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Questions tabled on Friday 25 March 2022

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Questions for Answer on Monday 28 March

Questions for Written Answer

- Louise Haigh (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what the average waiting time is between making application to the Eco Boiler Grant Scheme to installation of a boiler.[Transferred] (146681)
- Louise Haigh (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what the longest recorded time is between an application being made to the Eco Boiler Grant Scheme to final installation. [Transferred] (146682)
- 3 **Louise Haigh** (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how many requests there have been in total for the Eco Boiler Grant Scheme. [Transferred] (146683)
- 4 Louise Haigh (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what the average waiting time is for a boiler grant to be issued under the Eco Boiler Grant Scheme. [Transferred] (146684)
- Louise Haigh (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what estimate he has made of the timetable for installing a boiler under the eco Boiler Grant Scheme for the constituent of Sheffield, Heeley, referred to in the email of 24 March 2022 from the hon. Member for Sheffield, Heeley with the case reference LH20073. [Transferred] (146685)
- 6 Mr Barry Sheerman (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether the Government's levelling up agenda includes improvements in provision for children with special educational needs. [Transferred] (146555)

- 7 Mr Barry Sheerman (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps he is taking taken together with local authorities and other Government departments to increase the (a) quality and (b) pace of children's special educational needs assessments across England. [Transferred] (146556)
- Mr Barry Sheerman (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department is taking to empower local educational authorities and children's services across England to help ensure minimal waiting times for assessments of children and young people with special educational needs.

[Transferred] (146557)

- 9 **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to the Household Support Fund, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that there is (a) maximum flexibility and (b) timely sharing of details on allocations to assist local authorities in making sure funding reaches people in need of support. [Transferred] (145976)
- Sir Gavin Williamson (South Staffordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if she will update the criteria for a Platinum Jubilee Medal to ensure that air ambulance staff who do not have NHS ambulance trust service are eligible for the award.

 [Transferred] (146613)
- Stephen Hammond (Wimbledon): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps she is taking to assist people
 in central Ukraine, who are not close to a border, to reach safety in neighbouring
 countries.

 [Transferred] (146589)
- 12N Owen Thompson (Midlothian): To ask the Leader of the House, with reference to the Government's submission of written evidence to the Committee on Standards review of the Code of Conduct for Members, CCC0032, March 2022, HC 954, what evidential basis is there for the Government's view that the imposition of fixed constraints such as time limits on the amount of time that Members can spend on outside work would be impractical.

 [Transferred] (145944)
- Louise Haigh (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what powers HMRC has to enforce the National Minimum Wage on vessels operating out of UK ports.

 [Transferred] (145936)

Questions for Answer on Tuesday 29 March

Questions for Written Answer

1 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what steps he is taking to tackle alleged racial discrimination in his Department. (147100)

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- 2N Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, with reference to the provisions within the Economic Crime (Transparency and Enforcement) Act 2022 relating to the public register of beneficial owners of non-UK entities that own or buy land in the UK, for what reason her Department provided for an 18-month transition period for those provisions.

 [Transferred] (146705)
- Paul Girvan (South Antrim): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what regulatory oversight is in place to reduce profiteering by petrol and diesel providers; and what legislative plans his Department has to increase oversight of the market at this time. (147097)
- 4 Ian Lavery (Wansbeck): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, f if he will bring forward legislative proposals to end fire and rehire, following the events at P&O. (147050)
- 5 **Hilary Benn** (Leeds Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, whether she plans to reduce the number of gambling advertisements on television. (147029)
- Andrew Bridgen (North West Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, if her Department will make a comparative assessment of the regulation of Society Lotteries and Prize Draws. (147047)
- 7 Andrew Bridgen (North West Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, whether her Department plans to review the regulation of Prize Draws as part of the Gambling Review. (147048)
- Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if he will make an assessment of whether diamond schools in which primary and sixth form provision is coeducational, with girls and boys taught separately between the ages of 11 and 16, are compatible with his Department's guidelines; and whether he has sought legal advice on the compatibility of those schools with the Equality Act 2010.
- 9 **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps he is taking to support childminders who have lost work due to testing positive for covid-19 or due to a positive case in their household following the closure of Test and Trace Support Payment scheme. (147068)
- 10 Andrew Bridgen (North West Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he is planning to take to support fish and chip shops; and what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of the finding by the National Federation of Fish Friers that one third of those shops are likely to close in the coming months.

 (147046)

- 11 Ian Lavery (Wansbeck): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, if he will issue guidance requiring any bus company operating in a local authority to provide mandatory training to all workers on gender and sexual based harassment and violence. (147051)
- 12N Dan Carden (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will publish details of the Government's review of contracts it holds with P&O and DP World.

