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Questions tabled on Monday 11 July 2022

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Questions for Answer on Tuesday 12 July

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, if he will take steps to ensure that the private security firm, Definitive PSA, contracted by P&O Ferries to remove UK seafarers from ferries docked in the UK on 17 March 2022 does not benefit from publicly funded contracts. [Transferred] (32520)
 - 2 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much funding the Government has provided to tackling rat populations in all UK Overseas Territories' islands in each of last five years. [Transferred] (32993)
 - 3 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps the Government is taking to help reduce the reliance on private funding and charities in the conservation of UK Overseas Territories' biodiversity. [Transferred] (32994)
 - 4N **Geraint Davies** (Swansea West): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether he has made an assessment of the potential impact of hempcrete buildings on levels of indoor air pollution. [Transferred] (32460)
 - 5 **Owen Thompson** (Midlothian): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will hold discussions with Cabinet colleagues on setting a timetable for amending the rules on entitlement to a Widow's or Widower's Pension for people who remarry. [Transferred] (32982)
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Questions for Answer on Wednesday 13 July

Questions for Written Answer

- 1 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether he has had discussions with the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care on the adequacy of personal protective equipment procured under emergency regulations. (33894)
- 2N **Dave Doogan** (Angus): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how many pensioners with (a) Civil Service Pension and (b) Equiniti had their pensions reduced following the Guaranteed Minimum Pension reconciliation exercise undertaken between 2016 and 2019. [Transferred] (33005)
- 3N **Dave Doogan** (Angus): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether the Government has provided Civil Service Pensions with all the necessary information relating to Guaranteed Minimum Pension for all pension holders. [Transferred] (33006)
- 4N **Dave Doogan** (Angus): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, with reference to the Guaranteed Minimum Pension review in 2016, whether (a) notional or (b) payable additional State Pension was compared to Guaranteed Minimum Pension before the adjustments were made to civil service pensions. [Transferred] (33007)
- 5 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how many former Ministers will be entitled to severance pay since 6 June 2022. (33926)
- 6 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, when he plans to rollout phase two of the Veterans' Recognition Card scheme. (33829)
- 7 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, if he will make it his policy to abolish ministerial severance payments. (33763)
- 8 **Jon Trickett** (Hemsworth): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how much his Department has spent on consultancy fees in (a) 2020, (b) 2021 and (c) 2022; and what the name is of each consultancy contracted. (33703)
- 9 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the President of COP26, when he last met Ministers in the Welsh Government in Cardiff. (33922)
- 10 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the President of COP26, what recent discussions he has had with the devolved administrations on the role of energy efficiency in meeting the UK's climate targets. (33923)
- 11 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the President of COP26, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of the response of Commonwealth nations on tackling climate change. (33760)

- 12 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the President of COP26, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of the response of Oversea Territories on tackling climate change. (33761)
- 13 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the President of COP26, what discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues on the progress the Department has made on delivering the Just Energy Transition Partnership with South Africa. (33762)
- 14 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the President of COP26, what assessment he has made of the progress of nations on submitting new Nationally Determined Contributions since COP26. (33764)
- 15 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the President of COP26, what his priorities are for the remainder of the UK's COP Presidency. (33765)
- 16 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the President of COP26, what progress the Department has made on the delivery of COP26 objectives at the Bonn Climate Change Conference in June 2022. (33766)
- 17 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the President of COP26, what discussions he has had during his presidency with Small Island Developing States on climate mitigation and adaptation. (33767)
- 18 **Jon Trickett** (Hemsworth): To ask the President of COP26, how much his Department has spent on consultancy fees in (a) 2020, (b) 2021 and (c) 2022; and what the name is of each consultancy contracted. (33708)
- 19 **Kim Johnson** (Liverpool, Riverside): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, with reference to the announcement of 27 January 2020 entitled Boost for UK science with unlimited visa offer to world's brightest and best, what estimate he has made of when the £300 million ringfenced additional funding for research into mathematical sciences will be received by UKRI. (33967)
- 20 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how many planning appeals are awaiting a Ministerial decision as of 11 July 2022; and what the average turnaround time is for those appeals. (33818)
- 21 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps he is taking to (a) engage with and (b) support retail park businesses which are seeking to move to the high street. (33853)
- 22 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether he is taking steps to encourage retail park businesses to have a presence on the high street. (33854)

- 23 **John McDonnell** (Hayes and Harlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, with reference to the announcement made on 30 June 2021 that the Government would remove unabated coal from the UK's energy mix by 2024, whether that remains the Government's policy; and if he will make a statement. (33665)
- 24 **John McDonnell** (Hayes and Harlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if he will publish legal advice received in relation to the Liability of Trade Unions in Proceedings in Tort (Increase of Limits on Damages) Order 2022. (33666)
- 25 **John McDonnell** (Hayes and Harlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, for what reason he did not carry out a consultation before laying the Liability of Trade Unions in Proceedings in Tort (Increase of Limits on Damages) Order 2022. (33667)
- 26 **John McDonnell** (Hayes and Harlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, for what reason he did not initiate a consultation before laying the draft Conduct of Employment Agencies and Employment Businesses (Amendment) Regulations 2022. (33668)
- 27 **John McDonnell** (Hayes and Harlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, when he will bring forward the audit reform bill referred to in the Queen's Speech on 10 May 2022; and if he will make a statement. (33670)
- 28 **John McDonnell** (Hayes and Harlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what meetings he or his Ministers have held with the Financial Reporting Council since the fines issued in June 2022 to PWC for their audits of Kier and of Galliford. (33671)
- 29 **John McDonnell** (Hayes and Harlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how many fines have been issued by the Financial Reporting Council for audit failures in each of the past five years for which figures are available. (33672)
- 30 **John McDonnell** (Hayes and Harlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what meetings he or his Ministers have held with the Securities and Exchange Commission in the US in response to its record fine against audit firm Ernst & Young in June 2022 for cheating on professional education courses to maintain its certified public accountant licensure; and if he will make a statement. (33673)
- 31 **John McDonnell** (Hayes and Harlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether he has asked the Financial Reporting Council to investigate audit firm Ernst & Young in response to the record fine issued by the US Securities and Exchange Commission in June 2022 for cheating on professional education courses to maintain its certified public accountant licensure. (33674)

- 32 **Charlotte Nichols** (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what estimate he has made of the number of heat pumps that UK boiler manufacturers must sell to avoid a penalty under the market mechanism, in (a) 2024, (b) 2025 and (c) 2026. (33950)
- 33 **Charlotte Nichols** (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what estimate he has made of the average number of boilers installed per year per Gas Safe registered engineer. (33951)
- 34 **Charlotte Nichols** (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, with reference to his Department's Heat Pump Ready Programme, what estimate he has made of the number of installers that will be required to meet the target of installing 600,000 heat pumps a year by 2028. (33952)
- 35 **Charlotte Nichols** (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what estimate his Department has made of the average time required to fit (a) an air-sourced heat pump and (b) a gas boiler in the Heat and Building Strategy, published in October 2021. (33953)
- 36 **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if he will publish a breakdown of Innovate UK's annual spending by (a) sector, (b) funding stage and (c) technology preparedness level. (33780)
- 37 **Alyn Smith** (Stirling): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether (a) he or (b) any other ministers in his Department have met with any Russian-based companies since 24 February 2022. (33930)
- 38 **John Spellar** (Warley): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how much electricity has been imported in each of the last five years; and what proportion of final demand those imports represented. (33679)
- 39 **John Spellar** (Warley): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment his Department has made of the appropriate level of spare electrical generating capacity to ensure continuity of supply over the winter. (33680)
- 40 **Derek Thomas** (St Ives): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, pursuant to the Answer of 27 April to Question 155863, on Energy: Standing Charges, what recent assessment he has made of the role of Ofgem in relation to the way in which suppliers set the standing charge and unit rate in those cases where the price cap is not triggered; and what recent discussions he has had with (a) energy suppliers and (b) Ofgem about the apportionment of energy bills between standing charges and unit rates. (33880)

