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Questions tabled on Monday 4 July 2022

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Questions for Answer on Tuesday 5 July

Questions for Written Answer

- Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, if she will make it his policy to require all large employers to collect socio-economic background data on (a) work experience schemes, (b) apprenticeships and (c) entry-level applicants for use in (i) outreach work with schools and (ii) recruitment and progression policies.
- Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, if she will make it his policy to require large employers to collect socioeconomic background data for use in (a) outreach work with schools and (b) recruitment and progression policies.
 [Transferred] (28927)

Questions for Answer on Wednesday 6 July

Questions for Written Answer

- Jon Trickett (Hemsworth): To ask the Attorney General, how many contracts that are worth (a) between £1 million and £3 million and (b) over £3 million their (i) Department and (ii) Department's agencies and non-departmental public bodies (A) have agreed since 2010 and (B) are due to agree within the next 12 months; and how much their Department has spent on monitoring each contract in each year since 2010; and how many officials have been working on that monitoring in each year since 2010.
- (29877)
- 2 **Mr Tobias Ellwood** (Bournemouth East): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what recent progress his Department has made on implementing the Veterans' Strategy Action Plan.

(29938)

3 **Mr Tobias Ellwood** (Bournemouth East): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what progress his Department has made on reducing the cost of Government projects to help ensure value for money in public spending.

(29939)

4 **Mr Tobias Ellwood** (Bournemouth East): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what steps he is taking with Cabinet colleagues to mitigate against increases in food prices.

(29940)

Mr Tobias Ellwood (Bournemouth East): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what steps he is taking to review and amend retained EU law to help reduce costs for businesses and consumers.

(29941)

Richard Foord (Tiverton and Honiton): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how many times the Prime Minister has used the VIP RAF Voyager or equivalent aircraft to fly internally in the UK since 1 January 2022; and what the (a) locations of departure and arrival were and (b) cost was for each of those journeys.

(30215)

7 **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether she has had recent discussions with the Social Mobility Commission on improving uptake of physics by girls at (a) A-level and (b) university.

(30016)

8 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, with reference to the speech by the Brexit Opportunities Minister to the Policy That Works Conference on 1 March 2022, if he will publish examples of late payment letters issued by HM Revenue and Customs where Romanised words were replaced with Anglo-Saxon words to improve comprehension by taxpayers.

(29974)

9 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what products were purchased by his Department from (a) B-Loony Ltd on 3 May 2022 for a cost of £1,188.00, (b) Workwear Express Ltd on 19 April 2022 for a cost of £1,485, (c) Total Merchandise Ltd on 8 April 2022 for a cost of £2,314.67 and (d) One Stop Badges Ltd on 8 and 15 March 2022 for a combined cost of £3,252.00.

(29975)

10 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how many members of (a) his Department's and (b) 10 Downing Street staff have received training from the (a) Active Bystander Training Company and (b) Plain English Campaign in the 12 months up to the end of June 2022; and what grades those staff were at the time of receiving that training.

(29976)

Jon Trickett (Hemsworth): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how many contracts that are worth (a) between £1 million and £3 million and (b) over £3 million their (i) Department and (ii) Department's agencies and non-departmental public bodies (A) have agreed since 2010 and (B) are due to agree within the next 12 months; and how much their Department has spent on monitoring each contract in each year since 2010; and how many officials have been working on that monitoring in each year since 2010.

(29878)

12 **Matt Vickers** (Stockton South): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what recent progress his Department has made on implementing the Veterans' Strategy Action Plan.

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13 Matt Vickers (Stockton South): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what progress his Department has made on reducing the cost of Government projects to help ensure value for money in public spending.

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14	Matt Vickers (Stockton South): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what steps his Department is taking to help strengthen public sector procurement rules for small and medium-sized enterprises.	(30196)
15	Matt Vickers (Stockton South): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what steps he is taking with (a) Cabinet colleagues and (b) relevant stakeholders to help reduce the cost of food.	(30197)
16	Matt Vickers (Stockton South): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what steps he is taking to work with his international partners in response to the global cyber threat posed by Russia's invasion of Ukraine.	(30198)
17	Matt Vickers (Stockton South): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what steps his Department is taking to protect the public purse by reducing fraud.	(30199)
18	Matt Vickers (Stockton South): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what recent assessment he has made of the effectiveness of the Great campaign in encouraging investment in the UK.	(30200)
19	Matt Vickers (Stockton South): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what steps his Department is taking to increase apprenticeships opportunities in the cyber technology sector.	(30201)
20	Matt Vickers (Stockton South): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what steps his Department is taking to increase apprenticeship opportunities within the Civil Service.	(30202)
21	Liam Byrne (Birmingham, Hodge Hill): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what recent assessment his Department has made of the extent of prohibitions or controls preventing or regulating goods, wares, articles, and merchandise imports with content manufactured in Xinjiang to the UK.	(29902)
22	Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, when he plans to publish the hydrogen sector development action plan.	(30153)
23	Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how much foreign currency was spent on importing gas between November 2021 and March 2022.	(30154)
24	Tim Farron (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether his Department has made an assessment on the potential role of community energy in reducing household energy bills.	(29988)
25	Tim Farron (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps his Department is taking to promote community energy.	(29989)
26	Mr Andrew Mitchell (Sutton Coldfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, which projects have underspent in order to contribute departmental budget from (a) climate finance and (b) foreign aid in order to fund lethal aid to Ukraine; and if he will make a statement.	(29905)

- 27 Chi Onwurah (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether he has had discussions with the Home Secretary on the potential impact of delays in providing short term visas to visiting academics who are on international research commissioned by UK universities. (30013)
- Julian Sturdy (York Outer): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps his Department is taking to support the roll-out across the UK of new technology that converts sewage into hydrochar; and what assessment his Department has made of the potential applications of hydrochar in decarbonising the UK economy.

(30007)

Julian Sturdy (York Outer): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps his Department is taking to facilitate the use of hydrochar to generate low-carbon electricity.

(30008)

Jon Trickett (Hemsworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how many contracts that are worth (a) between £1 million and £3 million and (b) over £3 million their (i) Department and (ii) Department's agencies and non-departmental public bodies (A) have agreed since 2010 and (B) are due to agree within the next 12 months; and how much their Department has spent on monitoring each contract in each year since 2010; and how many officials have been working on that monitoring in each year since 2010.

(29879)

James Daly (Bury North): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what steps her Department is taking to encourage collaborative and constructive negotiations and agreements for rights to install telecommunications apparatus.

(30203)

James Daly (Bury North): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what steps she is taking to assist Openreach re-opening their Community Fibre Partnership applications.

(30204)

33 **Kim Leadbeater** (Batley and Spen): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, for what reason youth organisations in Kirklees have been unable to access the Youth Investment Fund; and what central funding is available to support facilities for organisations assisting 11-18-year-olds within Kirklees.

(30208)

Jon Trickett (Hemsworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, how many contracts that are worth (a) between £1 million and £3 million and (b) over £3 million their (i) Department and (ii) Department's agencies and non-departmental public bodies (A) have agreed since 2010 and (B) are due to agree within the next 12 months; and how much their Department has spent on monitoring each contract in each year since 2010; and how many officials have been working on that monitoring in each year since 2010.

(29880)

Nadia Whittome (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment her Department has made of the adequacy of wheelchair accessibility in sports grounds; whether her Department has plans to improve disabled access to sports facilities.

(30206)

Sir David Evennett (Bexleyheath and Crayford): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what the average class size in primary schools was in (a) Bexleyheath and Crayford constituency, (b) the London Borough of Bexley, (c) Greater London and (d) England on 4 July 2022.

(29903)

37	Sir David Evennett (Bexleyheath and Crayford): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what the average class size in secondary schools was in (a) Bexleyheath and Crayford constituency, (b) the London Borough of Bexley, (c) Greater London and (d) England on 4 July 2022.	(29904)
38	Simon Jupp (East Devon): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, when his Department will announce the schools selected from the third round of the School Rebuilding Programme.	(30205)
39	Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if he will publish data on the annual turnovers of each registered private care provider for children in England in each of the last five years.	(30059)
40	Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to the Independent Review of Children Social Care published in May 2022, if he will make it his policy to implement the recommendations of that report on provision of residential placements.	(30060)
41	Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps is he taking to monitor the performance of private companies who are overseeing local fostering services.	(30061)
42	Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps he is taking to train foster parents in enabling children to move out of residential care provision and into a foster home.	(30062)
43	Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether he has a timescale for the reform of (a) fostering, (b) adoption, (c) kinship and (b) residential care for children.	(30063)
44	Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department takes to publicise to the public information on how to report abuse against children.	(30064)
45	Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if he would create a single phone number by which members of the public can report safeguarding concerns.	(30065)
46	Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether his Department is taking steps to encourage older parents to take up fostering a (a) child and (b) parent and child.	(30066)
47	Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps is he taking to encourage single people to foster (a) a child and (b) a parent and child.	(30067)
48	Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department takes to measure the effectiveness of institutes of technology; and if he will make an assessment of the effectiveness of York College at delivering on its objectives.	(30068)
49	Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department will take to monitor the effectiveness of the Government's T-Level programme.	(30069)

farmers for attacking sheep.

