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Questions tabled on Friday 16 December 2022

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Questions for Answer on Monday 19 December

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Patrick Grady** (Glasgow North): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of increasing employee rights for flexible working on (a) absenteeism and (b) staff retention. [Transferred] (110742)
- 2 **Stephen Kinnock** (Aberavon): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether his Department is taking fiscal steps with Cabinet colleagues to support (a) housing associations and (b) tenants with the cost of gas and electricity for communal spaces in (i) sheltered, (ii) extra care and (iii) nursing homes. [Transferred] (110726)
- 3 **Damien Moore** (Southport): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether his Department has made an assessment of the implications for his policies of trends in the data by the Office for National Statistics entitled (a) Working Days Lost due to strike action in the public sector and (b) Working Days Lost due to strike action in the private sector, published on 13 December 2022. [Transferred] (110842)
- 4 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment he has made on the adequacy of (a) national policy and (b) regulatory frameworks on enabling (i) local, (ii) regional, (iii) national and (iv) devolved governments to work more effectively in partnership towards Net Zero and adapting to climate change. [Transferred] (110712)

- 5 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, when she will respond to Questions 97494 and 97595 tabled on 28 November 2022 by the Rt hon. Member for Islington South and Finsbury. [Transferred] (111558)
- 6N **Caroline Lucas** (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will fully fund the (a) replacement and (b) operation of fire service end-of-life national resilience assets; and if she will make a statement. [Transferred] (109514)
- 7 **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, pursuant to Answer of 5 December to Question 99832 on Small Businesses: Tax Allowances, whether an impact assessment has been made on the introduction of potential restrictions on overseas spending within R&D tax credits on (a) the total investment of UK companies in R&D and (b) the total investment in R&D by international organisations with headquarters outside the UK. [Transferred] (110682)
- 8N **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what discussions he has had with small business organisations on the impact on start ups and scale ups of the changes to Research and Development tax credits. [Transferred] (110693)
- 9N **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, pursuant to the Answer of 28 November 2022 to Question 90808 on Research: Tax Allowances, what estimate he has made of the annual financial impact of the lower SME R&D tax relief rate on genuine R&D intensive companies not believed to be submitting abusive or fraudulent claims; and if he will provide a sectoral breakdown. [Transferred] (110694)

Questions for Answer on Tuesday 20 December

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Angela Rayner** (Ashton-under-Lyne): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, on what dates the five further complaints against the Deputy Prime Minister announced on 14 December 2022 were received. [Transferred] (111604)
- 2 **Angela Rayner** (Ashton-under-Lyne): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what discussions the Prime Minister had with Lord Lebedev on 21 May 2022; where they met; whether (a) officials and (b) advisers were present; whether minutes were taken of the meeting; and whether his Department holds any other records about the meeting. (112091)
- 3 **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what steps the Government is taking to tackle (a) intimidation, (b) harassment and (c) violence directed towards public servants. (112084)

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- 4 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how much was spent by the GREAT campaign on advertising and other promotional activity at the FIFA World Cup in Qatar between 1 November and 20 December 2022. (112072)
- 5 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, pursuant to his Department's publication of spend control approvals data for July to September 2022, where the taxi ranks building work approved for procurement on 13 July 2022 will take place; and what the purpose of that work will be. (112073)
- 6 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, pursuant to his Department's publication of spend control approvals data for July to September 2022, what the nature and purpose are of the activity approved for procurement in relation to (a) workplace facilities on 15 July 2022 and (b) workplace performance on 22 July 2022. (112074)
- 7 **Tonia Antoniazzi** (Gower): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of energy prices rises on public sector leisure. (112154)
- 8 **Deidre Brock** (Edinburgh North and Leith): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether his Department is taking steps to support people with prepayment meters who have not yet received an Energy Bill Support Scheme voucher. (112100)
- 9 **Deidre Brock** (Edinburgh North and Leith): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether his Department has had recent discussions with energy suppliers on taking steps to support people with prepayment meters who have not yet received an Energy Bill Support Scheme voucher. (112101)
- 10 **Deidre Brock** (Edinburgh North and Leith): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment his Department has made of the effectiveness of the delivery of the Energy Bill Support Scheme for prepayment customers. (112102)
- 11 **Deidre Brock** (Edinburgh North and Leith): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what percentage of prepayment customers had received their Energy Bills Support Scheme voucher by 30 November 2022. (112103)
- 12 **Deidre Brock** (Edinburgh North and Leith): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how many Energy Bill Support Scheme vouchers have been issued to people on prepayment meters in the Edinburgh North and Leith constituency. (112104)