- 41 **Jon Trickett** (Hemsworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how much his Department has spent on consultancy fees in (a) 2020, (b) 2021 and (c) 2022; and what the name is of each consultancy contracted. (33692)
- 42 **Drew Hendry** (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, if her Department will make an assessment of the potential merits of expanding the Ofcom Code on Sports and Other Listed and Designated Events to include a broader range of Scottish football tournament finals. (33836)
- 43 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, if he will make it his policy to introduce emergency funding for (a) public leisure centres and (b) swimming pools to support their energy costs. (33906)
- 44 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment she has made of the implications for her policies of ukactive's June 2022 survey finding that 79 per cent of public leisure facilities say that without support for their energy costs, they are likely or extremely likely to cease operations within the next six months. (33907)
- 45 **Jon Trickett** (Hemsworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, how much her Department has spent on consultancy fees in (a) 2020, (b) 2021 and (c) 2022; and what the name is of each consultancy contracted. (33693)
- 46 **John McDonnell** (Hayes and Harlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether he plans to release publicly accessible data on deaths of care-leavers in addition to deaths of children in care already published. (33663)
- 47 **John McDonnell** (Hayes and Harlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to the Working Together to Safeguard Children' guidance, updated on 1 July 2022, whether he plans to make changes to that guidance so that local authorities are required to notify his Department following the death of a care-leaver. (33664)
- 48 **Jon Trickett** (Hemsworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much his Department has spent on consultancy fees in (a) 2020, (b) 2021 and (c) 2022; and what the name is of each consultancy contracted. (33694)
- 49 **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will make an assessment of the potential impact of the use of grow lights in sports (a) stadiums and (b) training facilities on levels of light pollution. (33901)
- 50 **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will make an assessment of the potential impact of grow lights and other artificial lighting in agriculture on levels of light pollution. (33902)

- 51 **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to help reduce the impacts of light pollution on (a) biodiversity and (b) human health. (33903)
- 52 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, when he will respond to the correspondence of 25 April 2022 from the hon. member for West Lancashire on support for the farming industry, reference ZA59529. (33734)
- 53 **Dame Caroline Dinenage** (Gosport): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, when his Department plans to bring forward regulations to introduce the compulsory microchipping of owned cats. (33768)
- 54 **Jon Trickett** (Hemsworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much his Department has spent on consultancy fees in (a) 2020, (b) 2021 and (c) 2022; and what the name is of each consultancy contracted. (33695)
- 55 **Jon Trickett** (Hemsworth): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, how much her Department has spent on consultancy fees in (a) 2020, (b) 2021 and (c) 2022; and what the name is of each consultancy contracted. (33696)
- 56 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, when the first payments from the Shared Prosperity Fund will be made. (33924)
- 57N **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps he is taking to adopt a definition of Islamophobia. [Transferred] (33002)
- 58 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what the Government's timetable is for responding to the consultation on preventing charges for DIY waste at household waste recycling centres which closed on 4 July 2022. (33827)
- 59 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, when the final report on the effect of the 10 per cent commission fee on the sale of mobile park homes will be published. (33828)
- 60 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps he is taking to share learning with relevant stakeholders regarding the effectiveness of the High Street Fund. (33847)
- 61 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps his Department is taking to measure and evaluate the impact of the (a) High Street Fund, (b) Levelling Up Fund and (c) UK Shared Prosperity Fund on tackling inequalities. (33848)

- 62 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps his Department is taking to monitor and evaluate the (a) High Street Fund, (b) Levelling Up Fund and (c) UK Shared Prosperity Fund delivery against objectives. (33849)
- 63 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps his Department is taking to share best practice from the (a) High Street Fund, (b) Levelling Up Fund and (c) UK Shared Prosperity Fund bids. (33850)
- 64 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, over what time period the outcomes of the High Street Fund, Levelling Up Fund and Shared Prosperity Fund will be measured. (33851)
- 65 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps he is taking to identify the types of anchor institutions on the high street that are effective at supporting high street growth. (33852)
- 66 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether he has made an assessment of the potential impact of (a) play areas and (b) child-friendly cities on trends in the level of growth for high streets and urban centres. (33855)
- 67 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether he has had recent discussions with Cabinet colleagues on the potential merits of reforming business rates. (33856)
- 68 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of replacing business rates with (a) profit- or (b) turnover-related taxation for the purposes of enabling competitiveness with online retail. (33857)
- 69 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether he (a) is taking and (b) plans to take steps to ensure that property owners in an urban centre are required to ensure occupancy of their high street premises. (33858)
- 70 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, if he will make it his policy to create a growth strategy for new businesses on the high street to help facilitate (a) growth in urban centres and (b) moves from shared premises to single units. (33859)
- 71 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, if he will take steps to provide additional assistance to high street businesses occupying premises with high rental costs. (33860)

- 72 **Jon Trickett** (Hemsworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how much his Department has spent on consultancy fees in (a) 2020, (b) 2021 and (c) 2022; and what the name is of each consultancy contracted. (33697)
- 73 **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many Veterans Railcards have been issued since the inception of that scheme. (33721)
- 74 **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 29 June 2022 to Question 23730 on Maritime Skills Commission: Staff, whether the Commission's focus is to increase diversity in the maritime taskforce. (33722)
- 75 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what most recent discussions he has had with the management of EasyJet. (33918)
- 76 **Mike Kane** (Wythenshawe and Sale East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what the planned timetable is for the publication of the review conducted by the Civil Aviation Authority into (a) practices to ensure that legal responsibilities on providing care and assistance, refunds, and compensation are being met and (b) encouraging best practice. (33791)
- 77 **Kim Leadbeater** (Batley and Spen): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of the potential merits for transport in West Yorkshire of extending the Bus Recovery Grant. (33969)
- 78 **Charlotte Nichols** (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what targets the Civil Aviation Authority sets for the time to process airport staff's security and safety checks before they can take up employment; and if he will make a statement. (33954)
- 79 **Jon Trickett** (Hemsworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much his Department has spent on consultancy fees in (a) 2020, (b) 2021 and (c) 2022; and what the name is of each consultancy contracted. (33698)
- 80 **Wendy Chamberlain** (North East Fife): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what factors her Department will take into account when it next makes an assessment of the potential merits uprating of benefits; and whether the energy price cap will be taken into account when making that assessment. (33931)
- 81 **Wendy Chamberlain** (North East Fife): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what recent assessment her Department has made of the impact of Carer's Allowance on the ability of unpaid carers to undertake employment. (33932)
- 82 **Wendy Chamberlain** (North East Fife): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what recent assessment she has made of the adequacy of levels of child benefit. (33933)

