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Questions tabled on Wednesday 15 March 2023

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Questions for Answer on Thursday 16 March

Questions for Written Answer

- 1 **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, with reference to page 17 of the UK Science and Technology Framework, published on 6 March 2023, what steps the Government plans to take to meet the target of increasing the proportion of STEM graduates in the Fast Stream to 50 per cent. [Transferred] (165338)
- 2 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment she has made of the impact of the cost of childcare on parents who do not receive Universal Credit or legacy benefits; and what steps she plans to take to help reduce the cost of childcare for working parents. [Transferred] (165327)
- 3 **Zarah Sultana** (Coventry South): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what assessment he has made of the impact of rising energy costs on Post Offices. [Transferred] (165457)
- 4 **Angela Rayner** (Ashton-under-Lyne): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether the Voter Identification Evaluation Form will be required at (a) local government, (b) combined authority mayoral and (c) local authority mayoral elections after 4 May 2023. [Transferred] (165350)
- 5 **Gareth Thomas** (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to section 1 of the Road Traffic Offenders Act 1988, if he will take steps to amend the 14-day notice period for serving notice of intended prosecution to 28 days; and if she will make a statement. [Transferred] (165192)

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- 6 **Cat Smith** (Lancaster and Fleetwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if he will make an estimate of the number and proportion of people in recipient of Local Housing Allowance who were not able to meet their housing costs in the last 12 months. [Transferred] (165254)
- 7 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to encourage British Overseas Territories to join the Blue Belt Initiative; and if he will make a statement. [Transferred] (165241)
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Questions for Answer on Friday 17 March

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Thangam Debbonaire** (Bristol West): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how many ministers have had legal costs relating to inquiries by the House of Commons Privileges Committee funded from the public purse since 2010. [Transferred] (165349)
- 2 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, if he will publish any documents held by his Department on the estimated red tape costs of implementing EU legislation from 2011 to 2020. (166122)
- 3 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, with reference to the press release entitled The GPA rated best UK public sector workplace experience, published by the Government Property Agency on 15 March 2023, which (a) departments and (b) executive agencies have undertaken Leesman Office surveys since 1 January 2020 to assess the views of their staff concerning the main offices in which they work. (166164)
- 4 **Dean Russell** (Watford): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what assessment she has made of the potential merits of requiring all workplaces to have a trained mental health first aider. (166381)
- 5 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what recent steps she is taking to help ensure that small and medium-sized businesses remain viable in the context of the increases in the cost of living . (166225)
- 6 **Sam Tarry** (Ilford South): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what steps his Department has taken in implementing its Nine Point Plan on P&O Ferries announced on 30 March 2022. (166386)
- 7 **Sam Tarry** (Ilford South): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, when her Department last met with representatives of the RMT Union and Nautalis to discuss the dismissal of the 786 directly employed UK seafarers by P&O Ferries and on the working conditions and pay of seafarers. (166387)

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- 8 **Sam Tarry** (Ilford South): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, for what reason her Department did not impose sanctions on P&O Ferries, DP World or flag states for the dismissal of 786 directly employed UK seafarers on 17 March 2022. (166388)
- 9 **Gareth Thomas** (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what assessment her Department has made of the potential merits of improving the transparency of the reasons given for rejecting applications for duty suspension on products where there is no domestic production in the 2021 duty suspension window; and if she will make a statement. (166111)
- 10 **Matt Vickers** (Stockton South): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what steps she is taking with Cabinet colleagues to support UK car manufacturing. (166393)
- 11 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to paragraph 2.28 of the Spring Budget 2023, HC1183, published in March 2023, if he will make it his policy to extend energy bill support for swimming pools to whole leisure centre complexes with swimming pools. (166278)
- 12 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, with reference to paragraph 2.28 of the Spring Budget 2023, HC1183, published in March 2023, whether restraints will be placed on the use of the £100 million of funding allocated to charities. (166279)
- 13 **Catherine West** (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, with reference to the Spring Budget 2023, HC1183, published on 15 March 2023, whether the £63 million funding for swimming pools and leisure centres will be available to centres with charitable status. (166292)
- 14 **Elliot Colburn** (Carshalton and Wallington): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to the oral contribution of the Prime Minister of 8 March 2023, official report, column 298, whether it is the Government's policy to retain a compulsory provision of RSHE in schools. (166372)
- 15 **Peter Gibson** (Darlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps he is taking to ensure attendance levels in school recover to pre-covid-19 pandemic levels. (166363)
- 16 **Peter Gibson** (Darlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps he is taking to support schools to increase the level of pupil attendance. (166364)
- 17 **Paul Girvan** (South Antrim): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if she will take steps to ensure that all Key Stage 3 and 4 pupils are taught about the culture, politics and geography of each of the UK nations as part of the national curriculum. (166310)

- 18 **Paul Girvan** (South Antrim): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if she will take steps to ensure that all Key Stage 3 and 4 pupils cover (a) the creation of the United Kingdom, (b) Acts and Treaties of Union and (c) the creation of the Union flag as part of the national curriculum. (166311)
- 19 **Kim Johnson** (Liverpool, Riverside): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many and what proportion of children in year three and above who are registered for free school meals are from households earning more than £7,400 per year. (166383)
- 20 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment she has made of the impact of levels of pay for childcare workers on recruitment and retention in the sector. (166274)
- 21 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether she plans to take steps with Cabinet colleagues to support childcare providers with energy costs. (166275)
- 22 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps she plans to take to help increase the number of childcare providers. (166276)
- 23 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether she is taking steps to help ensure that adequate childcare is provided for parents who are night workers. (166277)
- 24 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what her Department's policy is on who should provide wrap-around school-based childcare; and what steps she is taking to ensure that child-to-adult ratios in those settings are adequate. (166283)
- 25 **Damien Moore** (Southport): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what recent progress her Department is making on ensuring that (a) schools rated as inadequate by Ofsted become an academy and (b) schools rated as requiring improvement. (166344)
- 26 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment she has made of the potential merits of providing free meals for children in the private, voluntary and independent early years sector. (166339)
- 27 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if she will make an estimate of the amount of time it takes for a child in an early years setting to be assessed for SEND support once a nursery has identified a concern. (166340)
- 28 **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if she will publish a breakdown of the (a) assumed and (b) actual uptake rate in hours of free childcare hours entitlements for (a) one, (b) two, (c) three and (d) four-year-olds in the (i) 2021-22, (ii) 2022-23, (c) 2023-24 and (d) 2024-25 academic year; and if she will make a statement. (166196)

- 29 **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what estimate she has made of the number and proportion of early years settings that will reduce (a) staffing ratios and (b) charges to parents following the changes to childcare staffing ratios announced in the Spring Budget 2023; and if she will make a statement. (166198)
- 30 **Matt Vickers** (Stockton South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps her Department is taking to promote British values in schools. (166396)
- 31 **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, with reference to his oral answers of 28 February to Topical Questions, Official Report column 640, what the evidential basis is for the Government paying half of everyone's energy bills. (166338)
- 32 **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what steps his Department is taking to provide further information on the role of Great British Nuclear. (166149)
- 33 **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what steps he is taking to support new nuclear developers that do not require any public funding. (166150)
- 34 **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, if he will make it his policy to introduce a fast-track approvals process for applications for new nuclear developments that do not require taxpayer funding. (166151)
- 35 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what support his Department is providing to help the private, voluntary and independent early years sector to reduce energy use through (a) insulation, (b) solar panels and (c) heat exchangers. (166341)
- 36 **Charlotte Nichols** (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how many people will no longer be eligible for the Warm Home Discount Scheme once the eligibility criteria has been changed to require a low energy performance certificate rating. (166378)
- 37 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether he has made an assessment of the adequacy of support for energy bills for households that use coal as their main source of energy. (166226)
- 38 **Tim Farron** (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how many requests were made to water companies under the Environmental Information Regulations 2004 in each year between 2020 and 2022; and what the total amount charged by water companies was for access to information under those regulations in the same period. (166167)