50 Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department is taking to encourage young people to take up BTEC qualifications. (30070)51 Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if he will publish a report on the educational outcomes of new vocational qualifications. (30071)Jon Trickett (Hemsworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many 52 contracts that are worth (a) between £1 million and £3 million and (b) over £3 million their (i) Department and (ii) Department's agencies and non-departmental public bodies (A) have agreed since 2010 and (B) are due to agree within the next 12 months; and how much their Department has spent on monitoring each contract in each year since 2010; and how many officials have been working on that monitoring in each year since 2010. (29881)53 Sir Geoffrey Clifton-Brown (The Cotswolds): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, with reference to research by the University of Sydney, published in the Natural scientific journal, on 20 June 2022, what assessment his Department has made of the validity of the finding that a fifth of all food-related greenhouse gas emissions come from transporting edible products. (29862)54 Sir Geoffrey Clifton-Brown (The Cotswolds): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, with reference to research by the University of Sydney, published in the Natural scientific journal, on 20 June 2022, if he will take steps in response to that research that found a fifth of all food-related greenhouse gas emissions come from transporting edible products. (29863)55 Tim Farron (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the potential impact of banning e-collars has had on the number of dogs being shot by

Ruth Jones (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how many dogs have been entered onto the Index of Exempted Dogs for each year since 2018 inclusive; and how many dogs on the index in each year since 2018 have been involved in a significant bite incident and/or fatality.

(30147)

(29987)

57 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how many enforcement actions his Department has taken against breaches of the Seasonal Agricultural Workers Scheme as of 4 July 2022.

(30130)

58 Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what estimate he has made of the number of seasonal agricultural workers who are paying agencies or companies an introductory fee for arranging employment on UK farms.

(30131)

59 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether he plans to publish the 2020-21 review of the Seasonal Agricultural Workers Scheme by the end of 2022. (30132)

60 **Lloyd Russell-Moyle** (Brighton, Kemptown): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will make an estimate of the number of people who have trained their dog with an e-collar since his Department first announced a ban on those collars.

(30100)

An Trickett (Hemsworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how many contracts that are worth (a) between £1 million and £3 million and (b) over £3 million their (i) Department and (ii) Department's agencies and non-departmental public bodies (A) have agreed since 2010 and (B) are due to agree within the next 12 months; and how much their Department has spent on monitoring each contract in each year since 2010; and how many officials have been working on that monitoring in each year since 2010.

(29882)

Jon Trickett (Hemsworth): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, how many contracts that are worth (a) between £1 million and £3 million and (b) over £3 million their (i) Department and (ii) Department's agencies and non-departmental public bodies (A) have agreed since 2010 and (B) are due to agree within the next 12 months; and how much their Department has spent on monitoring each contract in each year since 2010; and how many officials have been working on that monitoring in each year since 2010.

(29883)

Michael Fabricant (Lichfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether shire counties, including Staffordshire, can receive devolved additional powers without an elected mayor; and if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of implementing other governance models to enable shire counties to exercise those powers.

(29866)

64 **Peter Gibson** (Darlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, which local authorities have (a) reviewed their provision for authorised travellers sites and (b) made progress towards adequate and appropriate provision for authorised travellers sites.

(30149)

Dame Diana Johnson (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how many and what proportion of Gypsy, Roma and Travellers are living in (a) relative and (b) absolute poverty.

(29965)

Dame Diana Johnson (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what recent assessment he has made of the potential merits of the inclusion of Gypsy/Romany Gypsy, Roma, and Irish Traveller as distinct categories in the NHS data dictionary.

(29966)

67 **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what recent assessment he has made of the rates of economic inactivity within Gypsy, Roma and Traveller communities in the UK.

(29967)

68 **Siobhain McDonagh** (Mitcham and Morden): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether almshouse charities will continue to be exempt from the Right to Buy as part of the review on extending that policy to housing association tenants.

(29860)

Tulip Siddiq (Hampstead and Kilburn): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what recent assessment he has made of the impact of leasehold reform on landlords.

(30080)

Jon Trickett (Hemsworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how many contracts that are worth (a) between £1 million and £3 million and (b) over £3 million their (i) Department and (ii) Department's agencies and non-departmental public bodies (A) have agreed since 2010 and (B) are due to agree within the next 12 months; and how much their Department has spent on monitoring each contract in each year since 2010; and how many officials have been working on that monitoring in each year since 2010.

(29884)

71	David Warburton (Somerton and Frome): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps he is taking to improve support for local councils to uphold their decisions when refusing planning applications.	(30088)
72	David Warburton (Somerton and Frome): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps he is taking to ensure that local communities are consulted on the detailed aspects of planning applications.	(30089)
73	David Warburton (Somerton and Frome): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps he is taking to encourage housebuilders to develop brownfield sites.	(30091)
74	Thangam Debbonaire (Bristol West): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 13 June 2022 to Question 11723 on Network Rail: Finance, what assessment he has made of the potential impact on passenger safety as part of decisions relating to the Control Period 7 budget for Network Rail.	(30049)
75	Ruth Jones (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent assessment he has made of the trends in the cost of air travel.	(30146)
76	Abena Oppong-Asare (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether he has had discussions with Southeastern Railway on the potential merits of step free access at Erith station.	(30192)
77	Abena Oppong-Asare (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, when the nomination process for the next round of the Access for All programme will open.	(30193)
78	Stephanie Peacock (Barnsley East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what support is available for local councils seeking to reduce speeding to improve road safety.	(30094)
79	Stephanie Peacock (Barnsley East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps his Department is taking to encourage and support councils to introduce safety measures on dangerous roads proactively, rather than retrospectively after multiple accidents.	(30095)
80	Stephanie Peacock (Barnsley East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that councils have the funding required to introduce adequate road safety measures to reduce speeding.	(30096)
81	Dr Dan Poulter (Central Suffolk and North Ipswich): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what his timetable is for the completion of upgrade works to Haughley Junction in Suffolk.	(29999)
82	Emily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much in public funds has been paid by his Department to (a) Old Saltleians Rugby Football Club and (b) contractors carrying out construction and related work for the benefit of Old Saltleians Rugby Football Club in each financial year from the start of 2017-18 to the end of 2021-22.	(29969)
83	Jon Trickett (Hemsworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many contracts that are worth (a) between £1 million and £3 million and (b) over £3 million their (i) Department and (ii) Department's agencies and non-departmental	

million their (i) Department and (ii) Department's agencies and non-departmental public bodies (A) have agreed since 2010 and (B) are due to agree within the next 12

months; and how much their Department has spent on monitoring each contract in each year since 2010; and how many officials have been working on that monitoring in each year since 2010.

(29885)

84 **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of the impacts of highly concentrated flight paths on overflown communities.

(30159)

85 **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether his Department has made a recent estimate of the number of people living under highly concentrated flight paths in (a) South West London and (b) the UK.

(30160)

Munira Wilson (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what effect the Airspace Modernisation Programme will have on the number of people living under highly concentrated flight paths in (a) south west London and (b) the UK.

(30161)

87 **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to the Airspace Modernisation Programme, whether he plans to review the effect on the wellbeing of affected people of the introduction of highly concentrated flight paths in the United States.

(30162)

88 **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether his Department has commissioned research on the health impacts of living under concentrated flight paths, in the context of airspace modernisation.

(30163)

89 Mark Eastwood (Dewsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many young people continued to receive earnings from employment after their Kickstart Scheme job ended; how many organisations employed young people on the Kickstart Scheme.

(30174)

90 **Mr Richard Holden** (North West Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what the change has been in the number of (a) people, (b) children and (c) pensioners living in absolute poverty since 2010.

(30183)

91 Mr Barry Sheerman (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether her Department plans to increase the benefit entitlement for people who are blind or partially sighted to mitigate the impact of rising costs of living.

(29897)

Jon Trickett (Hemsworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many contracts that are worth (a) between £1 million and £3 million and (b) over £3 million their (i) Department and (ii) Department's agencies and non-departmental public bodies (A) have agreed since 2010 and (B) are due to agree within the next 12 months; and how much their Department has spent on monitoring each contract in each year since 2010; and how many officials have been working on that monitoring in each year since 2010.

(29886)

93 Mike Amesbury (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the Local Government Association's survey on adult social care reform, published on 27 June 2022, what assessment his Department has made of the (a) implications for its policies of the findings of that survey that (a) over 98 per cent of local authorities do not have confidence that the funding earmarked for the Government's adult social care reform agenda is sufficient and (b) adequacy of the £5.4 billion of funding allocated to social care reform; whether his Department is taking steps to (i) reassure local authorities that that funding is sufficient and (ii) ensure that people who require care are paying a fair price.