- 83 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if she will hold discussions with Cabinet colleagues on the potential merits of making it Government policy to introduce tax reductions on motor fuel for holders of Blue Badge parking permits. (33939)
- 84 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many people were in receipt of the Higher Rate Mobility Component of the Disability Living Allowance in Newport West constituency. (33925)
- 85 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to the Committee of Public Accounts ninth report on Child Maintenance, published on 22 June 2022, HC 255, if she will undertake a review of the child maintenance system and how it interacts with (a) wider welfare and (b) separated families policies. (33820)
- 86 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what the average processing time is for applications to the Pension Widows Department. (33823)
- 87 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what the average processing time is for applications to the International Pensions Centre. (33824)
- 88 **Jon Trickett** (Hemsworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how much her Department has spent on consultancy fees in (a) 2020, (b) 2021 and (c) 2022; and what the name is of each consultancy contracted. (33699)
- 89 **Felicity Buchan** (Kensington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he will take to implement his forthcoming dementia strategy. (33955)
- 90 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department (a) is taking and (b) plans to take to tackle waiting lists for gynaecology care. (33958)
- 91 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the impact of gynaecological waiting lists on the quality of life of patients on those waiting lists. (33959)
- 92 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential long-term impact on gynaecology patients of having to wait for over 18 weeks to have a referral to treatment. (33960)
- 93 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department plans to take to tackle regional variation in gynaecological waiting lists. (33961)

- 94 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an estimate of the number of women who are waiting to receive gynaecological care as of 11 July 2022 and are seeking treatment for mental health conditions. (33962)
- 95 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent estimate his Department has made of the number of people (a) who have been on gynaecology waiting lists for over two years and (b) have had gynaecology surgery postponed. (33963)
- 96 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many emergency admissions there have been for heavy menstrual bleeding since 2020. (33964)
- 97 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if the Government will develop dedicated women's health hubs in local communities. (33965)
- 98 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department plans to provide centralised capital funding for NHS Trusts to ensure sufficient infrastructure capacity is secured for the equitable delivery of future radioligand therapy cancer treatments. (33934)
- 99 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the sustainability of the nuclear medicine workforce in the context of the potential increase in availability of (a) radioligand therapy and (b) other nuclear medicines to treat certain cancers. (33935)
- 100 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will take steps to ensure that cancer patients wishing to access radioligand therapy do not have to travel up to 200 miles for that treatment as outlined in the Royal College of Radiologist's report entitled Review of molecular radiotherapy services in the UK. (33936)
- 101 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether the 10 Year Cancer Plan will make provision for expanding system infrastructure to deliver (a) radioligand therapy and (b) other innovative cancer treatments. (33937)
- 102 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if his Department will make it its policy to record and include miscarriages in official statistics for the purposes of (a) setting targets for reducing baby loss and (b) informing the forthcoming Women's Health Strategy. (33938)
- 103 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, on what date his department will publish the Long-Term Strategic Framework for Health and Social Care Workforce Planning. (33940)

- 104 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, on what date his Department will publish NHS England's long term development strategy. (33941)
- 105 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to respond to the letter of 29 April 2022 from the hon. member for West Lancashire to his predecessor, regarding arthritis analgesia, reference ZA59617. (33735)
- 106 **Martyn Day** (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will take steps to improve primary care for patients who have been diagnosed with heart failure. (33866)
- 107 **Martyn Day** (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department is taking steps to encourage the use of data management systems across the NHS that can support the accurate coding and optimal management of heart failure patients. (33867)
- 108 **Peter Dowd** (Bootle): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many (a) people (i) living with and (ii) affected by dementia and (b) organisations representing people living with dementia have been consulted since the announcement of the 10-year plan. (33808)
- 109 **Peter Dowd** (Bootle): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what specific funding will be assigned to the upcoming 10-year plan for dementia. (33809)
- 110 **Nick Gibb** (Bognor Regis and Littlehampton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what public health advice is being issued regarding the increasing infection rates of Omicron variant BA-5. (33661)
- 111 **Neale Hanvey** (Kirkcaldy and Cowdenbeath): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will meet with his counterparts in the Devolved nations to discuss the role of clinical research in (a) driving better patient outcomes and (b) fostering better innovative treatments for patients. (33944)
- 112 **Neale Hanvey** (Kirkcaldy and Cowdenbeath): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent discussions the Government has had with (a) representatives of the National Health Systems of the UK and (b) devolved Administrations on developing the Future of UK Clinical Research Delivery 2022 to 2025 implementation plan; and what future discussions he plans to take place to (i) monitor and (ii) evaluate progress made in delivering the agreed actions within the implementation plan. (33945)
- 113 **Neale Hanvey** (Kirkcaldy and Cowdenbeath): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has had discussions with (a) representatives of the National Health Systems of the UK and (b) the devolved Administrations

on the development of a UK-wide professional accreditation scheme for clinical research practitioners to help increase the size of the clinical research workforce.

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- 114 **Neale Hanvey** (Kirkcaldy and Cowdenbeath): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what further steps he is taking to (a) increase the participation of patients within clinical trials, (b) integrate clinical research within health and social care practice and (c) further embed clinical research within the NHS.

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- 115 **Neale Hanvey** (Kirkcaldy and Cowdenbeath): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what further steps he is taking to promote the UK as a global life sciences superpower.

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- 116 **Neale Hanvey** (Kirkcaldy and Cowdenbeath): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what further steps he is taking to (a) reduce approval times for clinical trials and (b) enable innovative research to be carried out more quickly; and what discussions he has had for the purposes of informing policy and practice with representatives of (i) the National Health Systems of the UK, (ii) the Devolved administrations, (iii) academia, (iv) medical royal colleges, (v) patient advocacy groups, (vi) research institutes and (vii) health care professional bodies.

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- 117 **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the report of the Independent Medicines and Medical Devices Safety Review entitled First Do No Harm, published on 8 July 2020, if he will make an estimate of the number of people with stress urinary incontinence who have been treated with mesh (a) slings and (b) tapes in (i) July 2018 to July 2019, (ii) July 2019 to July 2020, (iii) July 2020 to July 2021 and (iv) July 2021 to 11 July 2022.

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- 118 **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many autologous fascia sling procedures were performed between (a) 1 July 2018 and 1 July 2019, (b) 2 July 2019 and 1 July 2020, (c) 2 July 2020 and 1 July 2021 and (d) 2 July 2021 and 11 July 2022.

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- 119 **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many colposuspension surgeries were performed between (a) July 2018 and July 2019, (b) July 2019 and July 2020, (c) July 2020 and July 2021 and (d) July 2021 to date.

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- 120 **Mrs Sharon Hodgson** (Washington and Sunderland West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the potential health implications of the continued use of mesh slings for incontinence by Newcastle upon Tyne Hospitals Trust despite a pause on the use of that type of surgery due to the Independent Medicines and Medical Devices Safety Review report, published July 2018.