- 39 **Tim Farron** (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if she will make an estimate of the number of serious water quality pollution incidents that have occurred broken down by each water company in (a) 2020, (b) 2021, (c) 2022 and (d) 2023 so far. (166168)
- 40N **Sir Greg Knight** (East Yorkshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what progress she has made on establishing a new offence of pet abduction; and if she will make a statement. [Transferred] (165230)
- 41 **Ben Lake** (Ceredigion): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether her Department has made an assessment of the potential role of water efficiency measures in helping achieve the Government's net zero aims. (166304)
- 42 **Ben Lake** (Ceredigion): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment her Department has made of the potential merits of using water-saving technologies to help reduce the number of households in fuel poverty. (166305)
- 43 **Ben Lake** (Ceredigion): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what discussions she has had with the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero on the potential merits of using water efficiency technologies to help reduce household carbon emissions. (166306)
- 44 **Brandon Lewis** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if her Department will review the methodology used by the Government to assess the economic impact of coastal erosion. (166189)
- 45 **Brandon Lewis** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what support the Government provides to help communities adapt to the challenges caused by coastal erosion; and whether her Department has plans to increase that support. (166190)
- 46 **Brandon Lewis** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether her Department has made an assessment of the potential threat to the Norfolk Broads eco-system through salt water ingress through (a) rivers and (b) encroachment from the coastline. (166191)
- 47 **Brandon Lewis** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if her Department will grant local authorities additional powers to compel landowners to contribute to coastal protection schemes. (166192)
- 48 **Caroline Lucas** (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, pursuant to the Answer given on 6 December 2022 to Question 98724 on Pigs: Animal Housing, what steps she has taken to explore the phasing out of farrowing crates; and if she will make it her policy to end their use as soon as possible. (166171)

- 49 **Charlotte Nichols** (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent steps her Department has taken to help support crop-growing farmers with higher costs due to inflation. (166377)
- 50 **Mr Clive Betts** (Sheffield South East): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether he plans to bring forward legislative proposals to introduce a statutory right of comment for grassroots music venues on planning applications. (166123)
- 51 **Mr Clive Betts** (Sheffield South East): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of incorporating the agent of change principle in future legislative proposals on planning issues. (166124)
- 52 **Mr Clive Betts** (Sheffield South East): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether he plans to bring forward legislative proposals to help protect grassroots music venues through the planning system. (166125)
- 53 **John McDonnell** (Hayes and Harlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what assessment he has made of the progress made by local authorities on the implementation of his voter ID requirements ahead of the May elections. (166112)
- 54 **John McDonnell** (Hayes and Harlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether his Department is taking steps to provide training for (a) polling station and (b) returning officers on determining the veracity of official documents and photo IDs before the elections in May 2023. (166113)
- 55 **Christopher Pincher** (Tamworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how many and what proportion of properties sold by small landlords were purchased by (a) private buyers for personal residential use, (b) renters, (c) other UK-based landlords for rental purposes, (d) overseas-based landlords for rental purposes, (e) domestic buyers for development purposes and (f) overseas buyers for development purposes in the latest period for which data is available; and if he will make an assessment of the implications for his policies of the profile of the buyers of these properties. (166199)
- 56 **Matt Vickers** (Stockton South): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps his Department is taking to help ensure that communities are consulted on proposed local infrastructure projects. (166395)
- 57 **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, pursuant to the Answer of 13 March 2023 to Question 161241 on Broadband, if she will make an assessment of the potential impact of the 90.6% figure on the international competitiveness of technology businesses in Northern Ireland. (166154)

- 58 **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, with reference to page 10 of the UK Science and Technology Framework, what steps she plans to take to support funders to experiment with new approaches; and whether she plans to introduce those new approaches for government funded research and development programmes. (166210)
- 59 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will make it his policy to set National Highways key performance indicators for cleaning up litter. (166371)
- 60 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of his Department's 2020 consultation on pavement parking on the Pavement Parking Bill. (166314)
- 61 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, when he plans to outline his Department's next steps following the pavement parking consultation in 2020. (166315)
- 62 **Wera Hobhouse** (Bath): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps he is taking to support the introduction of zero-emission aircraft. (166301)
- 63 **Matt Vickers** (Stockton South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps his Department is taking to help ensure local commuter railway lines in the North East are served by (a) frequent and (b) reliable services. (166397)
- 64 **Angela Crawley** (Lanark and Hamilton East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what recent discussions he has had with relevant stakeholders on Universal Credit assessment periods. (166268)
- 65 **Angela Crawley** (Lanark and Hamilton East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment her Department has made of the potential merits of making both parents in a joint custody agreement eligible for the Universal Credit child element for that child. (166269)
- 66 **Kim Johnson** (Liverpool, Riverside): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if she will make an estimate of the number of households with children aged between eight and eighteen years old that are in receipt of Universal Credit and are earning at or above £40k per year. (166382)
- 67 **David Linden** (Glasgow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to paragraph 4.148 of the Spring Budget 2023, HC1183, published on 15 March 2023, which parts of the sanctions process will be automated. (166320)
- 68 **David Linden** (Glasgow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to paragraph 4.148 of the Spring Budget 2023, HC1183, if he will publish the error rate data which informed this policy decision. (166321)
- 69 **David Linden** (Glasgow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to paragraph 4.148 of the Spring Budget 2023, HC1183, when work on design of the additional training programme commenced. (166322)

- 70 **David Linden** (Glasgow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to paragraph 4.146 of the Spring Budget 2023, HC1183, if he will publish the data which informed the policy decision to increase the Administrative Earnings Threshold to the equivalent of 18 hours at National Living Wage. (166323)
- 71 **David Linden** (Glasgow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to the Spring Budget 2023, HC1183, published on 15 March 2023, whether he has made an assessment of the adequacy of the complement of FTE Work Coaches required by his Department to meet the policy decision to increase the individual Administrative Earnings Threshold from the equivalent of 15 hours at National Living Wage to 18 hours. (166325)
- 72 **David Linden** (Glasgow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to the Spring Budget 2023, HC1183, published on 15 March 2023, whether he has made an assessment of the adequacy of the complement of FTE Work Coaches required by his Department to meet the policy decision to remove the couples Administrative Earnings Threshold. (166326)
- 73 **David Linden** (Glasgow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to the Spring Budget 2023, HC1183, published on 15 March 2023, whether he has made an assessment of the adequacy of the complement of FTE Work Coaches required by his Department to meet the policy decision on additional Work Coach time for Incapacity Benefits claimants. (166327)
- 74 **David Linden** (Glasgow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to the Spring Budget 2023, HC1183, published on 15 March 2023, what estimate he has made of the number of additional full-time equivalent work coaches that will be required by his Department as a result of the policy decision on additional support and conditionality for carers of young children. (166328)
- 75 **David Linden** (Glasgow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to paragraph 4.146 of the Spring Budget 2023, HC1183, if he will publish the data which informed the policy decision to remove the couples Administrative Earnings Threshold. (166329)
- 76 **David Linden** (Glasgow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to paragraph 4.147 of the Spring Budget 2023, HC1183, published on 15 March 2023, whether an equality impact assessment of the proposed change to the work search requirements placed on Universal Credit claimants that are lead carers of children aged 1-12 has been carried out. (166330)
- 77 **Seema Malhotra** (Feltham and Heston): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what proportion of current Universal Credit claimants completed the non-mandatory self-declared diversity fields in their application in the last 12 months. (166243)
- 78 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what changes he plans to make to welfare sanctions. (166284)

