **Peter Dowd** (Bootle): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment he has made of the (a) level of children's exposure to alcohol marketing and (b) impact of that exposure on children. (131215)
- 19N **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what recent assessment she has made of the effect of switching the telephone network from copper wires to digital phone lines on resilience to power cuts. (131169)
- 20N Lucy Powell (Manchester Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital,
  Culture, Media and Sport, what progress she has made on developing creative
  clusters, as announced in the creative industries sector deal. (131199)
- 21N **Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, pursuant to the Answer of 23 February 2022 to Question 124952 on Gambling: Fines, in which of the 46 cases was the level of the financial penalty reduced following representations and evidence received from the company concerned.
- 22N Nadia Whittome (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital,
  Culture, Media and Sport, what steps her Department is taking to ensure equal
  access to National Citizen Service programmes for disadvantaged young people.

  (131361)
- 23N Nadia Whittome (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital,
  Culture, Media and Sport, what proportion of her Department's annual funding
  for youth programmes is provided to the National Citizen Service Trust. (131362)
- 24N Nadia Whittome (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital,
  Culture, Media and Sport, what financial support her Department will provide to
  local authorities for the delivery of youth services in the next two years. (131363)
- 25N **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of protecting the titles of interpreters and translators in law. (131308)
- 26N **Navendu Mishra** (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what plans he has to support schools facing rising energy costs. (131342)
- 27N **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what his policy is on Russia's continuing membership of international educational bodies of which the UK is also a member; and if he will make a statement.

  (131163)

- 28N Alex Norris (Nottingham North): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of increasing its cooperation with the food industry to improve fibre intake.

  (131300)
- 29N Liz Saville Roberts (Dwyfor Meirionnydd): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, with reference to his Department's consultation on Commercial and Non-Commercial Movements of Pets into Great Britain opened in August 2021, what assessment he has made of the potential effect on smuggling cats and kittens of the proposed (a) protections and (b) exclusions.
- 30N Liz Saville Roberts (Dwyfor Meirionnydd): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent steps he has taken to improve the (a) accuracy and (b) transparency of data collected by the UK Government on the importation of pets. (131266)
- 31N **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, how many new export projects have been supported by UK Export Finance in the Russian Federation since the start of 2021-22; and what the total maximum liability for UK Export Finance is arising from that support. (131129)
- 32N Emily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, how much of the £171,099,381.84 maximum liability for UK Export Finance arising between 2014-15 and 2020-21 from the underwriting of credit for buyers located in the Russian Federation is still at stake as of the end of February 2022.
- 33N **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, if she will publish the names of institutions headquartered in the Russian Federation that were approved to provide credit underwritten by UK Export Finance for exports to the Russian Federation as of the end of 2020-21. (131135)
- 34N **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, how many of the 9 UK staff and 60 local staff employed to promote her Department's export and investment objectives in Eastern Europe and Central Asia as of 31 March 2021 were based in the Russian Federation. (131137)
- 35N **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, with reference to inward investment from the Russian Federation, what total number of inward investment projects supported by her Department were delivered in each financial year from 2014-15 to 2020-21. (131139)
- 36N **Hilary Benn** (Leeds Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, for what reason leaseholders who are landlords are not able to receive support for the rectification of unsafe cladding and other fire safety defects.

  (131061)

- 37N **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, pursuant to the Answer to Question 125443 on Supported Housing: Regulation, what data his Department holds on the extent and prevalence of supported housing landlords providing poor quality accommodation; and if he will make an assessment of the adequacy of support for residents affected by the operation of rogue landlords.