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- 121 **Sir George Howarth** (Knowsley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an estimate of the proportion of (a) paediatric and (b) adult cystic fibrosis centres in England that did not provide at least 85 per cent of their patients with a management plan discussion at their annual review, for each year since 2015. (33713)
- 122 **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has a timetable for reviewing the maximum compensation amounts available to people who have suffered severe adverse reactions to covid-19 vaccines. (33874)
- 123 **Kim Johnson** (Liverpool, Riverside): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many of the reported covid-19 vaccine deaths to the Medicines and Healthcare products Regulatory Agency Yellow Card Scheme have (a) been investigated and (b) been found to be related to the vaccines. (33966)
- 124 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an assessment of the potential (a) merits and (b) implications for his policies of the Welsh government's announcement of a £3.9 million investment to improve postal HIV testing in Wales. (33919)
- 125 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that postal HIV tests are equally available across England. (33920)
- 126 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has plans to make new funding available to ensure that postal HIV testing is equally available across England. (33921)
- 127 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an assessment of the implications for his Department's policies of the AARS2 genetic disorder; and whether his Department has made funding available for research into that disorder. (33812)
- 128 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment he has made of the potential merits of reintroducing free covid-19 lateral flow tests in the context of the increasing infection rate. (33819)
- 129 **David Mundell** (Dumfriesshire, Clydesdale and Tweeddale): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has made an assessment of the potential effect of monkeypox on the availability of health service appointments for prescribing the HIV prevention drug PrEP. (33725)
- 130 **David Mundell** (Dumfriesshire, Clydesdale and Tweeddale): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what progress his Department has made on (a) its strategy for Monkeypox vaccination and (b) ensuring that people in high risk groups can access a Monkeypox vaccination quickly. (33726)

- 131 **David Mundell** (Dumfriesshire, Clydesdale and Tweeddale): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make it his policy to provide financial support equivalent to previous covid-19 test and trace support payment scheme to people required to self-isolate due to Monkeypox diagnoses. (33727)
- 132 **Jon Trickett** (Hemsworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much his Department has spent on consultancy fees in (a) 2020, (b) 2021 and (c) 2022; and what the name is of each consultancy contracted. (33700)
- 133 **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 UN report, Towards torture-free trade: examining the feasibility, scope and parameters for possible common international standards, published on 30 May 2022. (33738)
- 134 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether she has made an estimate of the number of executions that occurred in (a) Somalia and (b) South Sudan in 2021; and what discussions she has had with her counterparts in those countries on the rising numbers of executions. (33739)
- 135 **Margaret Ferrier** (Rutherglen and Hamilton West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if she will make representations to the Government of Saudi Arabia following the Saudi Arabian Appeals Court's decision of 13 June 2022 to uphold a death sentence against Abdullah al-Howaiti for crimes allegedly committed when he was 14 years old. (33796)
- 136 **Margaret Ferrier** (Rutherglen and Hamilton West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if she will call on the Saudi Arabian authorities to end the use of the death penalty against minors in all circumstances. (33797)
- 137 **Margaret Ferrier** (Rutherglen and Hamilton West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if she will call on the Saudi Arabian authorities to take further steps in line with their international obligations to protect the welfare of prisoners of conscience, including Mohammed Fahad al-Qahtani allegedly held in a wing reserved for inmates with mental disorders and assaulted on 26 May 2022. (33798)
- 138 **Margaret Ferrier** (Rutherglen and Hamilton West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether she has had discussions with her counterpart in Saudi Arabia on securing the immediate and unconditional release of (a) Abdulrahman al-Sadhan, (b) Waleed Abu al-Khair, (c) Mohammed al-Oteibi and (d) other prisoners of conscience. (33799)

- 139 **Margaret Ferrier** (Rutherglen and Hamilton West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if she will call on the Saudi Arabian authorities to end the imposition of (a) travel bans and (b) other restrictions on (i) Loujain Al-Hathloul, (ii) Samar Badawi, (iii) Raif Badawi and (iv) other human rights activists released from prison. (33800)
- 140 **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps she is taking with her international counterparts to help safeguard the territorial integrity of Lebanon. (33737)
- 141 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how much financial resource her Department provides for development aid in Nigeria. (33752)
- 142 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): 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 the potential threat to security posed by the Islamic State's West African Province. (33753)
- 143 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether she has made an estimate of the number of kidnappings for ransom that have occurred in Nigeria in the last two years. (33754)
- 144 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent estimate her Department has made of the number of people who have been killed in clashes between farmers and nomadic Fulani herders and militants in the Middle Belt region of Nigeria. (33755)
- 145 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether she has made an estimate of the number of cases of human trafficking in Nigeria in the most recent period for which data is available. (33756)
- 146 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether she has made an estimate of the number of people in Nigeria who live in poverty. (33757)
- 147 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment her Department has made of the security of borders surrounding Nigeria. (33758)
- 148 **Kirsten Oswald** (East Renfrewshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 21 January 2022 to Question 106747 on Developing Countries: Coronavirus, what steps her

Department is taking to help low-income countries to improve the capacity of their health systems to achieve their national target for vaccinating populations against covid-19. (33814)

- 149 **Kirsten Oswald** (East Renfrewshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 21 January 2022 to Question 106747 on Developing Countries: Coronavirus, what discussions took place at the Commonwealth Heads of Government Meeting in Rwanda on (a) progress being made by Commonwealth countries towards vaccinating their population against covid-19 and (b) the availability of assistance from the UK's international aid budget to assist in that effort. (33815)
- 150 **Lloyd Russell-Moyle** (Brighton, Kemptown): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent discussions has she had with the Chancellor of the Exchequer regarding the Global Fund's Seventh Replenishment and maintaining the UK Government's commitment to that fund. (33887)
- 151 **Lloyd Russell-Moyle** (Brighton, Kemptown): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment she has made of the (a) Global Fund's contribution to pandemic preparedness and (b) the level of additional UK aid that would support that contribution at the seventh replenishment conference. (33888)
- 152 **Alyn Smith** (Stirling): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether (a) she or (b) any ministers in her Department have met with Russian-based companies since 24 February 2022. (33928)
- 153 **Alyn Smith** (Stirling): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if she will make it her policy to ban lobbying of UK government officials by firms based in Russia. (33929)
- 154 **Jon Trickett** (Hemsworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how much her Department has spent on consultancy fees in (a) 2020, (b) 2021 and (c) 2022; and what the name is of each consultancy contracted. (33702)
- 155 **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when her Department plans to respond to the email correspondence of 7 April, 23 May and 22 June 2022 from the office of the hon. Member for Brentford and Isleworth regarding a visa application. (33802)
- 156 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will assist the hon. Member for West Lancashire in securing a written response from the Director General of HM Passport Office to the letter dated 4 May 2022, reference ZA59626. (33736)

- 157 **Tim Farron** (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to the Monitoring Committee referred to in paragraph 15 of the Memorandum of Understanding between the Government of the United Kingdom and the Government of the Republic of Rwanda for the provision of an asylum partnership arrangement, when that Monitoring Committee will be established. (33741)
- 158 **Tim Farron** (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to the Monitoring Committee referred to in paragraph 15 of the Memorandum of Understanding between the Government of the United Kingdom and the Government of the Republic of Rwanda for the provision of an asylum partnership arrangement, what resources will be provided to that Monitoring Committee to enable it to fulfil its functions. (33742)
- 159 **Tim Farron** (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to the Monitoring Committee referred to in paragraph 15 of the Memorandum of Understanding between the Government of the United Kingdom and the Government of the Republic of Rwanda for the provision of an asylum partnership arrangement, whether the findings and recommendations of that Monitoring Committee will be published. (33743)
- 160 **Tim Farron** (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of whether her policy of transferring asylum applications to Rwanda will result in the separation of families. (33744)
- 161 **Robert Largan** (High Peak): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when she will respond to the correspondence of 13 April 2022 from the hon. Member for High Peak, reference RL37352. (33968)
- 162 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what the average waiting time is for a response to be received from the MP's accounts team; and how many open cases there are as of 11 July 2022. (33816)
- 163 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many asylum applications are awaiting a decision. (33825)
- 164 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many asylum applications where substantive interviews have taken place are outstanding. (33826)
- 165 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many passport applications were upgraded to the fast-track service in each month since January 2022. (33830)