- 79 **Alex Norris** (Nottingham North): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if he will take steps to help ensure equal support for kinship families. (166331)
- 80 **Alex Norris** (Nottingham North): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps his Department are taking to improve support for people who care for individuals with motor neurone disease. (166332)
- 81 **Tracey Crouch** (Chatham and Aylesford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether the Major Conditions Strategy will include preventative measures to decrease the number of cancer cases. (166182)
- 82 **Tracey Crouch** (Chatham and Aylesford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he plans to include a strategy for increasing the rate of cancer diagnosis in the Major Conditions Strategy. (166183)
- 83 **Tracey Crouch** (Chatham and Aylesford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to tackle inequalities in access to cancer treatment across (a) socio-economic, (b) regional and (c) ethnic groups. (166184)
- 84 **Tracey Crouch** (Chatham and Aylesford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking steps to accelerate the adoption of innovative oncology treatments, including precision medicines. (166185)
- 85 **Tracey Crouch** (Chatham and Aylesford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what progress his Department has made on rolling out a network of Genomic Laboratory Hubs. (166186)
- 86 **Tracey Crouch** (Chatham and Aylesford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to (a) reduce shortages in the NHS workforce and (b) improve the capacity of NHS services. (166187)
- 87 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of public access to defibrillators. (166316)
- 88 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has had recent discussions with the Chancellor of the Exchequer on the potential merits of removing VAT on defibrillators. (166317)
- 89 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to his Department's Guidance on Public health grants to local authorities: 2023 to 2024, published on 14 March, what steps he is taking to prioritise public health. (166280)
- 90 **Stuart C McDonald** (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department has made an assessment of the prevalence of antimicrobial resistant organisms in immigration detention centres. (166253)

- 91 **Holly Mumby-Croft** (Scunthorpe): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the Spring Budget 2023, HC1183, published on 15 March 2023, if he will publish a timetable for the digitisation of the NHS Health Check. (166400)
- 92 **Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Streatham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much the NHS spent on locum services in each of the last ten years. (166370)
- 93 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to publish the mental health 10 year plan; and whether that plan will include measures to support people living with long-term conditions such as diabetes. (166218)
- 94 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he plans to include a statutory duty to provide early intervention strategies to (a) detect and (b) address mental health issues for (i) children and (ii) young people in (A) primary and (B) secondary schools in the forthcoming Mental Health Bill; and if he will make a statement. (166219)
- 95 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has made an assessment of the impact of the delay in the Organ and Tissue Donation (Deemed Consent) Bill on organ donation and transplantation in Northern Ireland. (166220)
- 96 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the Consultation outcome on Proposed update to the 2023 statutory scheme to control the costs of branded health service medicines, what steps he taking to help secure an agreement that will deliver increased (a) access to medicines, (b) funding in Research and Development and (c) value for money for the NHS. (166221)
- 97 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to his Department's 2019 consultation on Advancing our health: prevention in the 2020s, whether he plans to publish national guidance on sleep. (166232)
- 98 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department of the implications for its policies of the policy of weighting 10 per cent of all NHS procurement decisions on social value; and if he will make a statement. (166234)
- 99 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department plans to include environmental sustainability as a separate criterion in NHS procurement decisions; and if he will make a statement. (166235)

- 100 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment his Department has made of the impact of environmental sustainability requirements on the ability of the NHS to meet its procurement needs for medical devices. (166236)
- 101 **Matt Vickers** (Stockton South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps the Government is taking to help tackle childhood obesity. (166392)
- 102 **George Eustice** (Camborne and Redruth): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what further steps his Department has taken to progress the outstanding elements of recommendation 4 of the Truro Review following the publication of the 3-year Assessment of Implementation of the Truro Review in April 2022. (166177)
- 103 **George Eustice** (Camborne and Redruth): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what further steps his Department has taken to progress the outstanding elements of recommendation five of the Truro Review following the publication of the 3-year Assessment of Implementation of the Truro Review in April 2022. (166178)
- 104 **George Eustice** (Camborne and Redruth): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what further steps his Department has taken to progress the outstanding elements of recommendation six of the Truro Review following the publication of the 3-year Assessment of Implementation of the Truro Review in April 2022. (166179)
- 105 **George Eustice** (Camborne and Redruth): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what further steps his Department has taken to progress the outstanding elements of recommendation 12 of the Truro Review following the publication of the 3-year Assessment of Implementation of the Truro Review in April 2022. (166180)
- 106 **George Eustice** (Camborne and Redruth): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether his Department has taken steps to implement recommendation 17 of the Bishop of Truro's independent review of his Department's support for persecuted Christians in the period since the publication of the report entitled Assessment of the implementation of recommendations of Bishop of Truro's independent review of FCDO support for persecuted Christians of 15 April 2022. (166181)
- 107N**Mr David Jones** (Clwyd West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what are the qualification requirements that a carrier must fulfil in order to obtain approval under the proposed Trusted Trader Scheme in the Windsor Framework. [Transferred] (165352)
- 108N**Mr David Jones** (Clwyd West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what estimate he has made of the costs to (a) hauliers and (b) traders of using the green lane proposed in the Windsor Framework. [Transferred] (165353)

- 109 **Seema Malhotra** (Feltham and Heston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of the adherence to human rights in Balochistan. (166239)
- 110 **Stuart C McDonald** (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether this Department's programmes supporting refugees in Jordan address (a) water, sanitation, and hygiene infrastructure and (b) their impact on the spread of antimicrobial resistance. (166255)
- 111 **Damien Moore** (Southport): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he has held discussions with his counterpart in Tunisia on the political freedoms and arrest of Rached el-Ghannouchi. (166343)
- 112 **Wendy Morton** (Aldridge-Brownhills): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking with Cabinet colleagues to help ensure that child victims are considered in efforts to bring perpetrators of alleged war crimes in Ukraine to justice. (166247)
- 113 **Wendy Morton** (Aldridge-Brownhills): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if he will take diplomatic steps to make experts available to support the collection, documentation and analysis of evidence of potential war crimes against children in Ukraine. (166248)
- 114 **Brendan O'Hara** (Argyll and Bute): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether UN agencies operating in Myanmar that receive UK funding are prohibited from buying goods and services from military-owned companies in that country. (166250)
- 115 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if he will make an assessment of the extent of freedom of religious belief in Afghanistan. (166227)
- 116 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment his Department has made of potentials threats posed to Hazara Muslims in Afghanistan. (166228)
- 117 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): 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 report of the United States Commission on International Religious Freedom on freedom of religion or belief in Iraq. (166229)
- 118 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent discussions he has had with his counterpart in Nigeria on the kidnapping of Christians in Kaduna State. (166230)

