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## Questions tabled on Monday 30 January 2023

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  - [R] Indicates that a relevant interest has been declared.
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## Questions for Answer on Tuesday 31 January

### Questions for Written Answer

- 1 **Seema Malhotra** (Feltham and Heston): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment he has made of (a) small business awareness of and (b) small business satisfaction with the network of Growth Hubs.  
[Transferred] (134007)
  - 2 **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment the Government has made of the value for money of personal protective equipment procured under covid-19 emergency regulations.  
[Transferred] (133968)
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## Questions for Answer on Wednesday 1 February

### Questions for Written Answer

- 1 **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Attorney General, what steps their Department takes to comply with section 181 of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992; and if they will make a statement. [R] (135300)
- 2 **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, if he will publish the correspondence between HM Revenue and Customs and the Government on the tax affairs of the Rt hon. Member for Stratford-on-Avon. (135426)

- 3 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of allowing Ukrainian refugees resident in England to vote in local elections. (135282)
- 4 **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, pursuant the Answer of 26 January 2023 to Question 126783 on Energy: Prices, if he will publish a list of the stakeholders the Government is holding discussions with. (135445)
- 5 **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what recent assessment has he made of the effectiveness of Ofgem as a regulator. (135448)
- 6 **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, pursuant to the Answer of 26 January 2023 to Question 130010 on Energy: Meters, where that data will be published; and what steps the Government is taking to ensure publication in a timely manner. (135450)
- 7 **Rosie Duffield** (Canterbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of the Strikes (Minimum Service Levels) Bill on public workers in Canterbury. (135390)
- 8 **Rosie Duffield** (Canterbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether he plans to provide additional financial support to disabled people in receipt of Income-related (a) Employment Support Allowance and (b) Personal Independence Payment to help replace the support provided by the one-off Warm Home Discount. (135456)
- 9 **Sir David Evennett** (Bexleyheath and Crayford): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how many SMEs in (a) Bexleyheath and Crayford constituency and (b) Bexley Borough received Government financial support in 2022. (135174)
- 10 **Sir David Evennett** (Bexleyheath and Crayford): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what recent assessment he has made of the potential impact of high energy prices on businesses in the hospitality sector. (135175)
- 11 **Darren Jones** (Bristol North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how many households which were eligible for the Warm Homes Discount in 2022 are no longer eligible in 2023. (135484)
- 12 **Darren Jones** (Bristol North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment his Department has made of the reliability of the Energy Performance Certificate data being used to decide on eligibility for the Warm Homes Discount. (135485)

- 13 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether he has had recent discussions with the Chief Executive of Belfast City Airport on taking steps to support employees at the airport who are affected by Flybe being placed in administration. (135409)
- 14 **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, where the lithium-ion batteries used in UK wind farms are sourced from. (135169)
- 15 **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether he has a policy on stockpiling lithium-ion batteries. (135232)
- 16 **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether his Department has a policy on the stockpiling of critical materials. (135233)
- 17 **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if he will make an assessment of which UK-based industries, other than wind farms and electric vehicles, are dependent on the supply of lithium-ion batteries. (135234)
- 18 **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if he will make an assessment of the adequacy of the stocks of batteries held by (a) windfarms and (b) other key UK infrastructure in the event of a halt in the export of batteries by a major supplier such as China. (135235)
- 19 **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, with reference to the publication of the Critical Mineral Strategy, what steps is his Department taking to engage with mineral-rich countries. (135236)
- 20 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether his Department holds data on the number of public rights of way footpaths that have been removed from Ordnance Survey maps since 2015. (135330)
- 21 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what the process is for requesting that Ordnance Survey includes a lost public right of way in future map editions. (135331)
- 22 **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what agency is responsible for the safety of individuals on offshore installations in international waters. (135416)
- 23 **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether the Health and Safety Executive are responsible for offshore windfarm operations in international waters. (135417)

- 24N **Seema Malhotra** (Feltham and Heston): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how much funding has been provided to Growth Hubs in each year since their establishment. [Transferred] (134008)
- 25N **Seema Malhotra** (Feltham and Heston): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how many businesses have (a) engaged with and (b) been supported by Growth Hubs in each year since the establishment of those hubs. [Transferred] (134009)
- 26 **Navendu Mishra** (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether his Department has made an assessment of the impact of increased cost of energy bills on the flour milling industry. (135458)
- 27 **Navendu Mishra** (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether he has held discussions with Stockport Metropolitan Borough Council in the last 12 months on increasing the number of electrical vehicle public charging points in Stockport. (135460)
- 28 **Navendu Mishra** (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether his Department has taken recent steps to (a) increase the capacity of the electricity network and (b) speed up the connection of renewable energy projects to the national grid. (135462)
- 29 **Angela Rayner** (Ashton-under-Lyne): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps he is taking to create a Single Enforcement Body for Employment Rights. (135263)
- 30 **Angela Rayner** (Ashton-under-Lyne): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how many employers were named under the National Minimum Wage Naming Scheme between 1 January and 31 December 2022. (135268)
- 31 **Mr Barry Sheerman** (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether his Department is planning to open an application process for the Energy Bills Support Scheme - Alternative Funding. (135156)
- 32 **Mr Barry Sheerman** (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps he is taking to ensure landlords pass on savings from the Energy Bills Support Scheme to tenants who have no relationship with an energy supplier. (135157)
- 33 **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps their Department takes to comply with section 181 of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992; and if they will make a statement. [R] (135305)

- 34 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what discussions she has had with the (a) the Secretary of State for the Home Department and (b) professional footballing bodies on the eligibility of talented footballers on dependent visas to access professional sporting contracts. (135442)
- 35 **John Howell** (Henley): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, with reference to the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe debate entitled Building the Open Council of Europe Academic Networks, held on 27 January 2023, what assessment she has made of the potential implications for her Department's policies. (135206)
- 36 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, with reference to telecommunication providers transitioning from analogue to digital landlines, whether her Department has made an assessment of the potential impact of that transition on rural communities. (135333)
- 37 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, how many black and white television licenses were issued in the Solihull constituency in 2022. (135334)
- 38 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, whether the Government has made an assessment of the economic benefits of the 2022 Commonwealth Games in Birmingham. (135335)
- 39 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment her Department has made of the impact of inflation on sporting infrastructure projects. (135338)
- 40 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, if she will make an assessment of trends in the age profile of volunteers with civil society organisations in the period between 2019 and 2023. (135259)
- 41 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, if she will make an assessment of the potential impact of increasing the state pension age on the number of older people who are able to volunteer with civil society organisations. (135260)
- 42 **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, if she will hold discussions with representatives of large (a) arenas, (b) stadiums and (c) festivals on providing financial support to grassroots music venues. (135177)
- 43 **Navendu Mishra** (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, pursuant to the Answer of 23 January 2023 To Question 124155 on Tourism: India, whether her Department has a strategy to promote Greater Manchester as a destination to Indian tourists. (135457)

- 44 **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what steps their Department takes to comply with section 181 of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992; and if they will make a statement. [R] (135306)
- 45 **Sir David Evennett** (Bexleyheath and Crayford): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many people began an apprenticeship in 2022 in (a) Bexleyheath and Crayford constituency, (b) Bexley Borough and (c) Greater London. (135172)
- 46 **Sir David Evennett** (Bexleyheath and Crayford): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps her Department is taking to improve the recruitment and retention of teachers. (135173)
- 47 **Nick Fletcher** (Don Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to the statement made by the Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State for Education, HL Deb 24 January 2022, vol 827, col 216 that her Department will send all schools a letter instructing them to show parents who request it the material their children are being taught, when she expects to send that letter. (135371)
- 48 **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many applications there have been to date for places on the Higher Education Short Courses trial; how many and what proportion of those applications were accepted; and how many and what proportion of those that were accepted applied for (a) fee and (b) maintenance loans. (135430)
- 49 **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether her Department has provided additional funding to (a) further and (b) higher education providers to help them prepare for the introduction of the lifelong loan entitlement in the period since that policy was announced; whether her Department plans to provide additional funding for this purpose in future financial years; and what recent estimate she had made of whether the lifelong loan entitlement will be available from 2025. (135436)
- 50 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps her Department is taking to ensure that state schools in Solihull constituency have access to defibrillators. (135344)
- 51 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if her Department has carried out an economic assessment of the impact of changing the tax status of private and independent schools on the state education sector. (135345)
- 52 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether parents who are required to provide schools with GP letters for a child with SEND are able to charge the cost of that letter back to the school. (135288)