(30124)

94	Mr Tobias Ellwood (Bournemouth East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to improve access to mental health services in (a) Bournemouth east constituency and (b) England.	(29930)
95	Mr Tobias Ellwood (Bournemouth East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to increase the number of ambulances in England.	(29931)
96	Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 6 June 2022 to Question 2572 on Dialysis Machines, what discussions officials in his Department have had with the NHS on the distribution of communications with patients receiving haemodialysis treatment at home about reimbursement for the costs incurred as a result of their treatment.	(30074)
97	Andrew Gwynne (Denton and Reddish): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he has taken to ensure that changes to the methodology of the covid-19 infection survey will not impact the (a) validity and (b) scope of the results.	(29957)
98	Andrew Gwynne (Denton and Reddish): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, for what reason the Covid-19 infection survey is ending door-to-door testing.	(29958)
99	Andrew Gwynne (Denton and Reddish): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has made an assessment of the potential impact of the digitisation of the Covid-19 Infection Survey on the level of responses.	(29959)
100	Andrew Gwynne (Denton and Reddish): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to help mitigate potential bias in the Office for National Statistics' COVID-19 Infection Survey following its digitisation.	(29960)
101	Sir Oliver Heald (North East Hertfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will commit additional funding for clinical trials on the repurposing of drugs to treat Epidermolysis Bullosa; and if he will make a statement.	(29850)
102	Dame Diana Johnson (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent estimate he has made of the rates of economic inactivity within Gypsy, Roma and Traveller communities in the UK.	(29961)
103	Dame Diana Johnson (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what proportion of the population have been diagnosed with a mental health condition (a) in total and (b) in Gypsy, Roma and Traveller communities in the latest period for which figures are available.	(29962)
104	Dame Diana Johnson (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of racism on mental health.	(29963)
105	Dame Diana Johnson (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment he has made of the impact of material deprivation on mental health.	(29964)
106	Kim Leadbeater (Batley and Spen): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to assist pharmacies in the recruitment and retention of pharmacists.	(30209)

107 Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many adults are waiting for tooth extractions in hospital. (30055)
 108 Navendu Mishra (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care,

how many penalty charge notices for NHS dental treatment have been issued in each year since 2011 as a result of claimants declaring that they were in receipt of incomerelated Employment Support Allowance.

(30180)

109 Navendu Mishra (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of replacing the NHS Bursary for medical students with access to the NHS Learning Support Fund. (30)

(30181)

110 Navendu Mishra (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has had discussions with representatives of the British Medical Association on the suitability of financial support for medical students.

(30182)

111 Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will bring forward the hormone replacement treatment costs reduction from April 2023 to an earlier date.

(30173)

112 Catherine West (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the impact of the rise in the cost of living on the cost of care homes and residential homes.

(30081)

113 Harriett Baldwin (West Worcestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what representations she has made to the Government of Sudan about their denial of a visa to Dame Rosalind Marsden, consultant to the United Nations and former British Ambassador to Sudan.

(30009)

114 Mr Ben Bradshaw (Exeter): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if she will make representations to her counterparts on the level of funding provided for LGBT+ community groups in low and middle income countries.

(29861)

115 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps she will take to raise with her Moroccan counterpart allegations of physical and sexual abuse by Moroccan authorities of Sahrawi women activists in Boujdour, Western Sahara.

(29978)

116 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent discussions she has had with the Government of Angola on protecting the rights of civil society activists in that country.

(29979)

117 **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 of the recommendations set out in the report titled Sudan's Democratic Transition on Life Support, published by Redress and the SOAS Centre for Human Rights Law on 9 June 2022.

(29980)

118 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment has made of the potential impact of accession to the Energy Charter Treaty by African states on the ability of those states to (a) transition to renewable energy and (b) meet the UN Sustainable Development Goals.

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119 Liam Byrne (Birmingham, Hodge Hill): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent discussions she has had to seek participation in the US-EU Trade and Technology Council. (29901)120 Sarah Champion (Rotherham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to the G7 joint statement on Strengthening anticipatory action in humanitarian assistance, published in May 2022, what steps her Department is taking to help improve its understanding of the role that anticipatory action plays in mitigating the humanitarian impact of shocks and disasters. (30023)Sarah Champion (Rotherham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what her Department's strategy is on investing in fragile and conflict affected settings; which fragile and conflict affected setting her Department is prioritising for that investment. (30024)122 Sir Iain Duncan Smith (Chingford and Woodford Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent ssessment she has made of her Department's compliance with its guidance to UK companies, issued in January 2011, to safeguard UK businesses and public bodies from any involvement or links with violations of human rights, in the context of US sanctions on the Xinjiang Police College. (30216)Tom Hunt (Ipswich): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether she has made an assessment of the potential impact of Morocco's Western Sahara Autonomy Proposal on the Western Sahara region; and whether she has made an assessment of the viability of that proposal. (30156)124 Ruth Jones (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment she has made of the (a) humanitarian, (b) political and (c) human rights situation in Gabon. (30133)Ruth Jones (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment she has made of the (a) humanitarian, (b) political and (c) human rights situation in Togo. (30134)126 Ruth Jones (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent discussions the Government has had with the Government of Zimbabwe. (30135)Ruth Jones (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment she has made of the effectiveness of the Commonwealth Heads of Government Meeting 2022 in meeting the Government's foreign policy objectives. (30136)Ruth Jones (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment she has made of the security situation in Libya. (30137)Ruth Jones (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth 129

and Development Affairs, what recent assessment she has made of the (a) political

130 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how many former staff of the British Embassy in

and (b) economic situation in Ecuador.

Afghanistan remain in Kabul.

131 Ruth Jones (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment she has made of the political situation in Myanmar. (30140)
 132 Ruth Jones (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment she has made of the level of freedom of

expression in Botswana. (30

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Ruth Jones (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment she has made of the political situation in Botswana.

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134 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment she has made of the economic situation in Sri Lanka.

(30145)

135 **Mrs Pauline Latham** (Mid Derbyshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if she will take steps to provide further support and flexible funding to local NGOs in East Africa whose recipients have been affected by drought in that region.

(30005)

136 Chris Law (Dundee West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether she encouraged her G7 counterparts to commit a larger collective pledge to tackle global food insecurity than the \$4.5 billion commitment announced by G7 Leaders on 28 June 2022.

(30037)

137 **Chris Law** (Dundee West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether she had discussions with her G7 counterparts on the specific needs of girls and women experiencing hunger during the G7 summit in June 2022.

(30038)

138 Chris Law (Dundee West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to the announcement of 24 June 2022 entitled PM pledges new support for countries on the food security frontline, what steps she (a) has taken and (b) plans to take to help ensure that the £372 million food security commitment is disbursed urgently to countries in need.

(30039)

139 Chris Law (Dundee West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to the announcement of 24 June 2022 entitled PM pledges new support for countries on the food security frontline, how much and what proportion of the £372 million will go to (a) East Africa and (b) the Sahel.

(30040)

140 **Chris Law** (Dundee West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether she (a) has made and (b) plans to make an assessment of the potential merits of increasing her Department's funding allocations to (a) East Africa and (b) the Sahel to help prevent famine.

(30041)

John McDonnell (Hayes and Harlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment she has made of the
implications for her Department's policies of Save the Children's report entitled
Trapped: The impact of 15 years of blockade on the mental health of Gaza's children,
published on 15 June 2022. (29857)

142 John McDonnell (Hayes and Harlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what diplomatic steps she is taking to help end the 15-year blockade of Gaza. (29858)143 John McDonnell (Hayes and Harlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what representations she has made to her Israeli counterpart on protecting children in Gaza. (29859)Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent steps her Department has taken to help ensure the safety and welfare of Jim Fitton in detention in Iraq. (30172)Kirsten Oswald (East Renfrewshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps she is taking to counter the threat to the education of women and girls around the world arising from the actions of the Taliban since they took power in Afghanistan. (30042)146 Jon Trickett (Hemsworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how many contracts that are worth (a) between £1 million and £3 million and (b) over £3 million their (i) Department and (ii) Department's agencies and non-departmental public bodies (A) have agreed since 2010 and (B) are due to agree within the next 12 months; and how much their Department has spent on monitoring each contract in each year since 2010; and how many officials have been working on that monitoring in each year since 2010. (29887)Stuart Anderson (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps his Department is taking to (a) provide support for groups for victims of domestic abuse and (b) increase the availability of those groups. (30148)148 Mr Tobias Ellwood (Bournemouth East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to help tackle anti-Semitism. (29932) Mr Tobias Ellwood (Bournemouth East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what recent steps her Department has taken to help tackle domestic (a) abuse and (b) violence. (29933)150 Tim Farron (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the implications for her policies of the High Court's ruling in June 2022 that the Special Development Order laid in August 2021 for the use of Napier Barracks for asylum accommodation for a further five years was unlawful. (29990)151 Louise Haigh (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when she plans to respond to the email correspondence of 16 May 2022 from the hon. Member for Sheffield Heeley, reference LH20904. (30073)152 Ruth Jones (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what recent assessment she has made of the effectiveness of the Afghan relocations and assistance scheme. (30141)153 Ruth Jones (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many people have repatriated to the UK under the Afghan relocations and assistance scheme; and how many outstanding applications for resettlement to the UK remain as of 1 July 2022. (30142)