- 119 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he has had recent discussions with his counterpart in Nigeria on Mubarak Bala. (166231)
- 120 **Alun Cairns** (Vale of Glamorgan): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to the report by the Independent Inquiry into Child Sexual Abuse entitled Child protection in religious organisations and settings, published in September 2021, if she will take steps to implement the recommendations of that report. (166204)
- 121 **Tim Farron** (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what the (a) quickest and (b) slowest time was for communicating an asylum decision for an application made in the United Arab Emirates for an Afghan national who is a spouse of another Afghan national already granted asylum in the UK in the latest period for which data is available. (166166)
- 122 **Stuart C McDonald** (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what recent assessment her Department has made of the potential risk of (a) antimicrobial resistance and (b) drug resistant infections in immigration detention centres. (166251)
- 123 **Stuart C McDonald** (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of introducing routine screening for newly-arrived asylum seekers for antimicrobial resistant organisms. (166252)
- 124 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many vacancies her Department had in (a) September 2022 and (b) March 2023. (166233)
- 125 **Chloe Smith** (Norwich North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether she has made an estimate with Cabinet colleagues of the number and proportion of firefighters who have received compensation for firefighter pension arrears in accordance with the firefighter pension scheme immediate detriment framework as of 2 March 2023. (166169)
- 126 **Chloe Smith** (Norwich North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to increase the efficiency of the passport renewal process. (166170)
- 127 **Sam Tarry** (Ilford South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether her Department has made a recent assessment of the impact of increases in the cost of living on victims of domestic abuse. (166389)
- 128 **Sam Tarry** (Ilford South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether she has had recent discussions with the Chancellor of the Exchequer on the potential merits of providing additional financial support for victims of violence against women and girls to help with increases in the cost of living. (166390)

- 129 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the (a) size in hectares and (b) Housing Unit Potential is of Ordnance Barracks. (166129)
- 130 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many (a) Service Family and (b) Single Living Accommodation units there are at Provost Barracks; and how many personnel are based at that site. (166130)
- 131 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the (a) size in hectares and (b) Housing Unit Potential is of Provost Barracks. (166131)
- 132 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many (a) Service Family and (b) Single Living Accommodation units there are at Thornhill Barracks; and how many personnel are based at that site. (166132)
- 133 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the (a) size in hectares and (b) Housing Unit Potential is of Thornhill Barracks. (166133)
- 134 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the (a) size in hectares and (b) Housing Unit Potential is of Travers Barracks. (166134)
- 135 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many (a) Service Family Accommodation and (b) Single Living Accommodation units there are at Browning Barracks; and how many personnel are based at that site. (166135)
- 136 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what is the (a) size in hectares and (b) Housing Unit Potential of Browning Barracks. (166136)
- 137 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what is the (a) size in hectares and (b) Housing Unit Potential of Browning Barracks. (166137)
- 138 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many (a) Service Family Accommodation and (b) Single Living Accommodation units there are at Duchess of Kent Barracks; and how many personnel are based at that site. (166138)
- 139 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what is the (a) size in hectares and (b) Housing Unit Potential of Duchess of Kent Barracks. (166139)
- 140 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many (a) Service Family Accommodation and (b) Single Living Accommodation units there are at Saint Omer Barracks; and how many personnel are based at that site. (166140)

- 141 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what is the (a) size in hectares and (b) Housing Unit Potential of Saint Omer Barracks. (166141)
- 142 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many (a) Service Family Accommodation and (b) Single Living Accommodation units there are at New Normandy Barracks; and how many personnel are based at that site. (166142)
- 143 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what is the (a) size in hectares and (b) Housing Unit Potential of New Normandy Barracks. (166143)
- 144 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many (a) Service Family Accommodation and (b) Single Living Accommodation units there are at Normandy Barracks (South); and how many personnel are based at that site. (166144)
- 145 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what is the (a) size in hectares and (b) Housing Unit Potential of New Normandy Barracks, Aldershot. (166146)
- 146 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many (a) Service Family Accommodation and (b) Single Living Accommodation units there are at Sir John Moore Barracks, Shorncliffe; and how many personnel are based at that site. (166147)
- 147 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what is the (a) size in hectares and (b) Housing Unit Potential of Aldershot Garrison South Camp. (166148)
- 148 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many (a) Service Family and (b) Single Living Accommodation units there are at RAF High Wycombe; and how many personnel are based at that site. (166348)
- 149 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the (a) size in hectares and (b) Housing Unit Potential is of RAF High Wycombe. (166349)
- 150 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many (a) Service Family and (b) Single Living Accommodation units there are at RAF Welford; and how many personnel are based at that site. (166350)
- 151 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the (a) size in hectares and (b) Housing Unit Potential is of RAF Welford. (166351)

- 152 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many (a) Service Family and (b) Single Living Accommodation units there are at RAF Weston-on-the-Green; and how many personnel are based at that site. (166352)
- 153 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the (a) size in hectares and (b) Housing Unit Potential is of RAF Weston-on-the-Green. (166353)
- 154 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many (a) service family accommodation and (b) single living accommodation units there are at RAF Fairford; and how many personnel are based at that site. (166354)
- 155 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the (a) size in hectares and (b) housing unit potential is of RAF Fairford. (166355)
- 156 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many (a) service family and (b) single living accommodation units there are at RAF St Mawgan; and how many personnel are based at that site. (166356)
- 157 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the (a) size in hectares and (b) housing unit potential is of RAF St Mawgan. (166357)
- 158 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many (a) Service Family and (b) Single Living Accommodation units there are at HMS Gannet; and how many personnel are based at that site. (166358)
- 159 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the (a) size in hectares and (b) Housing Unit Potential is of HMS Gannet. (166359)
- 160 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many (a) Service Family and (b) Single Living Accommodation units there are at RM Condor Arbroath; and how many personnel are based at that site. (166360)
- 161 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the (a) size in hectares and (b) Housing Unit Potential is of RM Condor Arbroath. (166361)
- 162 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many (a) Service Family and (b) Single Living Accommodation units there are at HMNB Clyde; and how many personnel are based at that site. (166362)

- 163 **Wendy Morton** (Aldridge-Brownhills): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, whether he has had discussions with his international counterparts on steps that could be taken within judicial systems to help support child victims of the war in Ukraine. (166249)
- 164 **Sarah Olney** (Richmond Park): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, whether he plans to provide additional support to civil legal aid firms who will not be eligible for the 15 per cent uplift in fees for criminal legal aid. (166298)
- 165 **Sarah Olney** (Richmond Park): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what recourse is available to parties in Family Court proceedings if the Family Court does not follow its own guidance with respect to pseudoscience and appeals are not being allowed. (166299)
- 166 **Ellie Reeves** (Lewisham West and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many and what proportion of prisoners were transferred to open conditions in each of the last 10 years. (166302)
- 167 **Stephen Farry** (North Down): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, if he will provide funding for Northern Ireland institutions to hold discussions with the EU on developments in EU law relating to the Windsor Framework. (166398)
- 168 **Miriam Cates** (Penistone and Stocksbridge): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of allowing the full or partial value of the free childcare hours entitlement to be paid to informal childcare providers such as grandparents. (166399)
- 169 **Martyn Day** (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will make an assessment with his Cabinet colleagues of the potential merits of extending the Council Tax rebate to cover the same time period as the Energy Price Guarantee. (166287)
- 170 **Sir Oliver Heald** (North East Hertfordshire): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, when he plans to respond to the email of 10 October 2022 from the Rt Hon. Member for North East Hertfordshire on Clements Construction Ltd. (166110)
- 171 **Dr Caroline Johnson** (Sleaford and North Hykeham): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many people are enrolled in a public sector pension scheme but do not yet receive a pension under that scheme; and if he will publish a breakdown of those figures by (a) employer and (b) age. [R] [Transferred] (165480)
- 172 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether he is planning to hold a further bidding round for Investment Zones. (166281)
- 173 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what fiscal steps he is taking to provide support for (a) creative industries and (b) digital creative industries. (166282)