- 53 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what guidance her Department provides to local authorities on payment for letters from a GP required by a school about a child with special educational needs and disability. (135289)
- 54 **Navendu Mishra** (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many teachers of the deaf are employed in (a) England, (b) Greater Manchester and (c) Stockport. (135464)
- 55 **Taiwo Owatemi** (Coventry North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps she is taking to help improve the financial literacy of school children in Coventry North West constituency. (135434)
- 56 **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether she has had discussions with bodies representing the universities sector on the (a) effectiveness and (b) direction of the Office for Students in the period since 25 October 2022. (135188)
- 57 **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether she has issued directions to the Office for Students on provider engagement in the period since 25 October 2022. (135189)
- 58 **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether she plans to take steps to ensure that the Office for Students improves its engagement with providers. (135190)
- 59 **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 20 July 2022 to Question 37614, on Schools: Buildings, which schools in Houghton and Sunderland South constituency had at least one construction element in (a) condition grade C, and (b) condition grade D, when that data was collated; and which of those schools (i) have already received funding from the School Rebuilding Programme and (ii) are expected to receive funding from the School Rebuilding Programme in the next two years. (135240)
- 60 **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 20 July 2022 to Question 37614 on Schools: Buildings, which schools in Basingstoke constituency had at least one construction element in (a) condition grade C, and (b) condition grade D, when that data was collated; and which of those schools (i) have already received funding from the School Rebuilding Programme and (ii) are expected to receive funding from the School Rebuilding Programme in the next two years. (135241)
- 61 **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 20 July 2022 to Question 37614 on Schools: Buildings, which schools in Bassetlaw constituency had at least one construction element in (a) condition grade C, and (b) condition grade D, when that data was collated; and which of those schools (i) have already received funding from the School Rebuilding Programme and (ii) are expected to receive funding from the School Rebuilding Programme in the next two years. (135242)

- 62 **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 20 July 2022 to Question 37614 on Schools: Buildings, which schools in Birmingham, Northfield constituency had at least one construction element in (a) condition grade C, and (b) condition grade D, when that data was collated; and which of those schools (i) have already received funding from the School Rebuilding Programme and (ii) are expected to receive funding from the School Rebuilding Programme in the next two years. (135356)
- 63 **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 20 July 2022 to Question 37614 on Schools: Buildings, which schools in Bishop Auckland constituency had at least one construction element in (a) condition grade C, and (b) condition grade D, when that data was collated; and which of those schools (i) have already received funding from the School Rebuilding Programme and (ii) are expected to receive funding from the School Rebuilding Programme in the next two years. (135357)
- 64 **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 20 July 2022 to Question 37614 on Schools: Buildings, which schools in Bournemouth East constituency had at least one construction element in (a) condition grade C, and (b) condition grade D, when that data was collated; and which of those schools (i) have already received funding from the School Rebuilding Programme and (ii) are expected to receive funding from the School Rebuilding Programme in the next two years. (135358)
- 65 **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 20 July 2022 to Question 37614 on Schools: Buildings, which schools in Burnley constituency had at least one construction element in (a) condition grade C, and (b) condition grade D, when that data was collated; and which of those schools (i) have already received funding from the School Rebuilding Programme and (ii) are expected to receive funding from the School Rebuilding Programme in the next two years. (135359)
- 66 **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 20 July 2022 to Question 37614 on Schools: Buildings, which schools in Bury North constituency had at least one construction element in (a) condition grade C, and (b) condition grade D, when that data was collated; and which of those schools (i) have already received funding from the School Rebuilding Programme and (ii) are expected to receive funding from the School Rebuilding Programme in the next two years. (135360)
- 67 **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 20 July 2022 to Question 37614 on Schools: Buildings, which schools in Camborne and Redruth constituency had at least one construction element in (a) condition grade C, and (b) condition grade D, when that data was collated; and which of those schools (i) have already received funding from the School Rebuilding Programme and (ii) are expected to receive funding from the School Rebuilding Programme in the next two years. (135361)



- 68 **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 20 July 2022 to Question 37614 on Schools: Buildings, which schools in Chingford and Woodford Green constituency had at least one construction element in (a) condition grade C, and (b) condition grade D, when that data was collated; and which of those schools (i) have already received funding from the School Rebuilding Programme and (ii) are expected to receive funding from the School Rebuilding Programme in the next two years. (135362)
- 69 **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 20 July 2022 to Question 37614 on Schools: Buildings, which schools in Chipping Barnet constituency had at least one construction element in (a) condition grade C, and (b) condition grade D, when that data was collated; and which of those schools (i) have already received funding from the School Rebuilding Programme and (ii) are expected to receive funding from the School Rebuilding Programme in the next two years. (135363)
- 70 **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 20 July 2022 to Question 37614 on Schools: Buildings, which schools in Cities of London and Westminster constituency had at least one construction element in (a) condition grade C, and (b) condition grade D, when that data was collated; and which of those schools (i) have already received funding from the School Rebuilding Programme and (ii) are expected to receive funding from the School Rebuilding Programme in the next two years. (135364)
- 71 **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 20 July 2022 to Question 37614 on Schools: Buildings, which schools in Colchester constituency had at least one construction element in (a) condition grade C, and (b) condition grade D, when that data was collated; and which of those schools (i) have already received funding from the School Rebuilding Programme and (ii) are expected to receive funding from the School Rebuilding Programme in the next two years. (135365)
- 72 **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 20 July 2022 to Question 37614 on Schools: Buildings, which schools in Colne Valley constituency had at least one construction element in (a) condition grade C, and (b) condition grade D, when that data was collated; and which of those schools (i) have already received funding from the School Rebuilding Programme and (ii) are expected to receive funding from the School Rebuilding Programme in the next two years. (135366)
- 73 **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 20 July 2022 to Question 37614 on Schools: Buildings, which schools in Croydon South constituency had at least one construction element in (a) condition grade C, and (b) condition grade D, when that data was collated; and which of those schools (i) have already received funding from the School Rebuilding Programme and (ii) are expected to receive funding from the School Rebuilding Programme in the next two years. (135367)

- 74 **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 20 July 2022 to Question 37614 on Schools: Buildings, which schools in Darlington constituency had at least one construction element in (a) condition grade C, and (b) condition grade D, when that data was collated; and which of those schools (i) have already received funding from the School Rebuilding Programme and (ii) are expected to receive funding from the School Rebuilding Programme in the next two years. (135368)
- 75 **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 20 July 2022 to Question 37614 on Schools: Buildings, which schools in Derby North constituency had at least one construction element in (a) condition grade C, and (b) condition grade D, when that data was collated; and which of those schools (i) have already received funding from the School Rebuilding Programme and (ii) are expected to receive funding from the School Rebuilding Programme in the next two years. (135369)
- 76 **Chloe Smith** (Norwich North): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, when she plans to respond to the consultation entitled Lifelong loan entitlement, published on 24 February 2022. (135183)
- 77 **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps their Department takes to comply with section 181 of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992; and if they will make a statement. [R] (135307)
- 78 **Matt Vickers** (Stockton South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps she plans to take to help pupils affected by industrial action in schools catch up with missed learning and development that has been delayed as a result of that action. (135476)
- 79 **Matt Western** (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many teaching staff in (a) primary and (b) secondary schools were signed off with stress-related illnesses in England and Wales in each year since 2010. (135398)
- 80 **Crispin Blunt** (Reigate): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of amending the code of practices for the welfare of animals to include guidance on (a) invisible containment fence systems for livestock, (b) invisible containment fence systems for pets and (c) remote electronic training collars for dogs. (135119)
- 81 **Crispin Blunt** (Reigate): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, with reference to the finding of the National Police Chiefs' Council Livestock Worrying Working Group that the dog was unaccompanied in most livestock worrying incidents, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of promoting livestock aversion training courses for dogs. (135122)