- 13 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether his Department is taking steps to help support Post Offices with the cost of energy after 31 March 2023; and if he will make an assessment of the potential impact of energy costs on the risk of (a) redundancies of staff, (b) reductions in opening hours and (c) closures of Post Offices in the next 12 months. (112079)
- 14 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether he has had recent discussions with relevant stakeholders on the potential merits of providing additional support to households with renewable energy heating systems in the context of the rise in the cost of wood pellets. (112105)
- 15 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether his Department has formed a policy position on hydrogen heating in the home. (112109)
- 16 **Charlotte Nichols** (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment his Department has made of the performance of Royal Mail since its privatisation. (112181)
- 17 **John Redwood** (Wokingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, on how many days did wind power provide less than 10 per cent of UK electricity output in 2022. (112031)
- 18 **John Redwood** (Wokingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how much has been paid to wind generators in subsidies in 2022. (112032)
- 19 **John Redwood** (Wokingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how much was spent on National Grid constraint payments to wind generators in 2022. (112033)
- 20 **John Redwood** (Wokingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether he has reviewed the planned dates for the closure of nuclear powers stations; and whether he has made an assessment of the impact of postponing the closure dates on the safety of those stations. (112034)
- 21 **John Redwood** (Wokingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if he will make an estimate of the amount of coal generating capacity could be made available on stand by notices. (112035)
- 22 **John Redwood** (Wokingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if he will list the gas fields that gained production licences in 2022. (112036)
- 23 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps his Department is taking to improve gas storage capacity. (112048)

- 24 **Cat Smith** (Lancaster and Fleetwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what recent assessment he has made on the availability of heating oil in the North West of England. (112115)
- 25 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, pursuant to his Department's publication of ministerial overseas travel data for July to September 2022, what the cost was of the plane tickets for the former Minister of State for Business, Energy and Clean Growth's journeys to and from (a) New Mexico, USA from 20-26 August 2022 and (b) Bali, Indonesia from 27 August to 3 September 2022. (112071)
- 26 **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to Ofsted Annual Report 2021/22: education, children's services and skills, published 13 December 2022, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of proposed reforms to the SEND system on the (a) availability and (b) accessibility of SEND assessments for children. (112156)
- 27 **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, when her Department plans to publish its responses to the (a) SEND review: right support, right place, right time, published 29 Mar 2022 and (b) and the The independent review of children's social care: final report published in 23 May 2022. (112157)
- 28 **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether her Department plans to publish a summary of the responses received to the consultation entitled SEND review: right support, right place, right time. (112158)
- 29 **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps her Department is taking to help improve health and social care services' (a) engagement with and (b) support for children and families as part of the SEND reforms. (112159)
- 30 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment she has made of the potential implications for her policies of the findings in the Education Endowment Foundations report on the socio-economic attainment gap; and if she will make a statement. (112111)
- 31 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether his Department has held recent discussions with (a) the Russell Group and (b) Universities' Council for the Education of Teachers on taking steps to develop partnerships between recently accredited providers and unsuccessful applications to the initial teacher training market review. (112163)
- 32 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what recent discussions she has had with (a) Cabinet colleagues and (b) stakeholders on the impact of the initial teacher training market review on provider capacity across all regions in England. (112164)