  [R] (131307)
- 38N Navendu Mishra (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up,
  Housing and Communities, what recent assessment his Department has made
  of the level of demand for housebuilding in (a) Stockport constituency and (b)
  Greater Manchester. (131341)
- 39N Navendu Mishra (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps his Department has taken to help (a) local authorities and (b) housing associations to respond to demand for social housing following the issue of section 21 notices to private tenants. (131343)
- 40N Alex Norris (Nottingham North): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up,
  Housing and Communities, if he will meet with representatives from Asthma
  UK and the British Lung Foundation Partnership to discuss their plans to deliver
  investment in respiratory research and development in the UK. (131297)
- 41N Alex Norris (Nottingham North): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what recent steps his Department has taken to level up inequalities in respiratory health across the north of England. (131298)
- 42N **Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, pursuant to the Answer of 25 February to Question 126535 on European Social Fund and UK Shared Prosperity Fund, if he will list the types of organisations his Department plans to consult to inform the launch of the UK Share Prosperity Fund prospectus in the Spring. (131036)
- 43N **Virginia Crosbie** (Ynys Môn): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps he is taking to help ensure that the DVLA has adequate resources to clear the backlog of (a) new and (b) renewed driving licence application; and what recent assessment he has made of DVLA performance in 2021. (131354)
- 44N **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 23 November 2021 to Question 76803, if his Department will make an assessment of the potential impact of awaiting a RNEP update on (i) industry confidence in a strategic, long-term plan for rail investment, (ii) industry investment in acquiring the necessary skills and staff to be able to deliver rail infrastructure projects, (iii) the cost to the taxpayer as a result of uncertainty in the supply sector, and (iv) the completion date. (131291)

- 45N **Gill Furniss** (Sheffield, Brightside and Hillsborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of to Question 125381, on Electric Scooters: Injuries, with which NHS Trusts he is working to collect evidence on rental e-scooter casualties; and if he will publish all evidence collected, including through STATS19 Data. (131279)
- 46N **Gill Furniss** (Sheffield, Brightside and Hillsborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 23 February 2022 to Question 125383, on Electric Scooters: Injuries, if he will ensure that the National Police Chiefs Council's publishes its national strategy for tacking the illegal use of e-scooters. (131280)
- 47N **John Spellar** (Warley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what progress has been made on funding orders for hydrogen-fuelled buses. (131052)
- 48N **Jonathan Ashworth** (Leicester South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps her Department is taking to reduce the time between the annual publication of pension credit take-up statistics and the year those statistics refer to.
- 49N **Jonathan Ashworth** (Leicester South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps her Department is taking to (a) make automatic pension credit payments to people who are eligible and (b) improve data sharing between government bodies involved in the administration of those payments. (131195)
- 50N **Jonathan Ashworth** (Leicester South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many people made a successful pension credit claim in 2019-20. (131196)
- 51N **Jonathan Ashworth** (Leicester South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many incidents of serious harm have been reported to her Department since February 2012; what proportion of those incidents met the criteria to trigger an internal process review; and if she will provide a breakdown of the different categories of serious harm. (131197)
- 52N **Jonathan Ashworth** (Leicester South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what estimate he has made of the number of times that the online pensioner toolkit was accessed in each of the last six years. (131198)
- 53N **Virginia Crosbie** (Ynys Môn): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment she has made of the potential merits of including people who claim disability benefit in the eligibility criteria for the Warm Home Discount. (131356)
- 54N **Peter Dowd** (Bootle): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment she has made of the potential effect of not uprating benefits in line with inflation on levels of child poverty in Bootle constituency. (131216)
- 55N Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment she has made of the scale of pension deficits for (a) Royal Mail, (b) universities and (c) other large pension schemes where workers provide a public service; and what steps she is taking to ensure that those pension schemes remain viable.

- 56N Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if she will take steps to encourage early re-evaluations of pension schemes in response to rising inflation and rising costs of living. (131234)
- 57N Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps he is taking to ensure that the Pensions Regulator effectively balances risks in respect the viability of pension schemes, including benefits, scheme member priorities and tackling historic deficits. (131235)
- 58N Liz Saville Roberts (Dwyfor Meirionnydd): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many people in Dwyfor Meirionnydd constituency are using fuel direct as a method of payment for energy bills as of 28 February 2022. (131269)
- 59N Liz Saville Roberts (Dwyfor Meirionnydd): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps her Department taking to increase awareness of the Fuel Direct scheme amongst people in Wales. (131270)
- 60N **Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many applications for Access to Work grants are awaiting a decision. (131033)
- 61N **Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what the average length of time is for which Access to Work grant applications have been awaiting a decision; what proportion of those applications have been waiting for a decision for longer than six weeks; and what the longest time is for which such an application has been awaiting a decision. (131034)
- 62N **Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many applications for Access to Work grants have been decided in each of the last four weeks. (131035)
- 63N **Olivia Blake** (Sheffield, Hallam): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the evidential basis is suspending early medical abortion at home services in the context of evidence from clinical bodies and peer review studies which have found that service to be safe and effective. (131357)
- 64N **Olivia Blake** (Sheffield, Hallam): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department has made an assessment of the impact of suspending the telemedicine service on vulnerable women, including those with abusive partners.