 [Transferred] (146716)
- 13 Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if his Department will take steps to determine whether P&O Ferries' employment contracts breach employment law. (147114)
- 14 **Kate Osborne** (Jarrow): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, who owns the building which accommodates the DVSA South Shields Driving Test Centre on the Bede Industrial Estate in Jarrow. (147110)
- Ms Karen Buck (Westminster North): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference the difficulties vulnerable claimants were having with Universal Credit that was discussed at the Universal Credit Programme Board meeting on 22nd October 2019, if she will provide an update on the Complex Needs Steering Group's progress in tracking an implementing the recommendations of the PMIU report. (147021)
- Ms Karen Buck (Westminster North): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, which (a) DWP Directorates, (b) other Government departments and (c) non-government representatives sit on her Department's Universal Credit Complex Needs Steering Group. (147022)
- 17 **Ms Karen Buck** (Westminster North): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, pursuant to the Answer of 28 April 2021 to Question 185273, if she will place copies of the (a) agendas, (b) papers and (c) minutes of meetings of her Department's Universal Credit Complex Needs Steering Group in the House of Commons Library. (147023)
- 18 **Ms Karen Buck** (Westminster North): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, pursuant to the Answer of 28 April 2021 to Question 185274, if she will provide an update on the progress of the course correction that was committed to at the Universal Credit Programme Board following concerns raised by the Chief Executive of the London Borough of Islington on behalf of the Local Government Association.
- 19 **Ms Karen Buck** (Westminster North): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, when her Department received advice from the Government Legal Service on the Prime Minister's Implementation Unit report into the effectiveness of support for vulnerable people claiming Universal Credit and the cover report to it that went to the UC Programme Board in October 2019 should be withheld from publication on the basis of section 36 of the Freedom of Information Act (prejudice to the effective conduct of public affairs).

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- 20 **Seema Malhotra** (Feltham and Heston): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what recent assessment her Department has made on the projected spending power of universal credit as a result of rising inflation. (147054)
- Gareth Bacon (Orpington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much the NHS spent on diversity and inclusion roles in 2020-21; what NHS average annual spending on those roles since 2011; and what the budgeted spending for those roles is for 2021-22.
- Gareth Bacon (Orpington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much funding has been allocated to the Equality Delivery System, commissioned by the Equality and Diversity Council, since July 2011. (147112)
- Gareth Bacon (Orpington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much funding has been allocated to implementing (a) the Workforce Race and Equality Standard, (b) the Workforce Disability and Equality Standard and (c) Workforce Equality and Inclusion since 2011.
- 24 **Sir George Howarth** (Knowsley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to establish a publicly available national database of defibrillators. (147030)
- 25 **Sir George Howarth** (Knowsley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he has taken to increase the public's CPR and first aid skills.

 (147031)
- 26N Hilary Benn (Leeds Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what her planned timetable is for the
 establishment of the TCA UK Domestic Advisory Group and Civil Society Forum.

 [Transferred] (146565)
- 27 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to the US sanctions on
 the Central Reserve Police of Sudan for its involvement in serious human rights
 abuses, announced on 21 March 2022, what steps she is taking to hold that
 organisation and other security service organisations in Sudan to account for
 serious human rights violations. (147040)
- 28 **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 risk of a generalised breakdown of the 2018 peace deal in South Sudan;
 and what recent steps she has taken to support conflict resolution efforts in that
 country.

 (147041)
- 29 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what plans she has for the (a) work of the Office for Conflict Stabilisation and Mediation and (b) future resourcing of the Conflict Stability and Security Fund. (147042)

- 30 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to Special Report 2021 FAO Crop and Food Supply Assessment Mission to the Sudan, published by the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations on 21 March 2022, what steps she is taking to prevent acute hunger in Sudan over the next six months. (147044)
- 31 **Deidre Brock** (Edinburgh North and Leith): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to ensure information on the Homes for Ukraine helpline is available in (a) Ukrainian and (b) Russian. (147059)
- 32 **Deidre Brock** (Edinburgh North and Leith): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the potential merits of extending eligibility for the Homes for Ukraine scheme to Ukrainian nationals who lived in Belarus prior to 1 January 2022. (147060)
- 33 **Deidre Brock** (Edinburgh North and Leith): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many Homes for Ukraine visa sponsorship applications have been successful to date. (147061)
- 34 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she will take to ensure equal treatment of asylum seekers of all ethnicities and nationalities fleeing war; and if she will make a statement.