- 33 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 12 December 2022 to Question 105587 on teacher training, what recent discussions she has had with representatives from (a) the Russell Group of universities and (b) Universities' Council for the Education of Teachers on the impact of the outcome of provider appeals on meeting teacher recruitment targets. (112165)
- 34 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 10 October 2022 to Question 59990 on teacher training, whether there are any conditions on which she would open a further round of accreditation to initial teacher training providers. (112166)
- 35 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if she will make an assessment of the value for money to the public purse of the Initial Teacher Training Market Review. (112167)
- 36 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment she has made of the value of the Initial Teacher Training Market Review to meeting teacher recruitment targets. (112168)
- 37 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment she has made on the impact of (a) Early Career Framework and (b) Core Content Framework on teacher recruitment and retention targets. (112169)
- 38 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether she plans to conduct a review with representatives of (a) the Russell Group of universities, (b) Universities' Council for the Education of Teachers and (c) other stakeholders on the teacher recruitment and retention strategy. (112170)
- 39 **Clive Lewis** (Norwich South): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if she will adopt EU risk management decisions on hazardous substances during the transitional period given for substances registered under EU REACH and transferred into UK REACH. (112136)
- 40 **Clive Lewis** (Norwich South): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, which of the substances targeted for a restriction in EU REACH that are not considered a priority in the UK REACH work programme 2022-23 have been assessed as either (a) not used or rarely used in the UK or (b) well controlled in Great Britain; and how existing controls provide an equivalent level of protection to the proposed restriction at EU level for those substances assessed as well controlled in Great Britain. (112137)
- 41 **Clive Lewis** (Norwich South): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that new additions to the EU's Substances of Very High Concern Candidate List are assessed promptly UK REACH once added to the EU list. (112138)

- 42 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps her Department is taking to support farmers with bird flu outbreaks. (112049)
- 43 **Gareth Thomas** (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, pursuant to Article 23.4 of the UK-Japan Comprehensive Economic Partnership Agreement, whether the UK and Japan have established any ad hoc working groups under the Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures. (112042)
- 44 **Gareth Thomas** (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, with reference to Article 23.4 of the UK-Japan Comprehensive Economic Partnership Agreement, whether the UK and Japan have established any ad hoc technical working groups under the Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade. (112043)
- 45 **Gareth Thomas** (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, with reference to Article 23.4 of the UK-Japan Comprehensive Economic Partnership Agreement, whether the UK and Japan have established any ad hoc working groups under the Committee on Regulatory Cooperation. (112044)
- 46 **Gareth Thomas** (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, with reference to Article 23.4 of the UK-Japan Comprehensive Economic Partnership Agreement, whether the UK and Japan have established an Animal Welfare Technical Working Group under the Joint Committee. (112045)
- 47 **Vicky Foxcroft** (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, if he will make an assessment of the implications for his policies of the campaign by Social Housing Action Campaign entitled Social Landlord Disability Charter Scheme. (112133)
- 48 **Vicky Foxcroft** (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether he has made an assessment of the adequacy of the responsiveness of social landlords to reasonable adjustment requests from disabled tenants. (112134)
- 49 **Vicky Foxcroft** (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether he plans to take steps to strengthen the existing powers that social housing regulators have to enforce (a) reasonable adjustment requests and (b) compliance with the Equality Act 2010. (112135)
- 50 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps is his Department taking to increase the speed of the planning applications process. (112047)
- 51 **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether his Department plans to provide additional support to landlords following the ban on Section 21 evictions. (112085)
- 52 **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps his Department is taking to ensure there is adequate support for students in private rented accommodation. (112086)