- 166 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 28 June 2022 to Question 22463 on Visas, for what reason the transparency data does not include the average processing time for spousal and partner visa applications. (33831)
- 167 **John McDonnell** (Hayes and Harlington): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if the Government will commit to hold an inquiry or research into any deaths of (a) unaccompanied asylum-seeking children in the care of local authorities and (b) young adult care-leavers who were formerly unaccompanied asylum-seeking children. (33669)
- 168 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what the average waiting time was to process an application for a visa under the (a) Ukraine Family Scheme and (b) Ukraine Sponsorship Scheme for (i) adults and (ii) children in the latest period for which data is available. (33904)
- 169 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether any applications for visas under (a) the Ukraine Family Scheme and (b) Ukraine Sponsorship Scheme for (i) adults and (ii) children have been lost by her Department as of 11 July 2022. (33905)
- 170 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many people from Nigeria sought asylum in the UK in each of the last three years. (33759)
- 171 **Sarah Olney** (Richmond Park): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to ensure that adequate resources are allocated to help the timely processing of (a) UK passport renewals and (b) the EU Settlement Scheme. (33885)
- 172 **Jon Trickett** (Hemsworth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much her Department has spent on consultancy fees in (a) 2020, (b) 2021 and (c) 2022; and what the name is of each consultancy contracted. (33701)
- 173 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what estimate he has made of the additional costs to his departmental budget that will arise across the defence estate in the UK in the financial year 2022-23 as a result of increased prices for gas and electricity compared with the level of those costs in (a) 2019-20, (b) 2020-21 and (c) 2021-22. (33687)
- 174 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether he has plans to (a) divert existing funds from his departmental budget and (b) seek additional funding from elsewhere to meet the additional costs that will arise across the defence estate in the UK in the financial year 2022-23 as a result of increased prices for gas and electricity. (33688)

- 175 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to the Answer of 27 May 2022 to Question 5341 on Armed Forces: Housing, which of the high rise Forces accommodation buildings has been replaced with a new build; and how much that cost his Department. (33689)
- 176 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much UK steel was used to construct (a) Queen Elizabeth Aircraft Carriers, (b) Type 45 Destroyers, (c) Type 23 Frigates, (d) Vanguard class submarines, (e) Astute class submarines and (f) Trafalgar class submarines. (33690)
- 177 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what proportion of the steel used in the construction of Type (a) 26 and (b) 31 frigates is from the UK. (33691)
- 178 **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether the Government plans to sign the United Nations Treaty on the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons. (33942)
- 179 **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what recent discussions the Government has had with United Nations representatives on the implementation of the Treaty on the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons. (33943)
- 180 **Jon Trickett** (Hemsworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much his Department has spent on consultancy fees in (a) 2020, (b) 2021 and (c) 2022; and what the name is of each consultancy contracted. (33705)
- 181 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what the average time was between the Crown Prosecution Service receiving a referral and making a charging decision in the most recent period for which data is available. (33821)
- 182 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what recent assessment he has made of the extent of delays in Crown Prosecution Service decision-making. (33822)
- 183 **Jon Trickett** (Hemsworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much his Department has spent on consultancy fees in (a) 2020, (b) 2021 and (c) 2022; and what the name is of each consultancy contracted. (33707)
- 184 **Jon Trickett** (Hemsworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, how much his Department has spent on consultancy fees in (a) 2020, (b) 2021 and (c) 2022; and what the name is of each consultancy contracted. (33711)
- 185 **Jon Trickett** (Hemsworth): To ask the Prime Minister, how much his office has spent on consultancy fees in (a) 2020, (b) 2021 and (c) 2022; and what the name is of each consultancy contracted. (33704)
- 186 **Jon Trickett** (Hemsworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Scotland, how much his Department has spent on consultancy fees in (a) 2020, (b) 2021 and (c) 2022; and what the name is of each consultancy contracted. (33709)

- 187 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many residents in Newport West have waited longer than 15 days to receive a refund from HMRC in each of the last five years. (33917)
- 188 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will publish his planned timetable for the introduction of the (a) Financial Services and Markets Bill and (b) provisions to protect neighbourhood access to cash. (33817)
- 189 **Lloyd Russell-Moyle** (Brighton, Kemptown): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the Global Fund's investment case for the seventh replenishment, including (a) return on investment, (b) how this will support the (i) UK's trading relationships and (ii) economic development of low and middle income countries and (c) value for money. (33889)
- 190 **Jon Trickett** (Hemsworth): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how much his Department has spent on consultancy fees in (a) 2020, (b) 2021 and (c) 2022; and what the name is of each consultancy contracted. (33706)
- 191 **Daniel Zeichner** (Cambridge): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of raising the £450,000 property value limit for the Lifetime ISA in line with house prices. (33795)
- 192 **Jon Trickett** (Hemsworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Wales, how much his Department has spent on consultancy fees in (a) 2020, (b) 2021 and (c) 2022; and what the name is of each consultancy contracted. (33710)
- 193 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, what recent assessment she has made of the trends in the level of pay among people of different ethnicities. (33893)

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- 1N **Layla Moran** (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Attorney General, when the Government last received legal challenge from an international entity; and what the cost to the public purse was of defending that challenge. (33911)
- 2 **Dave Doogan** (Angus): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how many people receiving the Civil Service Pension who had a reduction in their pension then received (a) an increased pension and (b) a lump sum payment following a further adjustment to their Guaranteed Minimum Pension since 2016. (33927)

- 3N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what estimate he has made of the number of energy suppliers that have ceased trading in each of the last two years; what estimate he has made of the number of consumers that have been transferred to alternative energy suppliers as a result; and what estimate he has made of the total additional estimated cost to consumers of those transfers. (33720)
- 4N **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether he is taking steps to support life sciences manufacturing in the North East. (33774)
- 5N **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether he is taking steps to encourage additional investment in the life sciences cluster in the North East. (33775)
- 6N **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what the total spend was of Innovate UK in each of the last five years; and what proportion of that spending went on universities. (33779)
- 7N **Catherine West** (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what recent assessment the Government has made of the effect of the the change to visa rules on the creative industry following the UK's departure from the EU. (33876)
- 8N **Kevin Brennan** (Cardiff West): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits for her Department's policies of ensuring that all public service broadcaster output that conforms with Ofcom regulations remains visible on social media platforms. (33716)
- 9N **Kevin Brennan** (Cardiff West): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment she has made of the potential merits of ensuring that regulations requiring social media companies to remove specific content are not applicable to Public Service Broadcasting output. (33717)
- 10N **Kevin Brennan** (Cardiff West): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what recent assessment she has made of the potential effect of provisions in the Online Safety Bill in relation to (a) exemptions for journalistic content and (b) content of democratic importance on protections for all Public Service Broadcasters. (33718)
- 11N **Andrew Bridgen** (North West Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment her Department has made of the potential merits of implementing a levy on bookmakers' profits from the football bets to distribute to the EFL and grassroots football. (33781)
- 12N **Angela Rayner** (Ashton-under-Lyne): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, whether his Department holds a minute of the meeting on 18 January 2021 between Lord Brownlow and herself. (33794)