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- 174 **Stuart C McDonald** (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential link between the level of UK aid spending between 2020 and 2021 on the spread of antimicrobial resistance and the risk of drug-resistant infections in refugee camps in low and middle-income countries. (166254)
- 175 **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to his Financial Statement of 15 March, what the evidential basis is for Research and Development tax credit changes helping 20,000 cutting-edge companies. (166216)
- 176 **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what parts of the science spending announced in his Financial Statement and Budget Report will be disbursed by (a) UK Research and Innovation and (b) other bodies. (166217)
- 177 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of introducing an investment allowance to the Electricity Generator Levy comparable with that under The Energy (Oil and Gas) Profits Levy. (166222)
- 178 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will make assessment of the potential merits of classifying nuclear energy as sustainable to help support private financing for Sizewell C. (166223)
- 179 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of using green bonds to finance the Government's stake in the Sizewell C project. (166224)
- 180 **Matt Vickers** (Stockton South): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps the Government is taking to tackle financial scams. (166391)
- 181 **Matt Vickers** (Stockton South): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether he has plans to reduce beer duty in the context of the cost of living crisis. (166394)
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Questions for Answer on Monday 20 March

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Angela Rayner** (Ashton-under-Lyne): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, for what reasons the Government decided to publish Lord Pannick KC's legal opinion on the Privileges Committee investigation into the Rt Hon Member for Uxbridge and South Ruislip. (166245)

- 2N **Karen Bradley** (Staffordshire Moorlands): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether he has had discussions with the Prudential Regulation Authority on the potential impact of the proposals in its Consultation Paper 16/22 on the Implementation of the Basel 3.1 standards, page 96 paragraph 3.17, on the cost to small and medium-sized enterprises of raising funding against commercial premises. (166209)
- 3N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, pursuant to the Answer of 13 March 2023 to Question 161241 on Broadband, if she will hold discussions with Innovate UK on taking steps to highlight the access of Northern Ireland businesses to gigabit-capable broadband to help increase (a) inward investment and (b) the growth of small and medium enterprises in that region. (166152)
- 4N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, pursuant to the Answer of 13 March 2023 to Question 161242 on Small Businesses: Finance, if he will provide a breakdown of how the £70 million for a Northern Ireland Investment Fund is being allocated. (166153)
- 5N **Drew Hendry** (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether his Department has had recent discussions with the Competition and Markets Authority on the adequacy of audit systems for assessing the delivery of the cold weather priority initiative by liquefied petroleum gas suppliers. (166260)
- 6N **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what the value of trade between Britain and St Kitts and Nevis was in (a) 2019, (b) 2020, (c) 2021 and (d) 2022. (166165)
- 7N **Angela Crawley** (Lanark and Hamilton East): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 28 February 2023 to Question 148721 on Students: Fuels, what recent discussions she has had with relevant stakeholders on the impact of the cost-of-living crisis on students. (166263)
- 8N **Stella Creasy** (Walthamstow): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, (a) what arrangements her Department has in place to help ensure that schools and multi-academy trusts who have entered PFI contracts for school buildings remain able to afford interest payments on those contracts and (b) what recent assessment she has made of the adequacy of those arrangements in the context of rising inflation and interest rates. (166205)
- 9N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment she has made of the potential impact on the quality of childcare of a greater child to carer ratio. (166273)
- 10N **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 31 January 2023 to Question 133599 on Supply Teachers, how much was spent on teaching staff supplied by recruitment agencies in each year since 2016. (166193)

- 11N **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many pathfinders for wraparound care provision in schools there will be; in which areas; how those areas will be chosen; how much funding each such pathfinder will receive; how that amount will be calculated; for how many weeks of the year that provision will be delivered; what provision will be delivered in school holiday periods, and if she will make a statement. (166194)
- 12N **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what the hourly rate paid by the Government to childcare providers in respect of the free hours entitlements for parents for (a) one, (b) two, (c) three and (d) four year olds was in the (i) 2021-2022 and (ii) 2022-2023 academic year; what it will be for children of those ages in the (A) 2023-2024 academic year and (B) 2024-2025 academic year, and if she will make a statement. (166195)
- 13N **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what estimate she has made of how many additional (a) childcare places and (b) early years staff will be required to deliver the entitlements on childcare announced in the Spring Budget 2023; and if she will make a statement. (166197)
- 14N **Bob Seely** (Isle of Wight): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what estimate she has made of the number of children living in the Isle of Wight who were registered at a school prior to the covid-19 outbreak and who are no longer registered for reasons other than having exceeded statutory school age. (166345)
- 15N **Bob Seely** (Isle of Wight): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what recent estimate she has made of the number of children who were registered at schools in England prior to the covid-19 outbreak and who are no longer registered for reasons other than having passed statutory school age. (166346)
- 16N **Bob Seely** (Isle of Wight): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what recent estimate she has made of the number of children who were registered at schools in England before the covid-19 outbreak and who, having deregistered during that outbreak, are now once more entered on school rolls. (166347)
- 17N **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to paragraph 3.49 of the Spring Budget 2023, HC 1183, what estimate she has made of her Department's planned expenditure in 2023-24 on the (a) universal 15 hours free childcare entitlement for all three and four year olds, (b) additional 15 hours free childcare entitlement for eligible working parents of three and four year olds and (c) 15 hours free childcare offer for disadvantaged children aged two. (166373)
- 18N **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to the statement by the Chancellor of the Exchequer in his Financial Statement on 15 March 2023 that the additional funding for childcare providers is an average of a 30 per cent increase in the two-year-old rate this year, if she

will publish the average hourly rate to be paid to childcare providers for each free childcare hour they provide to a child aged (a) two, and (b) three or four, in (i) 2022-23, (ii) 2023-24, (iii) 2024-25.

(166374)

19N **Drew Hendry** (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of allowing the estates of deceased people who were alive during the qualifying period to apply to the Energy Bill Support Scheme Alternative Funding Scheme.

(166261)

20N **Drew Hendry** (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, if he will make an assessment of the potential benefits of working with alternative fuel provider trade bodies to reduce the evidence requirement for householders in relation to the Alternative Fuel Payment..

(166262)

21N **Ben Lake** (Ceredigion): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether people who are applying for Alternative Fund fuel bill support can submit receipts for fuel purchased after the date on which the portal was opened.

(166303)

22N **Angela Crawley** (Lanark and Hamilton East): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment she has made of the impact of household food insecurity on households across the UK.

(166266)

23N **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of setting timescales for landlords to respond to complaints about damp and mould in the private rented sector.

(166333)

24N **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, if he will make an assessment of the implications for his policies of the finding in research published by Generation Rent on 14 March 2023 that local councils in England found 1106 private rented homes with dangerous levels of damp and mould in 2021-22.