- 53 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to his Department's publication of spend control approvals data for July to September 2022, what the nature and purpose are of the debt collection services approved for procurement on 27 September 2022. (112076)
- 54 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, pursuant to the Answer of 9 November 2022 to Question 78748 on MyCSP: Complaints, whether his Department is taking steps to improve the service provided by MyCSP. (112113)
- 55 **Stephanie Peacock** (Barnsley East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what financial support the Government offers people waiting for appointments for long-term medical problems if they are unable to work due to their condition. (112153)
- 56 **Ben Bradley** (Mansfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the Retained EU Law Bill, whether he plans to (a) repeal, (b) reform and (c) retain the Tobacco and Related Products Regulations 2016. (112171)
- 57 **Paul Bristow** (Peterborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what specialist services are available for people with Bipolar disorder. (112177)
- 58 **Paul Bristow** (Peterborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what proportion of the health spend is on services and treatments for people with bipolar disorder. (112178)
- 59 **Paul Bristow** (Peterborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to reduce the time taken to diagnosis people with bipolar disorder. (112179)
- 60 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the Women's Health Strategy, whether he has had meetings with stakeholders in mental health on improving healthcare professionals listening to women's mental health needs since the publication of that strategy. (112183)
- 61 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department has taken in helping to improve women's mental health in ensuring that the different experiences of women are considered in policy making. (112184)
- 62 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will provide an update on the work of the women's mental health task force. (112185)
- 63 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the Better Health - Every Mind Matters campaign and page 88 of the Women's Health Strategy, what progress his Department has made on developing tailored content for that initiative on issues which affect women's mental health since the publication of the women's health strategy. (112186)

- 64 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the Family Hubs and the Start for Life programme, what proportion of the £100 million allocated for bespoke parent-infant relationship and perinatal mental health support has been spent as of 16 December 2022. (112187)
- 65 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to page 91 of the Women's Health Strategy, in what way the provision of specialist community perinatal mental health services has been increased since the publication of that strategy. (112188)
- 66 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to page 91 of the Women's Health Strategy, how many women with moderate to complex perinatal mental health needs have access to specialist community care. (112189)
- 67 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the adequacy and effectiveness of maternal mental health services. (112190)
- 68 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to page 92 of the Women's Health Strategy, following the analysis of the call for written evidence submissions, what steps his Department has taken to encourage research on the impacts of social media use on eating disorders, involving (a) experts in the field and (b) people with lived experience to identify (i) appropriate solutions and (ii) safeguards. (112191)
- 69 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, in reference to page 92 of the Women's Health Strategy, following the analysis of the call for written evidence submissions, what steps his Department has taken to encourage research on the evidence base on trauma informed care in England. (112192)
- 70 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to page 92 of the Women's Health Strategy, following the analysis of the written evidence submissions, what steps his Department has taken to encourage research on the impact of the covid-19 pandemic on women's mental health. (112193)
- 71 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, in reference to page 92 of the Women's Health Strategy following the analysis of the call for evidence written evidence submission, what steps has his Department taken to encourage research on foetal alcohol spectrum disorder prevalence rates. (112194)
- 72 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department has taken to improve access to screening services for gynaecological cancers since the publication of the Women's Health Strategy. (112195)

- 73 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many smear tests were performed in (a) England, (b) London and (c) Enfield North provided by the NHS for every year since 2015. (112196)
- 74 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he has taken since the publication of the Women's Health Strategy to improve education on cancers for (a) women and (b) girls. (112197)
- 75 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the uptake of HPV vaccination was for every year since 2015. (112198)
- 76 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he has taken following the publication of the Women's Health Strategy on the digital transformation of screening programmes as referenced in page 93 of the Women's Health Strategy. (112199)
- 77 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential merits for people undergoing fertility treatment routinely to be offered treatment to preserve their fertility. (112200)
- 78 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when the results of the evaluation into The Help Us Help You- Cervical Screening Saves Lives will be published, as referenced on page 94 of the Women's Health Strategy. (112201)
- 79 **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment he has made of the adequacy of social care capacity in Hull North constituency. (112051)
- 80 **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what (a) financial and (b) other steps his Department is taking to help tackle NHS workforce shortages in Hull North constituency. (112052)
- 81 **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many and what proportion of GP surgeries were rated as good by the Care Quality Commission in Kingston upon Hull North constituency as of 16 December 2022. (112053)
- 82 **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many and what proportion of dental practices were rated as good by the Care Quality Commission in Kingston upon Hull North constituency as of 16 December 2022. (112054)
- 83 **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many and what proportion of care homes were rated as good by the Care Quality Commission in Kingston upon Hull North constituency as of 16 December 2022. (112055)