the average waiting time is for asylum seekers to be invited to a substantive asylum interview after arrival in the UK. (30072)155 Layla Moran (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many Afghans who were not evacuated under Operation Pitting the UK has resettled under the Afghan Citizens Resettlement Scheme since that scheme opened and as of 4 July 2022. (30122)156 Kirsten Oswald (East Renfrewshire): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what recent assessment she has made of the potential impact on EU citizens with settled or pre-settled status under the EU Settlement Scheme as a result of them having no physical document to prove that they have the right to reside in the UK. (30043)Jon Trickett (Hemsworth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many contracts that are worth (a) between £1 million and £3 million and (b) over £3 million their (i) Department and (ii) Department's agencies and nondepartmental public bodies (A) have agreed since 2010 and (B) are due to agree within the next 12 months; and how much their Department has spent on monitoring each contract in each year since 2010; and how many officials have been working on that monitoring in each year since 2010. (29889)Mr Tobias Ellwood (Bournemouth East): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the cost is to the Armed Forces of a round of munition of (a) M31A1 rockets, (b) 5.56mm and (c) 7.76mm. (29935)Mr Tobias Ellwood (Bournemouth East): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of retaining the Hercules aircraft system. (29942)160 Mr Tobias Ellwood (Bournemouth East): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps his Department is taking to increase the number of kinetic drones in the armed forces. (29943)161 Mr Tobias Ellwood (Bournemouth East): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the annual running cost is of a (a) standard and (b) logistics brigade. (29944)Mr Tobias Ellwood (Bournemouth East): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether his Department plans to increase the number of corvettes in service with the Royal Navy beyond plans outlined in the 2021 Integrated Review. (29945)163 John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether any personnel information was accessed during the data breach of the British Army's social media accounts on 3 July 2022. (29873)164 John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, when (a) he and (b) in his Department first learned of a data breach of the Army's social media accounts on 3 July 2022. (29874)165 John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will make an estimate of the amount of equipment manufactured and produced in the UK in use by the Russian armed forces in Ukraine. (29875)

154 Holly Lynch (Halifax): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what

166	John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to the Answer of 24 June 2022 to Question 18785 on Ajax Vehicles: Protective Clothing, when he plans to write to the Rt hon. Member for Wentworth and Dearne on the Armoured Fighting Vehicle Headset programme.	(29876)
167	Mr Kevan Jones (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, when the Merlin Crowsnest helicopter will achieve full operating capability.	(29912)
168	Mr Kevan Jones (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the current Total Departmental Expenditure Limit budget is for Crowsnest.	(29913)
169	Mr Kevan Jones (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many hours the Crowsnest system has flown (a) in financial year (i) 2019-20 and (ii) 2020-21 and (c) to date.	(29914)
170	Mr Kevan Jones (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the average cost per hour is for Crowsnest.	(29915)
171	Mr Kevan Jones (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, as of today, how many qualified aircrew are available at either (a) limited combat ready or (b) combat ready.	(29916)
172	Mr Kevan Jones (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many aircrew are enrolled in Royal Air Force training.	(29917)
173	Mr Kevan Jones (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what concept studies have started to replace the ASACS role within the Fleet Air Arm.	(29919)
174	Mr Kevan Jones (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what current Total Departmental Expenditure Limit is for Watchkeeper.	(29920)
175	Mr Kevan Jones (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the original Total Departmental Expenditure Limit was for Watchkeeper, established on the award of the initial contract.	(29921)
176	Mr Kevan Jones (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what (a) Resource and (b) Capital Departmental Expenditure Limits have been spent to date for Watchkeeper.	(29922)
177	Mr Kevan Jones (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, when did Watchkeeper achieve (a) initial and (b) full operational capability; and how did those dates differ from the original baseline schedule.	(29923)
178	Mr Kevan Jones (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many Watchkeeper platforms are available.	(29924)
179	Mr Kevan Jones (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many soldiers are fully qualified to fly Watchkeeper.	(29925)
180	Mr Kevan Jones (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the cost to the public purse is of training a Watchkeeper operator.	(29926)
181	Mr Kevan Jones (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many pilots have left the Watchkeeper programme in each of the last five years.	(29927)

182	Mr Kevan Jones (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what role did HMS Echo fulfil.	(29929)
183	Jon Trickett (Hemsworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many contracts that are worth (a) between £1 million and £3 million and (b) over £3 million their (i) Department and (ii) Department's agencies and non-departmental public bodies (A) have agreed since 2010 and (B) are due to agree within the next 12 months; and how much their Department has spent on monitoring each contract in each year since 2010; and how many officials have been working on that monitoring in each year since 2010.	(29890)
184	Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, with reference to the Annual Report of the Independent Monitoring Board at HMP The Mount, published in May 2022, what recent assessment he has made of the adequacy of (a) staffing levels and (b) prisoner welfare at HMP The Mount.	(30155)
185	Mr Andrew Mitchell (Sutton Coldfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what budget was expended over investigations into war crimes committed abroad by suspects living in the UK over each of the last five years.	(29906)
186	Mr Andrew Mitchell (Sutton Coldfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if he will increase the resources the UK Government is providing to investigations of Rwandan nationals in the UK alleged to have taken part in the 1994 genocide against the Tutsis.	(29907)
187	Ellie Reeves (Lewisham West and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if he will publish his Department's plan for the HMPPS Race Action Programme.	(30101)
188	Ellie Reeves (Lewisham West and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what progress his Department has made on implementing its Race Action Programme.	(30102)
189	Ellie Reeves (Lewisham West and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what steps his Department is taking to improve the collection of data on prisoners' (a) gender, (b) ethnic group, (c) age and (d) religion.	(30103)
190	Ellie Reeves (Lewisham West and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what steps his Department is taking to improve the publication of disaggregated data on prisoners' demographics and protected characteristics including (a) gender, (b) ethnic group, (c) age and (d) religion.	(30104)
191	Ellie Reeves (Lewisham West and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many (a) courts and (b) prisons had a dedicated Bail Information Service in the most recent period for which data is available.	(30105)
192	Ellie Reeves (Lewisham West and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many people accessed Bail Information Services in (a) courts and (b) prisons in the most recent period for which data is available.	(30106)
193	Ellie Reeves (Lewisham West and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if he will publish his Department's evaluations of recent pilots of Bail Information Services in (a) courts and (b) prisons.	(30107)
194	Ellie Reeves (Lewisham West and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what steps his Department is taking to provide Bail Information Services with dedicated Bail Information Officers in all Magistrates courts; and what the timeframe is for that work.	(30108)

195	Ellie Reeves (Lewisham West and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what plans his Department has to involve the voluntary sector in supporting the delivery of Bail Information Services in courts.	(30109)
196	Ellie Reeves (Lewisham West and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what plans his Department has to issue an updated Restorative Justice Action Plan for the Criminal Justice System, given the last action plan elapsed in 2018.	(30110)
197	Ellie Reeves (Lewisham West and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, with reference to Delivering justice for victims: Consultation response published on 25 May 2022, if he will provide more details on the restorative justice pilot to understand gaps in provision.	(30111)
198	Ellie Reeves (Lewisham West and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, with reference to the Victims Funding Strategy published on 26 May 2022, if his Department will publish the Black, Asian, and Minority Ethnic Commissioning Guidance.	(30112)
199	Ellie Reeves (Lewisham West and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what assessment his Department has made of whether the Black, Asian, and Minority Ethnic Commissioning Guidance has led to any improvements in specialist victims services being commissioned for Black, Asian and minority ethnic groups.	(30113)
200	Ellie Reeves (Lewisham West and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what plans his Department has to publish an update on their progress against the recommendations made by Lord Farmer, in his review entitled, The Importance of Strengthening Prisoners' Family Ties, published in August 2017.	(30114)
201	Ellie Reeves (Lewisham West and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what steps his Department is taking in response to the survey of Black, Asian and minority ethnic women in prison published by the Independent Monitoring Boards and Criminal Justice Alliance in April 2022.	(30115)
202	Ellie Reeves (Lewisham West and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what steps his Department is taking to provide support to women prisoners who have been victims of racial abuse in prison.	(30116)
203	Ellie Reeves (Lewisham West and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many equality staff work in prisons holding (a) men and (b) women by (i) their grade and (ii) the time allocated to their equalities work.	(30117)
204	Jon Trickett (Hemsworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many contracts that are worth (a) between £1 million and £3 million and (b) over £3 million their (i) Department and (ii) Department's agencies and non-departmental public bodies (A) have agreed since 2010 and (B) are due to agree within the next 12 months; and how much their Department has spent on monitoring each contract in each year since 2010; and how many officials have been working on that monitoring in each year since 2010.	(29891)
205	Jon Trickett (Hemsworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, how many contracts that are worth (a) between £1 million and £3 million and (b) over £3 million their (i) Department and (ii) Department's agencies and non-departmental public bodies (A) have agreed since 2010 and (B) are due to agree within the next 12 months; and how much their Department has spent on monitoring each contract in each year since 2010; and how many officials have been working on that monitoring in each year since 2010.	(29893)

206 Liam Byrne (Birmingham, Hodge Hill): To ask the Prime Minister, with reference to the G7 Communique expressing progress on the Partnership for Global Infrastructure and Investment (PGII), which Minister lead UK policy on the PGII; which role is providing executive day to day leadership of the PGII; how much resource has been committed to the PGII (a) by the UK and (b) in total; and how many projects are in the pipeline for funding through the PGII.