- 13N **Ms Marie Rimmer** (St Helens South and Whiston): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment she has made of the potential merits of the Shakespeare North project in Prescot on arts education and the local regeneration of the town for residents following her visit to that project. (33833)
- 14N **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether his Department provides additional support to universities in the North East on creating skilled graduates for the life science sector in that region. (33776)
- 15N **Catherine West** (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether his Department has made an assessment of the level of threat of espionage on behalf of China in the UK higher education sector. (33877)
- 16N **Dame Angela Eagle** (Wallasey): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of the shortage in the production of sodium hypochlorite on food production; and what steps he plans to take to alleviate any such impact. (33715)
- 17N **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how many tree nurseries are operated by Forestry England; how many staff Forestry England employ in those nurseries; and what the total number of trees grown by those nurseries was in each of the last five years. (33724)
- 18N **Sir Mike Penning** (Hemel Hempstead): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will make it his policy to give special dispensation to animal rescue charities for the commercial import of cats and dogs from (a) Belarus, (b) Poland, (c) Romania and (d) Ukraine where those charities guarantee full compliance with all health and legal requirements. (33729)
- 19N **Mr Toby Perkins** (Chesterfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, for how many farmers and landowners in Derbyshire has a Rural Payment been reduced or withheld as a result of failure to comply with access and footpath requirements, in each of the last three years. (33751)
- 20N **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, whether her Department has carried out an economic impact assessment on a sterling basis of the Memorandum of Understanding between the UK and Indiana which was signed earlier this year. (33803)
- 21N **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, if she will provide details of the economic impact assessment conducted by her Department of the Memorandum of Understanding between the UK and Indiana. (33804)
- 22N **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, how many officials at her Department based in the (a) UK and (b) United States worked on the Memorandum of Understanding between the UK and Indiana. (33805)

- 23N **Layla Moran** (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what the cost to the public purse has been of legal advice sought by the Government on trade deals in each of the last seven years. (33910)
- 24N **Lisa Nandy** (Wigan): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of trends in the level of unsecured personal debt on the Government's levelling up agenda. (33769)
- 25N **Lisa Nandy** (Wigan): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what assessment his Department has made of (a) the regional variations in personal debt levels, (b) which regions have the highest personal debt levels and (c) which towns and cities have the highest personal debt levels. (33770)
- 26N **Lisa Nandy** (Wigan): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what assessment his Department has(made of a) the regional variations in problem debt levels in the UK, (b) which regions in the UK have the highest problem debt levels and (c) which towns and cities in the UK have the highest problem debt levels. (33771)
- 27N **Lisa Nandy** (Wigan): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what assessment he has made of the effect of trends in the level of council tax arrears on the Government's Levelling Up agenda. (33772)
- 28N **Lisa Nandy** (Wigan): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, if his Department will publish a list of the ten (a) regions, (b) cities and (c) towns with the highest levels of council tax arrears in the UK. (33773)
- 29N **Hilary Benn** (Leeds Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether he has made an assessment of the impact of the location of electric meters in block of flats on the ability of residents to connect to smart meters and charge electric vehicles. (33712)
- 30N **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what his Department's policy is on whether standard class passengers on services operated under passenger service contracts should be permitted to sit in first class on overcrowded services. (33892)
- 31N **Gill Furniss** (Sheffield, Brightside and Hillsborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, when he plans to publish data from the monitoring and evaluation programme on e-scooters. (33881)
- 32N **Gill Furniss** (Sheffield, Brightside and Hillsborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether he plans to publish data from the monitoring and evaluation programme on e-scooters in advance of bringing forward legislative proposals on the future of transport. (33882)

- 33N **Gill Furniss** (Sheffield, Brightside and Hillsborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to the Answer of 8 June 2020 to Question 49717 on Cycling and Walking: Finance, when he will publish the Cycling Insights part of the research commissioned by his Department to assess what funding is required to meet its targets for increased cycling and walking by 2025. (33883)
- 34N **Louise Haigh** (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to the contract published on 18 June 2022 with Rail People Solutions Ltd, if he will publish the Work Package Request; and what services will be provided as part of that request. (33861)
- 35N **Louise Haigh** (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to the £11,400,000 Creative Agency Services published on 21 May 2021 and awarded to VMLY&R a division of WPP Brands, what content was developed as part of that contract; whether that content was used to support ministerial social media output. (33862)
- 36N **Louise Haigh** (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, on what dates the Strategic Risk Group chaired by Ministers and attended by airline, airport and ground handler CEOs has met since its inception. (33863)
- 37N **Louise Haigh** (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many times the Summer Resilience Group has met since being established; on what dates those meetings took place; and whether he attended. (33864)
- 38N **Louise Haigh** (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, on what dates the joint Home Office and Department for Transport Ministerial Border Group has met to identify and prepare for high levels of demand at the UK border; and which Ministers have attended at each of the Group's meetings since its inception. (33865)
- 39N **Drew Hendry** (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential impact on safe traffic flows of (a) allowing the unlicensed road usage by cyclists of gradient dependent dynamic variable electric bike motor power outputs over 250w, (b) motor output limitations on electric bike journey types and (c) gradient altered bike speeds. (33834)
- 40N **Mike Kane** (Wythenshawe and Sale East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, when the new Aviation Passenger Charter will be published. (33790)
- 41N **Mike Kane** (Wythenshawe and Sale East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether (a) additional enforcement powers for the Civil Aviation Authority and (b) other consumer protections for air passengers will be implemented before the House rises for the Summer Adjournment on 21 July 2022. (33792)

- 42N **Mike Kane** (Wythenshawe and Sale East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether he received representations from representatives of industry on continuing the Airport and Ground Operations Support Scheme beyond January 2022. (33793)
- 43N **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, when his Department plans to announce a timetable for submissions to the Access for All Programme in Control Period 7. (33916)
- 44N **Dame Angela Eagle** (Wallasey): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what contingency plans her Department has in place to support the Health and Safety Executive in the event that the shortage of sodium hypochlorite continues. (33714)
- 45N **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if his Department will make an assessment of the potential merits of introducing redress schemes for people adversely affected by (a) sodium valproate, (b) Primodos and (c) surgical mesh. (33957)
- 46N **Peter Dowd** (Bootle): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of introducing an immediate fuel subsidy for home care workers in the context of the rising cost of fuel. (33810)
- 47N **Peter Dowd** (Bootle): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, in the context of the social care reform agenda, if he will take steps to ensure that the funding allocation for the social care sector enables care givers to be paid an adequate wage in the context of the rising costs of living. (33811)
- 48N **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans his Department has to procure Evusheld for the purposes of prescribing to clinically vulnerable patients for protection against covid-19. (33783)
- 49 **Caroline Lucas** (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the paper by Schaffer et al. entitled Fine Particulate Matter and Dementia Incidence in the Adult Changes in Thought Study, published in Environmental Health Perspectives on 4 August 2021, what discussions he has had with the Secretary of State for (a) Transport and (b) Environment, Food and Rural Affairs on including cross departmental work to improve air quality in the national dementia strategy; and if he will make a statement. (33750)
- 50N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many people with (a) autism, (b) ADHD and (c) asperger's syndrome have been detained under the Mental Health Act 1983 in each of the last 10 years. (33842)
- 51N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the adequacy of assessment and treatment pathways that are available for people who are detained under the Mental Health Act 1983. (33843)