- 84 **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of trends in rates of perinatal mortality in Kingston upon Hull North constituency. (112056)
- 85 **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of trends in the level of life expectancy in Kingston upon Hull North constituency. (112057)
- 86 **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to help support the (a) recruitment and (b) retention of GPs in Kingston upon Hull North constituency. (112058)
- 87 **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to help support the (a) recruitment and (b) retention of mental health specialists in Kingston upon Hull North constituency. (112059)
- 88 **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to help support the (a) recruitment and (b) retention of midwives in Kingston upon Hull North constituency. (112060)
- 89 **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many people were diagnosed with diabetes in Kingston upon Hull North constituency in each of the last five years. (112061)
- 90 **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many people were diagnosed with HIV in Kingston upon Hull North constituency in each of the last 5 five years. (112062)
- 91 **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many children under the age of (a) four and (b) 11 were admitted to hospital for tooth extraction due to decay in Kingston upon Hull North constituency in each of the last five years. (112063)
- 92 **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department has taken in the last 12 months to help tackle health inequality in Kingston upon Hull North constituency. (112064)
- 93 **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment his Department has made of trends in the level of malnutrition in Kingston upon Hull North constituency. (112065)
- 94 **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of trends in the level of healthy life expectancy in Hull North. (112066)

- 95 **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent estimate his Department has made of the number of GP practices open in Hull North as of 16 December 2022; and what the number was in December 2013. (112067)
- 96 **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent estimate his Department has made of the number of FTE fully-qualified GPs, excluding GPs in Training Grade, practicing in Hull North as of 16 December 2022; and what the number was in December 2013. (112068)
- 97 **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent estimate his Department has made of the number of GP appointments in Hull North in the past 12 months as of 16 December 2022; and what the number was in 2013. (112069)
- 98 **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent estimate his Department has made of the number of cancelled operations in Kingston upon Hull North constituency in the last 12 months. (112070)
- 99 **Rebecca Long Bailey** (Salford and Eccles): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to help extend healthy life expectancy by five years by 2035. (112092)
- 100 **Rebecca Long Bailey** (Salford and Eccles): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether it remains the Government's policy to narrow the gap in healthy life expectancy between areas where it is highest and lowest by 2030. (112093)
- 101 **Rebecca Long Bailey** (Salford and Eccles): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the impact of poor housing on health; and what recent discussions he has had with the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities on this matter. (112094)
- 102 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent estimate he has made of the number of dentists retiring in each of the last five years. (112106)
- 103 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what data his Department holds on the percentage of newly qualified dentists entering private practice; and whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of requiring newly qualified dentists to work a set number of years under NHS contracts. (112107)
- 104 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has made a recent assessment of the potential merits of increasing the practical requirements for dentistry courses at universities. (112108)

- 105 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department plans to hold a review of the eligibility to the NHS Low Income Scheme. (112110)
- 106 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to reply to the correspondence from the hon. Member for Ellesmere Port and Neston of 3 May 2022 with reference PO-1386868. (112112)
- 107 **Stephanie Peacock** (Barnsley East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to help improve patient access to (a) technology and (b) staff at dental practices. (112150)
- 108 **Stephanie Peacock** (Barnsley East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps the Government is taking to reduce waiting times for neurology appointments. (112151)
- 109 **Stephanie Peacock** (Barnsley East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps the Government is taking to help support people waiting for appointments for long-term medical conditions, including neurology, to help prevent them sustaining secondary injuries. (112152)
- 110 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his is Department taking to help support children in foster care to attain a University education. (112050)
- 111 **Stephen Crabb** (Preseli Pembrokeshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he has had recent discussions with the Palestinian Authority on the payment of salaries to Palestinians convicted of terror offences. (112078)
- 112 **Chris Law** (Dundee West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether his Department has taken recent steps to provide support to (a) disarmament, (b) demobilization, (c) reintegration and (d) defection programmes in Somalia. (112095)
- 113 **Chris Law** (Dundee West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what plans his Department has to increase the capacity of support for (a) disarmament, (b) demobilization, (c) reintegration, and (d) defection programmes in Somalia during the current Somali offensive against al-Shabaab. (112096)
- 114 **Chris Law** (Dundee West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how much funding his Department has provided to peacebuilding programmes in Somalia in the 2022-23 financial year. (112097)

