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Questions for oral answer on a future day (Future Day Orals)

Questions for oral answer on a future day as of Thursday 23 March 2023.

T Indicates a topical question. Members are selected by ballot to ask a Topical Question.

[R] Indicates that a relevant interest has been declared.

Questions for Answer on Monday 27 March

Oral Questions to the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities

- 1 **Dr Alan Whitehead** (Southampton, Test): What steps he is taking to increase the provision of social rented housing. (904307)
- 2 **Richard Fuller** (North East Bedfordshire): If he will make an assessment with Cabinet colleagues of the potential merits of updating the report on the Cambridge - Milton Keynes - Oxford Growth Arc published by the National Infrastructure Commission in 2017. (904308)
- 3 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): What recent progress his Department has made on its consultation on the National Planning Policy Framework. (904309)
- 4 **Ronnie Cowan** (Inverclyde): What discussions his Department plans to hold with the Scottish Government and local authorities on proposals to create an Investment Zone in Scotland. (904310)
- 5 **Wendy Morton** (Aldridge-Brownhills): What steps he is taking to build new homes on regenerated brownfield land. (904311)
- 6 **Cat Smith** (Lancaster and Fleetwood): What assessment he has made of the potential impact of the introduction of voter identification requirements on voter turnout for local elections in May 2023. (904312)
- 7 **Lloyd Russell-Moyle** (Brighton, Kemptown): What steps he is taking to reform the private rented sector. (904313)
- 8 **James Sunderland** (Bracknell): What steps he plans to take to sanction landlords who do not meet their obligations to vulnerable tenants. (904314)

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- 9 **Vicky Ford** (Chelmsford): What steps he is taking to build new homes on regenerated brownfield land. (904315)
- 10 **Mr Laurence Robertson** (Tewkesbury): What steps he is taking to help ensure that planning authorities prioritise housebuilding on brownfield sites; and if he will make a statement. (904317)
- 11 **Sarah Olney** (Richmond Park): Whether he plans to take steps to help tackle significant increases in service charges for leaseholders and social housing tenants. (904318)
- 12 **Mike Kane** (Wythenshawe and Sale East): What steps he is taking as part of his Department's levelling up policies to support towns in attracting investment. (904319)
- 13 **Marsha De Cordova** (Battersea): Whether he is taking steps to support leaseholders with building safety costs. (904320)
- 14 **Alexander Stafford** (Rother Valley): What the timescale is for English city region capital regeneration projects to complete their work. (904321)
- 15 **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): What recent assessment he has made of the effectiveness of the delivery of funds for successful Levelling Up Fund bids. (904322)
- 16 **Kate Osamor** (Edmonton): What steps he is taking to reduce the number of homeless children placed in bed and breakfast accommodation. (904323)
- 17 **Patricia Gibson** (North Ayrshire and Arran): If he will discuss with Cabinet colleagues the potential implications for his policies on intergovernmental relations of the Scottish Deputy First Minister's letter to the UK Government on the Spring Budget, dated 15 March 2023. (904324)
- 18 **Wera Hobhouse** (Bath): What steps he is taking to increase the availability of affordable housing. (904325)
- 19 **Martyn Day** (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): If he will make an assessment with Cabinet colleagues of the potential impact of the Strikes (Minimum Service Levels) Bill on intergovernmental relations. (904326)
- 20 **Philip Davies** (Shipley): What the deadline is for the next round of Levelling Up Fund bids. (904327)
- 21 **Simon Lightwood** (Wakefield): What steps he is taking to increase the provision of social rented housing. (904328)
- 22 **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): If he will issue statutory guidance on planning to local authorities to ensure that all future developments include flood mitigation measures. (904329)
- 23 **Caroline Ansell** (Eastbourne): What progress he has made on devolving power to local communities. (904330)

- 24 **Helen Morgan** (North Shropshire): What recent assessment he has made of the ability of local councils to balance their budgets. (904331)
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At 3:15pm

Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities

- T1 **Antony Higginbotham** (Burnley): If he will make a statement on his departmental responsibilities. (904332)
- T2 **Anna Firth** (Southend West): (904334)
- T3 **Jonathan Gullis** (Stoke-on-Trent North): (904335)
- T4 **Drew Hendry** (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): (904336)
- T5 **Alexander Stafford** (Rother Valley): (904337)
- T6 **Wendy Chamberlain** (North East Fife): (904338)
- T7 **Caroline Ansell** (Eastbourne): (904339)
- T8 **John McNally** (Falkirk): (904340)
- T9 **Marsha De Cordova** (Battersea): (904341)
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Questions for Answer on Tuesday 28 March

Oral Questions to the Secretary of State for Justice

- 1 **Andrew Western** (Stretford and Urmston): What steps his Department is taking to reform the criminal justice system to help tackle violence against women and girls. (904342)
- 2 **Bob Blackman** (Harrow East): What steps he is taking to help prisoners develop new skills. (904343)
- 3 **Mary Kelly Foy** (City of Durham): What assessment he has made of the potential merits of bringing the delivery of all prison education into the public sector. (904344)
- 4 **Mr Barry Sheerman** (Huddersfield): If he will make an estimate of the number of people under the age of 18 serving custodial sentences who were convicted under joint enterprise. (904345)