- 82 **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what statutory assurances the Government has put in place to ensure that food standards will be maintained or enhanced following the passage of the Retained EU Law Bill. (135431)
- 83 **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether she plans to bring forward legislative proposals to allow Environmental Health Officers to conduct import inspections on products of animal origin. (135432)
- 84 **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of implementing higher air quality targets on the concentration of PM2.5. (135433)
- 85N **Geraint Davies** (Swansea West): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what discussions she had has with Cabinet colleagues on the potential merits of including natural gas, petrol or oil used in domestic cooking and heating appliances in UK REACH legislation. [Transferred] (133932)
- 86 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if she will make an estimate of the number of food banks that did not have enough food to meet demand on 26 January 2023. (135382)
- 87 **Caroline Lucas** (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment she has made of the implications for her policies of the report by her Department entitled Risk Assessment on the spread of High Pathogenicity Avian Influenza (HPAI) H5N1 to wild birds from released, formerly captive gamebirds in Great Britain (135496)
- 88 **Nigel Mills** (Amber Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent discussions she has had with her cabinet colleagues in relation to concerns expressed by representatives of affected industries on (a) the potential impact on those industries of Extended Producer Responsibility (ERP) for packaging, (b) the additional costs of ERP for those industries and (c) how best to implement a transition to international best practice on EPR. including the appropriate timeframe. (135354)
- 89 **Nigel Mills** (Amber Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, (a) what conclusions she has drawn from recent engagement with representatives of affected industries on the implementation of international best-practice Extended Producer Responsibility for packaging and (b) which specific best practice principles she plans to implement when EPR is introduced in January 2024. (135355)
- 90 **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps their Department takes to comply with section 181 of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992; and if they will make a statement. [R] (135308)

- 91 **Liz Twist** (Blaydon): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether she has made a recent assessment of the potential merits of introducing a single social tariff for water. (135453)
- 92 **Siobhain McDonagh** (Mitcham and Morden): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what steps she is taking to tackle instances where businesses circumvent sanctions on Belarus; and if he will meet with the hon. Member for Mitcham and Morden to discuss this matter. (135125)
- 93 **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what steps their Department takes to comply with section 181 of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992; and if they will make a statement. [R] (135309)
- 94 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of introducing legislative proposals to enable Ukrainian citizens who arrived in the UK on a Homes for Ukraine or Ukraine Family Scheme visa to vote in (a) general and (b) local elections in England. (135419)
- 95 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, with reference to the Written Ministerial Statement entitled Update on the Levelling Up Bill, HCWS415, published on 6 December 2022, whether local authorities which are developing a draft local plan are able to exclude sites submitted by landowners, developers, agents and site promoters which are located on green belt. (135421)
- 96 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, with reference to his Written Ministerial Statement of 6 December 2022, HCWS415, on Update on the Levelling Up Bill, what guidance his Department issues on whether the Planning Inspectorate can give substantial weight to that Statement when examining appeals of a refusal of permission for a development on green belt land in instances where there is not a currently adopted local plan and when housing need as calculated by the currently calculated housing targets cannot be demonstrably satisfied. (135422)
- 97 **Geraint Davies** (Swansea West): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how many and what proportion of high rise residential towers over 60 metres have gas pipes supplying all floors. (135121)
- 98 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, if he will make an estimate of the number and proportion of households that have mould. (135386)
- 99 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps his Department is taking to encourage local authorities to adopt housing estates from planning developers more promptly. (135286)

- 100 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what assessment he has made of the impact of inflation on infrastructure projects funded through round one of the Levelling Up Fund. (135325)
- 101 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, when his Department plans to provide feedback to local authorities who were unsuccessful in round two of the Levelling Up Fund. (135326)
- 102 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, if he will bring forward legislative proposals to ensure that properties let for 28 days for which the contract is rolled over for another period of up to 28 days will be classified as one continuous let. (135279)
- 103 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what effect the Levelling Up and Regeneration Bill will have on property lettings for 28 days or less which are renewed on a fresh contract. (135280)
- 104 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, if he will bring forward legislative proposals to ensure that property lettings for 28 days or less which are renewed on a fresh contract are classified as a residential use class and subject to Council Tax. (135281)
- 105 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps he is taking to ensure the adequacy of the level of Local Housing Allowance during the cost of living for recipients of that benefit in York. (135284)
- 106 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether his Department has made a recent assessment of the performance of local authorities, including City of York Council, in housing veterans and helping to prevent homelessness of veterans. (135348)
- 107 **John Penrose** (Weston-super-Mare): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, when he plans to respond to the correspondence from the hon. Member for Weston-super-Mare of 17 November 2022 and 19 December 2022 on behalf of his constituent Robert Dykes on boycotts. (135193)
- 108 **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps their Department takes to comply with section 181 of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992; and if they will make a statement. [R] (135310)
- 109 **Sir Gavin Williamson** (South Staffordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether his Department has provided guidance to local authorities on whether companies are required to provide notice to local authorities when digging up pathways. (135292)

- 110 **James Daly** (Bury North): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what the average time was for processing a drivers medical check by the Driver and Vehicle Licensing Agency in the latest period for which data is available; and how many and what proportion of outstanding checks are waiting for third parties to provide medical information. (135424)
- 111 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent discussions has he had with the Chancellor of the Exchequer on the planned London Euston terminus of the HS2 line. (135384)
- 112 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether it remains his Department's policy for HS2 to terminate at London Euston station. (135385)
- 113 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent estimate he has made of whether the HS2 Euston terminus will be delivered (a) within budget and (b) on time. (135387)
- 114 **Antony Higginbotham** (Burnley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether his Department plans to take steps to ensure that bus services which connect communities are not affected after the current phase of Bus Recovery Grant Funding ends at the beginning of April 2023. (135494)
- 115 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether he has had recent discussions with the Civil Aviation Authority on Flybe being placed in administration. (135407)
- 116 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether discussions he has had with the Welsh Government on Flybe being placed in administration. (135410)
- 117 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, when the Chiltern mainline contract is due for renewal. (135346)
- 118 **Sir Greg Knight** (East Yorkshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps he has taken to support and encourage the installation of more audio-visual real time information on busses and trains for visually-impaired and hard of hearing passengers in East Yorkshire. (135178)
- 119 **Navendu Mishra** (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to his Department's Road Safety Statement 2019, published in July 2019, what his Department planed timescale is for publishing research on visual impairments and road casualties. (135461)
- 120 **Sarah Olney** (Richmond Park): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether he has plans to improve public transport in order to ensure a viable alternative means of transport to electric cars once petrol vehicles are banned after 2030. (135468)



- 121 **Sarah Olney** (Richmond Park): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether he plans to take steps to ensure that all public electric vehicle chargers must (a) allow for direct card payment and (b) not require the use of an app. (135493)
- 122 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will make an estimate of the cost to the public purse of pothole injury compensation from April 2021 to April 2022. (135246)
- 123 **Henry Smith** (Crawley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, when he plans to publish an independent review of aviation sector evidence on the barriers, opportunities and conditions required for a competitive UK Sustainable Aviation Fuel industry. (135212)
- 124 **Alex Sobel** (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether he is taking steps to support local governments and combined authorities in holding bus companies to account for their service delivery. (135486)
- 125 **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps their Department takes to comply with section 181 of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992; and if they will make a statement. [R] (135311)
- 126 **Matt Western** (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many bus services were reduced in Warwick and Leamington constituency in 2022. (135402)
- 127 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if he will make an estimate of the number of households that received a food bank parcel in (a) 2021 and (b) 2022. (135378)
- 128 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether his Department is taking steps to support food banks, in the context of increases in demand for their resources. (135381)
- 129 **David Linden** (Glasgow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many and proportion of claimants who were placed in the Intensive Work Search group as a direct result of the changes made in the Universal Credit (Administrative Earnings Threshold) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 were then moved from this group because of an increase in earnings which took them over the Administrative Earnings Threshold between 26 September 2022 and 29 January 2023. (135446)
- 130 **David Linden** (Glasgow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many and what proportion of claimants who were placed in the Intensive Work Search group between 26 September 2022 and 29 January 2023 as a direct result of the changes made in the Universal Credit (Administrative Earnings Threshold) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 experienced a reduction in average earnings. (135447)