- 115 **Chris Law** (Dundee West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether his Department is taking steps to provide support to (a) health and (b) education services in areas captured from al-Shabaab in Somalia. (112098)
- 116 **Chris Law** (Dundee West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what mechanisms his Department has in place to assess the conflict-sensitivity of humanitarian and development assistance funded by UK multi-lateral and non-government agencies. (112099)
- 117 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 6 December 2022, Official Report, 97558, what recent discussions he has had with the Palestinian Authority on upholding human rights and the death of human rights activist Nazir Banat. (112080)
- 118 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 6 December 2022 to Question 97558, the value of aid the UK has contributed to the Palestinian Authority's Preventative Security Forces. (112081)
- 119 **Tom Randall** (Gedling): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent reports he has received on Hezbollah's reported acquisition of precision-guided missiles from Iran. (112202)
- 120 **Nicola Richards** (West Bromwich East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what recent assessment she has made of activities by the Islamic Revolutionary Guard Corps in the UK. (112203)
- 121 **Royston Smith** (Southampton, Itchen): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many overnight stays in Southampton Itchen have asylum seekers spent in (a) dispersed accommodation, (b) overflow dispersed accommodation, (c) contingency hotel, (d) stage one overnight initial accommodation or (e) accommodation made by spot booking since November 2022. (112124)
- 122 **Royston Smith** (Southampton, Itchen): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what data her Department holds on the number of asylum seekers the Dolphin Hotel in Southampton has housed since it began providing temporary accommodation; and what the average occupancy rate was. (112125)
- 123 **Royston Smith** (Southampton, Itchen): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what recent estimate her Department has made of how long hotels will be used to temporarily house asylum seekers in Southampton, Itchen constituency. (112126)
- 124 **Royston Smith** (Southampton, Itchen): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether any asylum seekers have absconded from the Dolphin Hotel in Southampton since the hotel was adopted by the Home Office. (112127)

- 125 **Royston Smith** (Southampton, Itchen): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much her Department has budgeted for the provision of hotel accommodation for asylum seekers per person for the next 12 months. (112128)
- 126 **Royston Smith** (Southampton, Itchen): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment her Department made of the potential impact of using hotels in the Southampton Itchen constituency to temporarily house asylum seekers on local NHS service. (112129)
- 127 **Royston Smith** (Southampton, Itchen): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether the Government has made support available for hotel employees who have potentially lost their employment due to hotels being used as temporary accommodation for asylum seekers. (112130)
- 128 **Royston Smith** (Southampton, Itchen): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if her Department will make an assessment of the potential impact of using hotels as temporary accommodation for asylum seekers in Southampton, Itchen constituency on the safety of (a) other hotel occupants and (b) local residents. (112131)
- 129 **Royston Smith** (Southampton, Itchen): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether her Department has made an economic impact assessment of housing asylum seekers at local hotels on (a) the local economy and (b) business activity on local high streets where those hotels are located. (112132)
- 130 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to the Answer of 9 December to Question 104385 on Armed Forces: Housing, why his Department's decision on the Future Accommodation Model is now expected in 2023. (112172)
- 131 **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if he will make an assessment of the impact of safer custody teams on (a) mental health support in prisons and (b) the welfare of prisoners. (112145)
- 132 **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what mental health support is available to former prisoners after their release; and if he will make an assessment of the adequacy of that support. (112146)
- 133 **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what data his Department holds on the number and proportion of prisoners who have self-harmed in (a) each of the last 12 months and (b) each year since 2010. (112147)
- 134 **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if he will make an assessment of the adequacy of mental health support for prisoners. (112148)
- 135 **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many prisoners have been diagnosed with a mental illness in the last 12 months. (112149)