  (131358)
- 65N **Dawn Butler** (Brent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what his planned timetable is for the (a) conclusion and (b) sharing of conclusions with hon. Members of the review of leadership in health and social care being led by General Sir Gordon Messenger. (131099)
- 66N **Dawn Butler** (Brent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment he has made of the impact of the covid-19 outbreak on GP staff mental health in (a) Brent, (b) London and (c) England. (131100)

- 67N **Dawn Butler** (Brent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment he has made of the impact of the covid-19 outbreak on levels of abuse experienced by GP staff in (a) Brent, (b) London and (c) England.
- 68N **Dawn Butler** (Brent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many people have received the covid-19 vaccinations at walk-in and pop up clinics in London; and how many and what proportion of those people (i) did not have a NHS number and (ii) were not registered with a GP. (131102)
- 69N **Dawn Butler** (Brent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment he has made of the potential merits of reviewing how to determine a GPs patient list size as safe when assessing and developing general practice policy. (131103)
- 70N **Peter Dowd** (Bootle): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of bringing forward legislative proposals to require health warnings on alcohol product labels. (131213)
- 71N **Peter Dowd** (Bootle): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans his Department has to take steps to reduce alcohol harm among deprived groups. (131214)
- 72N Andrew Gwynne (Denton and Reddish): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what process his Department is putting place for people acquiring free-of-charge covid-19 tests from 1 April 2022. (131118)
- 73N Andrew Gwynne (Denton and Reddish): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how an immunocompromised person who tests positive for covid-19 can access one of the covid-19 treatments. (131119)
- 74N Andrew Gwynne (Denton and Reddish): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of prophylactic use of antivirals for the immunocompromised in tackling covid-19.

  (131120)
- 75N Andrew Gwynne (Denton and Reddish): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what guidance his Department is issuing to employers to support their immunocompromised staff to work safely from their place of work after the existing covid-19 infection control measures are lifted. (131121)
- 76N Andrew Gwynne (Denton and Reddish): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether people taking part in the PANORAMIC study will continue to receive free covid-19 tests. (131122)
- 77N **Dr Julian Lewis** (New Forest East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when a reply will be given to the right Hon. member for New Forest East to his letter of 6 December 2021 about a constituent who is unable to wear

- masks and has been required to work from home by Solent NHS Trust, despite being triple-vaccinated for covid-19 and working in a non-customer facing role at a desk two metres apart from any other in their normal workplace. (131025)
- 78N Navendu Mishra (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate he has made of the number of patients not being seen within the operational standards of the Cancer Pathway in (a) England, (b) the Northwest and (c) Stockport as at 28 February 2022.
- 79N Alex Norris (Nottingham North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make it his policy to ensure that Government support for healthy eating focuses on a balanced diet rather than reduction of negative nutrients.

  (131299)
- 80N **John Spellar** (Warley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to help strengthen and secure vaccine production in the UK. (131051)
- 81N Nadia Whittome (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to help ensure the provision of consistent and sensitive antenatal care after baby loss for parents across the UK. (131359)
- 82N **Kevin Brennan** (Cardiff West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
  Commonwealth and Development Affairs, pursuant to her oral statement of 28
  February 2022 on Sanctions, what estimate she has made of the proportion of
  Russian trade denominated in sterling. (131088)
- 83N Liam Byrne (Birmingham, Hodge Hill): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if he will set out the (a) the number of civil servants and (b) the budget devoted to (i) developing targets of individuals and companies for sanctions under the Sanctions and Anti-Money Laundering Act 2018, (ii) designating individuals and companies under that Act; and (iii) implementing enforcement and global application of designations made under that Act in (A) each of the last three years and (B) as at 28 February 2022. (131084)
- 84N Dame Margaret Hodge (Barking): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
  Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if she will publish the (a) individuals
  and (b) firms that (i) she, (ii) her special advisors and (iii) officials in her
  Department have (A) received correspondence from and (B) met since 10
  February 2022 on specific or proposed designations under the Russia (Sanctions)
  Regulations 2022.
- 85N Dame Margaret Hodge (Barking): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
  Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how many applications her Department
  has received to vary or revoke a designation under the Russia (Sanctions)
  Regulations 2022. (131029)