(29900)

Jon Trickett (Hemsworth): To ask the Prime Minister, how many contracts that are worth (a) between £1 million and £3 million and (b) over £3 million their (i) Department and (ii) Department's agencies and non-departmental public bodies (A) have agreed since 2010 and (B) are due to agree within the next 12 months; and how much their Department has spent on monitoring each contract in each year since 2010; and how many officials have been working on that monitoring in each year since 2010.

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Jon Trickett (Hemsworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Scotland, how many contracts that are worth (a) between £1 million and £3 million and (b) over £3 million their (i) Department and (ii) Department's agencies and non-departmental public bodies (A) have agreed since 2010 and (B) are due to agree within the next 12 months; and how much their Department has spent on monitoring each contract in each year since 2010; and how many officials have been working on that monitoring in each year since 2010.

(29892)

209 **Geraint Davies** (Swansea West): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what progress his Department has made on developing the UK's Green Taxonomy; and when he plans to publish those proposals.

(29853)

210 Navendu Mishra (Stockport): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps his Department plans to take to help protect and support pub and hospitality businesses in England and Wales.

(30178)

211 Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of enabling the UK's existing ATM network to accept cash deposits as well as withdrawals.

(30169)

212 Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether he is taking steps to help ensure that the UK's main banks maintain their membership of (a) LINK, (b) the Post Office and (c) other collective bodies for the purposes of ensuring the long-term sustainability of the UK's ATM infrastructure.

(30170)

213 Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether his Department has plans to promote the redistribution of ATMs in urban locations to rural and suburban sites.

(30171)

214 **Mr Barry Sheerman** (Huddersfield): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether his Department is taking fiscal steps to reduce the impact of the rising cost of living on people who are blind or partially sighted.

(29896)

215N Andy Slaughter (Hammersmith): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many applications have been made by (a) barristers, (b) solicitors and (c) others for licences to permit payments by sanctioned entities to be made for legal advice or representation in the last 12 months.

[Transferred] (28871)

- 216N Andy Slaughter (Hammersmith): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many and what proportion of applications for licences to permit payments by sanctioned entities to be made for legal advice or representation have been (a) granted, (b) rejected and (c) not yet dealt with.

 [Transferred] (28872)
- 217N Andy Slaughter (Hammersmith): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many and what proportion of applications for licences to permit payments by sanctioned entities for legal advice or representation relate to licences to permit payment for advice on the lawfulness of sanctions.

 [Transferred] (28873)
- 218N Andy Slaughter (Hammersmith): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what the (a) criteria and (b) process, including timescales, are for the determination of applications for licences to permit payment for legal advice and representation.

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Jon Trickett (Hemsworth): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many contracts that are worth (a) between £1 million and £3 million and (b) over £3 million their (i) Department and (ii) Department's agencies and non-departmental public bodies (A) have agreed since 2010 and (B) are due to agree within the next 12 months; and how much their Department has spent on monitoring each contract in each year since 2010; and how many officials have been working on that monitoring in each year since 2010.

(29888)

220 Catherine West (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will provide additional funding to NHS Continuing Care in the context of increased costs of care and residential homes.

(30082)

Jon Trickett (Hemsworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Wales, how many contracts that are worth (a) between £1 million and £3 million and (b) over £3 million their (i) Department and (ii) Department's agencies and non-departmental public bodies (A) have agreed since 2010 and (B) are due to agree within the next 12 months; and how much their Department has spent on monitoring each contract in each year since 2010; and how many officials have been working on that monitoring in each year since 2010.

(29894)

222 **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, what recent discussions she has had with the Social Mobility Commission on improving uptake of physics by girls at (a) A-level and (b) university.

(30017)

223 **Kirsten Oswald** (East Renfrewshire): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, what recent assessment she has made of the rates of economic inactivity within Gypsy, Roma, and Traveller communities in the UK.

(30044)

224 **Kirsten Oswald** (East Renfrewshire): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, what recent assessment she has made of (a) relative and (b) absolute poverty rates within Gypsy, Roma, and Traveller communities in the UK.

(30045)

225 **Kirsten Oswald** (East Renfrewshire): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, what recent assessment she has made of the mental health needs of Gypsy, Roma, and Traveller communities in the UK.

(30046)

226 **Kirsten Oswald** (East Renfrewshire): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, what recent assessment she has made of the impact of racism on mental health among the Gypsy, Roma, and Traveller communities.

(30047)

227 **Kirsten Oswald** (East Renfrewshire): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, what recent assessment she has made of the impact of poverty on mental health among the Gypsy, Roma, and Traveller communities.

(30048)

Questions for Answer on Thursday 7 July

Questions for Written Answer

1N Chi Onwurah (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what assessment he has made of (a) the contribution of STEM careers to social mobility and (b) the adequacy of the Social Mobility Commission's new Social Mobility Index to (i) assess and (ii) improve diversity in STEM careers.

(30015)

2N Drew Hendry (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if he will hold discussions with representatives of Ofgem on ensuring that energy providers (a) implement a timely solution for customers with Total Heating Total Control meters prior to those meters becoming non-functional, (b) do not implement a solution that impacts customers financially and (c) communicate solutions that are due to be implemented to their customers as a matter of priority.

(30053)

3N Mr Richard Holden (North West Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of providing support with fuel costs to (a) mountain rescue teams, (b) the RNLI and (c) other voluntary organisations and their volunteers who provide vital public services as charities.

(30185)

4N **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what is the total value of climate finance and foreign aid underspending that has been diverted to the Ministry of Defence.

(29947)

5N **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what the value is of his Department's underspend on climate finance and foreign aid.

(29948)

6N **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how much the UK supplied in international climate finance in (a) 2019, (b) 2020 and (c) 2021; and how much will be supplied in 2022.

(29949)

7N Chi Onwurah (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what recent assessment he has made on the impact of UK-based researchers losing or giving up their grants from the European Research Council on (a) the international reputation of UK science and (b) future investment into UK-based research.

(30014)

8N Abena Oppong-Asare (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how many (a) direct employees, (b) contractors and (c) agency workers who work in his Department and relevant agencies and public bodies receive a wage below that of the (i) UK Real Living Wage outside of Greater London and (ii) London Living Wage inside of Greater London, as determined by the Living Wage Foundation.

(30187)

9N Alex Norris (Nottingham North): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, how many times the Parliamentary Under Secretary of State, Minister for Tech and the Digital Economy, has visited bingo halls since his appointment.

(30120)

10N Abena Oppong-Asare (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, how many (a) direct employees, (b) contractors and (c) agency workers who work in her Department and relevant agencies and public bodies receive a wage below that of the (i) UK Real Living Wage outside of Greater London and (ii) London Living Wage inside of Greater London, as determined by the Living Wage Foundation.

(30188)

11N **Bill Esterson** (Sefton Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if he will respond to the letter from the hon. Member for Sefton Central dated 16 May 2022 regarding Lydiate Primary School, sent via email on 16 May 2022.

(30006)

12N Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what estimate he has made of the profit made from private children's residential care facilities in each of the last 10 years.

(30057)

13N Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if he will investigate private care providers alleged to prioritise profit over the care of children. (30058)

14N Navendu Mishra (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department is taking to support local authorities to mitigate the impact of air pollution at schools in the event that recorded levels are higher than WHO guideline limits.

(30179)

15N **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether his Department plans to publish data collected through the survey it ran on school electricity and gas payments.

(30121)

16N Abena Oppong-Asare (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to the Living Wage Foundation's real wage calculator, if he will make estimate of how many (a) direct employees, (b) contractors and (c) agency workers who work in his Department and relevant agencies and public bodies receive a wage below that of either (i) the UK Real Living Wage outside of Greater London or (ii) the London Living Wage inside of Greater London.

(30189)

17N Yasmin Qureshi (Bolton South East): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much public funding the University of Bolton has received in each year between 2010 and 2022.