- 136 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of reviewing the law on assisted dying. (112182)
- 137 **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if he will provide a breakdown of subsequent offences committed by defendants on bail in each of the last 12 years by type of offence. (112089)
- 138 **Charlotte Nichols** (Warrington North): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will make it his policy to introduce a windfall tax on financial institutions which have made unexpected excess profits in the last 12 months. (112180)
- 139 **John Redwood** (Wokingham): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what was the (a) average and (b) maximum time between initial registration and the opening of a new business VAT account in 2022. (112029)
- 140 **John Redwood** (Wokingham): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of recent trends in the time taken to process applications for new business VAT accounts. (112030)
- 141N **Jessica Morden** (Newport East): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, what the annual costs were of the (a) Access To Elected Office Fund and (b) EnAble Fund. [Transferred] (109499)

Questions for Answer on Monday 9 January

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, pursuant to the Answer of 16 December to Question 107062 on Cabinet Office: Electronic Purchasing Card Solution, which Minister made the overseas visit referred to in that answer; and to which country did that visit take place. (112075)
- 2N **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if the Government will instruct Ofgem to require energy companies to halt all new installations of prepayment meters, including remote switching of smart meters. (112160)
- 3N **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether he has had recent discussions with energy companies on maintaining prepayment meter connections in winter 2022-23. (112161)

- 4N **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what guidelines the Government has issued to energy companies on the forcible installation of prepayment energy meters; and what assessment has he made of the compatibility of forcible installations with the Human Rights Act 1998. (112162)
- 5N **Bill Esterson** (Sefton Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if he will make a comparative assessment of the effectiveness of heat pumps in (a) Victorian properties, (b) terraced houses built between the 1930s and 1990s. (112083)
- 6N **Patrick Grady** (Glasgow North): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what recent steps he has taken to support flexible working arrangements for (a) parents, (b) people with disabilities and (c) older people. (112114)
- 7N **Drew Hendry** (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what discussions his Department has had with manufacturers of power distribution products on (a) supply chain support for products needed by Ukraine, and (b) ensuring provision of those products to Ukraine. (112121)
- 8N **Drew Hendry** (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, with reference to policy paper, How households and businesses will be supported by the Energy Prices Bill, what estimate his Department has made of the potential level of arrears households have accrued while awaiting payments from the Alternative Fuel Payment Alternative Fund since the announcement of that fund. (112122)
- 9N **Drew Hendry** (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, when his Department plans to finalise plans for the distribution of Alternative Fuel Payments for people who live in off-grid properties. (112123)
- 10N **Helen Morgan** (North Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether his Department is taking steps to help ensure that residents of a property that uses combined domestic and commercial energy supplies under a business tariff will receive energy bill support for the domestic element of their energy use. (112204)
- 11N **Dr Alan Whitehead** (Southampton, Test): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if he will make an estimate of the potential volumes of electrolytic hydrogen production that could be sourced from energy from waste facilities; and if she will take steps to develop policy frameworks to help enable investment in low carbon hydrogen production from energy from waste. (112037)