- 131 **David Linden** (Glasgow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what feedback his Department sought between 26 September 2022 and 29 January 2023 from Work Coaches on the practical impact of the Universal Credit (Administrative Earnings Threshold) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 on claimants. (135449)
- 132 **Matt Rodda** (Reading East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to the Retained EU Law (Revocation and Reform) Bill, what estimate his Department has made of the number of laws that will be need to be reviewed relating to workplace pensions. (135372)
- 133 **Matt Rodda** (Reading East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if he will make an assessment of the potential impact of the Retained EU Law (Revocation and Reform) Bill on existing case law relating to workplace pensions. (135373)
- 134 **Matt Rodda** (Reading East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what information his Department holds on the number of people (a) eligible for and (b) claiming Pensions Credit as of 30 January 2023; and if he will publish this information. (135374)
- 135 **Matt Rodda** (Reading East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many and what proportion of those eligible for Pension Credit in each region were claiming it in the most recent period for which data are available. (135375)
- 136 **Matt Rodda** (Reading East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, when he plans to publish statistics on Pensions Credit uptake for the financial years (a) 2020-21, (b) 2021-22 and (c) 2022-23. (135376)
- 137 **Matt Rodda** (Reading East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what data his Department holds on Pension Credit uptake by age. (135439)
- 138 **Matt Western** (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what the average waiting time was for Access to Work funding applications to be considered in (a) Warwick and Leamington constituency and (b) the UK in the latest period for which data is available. (135404)
- 139 **Sir Robert Buckland** (South Swindon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the policy papers entitled (a) The national strategy for autistic children, young people and adults: 2021 to 2026 and (b) Autism strategy implementation plan: 2021 to 2022 (Annex A), when he plans to publish the Autism strategy implementation plan for 2022 to 2023. (135349)
- 140 **Andy Carter** (Warrington South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what support his Department has provided to increase the availability of NHS dental appointments in Warrington in the last 12 months. (135411)

- 141 **Geraint Davies** (Swansea West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of offering patients routine NHS testing for poisoning from heavy metals and volatile organic compounds when poisoning is suspected. (135120)
- 142 **Vicky Foxcroft** (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he intends to publish the Autism strategy implementation plan (2022 to 2023) as stated in Part Two of the National strategy for autistic children, young people and adults: 2021 to 2026 and Autism strategy implementation plan: 2021 to 2022 (Annex A). (135466)
- 143 **Sir Oliver Heald** (North East Hertfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 26 January 2023 to Question 126505 on Community Diagnosis Centres: Royston, whether the Cambridge and Peterborough Integrated Care Board will make decisions on primary care facilities in Royston. (135118)
- 144 **Liz Kendall** (Leicester West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the average hourly cost of (a) local authority-funded and (b) self-funded home care was in each of the last 13 years. (135213)
- 145 **Liz Kendall** (Leicester West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what was the average weekly cost of (a) local authority funded and (b) self-funded residential care in each of the last 13 years. (135214)
- 146 **Liz Kendall** (Leicester West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what was the average annual cost of (a) local authority funded and (b) self-funded residential care in each of the last 13 years. (135215)
- 147 **Liz Kendall** (Leicester West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what was the average hourly cost of (a) local authority funded and (b) self-funded nursing care in each of the last 13 years. (135216)
- 148 **Liz Kendall** (Leicester West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what was the average weekly cost of (a) local authority funded and (b) self-funded nursing care in each of the last 13 years. (135217)
- 149 **Liz Kendall** (Leicester West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many days' worth of respite care services have been received by family carers in each of the last 13 years. (135218)
- 150 **Liz Kendall** (Leicester West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what was the average number of days of respite care services received by family carers in each of the last 13 years. (135219)
- 151 **Liz Kendall** (Leicester West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many family carers received respite breaks in each of the last 12 months. (135220)

- 152 **Liz Kendall** (Leicester West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what proportion of the Better Care Fund will be spent on supporting unpaid family carers. (135221)
- 153 **Liz Kendall** (Leicester West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many and what proportion of paid care workers have left the social care sector in each of the last 13 years. (135222)
- 154 **Liz Kendall** (Leicester West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an estimate of the number and proportion of social care staff who have left the sector and moved to a job in (a) retail, (b) hospitality and (c) the NHS in each of the last 13 years. (135223)
- 155 **Liz Kendall** (Leicester West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an estimate of the (a) average age, (b) gender breakdown and (c) ethnicity of the social care workforce. (135224)
- 156 **Liz Kendall** (Leicester West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an estimate of the annual spend of social care providers on agency care workers in 2022. (135225)
- 157 **Liz Kendall** (Leicester West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many NHS patients were waiting to be discharged from hospital in the (a) first week of January 2023 and (b) the same time period for each of the last 13 years. (135226)
- 158 **Liz Kendall** (Leicester West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many NHS patients were in hospital waiting to be discharged in the first week of January 2023 in each NHS Trust in England. (135227)
- 159 **Liz Kendall** (Leicester West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what was the average length of stay in hospital for patients who no longer met the criteria to reside in hospital and were waiting to be discharged in the last 12 months. (135228)
- 160 **Liz Kendall** (Leicester West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the most common reasons for delayed discharges of patients who no longer meet the criteria to reside in hospital. (135229)
- 161 **Liz Kendall** (Leicester West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much funding has been allocated to the Care Quality Commission in each of the last five years. (135230)
- 162 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, for what reason he has not published an updated Tobacco Control Plan; and whether it is his policy to introduce an updated Tobacco Control Plan. (135285)

- 163 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will take steps to ensure that (a) patients and (b) the parents of patients are not charged in instances where a GP must write letters to third parties about the health of a child. (135287)
- 164 **Navendu Mishra** (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many (a) full-time and (b) full-time equivalent midwives were employed by the NHS in Stockport constituency in (a) 2010, (b) 2015, (c) 2020 and (d) 2023. (135459)
- 165 **Navendu Mishra** (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the average waiting time was between referral and first assessment for autism at Stockport Child and Adolescent Mental Health Service in the latest period for which data is available. (135463)
- 166 **David Mundell** (Dumfriesshire, Clydesdale and Tweeddale): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much funding his Department has provided for public health campaigns on HIV for women in each year since 2018. (135148)
- 167 **David Mundell** (Dumfriesshire, Clydesdale and Tweeddale): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much funding his Department has provided for public health campaigns on HIV aimed at the black community in each year since 2018. (135149)
- 168 **David Mundell** (Dumfriesshire, Clydesdale and Tweeddale): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much funding his Department has provided for public health campaigns on HIV for heterosexual (a) women and (b) men in each year since 2018. (135150)
- 169N **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 26 January 2023 to Question 129798 on Palantir: Contracts, how much was paid to Palantir for its Foundry platform in each of the years it was providing this service; and whether her Department plans to use this platform after June 2023. [Transferred] (133960)
- 170 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department are taking to encourage more blood donations across the UK. (135245)
- 171 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to help ensure that the NHS can benefit for advances in artificial intelligence. (135247)
- 172 **Alec Shelbrooke** (Elmet and Rothwell): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the policy paper entitled Our plan for patients, published on 22 September 2022, what steps his Department is taking to require dentists to update their NHS website profiles more frequently. (135191)

- 173 **Alex Sobel** (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure that people can access NHS dental care to (a) register with dentists, (b) book emergency appointments and (c) have regular routine check-ups and appointments. (135487)
- 174 **Alex Sobel** (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, for how long on average members of the public have to wait to register for an NHS dentist in (a) England and Wales, (b) Yorkshire and the Humber and (c) Leeds. (135488)
- 175 **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps their Department takes to comply with section 181 of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992; and if they will make a statement. [R] (135313)
- 176 **Catherine West** (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent discussion he has had with the NHS Business Services Authority on prescription prepayment certificate's being cancelled without notification. (135379)
- 177 **Matt Western** (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate he has made of changes to the median nurse's salary in real terms since 2010. (135400)
- 178 **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether the Government's commitment to restore aid funding for women and girls includes the restoration of the commitment of four percent of Official Development Assistance to Sexual and Reproductive Health and Rights. (135443)
- 179 **John Howell** (Henley): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of the debate entitled Recent tensions between Pristina and Belgrade, which took place at the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe on 25 January 2023. (135199)
- 180 **John Howell** (Henley): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of the debate entitled Legal and human rights aspects of the Russian Federation's aggression against Ukraine, which took place at the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe on 26 January 2023. (135201)
- 181 **John Howell** (Henley): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of the address by the Prime Minister of Iceland to the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe on 26 January 2023. (135202)