 (147043)
- 35 **Ian Lavery** (Wansbeck): To ask the hon. Member for Broxbourne, representing the House of Commons Commission, whether or not late night and early shift workers are offered free transportation home from Parliament. (147049)
- 36 Ellie Reeves (Lewisham West and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many prisoners began training courses in prison in the last year. (147076)
- 37 **Ellie Reeves** (Lewisham West and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many prisoners completed courses in prison last year. (147077)
- 38 Ellie Reeves (Lewisham West and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what recent assessment he has made to assess the potential success of rehabilitation programme, Building Better Relationships. (147078)
- 39 **Ellie Reeves** (Lewisham West and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what recent assessment he has made to assess the potential success of current rehabilitation programme, Becoming New Me. (147079)
- 40 Ellie Reeves (Lewisham West and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what recent assessment he has made to assess the potential success of current rehabilitation programme, Resolve. (147080)
- 41 Ellie Reeves (Lewisham West and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what recent assessment he has made to assess the potential success of rehabilitation programme, Horizen. (147081)

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- 42 Ellie Reeves (Lewisham West and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what recent assessment he has made to assess the potential success of current rehabilitation programme, Thinking Skills Programme. (147082)
- 43 **Ellie Reeves** (Lewisham West and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many and what proportion of prisoners received mental health screening check on entering prison. (147083)
- 44 Ellie Reeves (Lewisham West and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what proportion of prison officers are trained in suicide prevention. (147084)
- 45 **Ellie Reeves** (Lewisham West and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what proportion of prison officers in the prison estate have received training in trauma informed practice. (147085)
- 46 Ellie Reeves (Lewisham West and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what proportion of staff employed on the Probation Officer Training PQUIPP programme complete that training. (147086)
- 47 Ellie Reeves (Lewisham West and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what proportion of pregnant prisoners are on remand. (147087)
- 48 Ellie Reeves (Lewisham West and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what proportion of pregnant prisoners are assessed as being at high risk of harm.

 (147088)
- 49 Ellie Reeves (Lewisham West and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what plans his Department has for the provision of clinical supervision to probation officers. (147089)
- 50 Ellie Reeves (Lewisham West and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what assessment his Department has made of the effectiveness of the Offender Assessment System (OASys) in probation. (147090)
- 51 **Ellie Reeves** (Lewisham West and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, on average how many years experience senior probation officers have prior to their appointment. (147091)
- 52 **Ellie Reeves** (Lewisham West and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what amount of entitlement to free video calls prisoners receive; and how that amount was decided. (147092)
- 53 **Ellie Reeves** (Lewisham West and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what proportion of prisons have resumed family days following the covid-19 outbreak.

 (147093)
- 54 Ellie Reeves (Lewisham West and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, whether prisons prevent or restrict friends and family of prisoners sending them books and magazines from (a) Amazon and (b) other sellers. (147094)

- 55 **Ellie Reeves** (Lewisham West and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what estimate he has made of the proportion of prisoners entering prison without qualifications who leave with improved literacy in the last five years. (147095)
- Dawn Butler (Brent Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if his Department will take steps to help ensure that customers of Safe Hands funeral service who have ceased trading (a) will be reimbursed in full for the money already invested for funeral cover and (b) avoid early cancellation fees associated with recouping their money; and if he will make a statement. [Transferred] (146570)
- David Simmonds (Ruislip, Northwood and Pinner): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether his Department is taking steps to allow individuals to exit their annuity plans. (147122)
- 58 **Sir Mike Penning** (Hemel Hempstead): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, when she plans to reply to correspondence from the hon. Member for Hemel Hempstead of 4th October 2021 case number MP71787 on the impact of the covid-19 pandemic on disabled people. (147038)

Questions for Answer on Wednesday 30 March

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N Dame Angela Eagle (Wallasey): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how many and what proportion of loans claimed through the Bounce Back Loans scheme were duplicates; and what the total value was of all duplicate loans. (147033)
- 2N Dame Angela Eagle (Wallasey): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps his Department is taking to ensure lending banks follow up potentially fraudulent claims made through the Bounce Back Loan Scheme, before claiming the state guarantee. (147034)
- Seema Malhotra (Feltham and Heston): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment he has made of the impact of real household disposable incomes per person will fall by 2.2 per cent in 2022-23 on (a) small businesses and (b) high streets. (147055)
- 4N Angela Rayner (Ashton-under-Lyne): To ask the Secretary of State for Business,
 Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether he has had discussions with his
 counterparts in (a) Cyprus, (b) the Bahamas and (c) Holland on the dismissal of
 workers on P&O vessels flagged in those jurisdictions.