- 12N **Dr Alan Whitehead** (Southampton, Test): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps his Department is taking to assess and support alternative pathways for low carbon hydrogen not considered in this year's Low Carbon Hydrogen Standard, such as electrolytic hydrogen from energy from waste, ahead of the planned update to the Standard next year. (112038)
- 13N **Dr Alan Whitehead** (Southampton, Test): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what funding has his Department allocated towards the development of electrolytic hydrogen production from energy facilities. (112039)
- 14N **Catherine West** (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what recent discussions she has had with the Leader of the House on her planned timetable for the second reading of the Data Protection and Digital Information Bill. (112139)
- 15N **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to the Ofsted Annual Report 2021/22: education, children's services and skills published 13 December 2022, what assessment she has made of the implications for her Department's policies of that reports findings on special needs provision; and whether she plans to take steps to improve special needs provision. (112155)
- 16N **Gareth Thomas** (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, whether the UK-Japan Committee on Rules of Origin and Customs-Related Matters has met since the UK-Japan Comprehensive Economic Partnership Agreement came into effect. (112040)
- 17N **Gareth Thomas** (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, whether the UK-Japan Working Group on Cooperation in the Field of Agriculture has met since the UK-Japan Comprehensive Economic Partnership Agreement came into effect. (112041)
- 18N **Harriett Baldwin** (West Worcestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, when he plans to reply to the letter from the hon. Member for West Worcestershire, dated October 19 2022 to Rt Hon Simon Clarke MP on behalf of the Malvern Hills Trust Chief Executive. (112087)
- 19N **Lilian Greenwood** (Nottingham South): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether he has made an assessment of the mental health and therapeutic support available for (a) Ukrainian child refugees and (b) other Ukrainian refugees. (112082)
- 20N **Jessica Morden** (Newport East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 2 November 2022 to Question 77355 on Anaesthesia Associates and Physician Associates: Regulation, if it is still his intention to publish the public consultation on the draft legislation aimed at enabling the General Medical Council to regulate physician associates and anaesthesia associates by the end of 2022. (112077)

- 21N **Karin Smyth** (Bristol South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an assessment of the impact of the (a) changes to national insurance and (b) rise in inflation on real terms funding for (i) the NHS and (ii) social care services in the next financial year. (112116)
- 22N **Karin Smyth** (Bristol South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment has been made of the impact of (a) changes in national insurance and (b) the increase in inflation on plans for elective recovery. (112117)
- 23N **Karin Smyth** (Bristol South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an estimate of the number of people who have moderate social care needs but have not yet been (a) assessed and (b) provided with support. (112118)
- 24N **Karin Smyth** (Bristol South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has made an assessment of the impact of the Covid-19 pandemic on the workloads of informal carers. (112119)
- 25N **Karin Smyth** (Bristol South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate he has made of the cost to local authorities of implementing the cap on lifetime social care costs. (112120)
- 26N **Zarah Sultana** (Coventry South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what estimate her Department has made of the number of Afghans under the Afghan Citizens Resettlement Scheme who have permanent settled accommodation that meets their family's needs; when her Department expects those people under that scheme will be placed in such accommodation; and whether her Department is taking steps to help ensure that such accommodation is available to those being accommodated under that scheme. (112176)
- 27N **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many and what proportion of prison officers attended their shift on 10 December 2022. (112140)
- 28N **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many and what proportion of prison officers at Wandsworth Prison attended their shift on 10 December 2022. (112141)
- 29N **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many prisoners were held at Wandsworth Prison on 10 December 2022. (112142)
- 30N **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if he will make an assessment of the potential impact of trends in staff sickness rates on safety in prisons. (112143)
- 31N **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what mental health support is available to prison staff. (112144)

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- 32N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, pursuant to the Answer of 5 December 2022 to Question 96614 on Bail, if he will provide a breakdown of the number of offences committed by individuals on bail in 2021 by offence. (112088)
- 33N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what meetings he held with Dame Vera Baird during her tenure as Victims Commissioner. (112090)
- 34N **Derek Twigg** (Halton): To ask the Prime Minister, with reference to his Answer to the hon. Member for Halton during his oral statement on Illegal Immigration on 13 December 2022, Official Report, column 902, what the evidential basis was for saying that the initial asylum backlog is approximately 117,000. (112046)
- 35N **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what recent requests have been received from the Scottish Government for the devolution of Capital Gains Tax. (112173)
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Questions for Answer on Tuesday 10 January

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what recent requests have been received from the Scottish Government for the Devolution of powers to allow savings and dividend income to be subject to Scottish income tax rates. (112174)
- 2N **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether his Department has received recent requests from the Scottish Government for the devolution of powers to allow for the introduction of a wealth tax in Scotland. (112175)