- 182 **John Howell** (Henley): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of the debate entitled The honouring of obligations and commitments by the Republic of Moldova, which took place at the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe on 26 January 2023. (135203)
- 183 **John Howell** (Henley): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of the debate entitled Addressing the humanitarian consequences of the blockade of the Lachin corridor, which took place at the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe on 26 January 2023. (135204)
- 184 **Mr David Lammy** (Tottenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, when a Minister last had discussions with their Egyptian counterpart; and whether the case of Alaa Abd El-Fattah was raised in those discussions. (135127)
- 185 **Mr David Lammy** (Tottenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he plans to hold a meeting of the UK-Egyptian Association Council in 2023. (135128)
- 186 **Mr David Lammy** (Tottenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether his Department has made an assessment of the implications for its policies of the government of Egypt's compliance with its diplomatic obligations in providing consular access by UK officials to Alaa Abd-El Fattah; and if he will make a statement. (135129)
- 187 **Siobhain McDonagh** (Mitcham and Morden): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking to tackle instances where businesses circumvent sanctions on Belarus; and if he will meet with the hon. Member for Mitcham and Morden to discuss this matter. (135124)
- 188 **Jessica Morden** (Newport East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he has had discussions with his American counterparts on recent reports of deepening (a) defence and (b) economic ties between South Africa and Russia. (135160)
- 189 **Jessica Morden** (Newport East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what proportion of UK overseas aid funding is distributed to each Commonwealth country in Africa. (135179)
- 190 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to provide (a) short term aid, (b) flood defences and (c) other preventative measures to countries affected by flooding. (135244)

- 191 **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps their Department takes to comply with section 181 of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992; and if they will make a statement. [R] (135314)
- 192 **Matt Western** (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he has had recent discussions with his Pakistani counterpart on the alleged persecution of Ahmadi Muslims in that country. (135401)
- 193 **Sarah Champion** (Rotherham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to help secure school places for children without guardians. (135353)
- 194 **Rosie Duffield** (Canterbury): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many people are held at Manston migrant processing centre. (135451)
- 195 **Dr Liam Fox** (North Somerset): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will make an assessment of the safety of people in the UK who hold British National (Overseas) status. (135130)
- 196 **Dr Liam Fox** (North Somerset): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she has taken to ensure the safety and wellbeing of people from Hong Kong in the UK who hold British National (Overseas) status following the alleged assault on Bob Chan at the Chinese consulate in Manchester in October 2022. (135131)
- 197 **Dr Liam Fox** (North Somerset): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she has taken to ensure the safety and wellbeing of people from Hong Kong in the UK who hold British National (Overseas) status following the reports of alleged secret police stations in the UK. (135146)
- 198 **Dr Liam Fox** (North Somerset): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she has taken to ensure the safety and wellbeing of people from Hong Kong living in Scotland who hold British National (Overseas) status. (135147)
- 199 **John Howell** (Henley): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what recent assessment she has made of the implications for her policies of the debate entitled The Istanbul Convention, which took place at the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe on 25 January 2023. (135200)
- 200 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what was the average length of time taken by her Department to process a passport application in (a) 2021 and (b) 2022. (135327)
- 201 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what data her Department holds on office occupancy rates for the Passport Office. (135328)

- 202 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether her Department is taking steps to increase controls of (a) poisons and (b) chemicals that can be used to create explosive devices. (135329)
- 203 **Holly Lynch** (Halifax): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when her Department will publish its response to the call for information on the effectiveness of the Computer Misuse Act 1990, which closed in August 2021. (135324)
- 204 **Mr Barry Sheerman** (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what recent progress has been made on the Transforming Forensics Programme; and whether she plans to provide further funding to the programme. (135162)
- 205 **Chloe Smith** (Norwich North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether her Department plans to change how it uses the Manston Short-term Holding Facility. (135180)
- 206 **Catherine West** (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether she has had recent discussions with local authorities on the risk of child refugees (a) disappearing and (b) being kidnapped from hotels run by her Department. (135490)
- 207 **John Howell** (Henley): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will make an assessment of the implications for his policies of the resolution of the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe of Friday 27 January 2023 on Emergence of lethal autonomous weapons systems (LAWS) and their necessary apprehension through European human rights law. (135205)
- 208 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps he takes to monitor the adherence of local authorities with the Armed Forces Covenant. (135290)
- 209 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether his Department take steps to identify instances where local authorities have failed to prevent homelessness among veterans. (135291)
- 210 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will take steps to prevent local authorities from evicting veterans from temporary housing if permanent housing is unavailable. (135347)
- 211 **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps their Department takes to comply with section 181 of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992; and if they will make a statement. [R] (135317)
- 212 **Anneliese Dodds** (Oxford East): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, with reference to Racial Bias and the Bench, published by the University of Manchester in November 2022, whether his Department has made an assessment of the

potential merits of (a) including a section on anti-Black racism in the Equal Treatment Bench Book and (b) increasing the number of editors of that Book from Black communities. (135423)

213 **Angela Rayner** (Ashton-under-Lyne): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many and what proportion of employment tribunal claims were disposed of in the period between 1 January 2022 and 31 December 2022. (135264)

214 **Angela Rayner** (Ashton-under-Lyne): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many employment tribunal claims were disposed of in each year between 2010 and 2022. (135265)

215 **Angela Rayner** (Ashton-under-Lyne): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what proportion of employment tribunal claims were disposed of in each year between 2010 and 2022. (135266)

216 **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if he will make an estimate of the average time taken for rape cases to be completed in court in each year since 2010. (135248)

217 **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if he will make an estimate of the average time taken for domestic burglary court cases to be completed in each year since 2010. (135250)

218 **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if he will make an estimate of the average time taken between theft cases being initially reported to cases being completed in court in each year since 2010. (135251)

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220 **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if he will make an estimate of the average time taken between drug possession cases being initially reported to being completed in court in each year since 2010. (135253)

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222 **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if he will make an estimate of the average time taken for drug dealing cases to be completed in court in each year since 2010. (135256)

223 **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what steps their Department takes to comply with section 181 of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992; and if they will make a statement. [R] (135318)

- 224 **Andrew Western** (Stretford and Urmston): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of imposing a mandatory lifetime driving ban on people found guilty of having caused death by dangerous driving. (135482)
- 225 **Matt Western** (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many violent offences were committed against transgender women in each year since 2018. (135405)
- 226 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, whether he plans to appoint a Special Envoy to the United States of America on Northern Ireland. (135420)
- 227 **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, what steps their Department takes to comply with section 181 of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992; and if they will make a statement. [R] (135321)
- 228 **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Prime Minister, whether he received formal advice on the Rt hon .Member for Stratford-on-Avon before his appointment to the Cabinet. (135425)
- 229 **Charlotte Nichols** (Warrington North): To ask the Prime Minister, when he first became aware that the Rt hon. Member for Stratford-on-Avon had not (a) declared to his permanent secretary and (b) disclosed in his ministerial declaration of interests the investigation by HMRC. (135470)
- 230 **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Scotland, what steps their Department takes to comply with section 181 of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992; and if they will make a statement. [R] (135319)
- 231 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the hon. Member for Lancaster and Fleetwood, representing the Speaker's Committee on the Electoral Commission, whether the Committee has made an assessment of the potential merits of allowing Ukrainian refugees resident in England to vote in local elections. (135283)
- 232 **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what level of support UK hospices will receive under the Energy Bills Discount Scheme. (135435)
- 233 **Samantha Dixon** (City of Chester): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many local authorities fund the management and upkeep of historic scheduled monuments as part of their highways budget. (135383)
- 234N**Stephen Doughty** (Cardiff South and Penarth): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many individuals designated under the UK sanctions regimes have been granted access to frozen assets to fund legal costs in each of the last five years; and what was the total value of asset use authorised. [Transferred] (134018)

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- 235 **Stephen Hammond** (Wimbledon): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether he has made an assessment with Cabinet colleagues of the implications for his policies of the finding in the Centre for Financial Capacity's report entitled 1 Year On July 2021 – July 2022, published in July 2022, that one-fifth of children have access to financial education at primary school. (135186)
- 236 **Liz Kendall** (Leicester West): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how much funding was allocated to the Office of the Children's Commissioner in each of the last five years. (135231)
- 237 **Jessica Morden** (Newport East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of introducing a limit on the number of times creditors can contact people in debt. (135151)
- 238 **Sarah Olney** (Richmond Park): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether his Department plans to take steps to cover the potential reduction in road tax receipts after the sale of new petrol and diesel vehicles is banned in 2030. (135469)
- 239 **Angela Rayner** (Ashton-under-Lyne): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many employers were served with penalties for not paying their staff the national minimum wage between 1 January and 31 December 2022. (135267)
- 240 **Angela Rayner** (Ashton-under-Lyne): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many employers were served with a Notice of Underpayment between 1 January and 31 December 2022. (135269)
- 241 **Matt Western** (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many physical bank branches there were in the West Midlands in each year since 2010. (135399)
- 242 **Matt Western** (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many people received a penalty from HMRC in Stratford-on-Avon constituency in 2022. (135403)
- 243 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Wales, whether he has had recent discussions with Cabinet colleagues on the potential impact of Flybe being placed in administration on people in (a) Newport West constituency and (b) Wales. (135408)
- 244 **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Wales, what steps their Department takes to comply with section 181 of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992; and if they will make a statement. [R] (135320)
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## Questions for Answer on Thursday 2 February

### Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Stella Creasy** (Walthamstow): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, with reference to the Retained EU Law Bill, whether he plans to (a) revoke (b) retain or (c) replace the Utilities Contracts Regulations 2016. (135340)
- 2N **Mr David Davis** (Haltemprice and Howden): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, which Minister or official authorised the Rapid Response Unit to collect of data related to public statements, social media and internet activity as part of that unit's work. (135140)
- 3N **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, when he plans to respond to the letter of 13 October 2022 from the hon. Member for North Durham on the If U Care Share Foundation. (135168)
- 4N **Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether he is taking steps to increase Government advertising spending with domestic based local news media compared to multinational tech companies. (135209)
- 5N **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what steps their Department takes to comply with section 181 of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992; and if they will make a statement. [R] (135301)
- 6N **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, pursuant to his Department's publication of government procurement card spending over £500 in February 2022, what goods or services were purchased from (a) Fraser Hart on 7 February 2022, (b) EB Bespoke Cabinet on 8 February 2022, and (c) The Gestalt Centre Ltd. on 8 February 2022, and for what purpose were they required. (135163)
- 7N **Sir Christopher Chope** (Christchurch): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, pursuant to the statement by the Minister for Energy and Climate of 25 January 2023, Col 1026, what the eligibility criteria for energy support will be for households without a relationship to a domestic supplier; and what steps he is taking to communicate the criteria with relevant households. (135137)
- 8N **Stella Creasy** (Walthamstow): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, with reference to the Retained EU Law Bill, whether he plans to (a) revoke (b) retain, or (c) replace the General Product Safety Regulations 2005. (135342)
- 9N **Bill Esterson** (Sefton Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether bakeries will receive the higher rate of Business Rates Relief in addition to the basic rate of relief. (135262)

- 10N **Bill Esterson** (Sefton Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what the outcome has been of discussions between Ofgem and the Sefton Local Authority on a data sharing agreement. (135323)
- 11N **Bill Esterson** (Sefton Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether suppliers of ingredients to the bakery industry are eligible for support under the Energy and Trade Intensive Industries scheme. (135351)
- 12N **Bill Esterson** (Sefton Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether (a) bakeries which also run cafés, (b) wholesale producers of baked goods and (c) retail outlets for baked good produced offsite qualify for the higher relief rate. (135352)
- 13N **Fabian Hamilton** (Leeds North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if he will make a comparative assessment of the impact of legislation on the right to strike in (a) the UK and (b) the EU on the prevalence of industrial action. (135158)
- 14N **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether he is taking steps to provide financial support to users of at-home medical treatment equipment, in the context of the rising cost of energy. (135303)
- 15N **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of introducing a new scheme to support the training of scaffolders, in addition to the Construction Industry Scaffolders Record Scheme; and if he will publish the eligibility criteria for grants funded by his Department for the training of scaffold instructors. (135304)
- 16N **Kim Leadbeater** (Batley and Spen): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, pursuant to the Answer of 16 January 2023 to Question 121110 on Energy Bill Relief Scheme: Leisure and Swimming Pools, in what percentile is the (a) swimming pools and (b) leisure centre sector's trade and energy intensity assessment for (i) energy and (ii) trade intensity. (135388)
- 17N **Mrs Emma Lewell-Buck** (South Shields): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, pursuant to the Answer of 24 January 2023 to Question 127774, on Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy: South Tyneside, where his Department records information on grant money returned from Councils. (135370)
- 18N **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, which agency is responsible for the investigation of missing persons aboard offshore rigs in (a) UK territorial waters, (b) the UK exclusive economic zone and (c) the UK continental shelf. (135414)

- 19N **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, which agency is investigating the worker missing from the Valeris 121 rig. (135415)
- 20N **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, pursuant to the Answer of 30 January 2023 to Question 132388 on Government Office for Technology Transfer: Innovation, how many full-time equivalent staff are employed at the Government Office for Technology Transfer. (135350)
- 21N **Alison Thewliss** (Glasgow Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how many people have received support through the Energy Bill Support Scheme for (a) prepayment and (b) direct debit in Glasgow Central constituency. (135332)
- 22N **Mr David Davis** (Haltemprice and Howden): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, which Minister or official authorised the Counter Disinformation Unit to collect data related to public statements, social media and internet activity as part of the unit's work. (135139)
- 23N **Barbara Keeley** (Worsley and Eccles South): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, if she will make an assessment of the potential impact of the closing of the Libraries Taskforce in March 2020 on strategic planning for libraries. (135181)
- 24N **Barbara Keeley** (Worsley and Eccles South): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, how many public libraries there were in England in each year since 2010. (135182)
- 25N **Navendu Mishra** (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, whether her Department is taking steps to help increase participation in cricket in primary schools. (135465)
- 26N **Damien Moore** (Southport): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment her Department has made of the potential impact of placing asylum-seeking children and families in local authority areas which are rated inadequate for children's services on (a) the standard of their education and (b) their human rights. (135395)
- 27N **Andrew Western** (Stretford and Urmston): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of offering guaranteed interviews to black, Asian and minority ethnic applicants with relevant qualifications who apply for teaching positions. (135483)
- 28N **Sir Christopher Chope** (Christchurch): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if she will allow Natural England to extend the Holt and West Moors SSSI to incorporate the adjoining 4.8 acres of Blackfield Farm which Natural England has identified as being of significant importance to flora and fauna. (135144)

- 29N **Stella Creasy** (Walthamstow): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, with reference to the Retained EU Law Bill, whether she plans to (a) revoke, (b) retain or (c) replace the Sea Fishing (Illegal, Unreported and Unregulated Fishing) Order 2009. (135341)
- 30N **Mr Tobias Ellwood** (Bournemouth East): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps her Department is taking to reduce sewage discharges in Bournemouth East constituency. (135166)
- 31N **Mr Tobias Ellwood** (Bournemouth East): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps her Department is taking to fulfil the Government's manifesto pledge to ban the import of hunting trophies from endangered species. (135167)
- 32N **John Howell** (Henley): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment she has made of the implications for her policies of the debate entitled Environmental impact of armed conflict, which took place at the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe on 25 January 2023. (135197)
- 33N **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent assessment her Department has made of the (a) current and (b) future (i) prevalence and (ii) impact of ash dieback. (135412)
- 34N **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what financial support her Department plans to provide to (a) local authorities and (b) other agencies to help tackle ash dieback. (135413)
- 35N **Alex Sobel** (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether she plans to take steps to increase her Department's resources to deal with legislation effected by Retained EU Law. (135492)
- 36N **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, when her Department last met the (a) Strategic Trade Advisory Group, (b) Civil Society Roundtable, (c) Trade Advisory Groups and (d) Thematic Working Groups. (135272)
- 37N **Janet Daby** (Lewisham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what recent assessment he has made of the availability of local authority accommodation for children post-charge who are unable to be bailed. [R] (135471)
- 38N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what estimate he has made of the number of service let homes in England which are let on contracts for periods of no longer than twenty-eight days. (135278)