- 86N **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what her policy is on the use of British ports by Russian-flagged operators. (131126)
- 87N **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether the Government plans to include British ports in the sanctions regime against Russia. (131127)
- 88N **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent estimate her Department has made of the number of Russian flagged ships using British ports.

  (131128)
- 89N Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
  Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps the Government is taking to
  engage in dialogue with countries which are trading or have a relationship with
  Russia in order to seek to de-escalate the invasion of Ukraine. (131227)
- 90N **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
  Commonwealth and Development Affairs, which British Overseas Territories have
  fulfilled their commitment under the Joint Ministerial Council Communique 2020
  to publish territory-led plans for climate adaptation and mitigation. (131116)
- 91N **Abena Oppong-Asare** (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what discussions she has had with her international counterparts on supporting foreign nationals to leave Ukraine, including individuals from (a) India, (b) Nigeria, and (c) Ghana. (131349)
- 92N **Abena Oppong-Asare** (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what support the Government is providing to help (a) Black and Asian and (b) other British nationals to leave Ukraine. (131350)
- 93N Bell Ribeiro-Addy (Streatham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
  Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment her Department has
  made of the veracity of reports that Black and Ethnic Minority people fleeing from
  Ukraine are being denied safe passage and refuge in neighbouring countries; and
  what steps the Government is taking to support neighbouring countries to ensure
  safe passage of all people fleeing the conflict in Ukraine.

  (131317)
- 94N Catherine West (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to the Government's role as host of the Pandemic Preparedness Summit in March 2022, if the Government will commit £60 million per year to the Coalition for Epidemic Preparedness Innovations over the five-year replenishment period to help ensure that replenishment (a) reduces the development of vaccines to 100 days, (b) secures future pandemic preparedness and (b) ensures fair and equitable access to new vaccines; and if the Government will use its position as host to demonstrate global leadership and encourage ambitious pledges.

- 95N Catherine West (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether she discussed (a) the situation in Ukraine and (b) steps to hold the Russian Federation to account in her recent discussions with the Government of India. (131272)
- 96N **Dr Alan Whitehead** (Southampton, Test): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 24 February 2022 to Question 126521, on Afghanistan: Chevening Scholarships Programme, what steps his Department is taking to support Chevening students from Afghanistan whose biometric residence permits have expired to find secure accommodation and employment in the UK. (131027)
- 97N Alan Brown (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of waiving visa entrance requirements for Ukrainians fleeing the war in Ukraine. (131222)
- 98N Florence Eshalomi (Vauxhall): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much her Department has spent on producing social media videos and graphics for use on ministerial social media accounts since January 2020.
- 99N **Stephen Kinnock** (Aberavon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will take steps to strip Russian TV presenter Sergei Brilyov of his British citizenship, to ban him from the UK and to freeze his UK assets. (131209)
- 100NStuart C McDonald (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 15 February 2022 to Question 119726, on British Nationality: Children, if she will confirm that the findings of fact made by the courts in R (on the application of The Project for the Registration of Children as British Citizens) v Secretary of State for the Home Department [2022] UKSC 3 will be acted upon in assessing children's best interests in respect of the child registration fee. (131211)
- 101NStuart C McDonald (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 15 February 2022 to Question 119726, on British Nationality: Children, when her Department began that assessment of children's best interests in respect of the child registration fee; and when she plans to complete that assessment. (131212)
- 102NSarah Olney (Richmond Park): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 25 February 2022 to Question 122771, what assumptions her Department has made in concluding that 70 per cent of those crossing the channel in small boats are economic migrants. (131281)
- 103NSarah Olney (Richmond Park): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 25 February 2022 to Question 122771, what role her Department's findings that (a) 74 per cent of people arriving in the