(166334)

25N **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that councils are able to help protect tenants who have complained about damp and mould in private rented accommodation from retaliatory evictions. .

(166335)

26N **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what recent steps his Department has taken to help improve the standards of properties in the private rented sector.

(166336)

27N **Mr Alistair Carmichael** (Orkney and Shetland): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, when he expects the bidders' conference for the Space Flight 2 Programme to take place.

(166155)

- 28N **Mr Alistair Carmichael** (Orkney and Shetland): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, when she plans to announce her next steps on the Spaceflight Programme. (166156)
- 29N **Stewart Malcolm McDonald** (Glasgow South): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, pursuant to the Answer of 8 February to Question 137859 on Semiconductors, whether he plans to publish the UK's semiconductor strategy in this parliamentary session. (166258)
- 30N **Stewart Malcolm McDonald** (Glasgow South): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, what recent discussions she has had with representatives of the technology sector on the forthcoming UK Semiconductor Strategy. (166259)
- 31N **Dr Dan Poulter** (Central Suffolk and North Ipswich): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, whether her Department is taking steps to help ensure that new 5G infrastructure is equally distributed throughout the country. (166174)
- 32N **Dr Dan Poulter** (Central Suffolk and North Ipswich): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, what steps her Department are taking to improve 5G infrastructure in Suffolk. (166175)
- 33N **Dr Dan Poulter** (Central Suffolk and North Ipswich): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, what steps her Department are taking to improve 5G infrastructure in rural areas. (166176)
- 34N **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, when his Department will publish a response to the consultation entitled Managing pavement parking published on 31 August 2020. (166312)
- 35N **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether his Department has taken recent steps to help tackle unauthorised pavement parking. (166313)
- 36N **Gill Furniss** (Sheffield, Brightside and Hillsborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 22 February 2023 to Question 147240 on Cycling and Walking: Finance, when he plans to publish the findings of his Department's cycling and walking investment strategy active travel investment model. (166293)
- 37N **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what his Department's planned timeframe is for electrifying the Midland mainline to Sheffield. (166237)
- 38N **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent estimate his Department has made of the funding required to double cycling activity from 0.8 billion cycle stages in 2013 to 1.6 billion cycle stages in 2025. (166157)

- 39N **Navendu Mishra** (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if his Department will make an assessment of the potential impact of opening a direct flight between Manchester Airport and Kathmandu on (a) jobs, (b) investment, (c) tourism and (d) higher education in the UK. (166380)
- 40N **Dr Dan Poulter** (Central Suffolk and North Ipswich): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether his Department plans to take steps to seek private investment to help fund improvements at (a) Ely and (b) Haughley rail junctions. (166172)
- 41N **Dr Dan Poulter** (Central Suffolk and North Ipswich): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether his Department plans to provide funding for improvements at (a) Ely and (b) Haughley rail junctions. (166173)
- 42N **Theresa Villiers** (Chipping Barnet): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will make it his policy to retain the driving test centre in New Barnet and ensure that it is not closed down. (166158)
- 43N **Jonathan Ashworth** (Leicester South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what estimate he has made of the (a) number and (b) proportion of households eligible to receive the second Cost of Living Payment 2022 that have not received it as of 15 March 2023. (166238)
- 44N **Angela Crawley** (Lanark and Hamilton East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether her Department are taking steps to ensure that Universal Credit claimants receive even weekly payments, including in five week months. (166267)
- 45N **Richard Graham** (Gloucester): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if he will make an estimate of (a) the number of residents that will be eligible and (b) the cost to the public purse of (i) cost of living payments and (ii) disability cost of living payments in Gloucester constituency in 2023-24. (166188)
- 46N **David Linden** (Glasgow East): 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 the latest period for which data is available. (166318)
- 47N **David Linden** (Glasgow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, on what date the longest outstanding access to work funding application was submitted to his Department. (166319)
- 48N **David Linden** (Glasgow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to paragraph 4.146 of the Spring Budget 2023, HC1183, published on 15 March 2023, whether an equality impact assessment of the proposed change to the Administrative Earnings Threshold has been conducted. (166324)

- 49N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many calls to the Future Pension Centre helpline (a) were not answered, (b) involved the caller being on hold for more than 10 minutes and (c) were terminated by the Future Pension Centre following the caller being on hold for more than 10 minutes in each of the last 12 months. (166271)
- 50N **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the efficacy of the use of apps in mental health treatment compared to talking therapies. (166294)
- 51N **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the efficacy of AI therapeutics for mental health treatment. (166295)
- 52N **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many organisations will benefit from funding through the Suicide Prevention Voluntary, Community and Social Enterprise Grant Fund. (166296)
- 53N **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when his Department plans to respond to the correspondence of 4 January 2023 from the hon. Member for Liverpool, Walton on the Ministerial correspondence telephone line. (166337)
- 54N **Sir Christopher Chope** (Christchurch): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 25 November 2022 to Question 93438 on Coronavirus: Vaccination, for what reasons the postponed 1 March meeting has not yet been rearranged. (166114)
- 55N **Sir Christopher Chope** (Christchurch): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 1 March 2023 to Question 152186 on Vaccine Damage Payment Scheme, how many of the claims (a) awarded and (b) rejected were for people whose deaths were recorded by coroners as having been caused as a result of a Covid-19 vaccination. (166115)
- 56N **Sir Christopher Chope** (Christchurch): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 14 March to Question 156040 on Vaccine Damage Payment Scheme, whether the same restriction applies to the letters of 3 February and 1 March from the Hon Member for Christchurch; and what steps he is taking to ensure that Rt Hon and Hon Members can monitor individual constituency claims made under the Vaccine Damage Payments Scheme. (166116)
- 57N **Stella Creasy** (Walthamstow): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, (a) what arrangements her Department has in place to help ensure that hospital trusts who have entered PFI contracts for buildings remain able to afford interest payments on those contracts and (b) what recent assessment she has made of the adequacy of those arrangements in the context of rising inflation and interest rates. (166206)

- 58N **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when his Department plans to publish the Sexual and Reproductive Health Action Plan; and what information his Department plans to publish on the implementation of that plan. (166160)
- 59N **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to progress update by the All-Party Parliamentary Group on Sexual and Reproductive Health on its Access to contraception inquiry, published in September 2022, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of that report. (166161)
- 60N **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what progress his Department has made on appointing a clinical women's health lead for NHS England. (166162)
- 61N **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department plans to appoint a new Medical Consultant in Reproductive and Public Health at the Office for Health Improvement and Disparities. (166163)
- 62N **Sarah Jones** (Croydon Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans he has to improve access to eye care for people with learning disabilities. (166307)
- 63N **Sarah Jones** (Croydon Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he plans to conduct a public consultation to inform the (a) structure, (b) funding and (c) commissioning of a potential model of eye care in special schools. (166308)
- 64N **Sarah Jones** (Croydon Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what his planned timetable is for publication of the independent evaluation of the NHS England special schools eye care service. (166309)
- 65N **Simon Lightwood** (Wakefield): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to help ensure that it meets its 75 per cent target for the uptake of the NHS Healthy Start scheme by March 2023. (166401)
- 66N **Navendu Mishra** (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether the Government plans to continue to recruit health workers from nations classified as red list by the World Health Organisation. (166379)
- 67N **Lisa Nandy** (Wigan): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to increase the uptake of breast screenings in Wigan constituency. (166200)
- 68N **Lisa Nandy** (Wigan): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he plans to provide funding to increase the number of staff in the breast cancer screening workforce. (166201)