 [R] (147058)

- 5N Alex Davies-Jones (Pontypridd): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, if she will publish her Department's correspondence with the Gambling Commission with reference to their decision to appoint Allwyn, a company with reported links to the Russian regime, as the preferred organisation to run the next licence for the National Lottery. (147117)
- 6N Alex Davies-Jones (Pontypridd): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, if she will publish the enquiries her Department are making to ensure that the preferred organisation to run the next National Lottery licence, Allwyn, do not have financial, or political ties to the current Russian regime. (147118)
- 7N Alex Davies-Jones (Pontypridd): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, if she will publish the (a) dates, (b) meeting minutes and (c) attendees of all meetings that Ministers and officials in her Department have attended in the last 12 months with the preferred National Lottery provider, Allwyn.
- 8N Alex Davies-Jones (Pontypridd): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, on what date the provisional new organisation to take over the National Lottery, Allwyn, will begin the UK secure vetting process; how long that process will take; and whether that process includes discussions with UK and foreign security and police services.
- 9N Alex Davies-Jones (Pontypridd): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what steps the Gambling Commission took to vet national lottery license applicants during the national lottery license application process, including whether they communicated with and sought assurances from UK and other financial regulators, and UK and other security and police services. (147121)
- 10N **Conor McGinn** (St Helens North): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what steps her Department is taking to improve the provision of youth services in (a) St Helens North constituency, (b) Liverpool City Region and (c) the North West.
- 11N Conor McGinn (St Helens North): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, with reference to the Youth Investment Fund, what proportion of phase 1 funding went to successful applicants located in (a) St Helens Metropolitan Borough, (b) Liverpool City Region Combined Authority and (c) the North West.
- 12N Helen Hayes (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps he is taking to review covid-19 guidance to childminders following the changes to self-isolation guidance. (147067)
- 13N Helen Hayes (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 25 February 2022 to Question125448, if he will set out how the £153 Early Years Recovery Package for professional development for early years practitioners will fund programmes on the key area of speech and language development for the youngest children. (147069)

- 14N Helen Hayes (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps he plans to take to ensure that the funding for new family hubs, announced in the spending review 2021, will support the local implementation of the Speech, Language and Communication Pathway, as set out in the Public Health England publication, Best start in speech, language and communication: Guidance to support local commissioners and service leads. (147070)
- 15N **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to his Answer of 22 March 2022 to Question 141972, what steps he has taken to ensure that his Department learns lessons from the initial call for volunteers to re-enter the teaching profession; and if he will make a statement.

 (147098)
- 16N **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 22 March 2022 to Question 141972 on Teachers: Re-employment, what provisions are included in his Department's contracts to ensure that he is (a) informed on progress of ministerial and departmental initiatives and (b) able to oversee operational delivery. (147099)
- 17N **Mick Whitley** (Birkenhead): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, if she will confirm when the first meeting of the EU-UK TCA Domestic Advisory Group meeting will be held. (147102)
- 18N **Mick Whitley** (Birkenhead): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, if she will ensure that the EU-UK TCA Domestic Advisory Group will have balanced representation with a third of seats allocated to trade unions, a third to employers, and third to other civil society groups.

 [R] (147103)
- 19N **Dave Doogan** (Angus): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how many visas the Government had issued to Ukrainian refugees under the Ukraine Sponsorship Scheme (Homes for Ukraine) as of 24 March 2022.

 (147101)
- 20N **Drew Hendry** (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether his Department has taken steps to ensure that information about the Homes for Ukraine programme is available in Ukrainian. (147064)
- 21N **Kate Osborne** (Jarrow): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what information his Department holds on what date the (a) ground lease and (b) any other leases are due to end at South Shields Driving Test Centre in the Jarrow constituency.

 (147105)
- 22N **Kate Osborne** (Jarrow): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much annual rent is paid by the DVSA for the South Shields Test Centre in the Jarrow constituency. (147106)