- UK on small boats in 2020 were aged between 18 39 and (b) 87 per cent of all small boats arrivals were male had in the formulation of her assessment that 70 per cent of small boat arrivals were economic migrants. (131282)
- 104NSarah Olney (Richmond Park): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to her announcement that an additional 100,000 Ukrainians will be able to seek sanctuary in the UK, how her Department calculated that figure; and which family members of Ukrainians in the UK qualify as immediate family.
- 105NKate Osborne (Jarrow): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many in-person legal visits have taken place at Derwentside immigration removal centre since women were first detained there on 28 December 2021; and which contracted legal aid providers have made in-person visits. (131337)
- 106NBell Ribeiro-Addy (Streatham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether her Department has undertaken race and disability equality assessments of the fee for children to register as British citizens in the context of the Supreme Court judgment dated 2 February 2022 in R (on the application of The Project for the Registration of Children as British Citizens) v Secretary of State for the Home Department.
- 107NLiz Saville Roberts (Dwyfor Meirionnydd): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what recent guidance her Department has issued to police officers on the possession of (a) Pelargonic Acid Vannilylamide (PAVa) spray and (b) conducted energy devices (Taser) when they are (i) off duty and (ii) on call. (131268)
- 108NMr Nicholas Brown (Newcastle upon Tyne East): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will make a comparative assessment of the provision free accommodation to (a) British and (b) non-British nationals employed at Rosyth Naval Yard.
- 109 John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many units of the Sky Sabre radars have been deployed to Poland; when those air defence systems will arrive; and for how long will be deployed in that country.
  (131053)
- 110N John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps he has taken to improve information security training within his Department. (131054)
- 111N John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many civilian staff employed in his Department have received information security training each year since 2010. (131055)

- 112N John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to the Answer of 11 January 2022 to Question 98886, how many and what proportion of ARAP applications received by his Department in (a) January and (b) February 2022 (i) have been processed with a final decision given and (ii) await a decision on eligibility.
- 113N John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, on what date he plans to publish the refreshed National Shipbuilding Strategy. (131057)
- 114N John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to the activation of the NATO Response Force, what is the contributing to that force. (131059)
- 115N Mr Kevan Jones (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to page 18 of the National Audit Office's report, The Equipment Plan 2021 to 2031, published on 21 February 2022, for what reason the decision was taken to exclude costs associated with the Future Combat Air System in the previous report.
- 116N Mr Kevan Jones (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to page 18 of the National Audit Office's report, The Equipment Plan 2021 to 2031, published on 21 February 2022, for what reason the decision was taken to exclude costs associated with the radar upgrade for Typhoon in the previous report.
- 117N Kenny MacAskill (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what assessment he has made of whether Belarusian special forces previously trained by the UK are active in the conflict in Ukraine. (131333)
- 118N Florence Eshalomi (Vauxhall): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much his Department has spent on producing social media videos and graphics for use on ministerial social media accounts since January 2020. (131379)
- 119N Florence Eshalomi (Vauxhall): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many staff in his Department manage ministerial social media accounts as (a) their primary responsibility and (b) part of their role. (131380)
- 120NHelen Hayes (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many appeals to the First Tier Tribunal (Special Educational Needs and Disability) regarding SEND plans found in favour of the appellant in cases against the refusal to secure an EHC assessment in each of the last five years. (131259)
- 121N Helen Hayes (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many appeals to the First-tier Tribunal (Special Educational Needs and Disability) in respect of SEND plans found in favour of the appellant in cases relating to the content of an EHC plan in each of the last five years. (131260)
- 122N**Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many firms of solicitors hold a (a) civil and (b) criminal legal aid contract as of 28 February 2022. (131313)

- 123N Steve Reed (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many rape trials in England and Wales have been postponed (a) once, (b) twice and (c) three times in each of the last three years. (131200)
- 124N Steve Reed (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many rape trials in England and Wales have been postponed at 24 hours' notice in each of the last three years. (131201)
- 125N Steve Reed (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many and what proportion of offenders released from prison in the last three years are awaiting a court hearing after being charged with a subsequent offence after their release.

  (131202)
- 126N Steve Reed (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what the average time between arrest and appearing in front of magistrates for people charged with knife possession has been in each of the last ten years. (131203)
- 127N Steve Reed (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many courtrooms in each Crown Court building in England and Wales have been unused in each of the last three years.