- 69N **Lisa Nandy** (Wigan): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to help create convenient, flexible routes into breast cancer screening services. (166202)
- 70N **Angela Rayner** (Ashton-under-Lyne): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the cost of storing personal protective equipment in China is per (a) day, (b) week and (c) year as of 15 March 2023. (166246)
- 71N **Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Streatham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many (a) junior doctors, (b) consultants and (c) nurses have left the NHS to work in private healthcare in each of the last five years; and whether he has made an assessment of the consequences for his policies of changes in the levels of staff leaving the NHS workforce to work in private healthcare. (166366)
- 72N **Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Streatham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what information his Department holds on how many (a) junior doctors, (b) consultants and (c) nurses have left the NHS to work in healthcare services abroad in each of the last five years, and whether he has made an assessment of the consequences for his policies of changes in the levels of staff leaving the NHS workforce to work abroad. (166367)
- 73N **Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Streatham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what information his Department holds on how many (a) junior doctors, (b) consultants and (c) nurses have left the healthcare profession in each of the last five years, and whether he has made an assessment of the consequences for his policies of changes in the levels of such staff leaving the profession. (166368)
- 74N **Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Streatham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what information his Department holds on how many medical students have not gone on to work in the NHS upon completion of their training in each of the last five years; and whether he has made an assessment of the consequences for his policies of changes in the levels of medical students entering the NHS workforce. (166369)
- 75N **Patrick Grady** (Glasgow North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps the Government is taking to support communities affected by Cyclone Freddy in (a) Malawi and (b) Mozambique. (166256)
- 76N **Lisa Nandy** (Wigan): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps the Government is taking to support progress on the World Health Organisation's 2030 Roadmap for Neglected Tropical Diseases. (166203)
- 77N **Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Streatham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking to encourage his international counterparts to provide additional finance for climate-induced loss and damage, above that of previous climate finance commitments. (166365)

- 78N **Mr Clive Betts** (Sheffield South East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what estimate she has made of the number of passport applications that will need to be submitted between 15 March 2023 and the end of the year; how many applications there were in the same period last year; and whether she plans to amend staffing arrangements to meet the service delivery targets in place. (166126)
- 79N **Mr Clive Betts** (Sheffield South East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what process her Department follows when an enquiry received through the HM Passport Office line for hon. Members is passed to the escalation team. (166127)
- 80N **Neale Hanvey** (Kirkcaldy and Cowdenbeath): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether she has received representations from the Scottish Government on the potential merits of the devolution of immigration policy. (166376)
- 81N **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 14 March 2023 to Question 162117 on Afghanistan: Refugees, how many Afghan Relocations and Assistance Policy (a) principals and (b) dependents were housed in bridging hotels on 15 March 2023 following their relocation to the UK under that scheme. (166128)
- 82N **Thangam Debbonaire** (Bristol West): To ask the Leader of the House, whether she has made an assessment of the potential merits of post-legislative scrutiny of the Nationality and Borders Act. (166257)
- 83N **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, when he plans to announce the preferred bidder for the New Medium Helicopter contract. (166145)
- 84N **Seema Malhotra** (Feltham and Heston): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether he plans to reopen the ex gratia scheme for Afghan nationals. [Transferred] (165302)
- 85N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what estimate he has made of the average sum court fines issued in each year since 2010. (166244)
- 86N **Claire Hanna** (Belfast South): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of the Illegal Migration Bill on travel on the island of Ireland. (166384)
- 87N **Claire Hanna** (Belfast South): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, with reference to his announcement on Electronic Travel Authorisation (ETA) on 9 March 2023, whether he has had further discussions with Cabinet colleagues on the potential impact of the ETA scheme on the tourism industry in Northern Ireland. (166385)

- 88N **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will publish a breakdown of the specific spending on the plan to increase the availability of mental health and musculoskeletal resources and expand the Individual Placement and Support scheme. (166297)
- 89N **Karen Bradley** (Staffordshire Moorlands): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether he has had discussions with the Prudential Regulation Authority on the potential impact of the proposals in its Consultation Paper 16/22 on the Implementation of the Basel 3.1 standards page 96 paragraph 3.17 on the capital requirements of challenger banks that lend to small and medium-sized enterprises against commercial premises. (166207)
- 90N **Karen Bradley** (Staffordshire Moorlands): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer what assessment he has made of the impact that proposals to remove the SME support factor in the PRA Consultation CP 16/22 on the Implementation of the Basel 3.1 standards para 4.131 p 144 - para 4.127 p146 on UK competitiveness. (166208)
- 91N **Alan Brown** (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what estimate he has made of how many people will benefit from the abolition of the lifetime allowance cap in (a) 2023-24, (b) 2024-25, (c) 2025-26, (d) 2026-27 and (e) 2027-28. (166270)
- 92N **Angela Crawley** (Lanark and Hamilton East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, pursuant to the Answer of 28 February 2023 to Question 148721 on Students: Fuels, what assessment her Department has made of the impact of rises in the cost-of-living on students in Scotland. (166264)
- 93N **Angela Crawley** (Lanark and Hamilton East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, pursuant to the Answer of 27 February 2023 to Question 148722 on cost of living: ethnic groups, what recent discussions she has had with relevant stakeholders on the impact of the cost-of-living crisis on (a) students, (b) ethnic minorities, (c) low-income households and d) people earning the national average wage. (166265)
- 94N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many full-time equivalent advisers are employed by HMRC to handle calls on national insurance contributions and the state pension in each year since 2009. (166272)
- 95N **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to the Spring Budget, HC 1183, how much funding has been allocated for participation in Horizon Europe in the next three years; and whether the Department for Science, Innovation and Technology will be responsible for this funding. (166211)
- 96N **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to paragraph 3.95 of the Spring Budget Report 2023, HC1183, published in March 2023, if he will publish the financing plans for the £2.5 billion investment in Quantum technologies, broken down by financial year and Government Department. (166212)

- 97N **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to paragraph 3.92 of the Spring Budget Report 2023, HC1183, published in March 2023, from which Department's budget will the £900 million allocated for the exascale supercomputer come from; and if he will publish a timeframe for this expenditure. (166213)
- 98N **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to the Spring Budget, HC 1183, point 4.51, what analysis was undertaken by his Department when determining the qualifying criteria for the additional tax relief for small and medium sized enterprises; on what evidential basis this is estimated to cost (a) £40 million in 2023-24 and (b) £285 million in 2024-25; and if he will make an assessment of the potential impact of this policy on capital investment for small and medium sized enterprises that fall beneath the 40 per cent threshold. (166214)
- 99N **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to paragraph 3.88 of the Spring Budget, HC 1183, published on 15 March 2023, what proportion of the funding for early deployment of Carbon Capture, Usage and Storage will be classified as research and development. (166215)
- 100N **Wes Streeting** (Ilford North): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what the (a) total cost and (b) estimated financial benefit to doctors is of the policy to abolish the lifetime allowance on pension savings. (166290)
- 101N **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, for what reason the policy costings of his decision to introduce 30 hours a week of free childcare for eligible working parents of children aged 9 months to 3 years are not included within HM Treasury's document entitled Spring Budget 2023: Policy Costings; and if he will publish those costings. (166375)