(29995)

18N **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to the SEND review proposals, whether it is his policy that multi-academy trusts will have the ability to use a proportion of SEND funding to cover operational costs.

(30158)

19N Alex Cunningham (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 21 June 2022 to Question 17967, whether he has held discussions with travel industry and other stakeholder organisations on the potential merits of a ban on the domestic (a) advertising and (b) sale of wild animal experiences abroad.

(30010)

20N Kerry McCarthy (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he is taking to remove unsustainable legal deforestation from UK supply chains, as recommended by the Climate Change Committee in its most recent Progress Report to Parliament.

(29946)

21N Abena Oppong-Asare (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, with reference to the Living Wage Foundation's real wage calculator, if he will make estimate of how many (a) direct employees, (b) contractors and (c) agency workers who work in his Department and relevant agencies and public bodies receive a wage below that of either (i) the UK Real Living Wage outside of Greater London or (ii) the London Living Wage inside of Greater London.

(30190)

22N **Daniel Zeichner** (Cambridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that the public sector is spending 50 per cent of its food budget on sustainable, organic and locally grown produce that meets animal welfare standards.

(30035)

23N Abena Oppong-Asare (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, with reference to the Living Wage Foundation's real wage calculator, if she will make estimate of how many (a) direct employees, (b) contractors and (c) agency workers who work in her Department and relevant agencies and public bodies receive a wage below that of either (i) the UK Real Living Wage outside of Greater London or (ii) the London Living Wage inside of Greater London.

(30191)

24N **Hywel Williams** (Arfon): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, if she will make an assessment of whether the updated Energy Charter Treaty, as agreed by the Energy Charter Conference on 24 June, is compatible with international climate goals; what steps she is taking to encourage other states to sign up to the fossil fuel carve out agreed by the EU and UK when the new treaty is signed in November; and if she will take steps to further amend the timeline for the fossil fuel carve out in order to speed up the withdrawal of (a) protection for all new fossil-fuel investments and (b) all existing fossil fuel investments.

(29911)

25N **Mr John Baron** (Basildon and Billericay): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, when he plans to respond to correspondence dated 24 January, 22 February, 29 March, 10 May and 15 May 2022 from the hon Member for Basildon and Billericay, relating to a constituent, ref: JB36006.

(29909)

26N **Crispin Blunt** (Reigate): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, when he plans to reply to the letter from the Hon. Member for Reigate dated 5 May 2022 on planning enforcement on traveller encampments. (29)

(29851)

27N James Murray (Ealing North): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how many (a) direct employees, (b) contractors and (c) agency workers who work in his Department and relevant agencies and public bodies receive a wage below that of the (i) UK Real Living Wage outside of Greater London and (ii) London Living Wage inside of Greater London, as determined by the Living Wage Foundation.

(30164)

28N Emily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether all payments over £250 made by his Department to Manning Gottlieb OMD between November 2018 and May 2022 and categorised under Level 2 of the Public Sector Procurement Expenditure Survey as (a) Advertising and (b) Communication Services took place under the Media Buying framework agreement RM6003.

(29968)

29N David Warburton (Somerton and Frome): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps his Department is taking to develop brownfield sites. (30090)30N Drew Hendry (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what discussions he has had with representatives of the Civil Aviation Authority on airport assistance for disabled passengers in the context of passengers requiring assistance while airside. (30052)31N Ian Mearns (Gateshead): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will make an assessment of the implications for his policies of the outcomes of the 105th Session of the Maritime Safety Committee of the International Maritime Organisation held in London on 20-29 April 2022. (30001)32N Ian Mearns (Gateshead): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps he has taken to (a) prepare a scoping exercise and (b) enhance the effectiveness of provisions on fatigue and seafarers' hours of work and rest in line with the approval of outputs at the 105th Session of the Maritime Safety Committee of the International Maritime Organisation. (30002)33N Ian Mearns (Gateshead): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will bring forward proposals to tackle seafarer fatigue in the ferry sector at the 106th Session of the International Maritime Organisation's Maritime Safety Committee in London from 31 October to 4 November 2022. (30003)34N Ian Mearns (Gateshead): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps he has taken to promote the nine-point plan in response to P&O Ferries that was announced on 30 March 2022 at formal meetings of the (a) International Labour Organisation and (b) International Maritime Organisation. (30004)35N James Murray (Ealing North): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many (a) direct employees, (b) contractors and (c) agency workers who work in his Department and relevant agencies and public bodies receive a wage below that of the (i) UK Real Living Wage outside of Greater London and (ii) London Living Wage inside of Greater London, as determined by the Living Wage Foundation. (30165)36N Bell Ribeiro-Addy (Streatham): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what support his Department has in place for rickshaw drivers; and whether he has plans to increase that support. (30151)37N Bell Ribeiro-Addy (Streatham): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether his Department has plans to bring forward legislative proposals for the regulation of rickshaw drivers. (30152)38N Mr Virendra Sharma (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many trains ran on the rail network with fewer carriages than timetabled, in each of the last six months, for which data is available. (29991)39N Mr Virendra Sharma (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many trains ran on the rail network in each of the last six months, for which data is available, with fewer carriages than timetabled for each Train Operating Company. (29992) 40N James Murray (Ealing North): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many (a) direct employees, (b) contractors and (c) agency workers who work in her Department and relevant agencies and public bodies receive a wage below that of the (i) UK Real Living Wage outside of Greater London and (ii) London Living Wage inside of Greater London, as determined by the Living Wage Foundation.

(30166)

41N **Mr Laurence Robertson** (Tewkesbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, for what reason there is a difference in the age of a dependent child between the (a) Child Maintenance Service and (b) Student Loans Company; and if she will make a statement.

(29865)

42N **Mr Virendra Sharma** (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if her Department will take steps to reinstate the pensions of Yemeni workers that worked in Britain and who have had their pensions stopped.

(29993)

43N **Sir Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many Universal Credit claims have been identified as not correct through the reverification exercise to date; and, of those, how many claimants have applied for mandatory reconsideration.

(29856)

44N Andrew Gwynne (Denton and Reddish): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the research in the British Medical Journal by Stickels (et al.) entitled Aortic stenosis post-Covid-19: a mathematical model on waiting lists and mortality, published on 16 June 2022, and by Strange (et al.) entitled Uncovering the treatable burden of severe aortic stenosis in the UK, published on 26 January 2022, what steps his Department is taking to improve (a) detection rates, (b) diagnosis rates and (c) treatment capacity for heart valve disease, in the context of the epidemiology and risk of mortality of the disease.

(29952)

45N Andrew Gwynne (Denton and Reddish): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the research in the British Medical Journal by Stickels (et al.) entitled Aortic stenosis post-Covid-19: a mathematical model on waiting lists and mortality, published on 16 June 2022, if his Department will increase the provision of transcatheter aortic valve implantation (TAVI) for patients with aortic stenosis.

(29953)

46N Andrew Gwynne (Denton and Reddish): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he plans to release a NHS Long COVID plan for 2022-23; and if he will make a statement.

(29954)

47N Andrew Gwynne (Denton and Reddish): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many people have received a dose of the antiviral nirmatrelvir+ritonavir, known as Paxlovid, as of 30 June 2022.

(29955)

48N Andrew Gwynne (Denton and Reddish): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many of the 2.75 million courses of nirmatrelvir+ritonavir (Paxlovid) procured by the Government will reach their expiry date in the next (a) three months, (b) six months and (c) nine months.

(29956)

49N **Mr Richard Holden** (North West Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of removing guidance on mask wearing in care homes for all staff and patients and making mask-wearing discretionary for the individual or staff member.

(30186)

50N	Dan Jarvis (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment his Department has made of the average ambulance waiting times in Barnsley Metropolitan Borough Council.	(30021)
51N	Afzal Khan (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made on the adequacy of provision of specialist care for patients diagnosed with Prader-Willi Syndrome in the North West.	(30126)
52N	Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many children are waiting for tooth extractions in hospital.	(30054)
53N	Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how people are waiting for oral surgery by (a) type of procedure and then (b) age.	(30056)
54N	Layla Moran (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of availability of bereavement support services in (a) Oxford West and Abingdon constituency, (b) Vale of White Horse, (c) Oxford City, (d) Cherwell and (e) Oxfordshire.	(30123)
55N	James Murray (Ealing North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many (a) direct employees, (b) contractors and (c) agency workers who work in his Department and relevant agencies and public bodies receive a wage below that of the (i) UK Real Living Wage outside of Greater London and (ii) London Living Wage inside of Greater London, as determined by the Living Wage Foundation.	(30167)
56N	Jess Phillips (Birmingham, Yardley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has to strengthen the training for NHS professionals in providing emotional and psychological support for (a) solid tumour cancer patients and (b) blood cancer patients.	(30030)
57N	Jess Phillips (Birmingham, Yardley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment he has made of the provision of psychological support for blood cancer patients across England; and what plans he has to address regional disparities in that provision.	(30031)
58N	Jess Phillips (Birmingham, Yardley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what support he has provided to ensure best practices of emotional and psychological support delivery can be shared across NHSE services.	(30032)
59N	Jess Phillips (Birmingham, Yardley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of the estimated shortfall of 3000 cancer nurse specialists, according to Macmillan Cancer Support's 2021 statistics, who are trained in providing emotional and psychological support; and what plans he has to tackle that shortfall.	(30033)
60N	Yasmin Qureshi (Bolton South East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the roles the 50,000 Nurses Programme nurses have been recruited into; and how many of those nurses have been recruited into breast cancer nursing roles.	(29996)
61N	Yasmin Qureshi (Bolton South East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the potential impact of lower than average uptake of breast screening amongst women receiving their first invitation in 2020-21 on future uptake of routine invitations within that cohort.	(29997)