  (131204)
- 128NDan Jarvis (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, how many prosecutorial decisions the Public Prosecution Service in Northern Ireland has made on Troubles-related offences involving individuals from (a) republican paramilitaries, (b) loyalist paramilitaries, (c) members of the armed forces and (d) others as of 28 February 2022; and of those resulting in prosecutions how many cases (i) are active, (ii) were discontinued, (iii) resulted in a conviction and (iv) resulted in acquittal.
- 129N Dan Jarvis (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, how many active cases the Police Service of Northern Ireland is investigating relating to activity during the Troubles involving (a) republican paramilitaries, (b) loyalist paramilitaries, (c) members of the armed forces and (d) others as of 28 February 2022; and of those cases how many (i) are case reviews, (ii) are investigations and (iii) have been submitted to the Public Prosecution Service in Northern Ireland.
- 130N Dan Jarvis (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, how many cases the Police Service of Northern Ireland has completed in relation to offences that took place during the Troubles involving (a) republican paramilitaries, (b) loyalist paramilitaries, (c) members of the armed forces and (d) others; and of those cases how many were submitted to the Public Prosecution Service in Northern Ireland.
- 131N Dan Jarvis (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, how many cases the Police Service of Northern Ireland's Legacy Investigations

  Branch is considering; and how many victims those cases involve. (131192)

- 132N Dan Jarvis (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, how many cases inspected by Operation Kenova (a) have been completed, (b) remain active and (c) have been submitted to the Public Prosecution Service in Northern Ireland. (131193)
- 133NLiam Byrne (Birmingham, Hodge Hill): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will set out the (a) the number of civil servants and (b) the budget devoted to (i) developing targets of individuals and companies for sanctions under the Sanctions and Anti-Money Laundering Act 2018, (ii) designating individuals and companies under that Act, and (iii) implementing enforcement and global application of designations made under that Act in (A) each of the last three years and (B) as at 28 February 2022.
- 134N Dame Margaret Hodge (Barking): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many applications for licences relating to legal fees OFSI has received for the Russia Sanctions Regulations. (131030)
- 135N Dame Margaret Hodge (Barking): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many law firms have reported having designated persons as their clients under the Russian Sanctions Regulations. (131032)

### Questions for Answer on Monday 7 March

#### **Questions for Written Answer**

- 1N Kerry McCarthy (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the oral contribution of Baroness Scott of Bybrook in the House of Lords debate on the National Disability Strategy on 10 February 2022, Official Report, column 1809, what discussions he had with Ministers in his Department on the implementation of a (a) Government review of provision for ME or CFS and (b) national strategy for that disease.
- 2N Fabian Hamilton (Leeds North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether she has had discussions with her Dominican Republic counterpart regarding reports of plans to build a wall between that country and Haiti. (131063)
- 3N Jamie Stone (Caithness, Sutherland and Easter Ross): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what support the Government plans to provide to branches of the British Legion facing financial difficulties as a result of increases in energy costs.

(131285)

# Questions for Answer on Tuesday 8 March

### **Questions for Written Answer**

- 1N **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, on what date he plans to bring forward legislation on prohibiting Russian vessels from entering UK ports. (131263)
- 2N **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps she is taking to support more autistic people into employment. (131261)
- 3N James Sunderland (Bracknell): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, for what reason the Government bases Child Benefit on only one person's income and not the total income of the household; and for what reason the High Income Child Benefit Charge is not increased more often to reflect real terms wages and increases in the cost of living. (131318)
- 4N **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment he has made of the potential merits of providing free lateral flow covid-19 tests for people visiting care home residents after 1 April 2022. (131262)
- 5N Sarah Atherton (Wrexham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to the Government's response to the Defence Committee's Second Report on Protecting those who protect us: Women in the Armed Forces from Recruitment to Civilian Life, published in December 2021, what progress he has made on scoping hosting an international conference in 2022 with partner nations.

# Questions for Answer on Monday 14 March

#### **Questions for Written Answer**

1N Fabian Hamilton (Leeds North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether she has had discussions with her Russian counterpart on that country's obligations under the UN Convention on Certain Conventional Weapons in the context of the conflict in Ukraine. (131062)