Questions for Answer on Tuesday 21 March

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Anneliese Dodds** (Oxford East): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what the total cost to the Disability Unit budget in 2021-22 was relating to the judicial review of R (Binder & Others) v Secretary of State for Work and Pensions. (166342)
- 2N **Mrs Sharon Hodgson** (Washington and Sunderland West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, when his Department plans to respond to the report by the Competition and Markets Authority entitled Secondary ticketing websites, published on 16 August 2021. (166159)

- 3N **Seema Malhotra** (Feltham and Heston): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what the estimated cost is to his Department of upgrading its systems to ensure that individuals with a nil payment in a qualifying month receive any cost of living payments. (166240)
- 4N **Seema Malhotra** (Feltham and Heston): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, for those in the 'all work-related requirements' conditionality group, how many claimants currently have a 91 or 182 day sanction attached to their account. (166241)
- 5N **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many people were diagnosed with chronic kidney disease in (a) Birmingham, Selly Oak constituency and (b) NHS Birmingham and Solihull Integrated Care Board in each year since 2019. (166117)
- 6N **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many people were living with chronic kidney disease with classification categories G3a to G5 in (a) Birmingham, Selly Oak constituency and (b) NHS Birmingham and Solihull integrated care board in each year since 2019. (166118)
- 7N **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many and what proportion of end-stage renal disease patients in (a) Birmingham, Selly Oak constituency, (b) NHS Birmingham and (c) Solihull ICB had access to home-based haemodialysis in each year since 2019. (166119)
- 8N **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what percentage of people with diabetes in (a) Birmingham, Selly Oak constituency and (b) the area covered by the NHS Birmingham and Solihull Integrated Care Board have had a urine-to-albumin ratio (ACR) test in the last year. (166120)
- 9N **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many people in (a) Birmingham, Selly Oak constituency and (b) the area covered by NHS Birmingham and Solihull Integrated Care Board were (i) assessed as being at high risk of kidney disease through the NHS Health Check and (ii) diagnosed with kidney disease following referral from the NHS Health Check, in each year since 2019 for which records are available. (166121)
- 10N **Wes Streeting** (Ilford North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an estimate of the number of doctors that have left the NHS due to the (a) lifetime and (b) annual allowance cap on pensions savings in each of the last five years. (166288)
- 11N **Wes Streeting** (Ilford North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the Spring Budget 2023, HC1183, published on 15 March 2023, if he will make an estimate of the number of doctors who will stay in the NHS as a result of the (a) abolition of the lifetime allowance on pension savings and (b) raising of the annual allowance on pension savings. (166289)

- 12N **Wes Streeting** (Ilford North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to announce the locations of the additional hospitals that will be constructed through the new hospital programme. (166291)
- 13N **Seema Malhotra** (Feltham and Heston): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what correspondence her Department has had with the Afghan Pro Bono Initiative. (166242)

Oral Questions to the Chancellor of the Exchequer

- 1 **Philip Davies** (Shipley): If he will reduce the overall level of taxation. (904207)
- 2 **David Simmonds** (Ruislip, Northwood and Pinner): Whether his Department has made an assessment of the economic impact of Ultra Low Emission Zones. (904208)
- 3 **Robbie Moore** (Keighley): What fiscal steps he is taking to support businesses with the cost of energy. (904209)
- 4 **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): Whether he is taking steps with Cabinet colleagues to support homeowners with increases in mortgage rates. (904210)
- 5 **Henry Smith** (Crawley): What fiscal steps he is taking to provide financial support to people on lower incomes. (904211)
- 6 **Martin Vickers** (Cleethorpes): What assessment he has made of the economic outlook for (a) greater Lincolnshire and (b) Cleethorpes constituency. (904212)
- 7 **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): What fiscal steps he is taking to support businesses with the cost of energy. (904213)
- 8 **Carla Lockhart** (Upper Bann): If he will make an assessment with Cabinet colleagues of the potential impact of increasing the Tax-Free Childcare allowance on the ability of parents to work. (904214)
- 9 **Kate Osborne** (Jarrow): If he will make an assessment with Cabinet colleagues of the potential impact of the Spring Budget on gender equality. (904215)
- 10 **Tom Randall** (Gedling): What fiscal steps he is taking to support households with the cost of energy. (904216)
- 11 **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): Whether he is taking steps with Cabinet colleagues to support homeowners with increases in mortgage rates. (904217)
- 12 **Catherine West** (Hornsey and Wood Green): What fiscal steps he is taking with Cabinet colleagues to support the economy in reaching net-zero carbon emissions. (904218)
- 13 **Yasmin Qureshi** (Bolton South East): If he will make an assessment with Cabinet colleagues of the potential economic impact of creating a regeneration fund to support the conversion of brownfield former industrial sites into mixed use properties. (904219)

- 14 **Tommy Sheppard** (Edinburgh East): What recent assessment his Department has made of the impact of withdrawal from the EU on the economy. (904220)
- 15 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): If he will take fiscal steps to increase funding for social and affordable housing. (904221)
- 16 **Chloe Smith** (Norwich North): What fiscal steps he is taking to help reduce economic inactivity. (904222)
- 17 **Andrew Western** (Stretford and Urmston): Whether he is taking steps with Cabinet colleagues to support homeowners with increases in mortgage rates. (904223)
- 18 **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): What fiscal steps he is taking with Cabinet colleagues to support the economy in reaching net-zero carbon emissions. (904224)
- 19 **Deidre Brock** (Edinburgh North and Leith): What steps he is taking to help reduce tax avoidance. (904225)
- 20 **Mark Fletcher** (Bolsover): What steps he is taking with Cabinet colleagues to ensure adequate levels of defence spending. (904226)
- 21 **Jeff Smith** (Manchester, Withington): What fiscal steps he is taking with Cabinet colleagues to support the economy in reaching net-zero carbon emissions. (904227)
- 22 **James Wild** (North West Norfolk): What discussions he has had with the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care on the capital budget for the NHS new hospitals programme. (904228)
- 23 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): What fiscal steps he is taking with Cabinet colleagues to support the economy in reaching net-zero carbon emissions. (904229)
- 24 **Alison Thewliss** (Glasgow Central): What assessment he has made with Cabinet colleagues of the potential impact of changes in the Government's energy support schemes on the economy. (904230)
- 25 **Richard Thomson** (Gordon): What steps he is taking to help reduce tax avoidance. (904231)

Topical Questions to the Chancellor of the Exchequer

- T1 **Alan Brown** (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): If he will make a statement on his departmental responsibilities. (904232)
- T2 **Steven Bonnar** (Coatbridge, Chryston and Bellshill): (904233)
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Questions for Answer on Wednesday 22 March

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Nick Thomas-Symonds** (Torfaen): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, with reference to the Office for Budget Responsibility publication entitled Economic and fiscal outlook, published in March 2023, what assessment his Department has made of the sectors most likely to be impacted by the 6.6 per cent fall in exports in 2023 referenced in that document. (166285)
- 2N **Nick Thomas-Symonds** (Torfaen): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, with reference to the Office for Budget Responsibility publication entitled Economic and fiscal outlook, published in March 2023, what is the cash value associated with the the 6.6 per cent fall in exports in 2023 referenced in that document. (166286)
- 3N **Mohammad Yasin** (Bedford): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will make an assessment of the potential benefits of greater flexibility in the Help to Buy ISA scheme outside London to take account of regional house price variations. (166300)