- 52N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment he has made of the effectiveness of the assessment process for people who have a neurodiversity condition; and if he will take steps to ensure that health professionals with the right (a) competencies and (b) qualifications are involved at an early stage of that process. (33844)
- 53N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment he has made of the adequacy of workforce levels for (a) psychiatrists, (b) clinical psychologists, (c) mental health nurses, (d) psychotherapists and (e) counsellors in the context of the demand on mental health services; and what steps he is taking to tackle any potential shortfall in those workforces. (33845)
- 54N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment he has made of the adequacy of community-based social care support available to people who have completed treatment following detention under the Mental Health Act 1983. (33846)
- 55N **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, on how many occasions since 1 January 2021 he or his predecessor received requests from the Chancellor of the Exchequer to discuss (a) the reduction of NHS treatment backlogs caused by the covid-19 pandemic, (b) the recruitment of additional NHS nurses, and (c) the delivery of plans for hospital construction and renovation. (33732)
- 56N **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, on how many occasions since 1 January 2022 he or his predecessor received requests from the Chancellor of the Exchequer to discuss the impact of increases in gas and electricity prices on (a) NHS hospitals, (b) residential care homes in receipt of NHS funding, and (c) hospice facilities in receipt of NHS funding. (33733)
- 57N **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment she has made of the implications for her policies on UN MINUSMA of the arrest of 49 Ivorian soldiers linked to MINUSMA in Mali on 10 July 2022. (33740)
- 58N **Simon Hoare** (North Dorset): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether the Government plans to publish the impact assessment for the Northern Ireland Protocol Bill before the commencement of the Committee of the Whole House debate on the Bill on 13 July. (33868)
- 59N **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment her Department has made of the adequacy of the treatment of minorities in India. (33913)

- 60N **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps her Department is taking with its international counterparts to help resolve conflict in Kashmir. (33914)
- 61N **Layla Moran** (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what the cost to the public purse has been of legal advice sought by the Government in relation to the Northern Ireland Protocol Bill. (33909)
- 62N **Lloyd Russell-Moyle** (Brighton, Kemptown): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent steps her Department has taken to help tackle discriminatory laws faced by LGBT+ people in the Global South. (33890)
- 63N **Catherine West** (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 7 July 2022 to Question 30087 on China, how many people in her Department have been deployed to the China Department in each year since 2010. (33875)
- 64N **Catherine West** (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps her Department is taking to help mitigate the impact of rising temperatures caused by climate change on maternal health in Pakistan. (33878)
- 65N **Catherine West** (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps her Department is taking to help mitigate the impact of rising sea levels and flooding caused by climate change on maternal health in Bangladesh. (33879)
- 66N **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when her Department plans to respond to the email correspondence of 31 March and 25 April 2022 from the office of the hon. Member for Brentford and Isleworth regarding an asylum application. (33801)
- 67N **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when she plans to respond to the email of 9 June 2022 sent to the urgent queries inbox from the hon. Member for Liverpool Walton regarding Momina Rameez. (33899)
- 68N **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when she plans to respond to the letter of 20 June 2022 from the hon. Member for Liverpool, Walton on seasonal workers. (33900)
- 69N **Drew Hendry** (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if her Department will commit to undertaking an external audit of average (a) visa and (b) passport processing timeframes. (33835)

- 70N **Stephen Kinnock** (Aberavon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what recent discussions she has had with the Gangmasters and Labour Abuse Authority on the (a) prevalence and (b) implications for her policies of the exploitation of workers recruited to the care sector from overseas. (33970)
- 71N **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much (a) his Department and (b) the Navy has spent in total on planning and taking primacy for channel crossings in 2022. (33682)
- 72N **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many service personnel were living in service family accommodation in the UK as of the end of financial year 2021-22; and how many of those personnel were (a) charged for fuel and light via their pay accounts and (b) eligible for support with their utility bills under the Fuel Subsidy Scheme. (33683)
- 73N **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what plans he has to support service personnel living in service family accommodation in the UK with the rising costs of utility bills over the remainder of financial year 2022-23 where those personnel are not (a) charged for fuel and light via their pay accounts and (b) eligible for support with their utility bills under the Fuel Subsidy Scheme. (33684)
- 74N **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to paragraph 0419 of Joint Service Publication 464 Volume 3, what estimate his Department has made of the cost of supplying energy to a standard property of each type of service family accommodation in the UK in the financial years (a) 2019-20, (b) 2020-21, (c) 2021-22 and (d) 2022-23. (33685)
- 75N **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what fuel and light charges have been applied by the Defence Infrastructure Organisation to service personnel living in each type of service family accommodation in the UK in the financial years (a) 2019-20, (b) 2020-21, (c) 2021-22 and (d) 2022-23. (33686)
- 76N **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of the Hercules fleet leaving service on the parachuting capabilities of HM armed forces. (33782)
- 77N **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether a revised Full Business Case has been concluded by his Department for the purchase of three RAF E-7 Wedgetail aircraft. (33723)
- 78N **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, with reference to the Answer of 28 March 2022 to Question on Criminal Proceedings, when his Department plans to publish the research on defendants' engagement with the courts' process carried out by Revolving Doors on behalf of the Crime Reform Programme. (33777)

- 79N **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, pursuant to the Answer of 4 July 2022 to Question 27594 on Public Sector: Crimes of Violence, when the economic impact assessment for the Police, Crime, Sentencing and Courts Act 2022 will be published. (33778)
- 80N **John Howell** (Henley): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, with reference to the Report of the European Committee for the Prevention of Torture and Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment, Periodic visit to the United Kingdom carried out by the CPT from 8 to 21 June 2021 and the Government response, if he will take steps to ensure that (a) all prisoners can benefit from at least one hour of outdoor exercise per day and (b) cells in all prisons in England and Wales measuring less than 8 m² excluding the space taken by the in-cell sanitary annexe are only used for single-occupancy. (33745)
- 81N **John Howell** (Henley): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, with reference to the Report of the European Committee for the Prevention of Torture and Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment, Periodic visit to the United Kingdom carried out by the CPT from 8 to 21 June 2021 and the Government response, when his Department last reviewed the capacity of (a) each prison and (b) the prison estate overall in England and Wales. (33746)
- 82N **John Howell** (Henley): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, with reference to the Report of the European Committee for the Prevention of Torture and Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment, Periodic visit to the United Kingdom carried out by the CPT from 8 to 21 June 2021 and the Government response, what steps he will take to help reduce the length of time that prisoners in England and Wales diagnosed with a serious mental illness and who have already been assessed as requiring treatment in a psychiatric hospital remain in prison before being transferred. (33747)
- 83N **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, pursuant to the Answer of 7 July 2022 to Question 30022 on Employment Tribunals Service, whether his Department has taken recent steps to help increase the ability of Employment Tribunals to accept out of time applications. (33784)
- 84N **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, with reference to Legal aid statistics England and Wales bulletin January to March 2022 published on 30 June 2022, what assessment he has made of the potential effect on the legal system of trends in the level of completed workload in legal help and controlled legal representation between April 2010 and March 2022. (33915)
- 85N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what estimate his Department has made of the potential cost of decarbonising the prison estate in England and Wales. (33785)
- 86N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what estimate his Department has made of the potential costs of decarbonising (a) magistrates and (b) crown courts in England and Wales. (33786)