- 23N Kate Osborne (Jarrow): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will make an estimate of the average annual rent costs for DVSA test centres across the UK.
 - (147107)
- 24N Kate Osborne (Jarrow): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will list the expired leases for (a) ground and (b) building at South Shields Driving Test Centre in the Jarrow constituency over the last 10 years. (147108)
- 25N Kate Osborne (Jarrow): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much income from driving tests the DVSA South Shields Test Centre has received in each of the last five years. (147109)
- 26N Seema Malhotra (Feltham and Heston): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what estimate his Department has made of the number of families who will see reductions in their child benefit allowance as a result of rising inflation causing wages to rise and the government freezing the higher rate tax limit.
- 27N Seema Malhotra (Feltham and Heston): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what recent assessment his Department has made of the impact inflation will have on the benefit cap. (147053)
- 28N Navendu Mishra (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department has taken to consult (a) care home residents and (b) the loved ones of care home residents on the removal of free lateral flow device testing for care home visitors from 1 April 2022. (147115)
- 29N Navendu Mishra (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what discussions his Department has had with organisations representing older people who draw on social care regarding the implications of removing free lateral flow device testing for care home visitors. (147116)
- 30N Liam Byrne (Birmingham, Hodge Hill): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if he will list the assets and properties (a) seized and (b) frozen under sanctions regulations in 2022. (147037)
- 31N Preet Kaur Gill (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether the £25 million matched Disasters Emergency Committee Appeal aid funding to Ukraine is (a) part of or (b) separate to the £220 million in humanitarian aid announced by the Government; and whether that £25 million of aid funding will be counted as (a) part of or (b) in addition to the 0.5 per cent GNI ODA budget. (147072)
- 32N Preet Kaur Gill (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether in kind donations to Ukraine of equipment, such as medical supplies and power generators, are counted (a) as ODA and (b) as part of the 0.5 per cent GNI budget. (147073)
- 33N Preet Kaur Gill (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether the \$500 million guarantee in the event of a default by Ukraine on the planned World Bank loan will be

- counted as ODA; whether that guarantee would be covered by the existing 0.5 per cent GNI ODA budget; and what steps his Department is taking to manage that budget in the context of a potential default by that country. (147074)
- 34N **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether the costs of hosting Ukrainian refugees in the UK will be (a) reported as Official Development Assistance and (b) be counted towards the 0.5 percent GNI ODA budget. (147075)
- 35N Dame Angela Eagle (Wallasey): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the impact of the 4 to 4.5 per cent real terms cut to the National Crime Agency's budget on its ability to tackle fraud.

 (147032)
- 36N Dame Diana Johnson (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 24 March 2022 to Question 143624, whether humanitarian aid shipped by volunteer organisations to (a) Ukraine and (b) surrounding countries can include torches, battery packs and power packs. (147039)
- 37N **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether an enhanced DBS check is required prior to paperwork being issued for a Homes for Ukraine Visa application. (147026)
- 38N **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to ensure Homes for Ukraine Visa applications are not adversely affected by delays in DBS checking. (147027)
- 39N **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how people who have applied for the Homes for Ukraine scheme can monitor the progress of that process. (147028)
- 40N Lucy Powell (Manchester Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 24 March 2022 to Question 143686, how many online child sexual abuse cases the National Crime Agency disseminated to each police force, Region or NCA Investigations for action in the period from March 2020 to February 2021.
- 41N Lucy Powell (Manchester Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 24 March 2022 to Question 143686, how many online child sexual abuse cases the National Crime Agency disseminated to each police force, Region or NCA Investigations for action in the period from March 2021 to February 2022.
- 42N **Owen Thompson** (Midlothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of introducing referral to the Independent Case Examiner as a stage in the War Pensions complaints process. (147065)

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- 43N **Anna McMorrin** (Cardiff North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, with regard to the £450m announced as funding for victim support over the next three years, is the funding additional or reallocated budget. (147096)
- 44N Dame Angela Eagle (Wallasey): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will publish details of the advice received by his Department from consultancy PwC regarding the key fraud risks associated with the Bounce Back Loan Scheme, as referenced in the letter dated 2 March 2022 from the Permanent Secretary at HM Treasury to the Treasury Select Committee. (147035)
- 45N **Dame Angela Eagle** (Wallasey): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, for what reason his Department did not consult the Cabinet Office fraud team regarding the potential fraud risks of the Bounce Back Loan Scheme during the scheme's establishment. (147036)
- 46N **Mr Virendra Sharma** (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how much he has committed to spend on dementia research this year; and what steps his Department is taking to increase spending on dementia research. (147045)

Questions for Answer on Thursday 31 March

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Mr Virendra Sharma** (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what discussions he has had with ministerial colleagues on increasing spending on dementia research. (147123)
- 2N **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of introducing legislative proposals to mandate companies selling spray foam loft insulation to inform customers of the potentially detrimental impact this product could have on the customer's property value. (147071)
- 3N **Dr Philippa Whitford** (Central Ayrshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department has taken to fund research into intranasal covid-19 vaccines.

 [Transferred] (146645)
- 4N Clive Lewis (Norwich South): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to the Answer of 24 March 2022 to Question 141251 on Army: Weapons, (a) when and (b) for what reasons the L127 A4 fuze was withdrawn from British army service.
- 5N **Mr Virendra Sharma** (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps his Department is taking to support the use of cash and increase access to cash machines. (147124)