62N	Mr Laurence Robertson (Tewkesbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to improve access to NHS Dental Care Services (a) in general and (b) for families with children; and if he will make a statement.	(29864)
63N	Mr Virendra Sharma (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to help ensure that doctors are adequately trained to (a) identify and (b) treat people with an eating disorder.	(29994)
64N	Emily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will publish the statement of required works agreed by his Department with Investigo Ltd on 21 March under framework contract RM6160 order number C81123, published on 1 July; and the timetable for completion of those works.	(29972)
65N	Emily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the order form number C81123 published by his Department on 1 July for the supply of temporary personnel by Investigo Ltd under framework contract RM6160, whether the contracted amount of work time is 220 hours or 220 days.	(29973)
66N	Sir Iain Duncan Smith (Chingford and Woodford Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if she will undertake a full review of UK aid funding to determine whether any such funding is being used to support organisations guilty of human rights violations in the People's Republic of China.	(30217)
67N	Preet Kaur Gill (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how much underspend there has been in (a) climate finance and (b) other Official Development Assistance in financial year 2022; and if she will publish a detailed breakdown of that underspend.	(30093)
68N	Mary Glindon (North Tyneside): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what information her Department holds on potential responsibility for missile attacks in the Kurdistan Region of Iraq in March, April and May 2022; and if she will make a statement.	(30019)
69N	Mary Glindon (North Tyneside): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent diplomatic steps her Department has taken to help deter missile attacks in the Kurdistan Region of Iraq; and if she will make a statement.	(30020)
70N	John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 27 June 2022 to Question 23221, how many meetings of the National Security Council she has attended since April 2022.	(29869)
71N	Mr Richard Holden (North West Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether her Department has raised concerns on the breeding, shipping, killing and eating of dogs in China with the Government of the People's Republic of China.	(30184)
72N	Andy McDonald (Middlesbrough): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps she is taking to help tackle the impact of the humanitarian situation in Gaza on children.	(30026)

73N Andy McDonald (Middlesbrough): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what representations she has made to her Israeli counterpart about ending the blockade of Gaza in compliance with UN Security Council Resolution 1860 (2009).

(30027)

74N James Murray (Ealing North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how many (a) direct employees, (b)
contractors and (c) agency workers who work in her Department and relevant
agencies and public bodies receive a wage below that of the (i) UK Real Living Wage
outside of Greater London and (ii) London Living Wage inside of Greater London, as
determined by the Living Wage Foundation.

(30168)

75N Angela Rayner (Ashton-under-Lyne): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what systems his Department used to record the results of the due diligence checks on suppliers of PPE during the covid-19 outbreak.

(30028)

76N Catherine West (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether her Department plans to increase the UK's (a) diplomatic presence and (b) economic support and partnerships in the Indo-Pacific region.

(30084)

77N Catherine West (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what specific discussions she has had with European partners on future European engagement with countries in the Indo-Pacific region.

(30085)

78N Catherine West (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how many of her Department's personnel have been deployed to the Indo-Pacific region in each year since 2010.

(30086)

79N Catherine West (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how many people in her Department have been (a) deployed to China (b) working on China policy in each year since 2010.

(30087)

80N **Drew Hendry** (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will make an assessment of the potential risks for individuals applying for UK refugee status who are transferred to Rwanda under the Migration and Economic Development Partnership of (a) arbitrary detention by Rwandan security services, and (b) forced recruitment into either non-state actor or state actor armed organisations; and if she will make an assessment of the potential implications for her policies of that matter.

(30051)

81N Kenny MacAskill (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to the Annual Statistics of Scientific Procedures on Living Animals in Great Britain for 2021, published on 4 July 2022, of the 55 horses and other equids used for the first time, how many procedures were conducted on each animal.

(30157)

82N Pat McFadden (Wolverhampton South East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many (a) direct employees, (b) contractors, and (c) agency workers who work in their Department and relevant agencies and public bodies, receive a wage below that of either (i) the UK Real Living Wage outside of Greater London, or (ii) the London Living Wage inside of Greater London, as determined by the Living Wage Foundation.

(29983)

(29937)

83N Grahame Morris (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 23 June 2022 to Question 18876 on Visas: Applications, what further steps he is taking to reduce administrative errors with reference to visa application GWF06412451 in the context of that visa notification subsequently being incorrectly sent to Abu Dhabi rather than Islamabad Visa Application Centre; and if he will make a statement. (30000)84N Chi Onwurah (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 21 June 2022 to Question 13706 on Visas: Research, how many visiting academics conducting international research commissioned by UK universities have been subject to delays in gaining short-term work visas since February 2022; and what assessment she made of the potential impact of those delays on UK research. (30018)85N Steve Reed (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 30 June 2022 to Question 25867 on Threat to Life Notices, whether her Department holds figures on the cost to police forces of issuing Osman warnings in each of the last five years. (30025)86N Emily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 28 June 2022 to Question 21137, whether any other agreements have been in place besides Media Buying framework agreement RM6003 to cover her Department's payments to Omnicom Media Group of £67,050,917.55 under the expense area Ad Production between April 2019 and May 2022. (29970)87N Emily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 28 June 2022 to Question 21137, whether any other agreements were in place besides Media Buying framework agreement RM6003, to cover her Department's payments to Omnicom Media Group of (a) £2,062,859.85 under the expense area Marketing and Media between March 2019 and March 2021 and (b) £200,886.62 under the expense area Multimedia between March and June 2019. (29971)88N Sir Stephen Timms (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what her advice is to people wishing to leave Afghanistan who are family members of British nationals and likely to qualify for the Afghan Citizens Resettlement Scheme, but who cannot afford to obtain a visa for a neighbouring country or to travel there. (29855)89N Catherine West (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what the average time taken is for her Department to respond following the submission by an asylum seeker of a request for permission to work. (30083)90N Mr Tobias Ellwood (Bournemouth East): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many Challenger 2 tanks his Department plans to send to Poland. (29934)91N Mr Tobias Ellwood (Bournemouth East): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if his Department will publish a full list of all military equipment donated to Ukraine since 24 February 2022. (29936)

92N **Mr Tobias Ellwood** (Bournemouth East): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to his Command Paper, Defence in a competitive age, published in March 2021, whether it remains his policy to reduce the armed forces to 72,500 by 2025; and what estimate he has made of the annual cost savings of that policy.

93N	Preet Kaur Gill (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will provide a breakdown of the departmental allocations, including funding from devolved nations, to the £1 billion commitment for military support to Ukraine announced by the Government on 30 June 2022.	(30092)
94N	John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, when he plans to respond to the letters of 11 January and 22 June 2022 from the hon. Member for Wentworth and Dearne regarding the ARAP scheme.	(29868)
95N	John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many investigations have (a) been launched, (b) completed and (c) led to prosecutions by Service Police and the Service Prosecuting Authority into allegations against British personnel in Afghanistan since the closure of Operation Northmoor.	(29870)
96N	John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many personnel in his Department are assigned to the Afghan Relocations and Assistance Policy team as of 4 July 2022.	(29871)
97N	John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to the Answer of 14 June 2022 to Question 15182, how many Afghan Relocations and Assistance Policy applications have been (a) received and (b) processed by his Department in June 2022.	(29872)
98N	Mr Kevan Jones (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the cost is to train an aircrew role (pilot/observer/aircrewman) for Crowsnest.	(29918)
99N	Mr Kevan Jones (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what plans his Department has for the disposal of HMS Echo.	(29928)
100N	Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps he has taken to protect the Army's Twitter account following that account being hacked.	(30127)
1011	Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps he is taking to ensure the strength of his Department's social media passwords in the context of the recent hacking of the Army's Twitter account.	(30128)
102N	Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps he has taken to strengthen the security of the social media accounts of (a) the Navy, (b) the Royal Marines, (b) the Air Force and (d) other defence organisations following the hacking of the Army's YouTube and Twitter accounts.	(30129)
103N	Angela Rayner (Ashton-under-Lyne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what systems his Department used to record the results of the due diligence checks on suppliers of PPE during the covid-19 outbreak.	(30029)
104N	Rosie Cooper (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, when his Department plans to respond to the query of 7 April 2022 from the hon. Member for West Lancashire, ref ZA59082, regarding the funeral industry.	(29977)
105N	IDan Jarvis (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many applications Employment Tribunals allowed to be submitted out of time in each of the last 10 years.	(30022)

106N Helen Morgan (North Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what assessment he has made of the effectiveness of the complaints process for members of the public corresponding with the Office of the Public Guardian.