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- 5 **Wendy Morton** (Aldridge-Brownhills): What steps he is taking to ensure the adequacy of sentencing guidelines for people convicted of violence against women and girls. (904346)
 - 6 **Kate Osamor** (Edmonton): What steps he is taking to increase the availability of legal aid. (904347)
 - 7 **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): Whether his Department plans to implement the Law Commission's April 2020 recommendation on extending to six months the time limit for bringing any employment tribunal claim. (904348)
 - 8 **Dr Philippa Whitford** (Central Ayrshire): What recent assessment he has made of the impact of the Misuse of Drug Act 1971 on the criminal justice system. (904349)
 - 9 **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): What steps he is taking to increase support for families within the family court system. (904350)
 - 10 **Priti Patel** (Witham): If he will make an assessment of the adequacy of the performance of HM Courts and Tribunals Service's probate service in the last 12 months. (904351)
 - 11 **Caroline Ansell** (Eastbourne): What steps he is taking to increase support for families within the family court system. (904352)
 - 12 **Mr Laurence Robertson** (Tewkesbury): If he will take steps to ensure that legal aid is used only for cases which relate to individual cases; and if he will make a statement. (904353)
 - 13 **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): What steps he is taking to reduce probation officer caseloads. (904354)
 - 14 **Mr Virendra Sharma** (Ealing, Southall): What steps he is taking to increase the availability of legal aid. (904355)
 - 15 **Dr Luke Evans** (Bosworth): What recent progress his Department has made on taking forward the proposals for reform in its Root and Branch Review of the Parole System. (904356)
 - 16 **John McNally** (Falkirk): What recent assessment he has made of the impact of the Misuse of Drug Act 1971 on the criminal justice system. (904357)
 - 17 **Simon Fell** (Barrow and Furness): What assessment he has made of the impact of social media on live court cases. (904358)
 - 18 **Kevin Foster** (Torbay): Whether he has had recent discussions with Cabinet colleagues on preventing convicted sex offenders from working as personal fitness instructors. (904359)
 - 19 **Andrew Bridgen** (North West Leicestershire): What progress he has made on tackling the backlog of court cases. (904360)

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- 20 **James Gray** (North Wiltshire): What plans his Department has to consult on the options for reform in its response to the Domestic Homicide Sentencing Review. (904361)
- 21 **Adam Afriyie** (Windsor): What recent progress he has made on introducing ministerial oversight of Parole Board decisions to release high-risk offenders back into the community before the end of their sentence. (904362)
- 22 **Stephen Metcalfe** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): What steps he is taking to help prisoners develop new skills. (904363)
- 23 **Alexander Stafford** (Rother Valley): What steps his Department is taking through the criminal justice system to deter small boat crossings of the English Channel. (904364)
- 24 **Christine Jardine** (Edinburgh West): What recent discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues on tackling domestic abuse. (904365)
- 25 **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): What recent estimate he has made of the size of the backlog of criminal court cases in Ealing Central and Acton constituency. (904366)
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At 12:15pm

Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Justice

- T1 **Dr Neil Hudson** (Penrith and The Border): If he will make a statement on his departmental responsibilities. (904367)
- T2 **Kelly Tolhurst** (Rochester and Strood): (904368)
- T3 **Andy Slaughter** (Hammersmith): (904369)
- T4 **Debbie Abrahams** (Oldham East and Saddleworth): (904370)
- T5 **Alan Brown** (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): (904371)
- T6 **Sarah Olney** (Richmond Park): (904372)
- T7 **Deidre Brock** (Edinburgh North and Leith): (904373)
- T8 **Sir John Whittingdale** (Maldon): (904374)
- T9 **Geraint Davies** (Swansea West): (904375)
- T10 **Theresa Villiers** (Chipping Barnet): (904376)
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Questions for Answer on Wednesday 29 March

Oral Questions to the Secretary of State for Scotland

- 1 **Deidre Brock** (Edinburgh North and Leith): What recent assessment he has made of the adequacy of the operation of the devolution settlement. (904292)
- 2 **Robbie Moore** (Keighley): What recent assessment he has made of the strength of the Union. (904293)
- 3 **Kevin Foster** (Torbay): Whether he has made a recent assessment of public support for the Union in Scotland. (904294)
- 4 **Geraint Davies** (Swansea West): Whether he has made a comparative assessment of the level of additional rail funding provided to Scotland and Wales as a Barnett consequential of HS2. (904295)
- 5 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): What recent discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues on the cost of living in Scotland. (904296)
- 6 **Drew Hendry** (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): What recent assessment he has made of the adequacy of the operation of the devolution settlement. (904297)
- 7 **Chris Law** (Dundee West): What recent assessment he has made of the adequacy of the operation of the devolution settlement. (904298)
- 8 **Kirsten Oswald** (East Renfrewshire): Whether he has made a recent assessment of the impact of the UK leaving the EU on Scotland. (904299)
- 9 **Scott Benton** (Blackpool South): What recent assessment he has made of the strength of the Union. (904300)
- 10 **David Linden** (Glasgow East): What assessment he has made of the potential impact of the Spring Budget 2023 on Scotland. (904301)
- 11 **Owen Thompson** (Midlothian): What recent discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues on promoting and supporting the Scottish food and drink sector. (904302)
- 12 **Mary Glendon** (North Tyneside): Whether he has made a comparative assessment with Cabinet colleagues of energy costs in Scotland and the rest of the UK. (904303)
- 13 **Bill Esterson** (Sefton Central): Whether he has made a comparative assessment with Cabinet colleagues of energy costs in Scotland and the rest of the UK. (904304)
- 14 **Alison Thewliss** (Glasgow Central): Whether he has had discussions with Cabinet colleagues on cladding issues affecting buildings in Scotland. (904305)
- 15 **Rob Butler** (Aylesbury): What steps he is taking with Cabinet colleagues to support the armed forces in Scotland. (904306)