- 39N **Louise Haigh** (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to the Answer of 30 January 2022 to Question 129881, on High Speed 2 Line, if he will publish the full economic assessment of different NPR network configurations, including the TfN preferred network, referred to in that Answer. (135495)
- 40N **Jonathan Ashworth** (Leicester South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, pursuant to the Answer of 24 January to Question 127768 on Department for Work and Pensions: Older Workers, how many 50Plus Champions are employed in each of the Jobcentre Plus districts. (135298)
- 41N **Jonathan Ashworth** (Leicester South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, pursuant to the Answer of 18 January 2023 to Question 122461 on Jobcentres, if he will publish the same data for each of the last five years. (135299)
- 42N **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether his Department is taking steps to support food banks with increases in the cost of utilities. (135380)
- 43N **Peter Grant** (Glenrothes): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of treating Carer's Allowance (a) earnings and (b) part of the work allowance for the calculation of Universal Credit. (135322)
- 44N **David Linden** (Glasgow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether he has made an assessment of the impact of the Universal Credit (Administrative Earnings Threshold) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 on affected Universal Credit claimants since coming into effect. (135444)
- 45N **David Linden** (Glasgow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, pursuant to the Answer of 30 January 2023 to Question 132435 on Jobcentres: Closures, whether any Jobcentre staff have been advised of the closure of the temporary centre at which they are employed. (135491)
- 46N **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, which body is the legal employer of staff at the Health and Safety Executive. [R] (135243)
- 47N **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps their Department takes to comply with section 181 of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992; and if they will make a statement. [R] (135312)
- 48N **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department is taking steps to end out of area placements for mental health patients. (135396)
- 49N **Olivia Blake** (Sheffield, Hallam): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to help ensure that Ukrainian refugees can (a) register at NHS dentists and (b) access necessary dental healthcare. (135406)

- 50N **Sir Christopher Chope** (Christchurch): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to improve the capacity of the NHS in England to diagnose and treat osteoporosis. (135136)
- 51N **Stella Creasy** (Walthamstow): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the Retained EU Law Bill, whether he plans to (a) revoke, (b) retain or (c) replace the Quality and Safety of Organs Intended for Transplantation Regulations 2012. (135339)
- 52N **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether the Mental Health Bill will include a statutory duty to provide early intervention strategies to (a) detect and (b) help tackle mental health issues for children and young people within all (i) primary and (ii) secondary schools; and if he will make a statement. (135270)
- 53N **John Howell** (Henley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of the debate entitled Contract tracing applications, which took place at the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe on 25 January 2023. (135198)
- 54N **Barbara Keeley** (Worsley and Eccles South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 20 January 2023 to Question 123900 on Community Care: Autism and Learning Disability, who from his Department attended the four meetings of the funding flows task and finish group that took place since September 2022. (135184)
- 55N **Barbara Keeley** (Worsley and Eccles South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an assessment of the quality of training on restrictive interventions delivered to providers of inpatient care for people with learning disabilities and autistic people. (135185)
- 56N **Karin Smyth** (Bristol South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment the Government has made of the value for money of personal protective equipment procured under covid-19 emergency regulations. [Transferred] (903412)
- 57N **John Spellar** (Warley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to help ensure that new ambulances are manufactured in the UK. (135134)
- 58N **Wes Streeting** (Ilford North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many NHS dentists there were in England in each of the last five years. (135477)
- 59N **Mr David Davis** (Haltemprice and Howden): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, which Minister or official authorised the Government Information Cell to collect data related to public statements, social media and internet activity as part of its work. (135141)



- 60N **Stephen Doughty** (Cardiff South and Penarth): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether any people designated under the UK's sanctions regime for (a) Russia and (b) Belarus have been granted access to frozen assets. (135261)
- 61N **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to the announcement on 17 February 2022 of a £100 million three-year energy independence programme in Ukraine, how much of that funding has been disbursed as of 30 January 2022; what the timetable is for disbursement; and whether that funding will be counted (a) as Official Development Assistance and (b) in addition to the 0.5 per cent of Gross National Income target for the relevant financial years. (135429)
- 62N **John Howell** (Henley): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of the debate entitled Conflict-related sexual violence, which took place at the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe on 24 January 2023. (135194)
- 63N **John Howell** (Henley): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of the address by Ms Annalena Baerbock, Germany's Federal Minister for Foreign Affairs, to the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe on 24 January 2023. (135195)
- 64N **John Howell** (Henley): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of the debate entitled The Reykjavik Summit, which took place at the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe on 24 January 2023. (135196)
- 65N **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he plans to maintain current levels of funding for Overseas Development Assistance to Afghanistan. (135302)
- 66N **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, which honourable Members met Ambassador Roderick Drummond during his visit to the UK in January 2023. (135397)
- 67N **Mr Virendra Sharma** (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how much funding his Department provided to the UNFPA Supplies Partnership in each year since 2013. (135192)
- 68N **Sir Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he plans to make reductions in his Department's budget to fund the recently announced £16.6 million aid package to Ethiopia; and if he will make a statement. (135126)

- 69N **Mr David Davis** (Haltemprice and Howden): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, which Minister or official authorised the Research, Information and Communication Unit to collect data related to public statements, social media and internet activity as part of that unit's work. (135143)
- 70N **Maria Eagle** (Garston and Halewood): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, Whether she is taking steps to implement the recommendations of the report of the Right Reverend James Jones The Patronising Disposition of Unaccountable Power, HC 511, published in January 2017, on equality of arms at inquests and the statutory duty of candour; and if she will make a statement. (135171)
- 71N **Stephen Kinnock** (Aberavon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much compensation HM Passport Office paid in each calendar year since 2015. (135273)
- 72N **Tony Lloyd** (Rochdale): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the effectiveness of the short-term visa scheme for poultry workers; and what steps her Department is taking to help prevent workers on that scheme from being in debt bondage. (135152)
- 73N **Seema Malhotra** (Feltham and Heston): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many citizenship certificate requests were on hold due to IT issues preventing mandatory checks being completed as of 30 January 2023. (135293)
- 74N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many bicycle thefts there were in (a) England and Wales and (b) York in the last 12 months for which data is available. (135274)
- 75N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of trends in the level of bicycle thefts in the last five years. (135275)
- 76N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to reduce bicycle thefts; and what advice her Department provides on the on the most effective types of bicycle lock. (135276)
- 77N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether her Department is taking steps to encourage police forces to provide (a) postcode marking on bicycles and (b) other forms of owner advice to help protect bicycles from theft. (135277)
- 78N **Damien Moore** (Southport): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of (a) planning requirements of the Pontins site in Southport and (b) powers of Sefton Council to refuse change-of-use applications for that site on the housing of asylum-seeking children and families in Southport constituency. (135391)

- 79N **Damien Moore** (Southport): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what discussions her Department has had with Sefton Council in Multi-Agency Forums on the potential accommodation of asylum-seeking children and families in Southport. (135392)
- 80N **Damien Moore** (Southport): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of placing asylum-seeking children and families in local authority areas which are rated inadequate for children's services on their human rights. (135393)
- 81N **Damien Moore** (Southport): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many times her Department has discussed with Sefton Council the potential location of asylum-seeking children and families within that Council's area in the last (a) three months, (b) six months and (c) year. (135394)
- 82N **Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what recent estimate her Department has made of the cumulative number of years of experience held by all police officers in each year since 2010. (135208)
- 83N **Mr Virendra Sharma** (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, in the most recent year for which data is available, how many visas have been refused for applicants who have subsequently been approved for a visa. (135239)
- 84N **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps their Department takes to comply with section 181 of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992; and if they will make a statement. [R] (135316)
- 85N **Sir Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 23 January to Question 126514 on Refugees: Afghanistan, how many people have been resettled under the Afghan Citizens Resettlement Scheme: Pathway Two since the commencement of that scheme. (135123)
- 86N **Stella Creasy** (Walthamstow): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to the Retained EU Law Bill, whether he plans to (a) revoke, (b) retain or (c) replace the Service Police Codes of Practice. (135343)
- 87N **Mr David Davis** (Haltemprice and Howden): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, which Minister or official authorised the 77th Brigade to collect data related to public statements, social media and internet activity as part of its work. (135142)
- 88N **Dave Doogan** (Angus): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether the bonuses paid to the former chief executive of the Submarine Delivery Agency were pensionable. (135467)

- 89N **Mr Tobias Ellwood** (Bournemouth East): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what his plans are for the future of the Challenger 2 tanks in service that will not be upgraded to Challenger 3. (135164)
- 90N **Mr Tobias Ellwood** (Bournemouth East): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what assessment he has made of the Army's operational capability during the upgrade and replacement periods for (a) Warrior and (b) Challenger. (135165)
- 91N **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to Annex A of the Defence Estates Development Plan 2009, published on 3 July 2009, if he will publish an Estate baseline as of 1 December 2022. (135132)
- 92N **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to the Answer of 26 January 2023 to Question 126539 on Military Bases: Heating, how many of the 129 incidents related to heating were resolved within 12 hours. (135138)
- 93N **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to his Statement of 20 December 2022 on Ukraine, Official Report column 160, when he plans to have a debate on the action plan for Ukraine in 2023. (135145)
- 94N **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what his Department's gross expenditure, excluding refunds, using electronic purchasing cards for purchases with a value of (a) more and (b) less than £500, was in each of the categories (i) travel and accommodation, (ii) stationery, and (ii) other goods and services in the calendar year 2021. (135153)
- 95N **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what his Department's net expenditure, excluding refunds, using electronic purchasing cards for purchases with a value of (a) more and (b) less than £500, was in each of the categories (i) travel and accommodation, (ii) stationery, and (ii) other goods and services in the calendar year 2021. (135154)
- 96N **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many purchases of (a) travel and accommodation, (b) stationery, and (c) other goods and services, with a value of more than £500, excluding refunds, were made against his Department's budget through an electronic purchasing card in 2021. (135155)
- 97N **Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what recent estimate his Department has made of the cumulative number of years of experience held by all probation officers in each year since 2010. (135207)
- 98N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if he will make an estimate of the average time taken between domestic burglary cases being initially reported to being completed in court in each year since 2010. (135249)