- 87N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, whether his Department has made an estimate of the costs of unemployment among ex-offenders. (33787)
- 88N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what estimate his Department had made of the cost to the public purse of ineffective trials in each of the last five years. (33788)
- 89N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, when his Department plans to publish the response to the call for evidence in response to the challenges presented by the increasing use of a form of litigation known collectively as Strategic Lawsuits Against Public Participation. (33789)
- 90N **Peter Kyle** (Hove): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, if he will make an assessment of the potential impact of leaving the European Convention on Human Rights on the Belfast Agreement. (33872)
- 91N **Peter Kyle** (Hove): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, what steps he is taking to uphold the legal requirement to ensure access to abortion services in Northern Ireland. (33873)
- 92N **Sir Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Prime Minister, pursuant to the Answer of 23 June 2022 to Question 18053 on total UK employment levels, what plans he has to correct the record, with a Ministerial Correction in the Official Report, in respect of oral contributions of (a) 24 November 2021, Official Report, column 344, (b) 5 January 2022, Official Report, column 11, (c) 5 January 2022, Official Report, column 14, (d) 5 January 2022, Official Report, column 15, (e) 12 January 2022, Official Report, columns 567-8, (f) 19 January 2022, Official Report, columns 323, (g) 2 February 2022, Official Report, columns 268-9, (h) 23 February 2022, Official Report, column 314 and (i) 20 April 2022, Official Report, column 155. (33662)
- 93N **John Spellar** (Warley): To ask the hon. Member for Broxbourne, representing the Speaker's Committee for the Independent Parliamentary Standards Authority, when a response will be received to Question 6697 tabled by the hon Member for Warley on 23 May 2022. (33681)
- 94N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of reviewing buy to let tax relief in the context of the difference in mortgage interest cost for a limited company and a private landlord. (33719)
- 95 **Christine Jardine** (Edinburgh West): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, pursuant to the Answer of 7 July 2022 to Question 30119 on Income Tax: Older People, if he will publish the constituency-level breakdown of HMRC's Income Tax liabilities statistics containing the number of taxpayers aged 65 and over since 2019. (33891)

- 96N **Sarah Olney** (Richmond Park): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many higher rate taxpayers there were in each constituency in each of the last three years. (33884)
- 97N **Kirsten Oswald** (East Renfrewshire): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, pursuant to the Answer of 30 June 2022 to Question 25897 on Airlines: Contracts, what recent assessment he has made of the impact on (a) tax revenues and (b) the UK economy of UK-based airlines utilising non-UK-based sub-contractors on an aircraft, crew, maintenance and insurance basis for passenger flights originating in the UK. (33813)
- 98N **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what the (a) dates, (b) locations and (c) target group were, defined by demographic breakdown of the (i) work status and (ii) age of the twice-weekly focus groups, carried out for his Department by Hanbury Strategy Ltd. between 1 January 2021 and 31 January 2022 under the terms of procurement contract reference CCZZ20A84. (33730)
- 99N **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what the (a) dates, (b) locations and (c) target group were, defined by demographic breakdown of the (i) work status and (ii) age of the twice-weekly focus groups, carried out for his Department by Deltapoll Ltd. between 1 February 2022 and 5 July 2022 under the terms of procurement contract reference CCZZ21A48. (33731)

Questions for Answer on Friday 15 July

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Angela Crawley** (Lanark and Hamilton East): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if he will make an assessment of the impact that (a) digital exclusion and (b) inability to afford a sufficient, private and secure internet connection to meet essential needs have on the poverty premium. (33837)
- 2N **Angela Crawley** (Lanark and Hamilton East): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether he is taking steps with Cabinet colleagues to help tackle (a) digital exclusion and (b) inability to afford a sufficient, private and secure internet connection to meet essential needs. (33838)
- 3N **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of rising energy prices on the manufacturing sector. (33678)

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- 4N **Angela Crawley** (Lanark and Hamilton East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment she has made of the impact of the cost of living crisis on unemployed young people in the UK. (33839)
- 5N **Angela Crawley** (Lanark and Hamilton East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment she has made of the impact of the end of the £20 universal credit uplift on young people living independently. (33840)
- 6N **Angela Crawley** (Lanark and Hamilton East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment she has made of the impact on employment levels of having targets for work coaches. (33841)
- 7N **Gavin Newlands** (Paisley and Renfrewshire North): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many of the leaflets referred to in paragraph 133 of the Parliamentary and Health Service Ombudsman's publication entitled Women's State Pension age: our findings on the Department for Work and Pensions' communication of changes, HC 444, were printed and distributed in financial years (a) 2004-05, (b) 2005-06, (c) 2006-07 and (d) 2007-08. (33832)
- 8N **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he plans to publish a written update relating to the implementation of the recommendations of the Independent Medicines and Medical Devices Safety Review's report entitled First Do No Harm (a) in general and (b) before the House rises on 21 July 2022. (33956)
- 9N **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an assessment of the impact of the Care Quality Commission's decision to require registration of healthcare professionals providing ear wax removal on (a) the associated costs for (i) healthcare professionals and (ii) patients and (b) the absence of such requirements for non-healthcare professionals providing the same procedure. (33898)
- 10N **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent estimate he has made of the average waiting time for mental health treatment. (33675)
- 11N **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department is taking steps to support unpaid carers with the rising cost of living. (33676)
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Questions for Answer on Monday 18 July

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues on meeting the Government's Nationally Determined Contribution under the Paris Agreement to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change of reducing economy-wide greenhouse gas emissions by at least 68% by 2030, compared to 1990 levels. (33677)
- 2N **Jamie Stone** (Caithness, Sutherland and Easter Ross): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what estimate her Department has made of levels of (a) lottery duty and (b) returns to good causes (i) in 2022-23 and (ii) in each of the next three financial years. (33886)
- 3N **Shabana Mahmood** (Birmingham, Ladywood): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what his Department's policy is on leaseholders who need to re-mortgage to pay for fire safety remediation works but cannot secure an EWS1 form to do so. (33748)
- 4N **Shabana Mahmood** (Birmingham, Ladywood): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what estimate he has made of the number of leaseholders that require an EWS1 form to (a) move or (b) re-mortgage. (33749)
- 5N **Wes Streeting** (Ilford North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate he has made of the number of complex patients who will have been waiting more than two years for care by the end of July 2022. (33869)
- 6N **Wes Streeting** (Ilford North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an estimate of the number of fax machines that are in use across NHS England as of 11 July 2022. (33870)
- 7N **Wes Streeting** (Ilford North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many full time equivalent nurses have been employed by NHS England in each year since 2010. (33871)

Questions for Answer on Tuesday 19 July

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Judith Cummins** (Bradford South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to publish the 10-year plan for dementia. (33806)

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- 2N **Judith Cummins** (Bradford South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether the Dementia Programme Board has met since the announcement of the 10-year plan for dementia on 17 May 2022. (33807)
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Questions for Answer on Thursday 21 July

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Layla Moran** (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many Afghan families remain in temporary accommodation as of 20 July 2022. (33908)
- 2N **Layla Moran** (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many Afghans have been resettled into permanent accommodation under the Afghan Citizen Resettlement Scheme. (33912)