(30212)

107N Theresa Villiers (Chipping Barnet): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, whether he plans to take steps to help prevent the use of Strategic Lawsuits Against Public Participation by candidates in elections.

(29951)

108N Chi Onwurah (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Prime Minister, with reference to his oral contribution of 22 June 2022, Official Report, col 840, that there is record venture capital investment in this country, which has now overtaken China as a venue for venture capital investment, what (a) data and (b) sources he is citing.

(30011)

109N Chi Onwurah (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Prime Minister, with reference to his oral contribution of 15 June 2022, Official Report, col 281, that in the first five months of this year this country has attracted £16 billion of investment in its tech sector, helped by the 130 per cent super deduction for business investment from the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what (a) the evidential basis is for his remarks, (b) the sources are for the figures cited and (c) proportion of the £16 billion was eligible for the super deduction.

(30012)

110N Geraint Davies (Swansea West): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, in the context of the EU's exclusion of energy-from-waste incineration projects from its green finance taxonomy, whether he plans for energy-from-waste incineration projects to be in or out of the scope of the UK's Green Taxonomy.

(29854)

111N Patricia Gibson (North Ayrshire and Arran): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what progress his Department has made in ensuring that people who do not have a personal account with an energy provider, including those (a) living in park homes and (b) who live in managed independent living retirement accommodation, receive support with energy costs on the same basis as other households.

(30050)

112N Fabian Hamilton (Leeds North East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps he is taking to ensure that additional tax payments as a result of pension growth are not disproportionately impacting NHS staff.

(29898)

113N Christine Jardine (Edinburgh West): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will publish a constituency-level breakdown of HMRC's Income Tax liabilities statistics: tax year 2019 to 2020 to tax year 2022 to 2023, containing the number of taxpayers in each income tax bracket since 2019.

(30118)

114N Christine Jardine (Edinburgh West): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will publish a constituency-level breakdown of HMRC's Income Tax liabilities statistics: tax year 2019 to 2020 to tax year 2022 to 2023, containing the number of taxpayers aged 65 and over since 2019.

(30119)

115N Sir Charles Walker (Broxbourne): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, pursuant to the Answers of 4 July 2022 to Questions 27553 and 27554 on Credit and with reference to Sponsor Designated legal advice, whether his Department, when issuing its debt, provides for its legal advice to be funded by the counter-parties buying that debt.

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Questions for Written Answer

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1N	Dr Rupa Huq (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of introducing a single statutory definition of kinship care.	(30077)	
2N	Dr Rupa Huq (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of providing all kinship carers with a weekly allowance.	(30078)	
3N	Dr Rupa Huq (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of granting kinship carers paid time off work when a child starts living with them.	(30079)	
4N	Mr John Baron (Basildon and Billericay): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, when he plans to respond to correspondence dated 9 February, 14 March, 26 April and 25 May 2022 from the hon Member for Basildon and Billericay regarding a constituent ref: JB35620.	(29910)	
5N	Mick Whitley (Birkenhead): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps his Department is planning to take to support the accommodation needs of Ukrainian refugees who reach the end of their guaranteed six month stay with UK families under the Homes for Ukraine scheme.	(30150)	
6N	Mr John Baron (Basildon and Billericay): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, when she plans to respond to correspondence of 8 March, 30 March, 25 April and 25 May 2022 from the hon. Member for Basildon and Billericay regarding a constituent, reference JB36639.	(29908)	
7N	Beth Winter (Cynon Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many constituents in the Cynon Valley have been have pursued by her Department due to being incorrectly overpaid Universal Credit through no fault of the claimant in the year 2021-22.	(30175)	
8N	Beth Winter (Cynon Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many constituents in the Cynon Valley her Department has decided to waive recovery of an overpayment of benefit which was not due to a fault of the claimant in financial year 2021-22.	(30176)	
9N	Beth Winter (Cynon Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what progress her Department has made on preparing the Remedial Order on the eligibility criteria for Bereavement Support Payments.	(30177)	
10N	Dr Rupa Huq (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to reduce NHS waiting times for joint replacement surgery in England.	(30076)	
11N	Tony Lloyd (Rochdale): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an assessment of the availability across health providers of (a) cognitive behavioural therapy, (b) eye movement desensitisation and reprocessing, and (c) dialectical behaviour therapy.	(29899)	
12N	Jill Mortimer (Hartlepool): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to improve maternal mental health services	(30207)	

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13N Yasmin Qureshi (Bolton South East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many of the one million tests and checks carried out by community diagnostic centres since July 2021 were for (a) people urgently referred by their GP with suspected breast cancer, and (b) breast symptoms where cancer was not initially suspected.

(29998)

14N **Sir Iain Duncan Smith** (Chingford and Woodford Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment she has made of the implications for her policies of US sanctions on the Xinjiang Police College for human rights violations.

(29852)

15N **Dr Philippa Whitford** (Central Ayrshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether a decision has been taken on the financial contribution the UK will make to the Global Polio Eradication Initiative over the next three years.

(30036)

16N Pat McFadden (Wolverhampton South East): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many (a) direct employees, (b) contractors, and (c) agency workers who work in their Department and relevant agencies and public bodies, receive a wage below that of either (i) the UK Real Living Wage outside of Greater London, or (ii) the London Living Wage inside of Greater London, as determined by the Living Wage Foundation.

(29984)

17N Jamie Stone (Caithness, Sutherland and Easter Ross): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to his Command Paper, Defence in a competitive age, published in March 2021, whether it remains his policy to reduce the armed forces to 72,500 by 2025.

(30097)

18N Jamie Stone (Caithness, Sutherland and Easter Ross): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether he expects day-to-day departmental spending to fall in real terms by the end of the 2022-23 Parliament.

(30098)

19N Pat McFadden (Wolverhampton South East): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many (a) direct employees, (b) contractors, and (c) agency workers who work in their Department and relevant agencies and public bodies, receive a wage below that of either (i) the UK Real Living Wage outside of Greater London, or (ii) the London Living Wage inside of Greater London, as determined by the Living Wage Foundation.

(29985)

20N Helen Morgan (North Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what the average time taken by the Office of the Public Guardian to register Legal Powers of Attorney (LPAs) is from the date of receipt of orders during the period between 1 June 2021 and 31 May 2022; and what the average time taken by the Office of the Public Guardian to register LPAs was from the date of receipt of orders during the period between 1 June 2018 and 31 May 2019.

(30210)

21N Helen Morgan (North Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many orders are currently waiting to be processed by the Office of the Public Guardian; and what the average number of orders waiting to be processed by that office was during the period between 1 January 2019 and 31 December 2019.

(30211)

22N Helen Morgan (North Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what assessment he has made of the frequency of duplicate payments made by members of the public for services provided by the Office of the Public Guardian.

(30213)

23N Helen Morgan (North Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what assessment he has made of the impact of the covid-19 outbreak on the efficiency of the Office of the Public Guardian.

(30214)

24N Pat McFadden (Wolverhampton South East): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, how many (a) direct employees, (b) contractors, and (c) agency workers who work in their Department and relevant agencies and public bodies, receive a wage below that of either (i) the UK Real Living Wage outside of Greater London, or (ii) the London Living Wage inside of Greater London, as determined by the Living Wage Foundation.

(29986)

25N **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of increasing financial support via the Tax-Free Childcare scheme for parents in London in the context of the rise in the cost of childcare in London relative to other parts of England.

(30075)

26N Pat McFadden (Wolverhampton South East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many (a) direct employees, (b) contractors, and (c) agency workers who work in their Department and relevant agencies and public bodies, receive a wage below that of either (i) the UK Real Living Wage outside of Greater London, or (ii) the London Living Wage inside of Greater London, as determined by the Living Wage Foundation.

(29982)

27N Jamie Stone (Caithness, Sutherland and Easter Ross): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether he has had discussions with the (a) Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport and (b) Gambling Commission on the implications of the fourth National Lottery licence on levels of (a) Lottery Duty and (b) returns to good causes.

(30099)

Questions for Answer on Friday 15 July

Questions for Written Answer

1N **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make it a departmental priority to make an assessment of the potential merits of joined-up care liaison between GPs and district nurses.

(29867)

Questions for Answer on Monday 18 July

Questions for Written Answer

1N Afzal Khan (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if she will make it her policy to increase Personal Independence Payments and other associated benefits in line with inflation.

(30125)

Questions for Answer on Thursday 21 July

Questions for Written Answer

1N Daniel Zeichner (Cambridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what budget has been allocated to the Landscape Recovery scheme. (30034)