- 99N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if he will make an estimate of the average time taken for drug possession cases to be completed in court in each year since 2010. (135254)
- 100N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if he will make an estimate of the average time taken between domestic violence cases being initially reported to being completed in court in each year since 2010. (135257)
- 101N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if he will make an estimate of the average time taken for domestic violence cases to be completed in court in each year since 2010. (135258)
- 102N **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, what steps he is taking to help ensure the implementation of the Climate Change Act (Northern Ireland) 2022. (135336)
- 103N **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, what steps he is taking to support the Northern Ireland Department for Infrastructure to spend 10 per cent of the transport budget on active travel. (135337)
- 104N **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Prime Minister, if he will publish in full the advice he received from the Independent Ethics Adviser on the appointment of the Rt hon. Member for Stratford-on-Avon. (135418)
- 105N **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Prime Minister, if he will take steps to curtail the use of Strategic Lawsuits Against Public Protection by Ministers. (135427)
- 106N **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Prime Minister, when he plans to publish his tax return. (135428)
- 107N **Barbara Keeley** (Worsley and Eccles South): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to the estimated Exchequer impact of the two-year tapered rate increase of Theatre, Orchestra and Museums and Galleries Exhibitions Tax Reliefs, published in the Autumn Budget and Spending Review 2021: Policy costings on 27 October 2021, what was the Exchequer impact of the uplifted rate for 2021-22. (135187)
- 108N **James Murray** (Ealing North): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many penalties issued by HMRC for unpaid tax amounted to (a) less than £1,000, (b) £1,000 to £10,000, (c) £10,001 to £100,000, (d) £100,001 to £1,000,000 and (e) above £1,000,000 in each of the last five years. (135480)
- 109N **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will make an assessment of the adequacy of HMRC's compliance with section 2.1.6 of the Civil Service Management Code; and whether monitoring data is shared with trade unions. [R] (135296)

110N **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps their Department takes to comply with section 181 of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992; and if they will make a statement.

[R] (135315)

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## Questions for Answer on Friday 3 February

### Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Rosie Duffield** (Canterbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, by what date he expects the Energy Bill Relief Scheme payment to be made, in relation to residents of Park Homes. (135481)
- 2N **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if he will make an estimate of the number of people who were eligible for the Warm Home Discount in 2022 and are not eligible in 2023 with no change to their circumstances. (135133)
- 3N **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether she has made an assessment of the potential merits of need for a ministerial portfolio for eradicating the use of animals in laboratory experiments. (135377)
- 4N **Angela Crawley** (Lanark and Hamilton East): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps he is taking to encourage levelling up across Scotland. (135295)
- 5N **Angela Crawley** (Lanark and Hamilton East): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, if he will make an assessment of the potential impact of his levelling up policies on Scotland. (135297)
- 6N **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether he is taking steps to increase the provision of audio-visual announcements on local bus services for blind and partially sighted people. (135389)
- 7N **Angela Crawley** (Lanark and Hamilton East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what recent assessment she has made of effectiveness of Universal Credit provisions on supporting young people under 25 on low incomes or out of work. (135294)
- 8N **Steve Brine** (Winchester): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has a timetable for bringing forward commencement orders on powers for the Care Quality Commission to assess integrated care systems. (135271)



- 9N **Liz Twist** (Blaydon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will set out a timetable for the publication of the refreshed NHS Long Term Plan. (135452)
- 10N **Maria Eagle** (Garston and Halewood): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether she plans to respond to the report by the Right Reverend James Jones The Patronising Disposition of Unaccountable Power, HC 511, published in January 2017; and if she will make a statement. (135170)
- 11N **Adam Holloway** (Gravesham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, when he (a) received and (b) plans to publish the Reserves Forces' and Cadets' Association External Scrutiny Team 2022 Report. (135176)
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## Questions for Answer on Monday 6 February

### Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Nick Smith** (Blaenau Gwent): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, for what reason his Department has not agreed to the Second Permanent Secretary of the Cabinet Office, Sue Gray, from serving as a witness in the Public Administration and Constitutional Affairs Committee's investigation into the lobbying and access affair involving Greensill Capital in July 2021. (135211)
- 2N **Tonia Antoniazzi** (Gower): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how long it will take to assess applications to the Energy Bills Support Scheme Alternative Fund. (135454)
- 3N **Tonia Antoniazzi** (Gower): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, for what reason the Energy Bills Support Scheme Alternative Fund application launch has been delayed to 27 February 2023. (135455)
- 4N **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that landlords share the support provided through the Energy Bills Support Scheme with their tenants. (135135)
- 5N **Marsha De Cordova** (Battersea): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what his Department's guidance is on steps to take when a recipient of (a) Personal Independence Payment and (b) Disability Living Allowance does not return a re-assessment form. (135437)
- 6N **Marsha De Cordova** (Battersea): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether his Department has guidance on additional measures to take when a recipient of (a) Personal Independence Payment and (b) Disability Living Allowance who his Department has identified as vulnerable does not return a re-assessment form. (135438)

- 7N **Marsha De Cordova** (Battersea): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many (a) Personal Independent Payment and (b) Disability Living Allowance claims were ended due to non-return of the re-assessment form in each year since 2015. (135440)
- 8N **Marsha De Cordova** (Battersea): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many (a) Personal Independent Payment and (b) Disability Living Allowance claims were ended due to non-return of the re-assessment form in each year since 2015, for recipients who his Department had identified as vulnerable. (135441)
- 9N **Nick Smith** (Blaenau Gwent): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, on how many occasions his Department's Anti-Fraud Unit has made use of its powers under the Proceeds of Crime Act 2002 to recover funds lost through PPE fraud since March 2020. (135237)
- 10N **Nick Smith** (Blaenau Gwent): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many PPE contracts were involved in his Department's Anti-Fraud Unit's recovery of £18 million in PPE fraud. (135238)
- 11N **Wes Streeting** (Ilford North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many NHS dentist practices there were in England in each of the last five years. (135478)
- 12N **Wes Streeting** (Ilford North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many NHS dentist practices have gone private in each of the last five years. (135479)
- 13N **Janet Daby** (Lewisham East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when her Department next plans to publish the statistics entitled Police Powers and Procedures: Other PACE powers, last published on 17 November 2022. [R] (135472)
- 14N **Janet Daby** (Lewisham East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will make an estimate of the number of looked after children who were detained in police custody in each of the last five years. [R] (135473)
- 15N **Janet Daby** (Lewisham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many cases were awaiting hearing in the Youth Court as of 30 January (a) in each of the last five years and (b) 2023. [R] (135474)
- 16N **Janet Daby** (Lewisham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what recent assessment he has made of the potential impact of the changes made to detention and training orders in the Police, Crime, Sentencing and Courts Act 2022 on the number of children in custody. [R] (135475)

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- 17N **Ian Murray** (Edinburgh South): To ask the Secretary of State for Scotland, whether the Government has received written amendments from the Scottish Government on the United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child (Incorporation) (Scotland) Bill; and what discussions the Government has had with the Scottish Government on devolved legislative competence in relation to that Bill.. (135210)
- 18N **Layla Moran** (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many social media posts on the subject of tax avoidance were posted by HMRC in the last five years. (135489)
- 19N **Jessica Morden** (Newport East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the impact of the loan charge on the mental health of affected workers and contractors; and whether the Government plans to change its policy on the loan charge. (135159)
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## Questions for Answer on Tuesday 7 February

### Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Mr Barry Sheerman** (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much funding her Department has provided to the Transforming Forensics programme in each year since 2019. (135161)