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## Questions tabled on Thursday 15 June 2023

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  - [R] Indicates that a relevant interest has been declared.
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## Questions for Answer on Monday 19 June

### Questions for Written Answer

- 1 **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of disqualifying late-paying companies from public procurement contracts. (189921)
- 2 **Caroline Nokes** (Romsey and Southampton North): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, with reference to the National Disability Strategy published on 28 July 2021, which of his Department's commitments in that strategy that have not been paused as a result of legal action have (a) been fully, (b) been partially and (c) not been implemented. (189783)
- 3N **Abena Oppong-Asare** (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what the maximum occupancy capacity of the Darlington Economic Campus at Feethams House is. [Transferred] (189656)
- 4N **Abena Oppong-Asare** (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, pursuant to the Answer of 14 June 2023 to Question 188796 on Treasury: Darlington, what progress has made on commercial negotiations over that site; and when he expects these negotiations to conclude. [Transferred] (189708)
- 5 **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of giving investigatory powers to the Small Business Commissioner. (189920)
- 6 **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how many small businesses went bankrupt in the last (a) 3, (b) 6, (c) 12 and (d) 24 months. (189922)

- 7 **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how many small businesses opened in the last (a) 3, (b) 6, (c) 12 and (d) 24 months. (189923)
- 8 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether her Department is taking steps to help secure free access to cash (a) withdrawals and (b) deposit facilities in Enfield North constituency. (189902)
- 9 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, if she will make an assessment she has made of the potential merits of increasing the rate of statutory maternity pay to the level of the national minimum wage. (189903)
- 10 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether she is taking steps to ensure that all new mothers have access to maternity pay. (189904)
- 11 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether she is taking steps with the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions to raise awareness among new mothers of all employment status type about their rights to maternity pay. (189905)
- 12 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether she has made an assessment of the potential merits of extending statutory maternity pay to self-employed people. (189906)
- 13 **Robert Courts** (Witney): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether she has had recent discussions with the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs on the potential impact of notifiable disease outbreaks on exports. (189877)
- 14 **Caroline Nokes** (Romsey and Southampton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, with reference to the National Disability Strategy published on 28 July 2021, which of her Department's commitments in that strategy that have not been paused as a result of legal action have (a) been fully, (b) been partially and (c) not been implemented. (189785)
- 15 **Caroline Nokes** (Romsey and Southampton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, with reference to the National Disability Strategy published on 28 July 2021, which of her Department's commitments in that strategy that have not been paused as a result of legal action have (a) been fully, (b) been partially and (c) not been implemented. (189784)
- 16 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, with reference to the Tourism Recovery Plan: Update on Delivery published by her Department in March 2023, what recent progress she has made on her Department's commitment to explore potential mitigations for the removal of the VAT-free shopping scheme. (189756)

- 17 **Nick Fletcher** (Don Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether her Department has provided guidance to schools on whether they should enter into formal partnerships with Stonewall. (189914)
- 18 **Helen Morgan** (North Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what plans she has to tackle funding gaps between rural and urban National Funding Formula Allocations per pupil. (189896)
- 19 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether she has made an assessment of the potential impact of universities deducting wages of staff that engage in industrial action on levels of participation in industrial action in that sector. (189869)
- 20 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether she is taking steps to encourage UK students to study at the University of Gibraltar. (189767)
- 21 **Matt Western** (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what estimate she has made of the number of higher education providers under investigation by the Office for Students relating to breaches of (a) academic freedom and (b) freedom of speech in June 2023. (189871)
- 22 **Matt Western** (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what estimate she has made of the number of higher education providers under investigation by the Office for Students relating to breaches of their conditions of registration. (189872)
- 23 **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many state-funded schools have been (a) temporarily or (b) permanently closed due to sewage leaks since December 2019; and which schools were affected. (189909)
- 24 **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many (a) classrooms and (b) buildings in state-funded schools have been (i) temporarily or (ii) permanently closed due to sewage leaks since December 2019; and which schools were affected. (189910)
- 25 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how many applications to the Energy Support Scheme have been refused and later overturned. [Transferred] (189626)
- 26 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether he has made an assessment of the adequacy of the accuracy of decisions for applications to the Energy Support Fund made by the automated decision making process. [Transferred] (189627)
- 27 **Caroline Nokes** (Romsey and Southampton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, with reference to the National Disability Strategy published on 28 July 2021, which of his Department's commitments in that strategy that have not been paused as a result of legal action have (a) been fully, (b) been partially and (c) not been implemented. (189792)

- 28 **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether an Access to Work scheme has been implemented in their Department. (189844)
- 29 **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment she has made of trends in the number of dog attacks in the last 12 months. (189867)
- 30 **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment she has made of the adequacy of dog breed-specific legislation. (189868)
- 31 **Robert Courts** (Witney): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether her Department has undertaken planning exercises in the last 10 years to test the UK's preparedness for managing a farm animal disease outbreak. (189874)
- 32 **Robert Courts** (Witney): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment she made of the adequacy of Animal Plant and Health Agency veterinary resources; and if she will make a statement. (189875)
- 33 **Robert Courts** (Witney): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what discussions she has had with the Secretary of State for Business and Trade on developing an avian influenza vaccination trade strategy. (189876)
- 34 **Robert Courts** (Witney): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much funding she plans to allocate to the Animal and Plant Health Agency in each of the next five financial years. (189884)
- 35 **Robert Courts** (Witney): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether her Department plans to take steps to (a) review and (b) update the notifiable avian disease control strategy, published on 30 August 2018. (189885)
- 36 **Robert Courts** (Witney): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether she plans to take steps to suspend the import of (a) animals and (b) animal products from France after the commencement of its avian flu vaccination programme in autumn 2023. (189886)
- 37N **Virginia Crosbie** (Ynys Môn): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps she is taking to (a) estimate the economic cost of wildlife crime, (b) record wildlife crime and (c) measure trends in wildlife crime; and whether she has taken steps to address the recommendations in the UN Office on Drugs and Crime report entitled Wildlife and Forest Crime Analytic Toolkit Report: United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, published on 6 August 2021. [Transferred] (189734)
- 38 **Vicky Ford** (Chelmsford): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 13 June 2023 to Question 188370, when she plans to bring forward proposals to introduce re-use obligations. (189878)

- 39 **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, with reference to the oral answer to the hon. Member for Bristol East of 12 January 2023, Official Report, column 702, what her Department's policy is on the labelling and marketing of plant-based food and drink products. (189755)
- 40 **Caroline Nokes** (Romsey and Southampton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, with reference to the National Disability Strategy published on 28 July 2021, which of her Department's commitments in that strategy that have not been paused as a result of legal action have (a) been fully, (b) been partially and (c) not been implemented. (189786)
- 41 **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent discussions she has had with water companies on the potential merits of using floating solar panels on (a) lakes, (b) reservoirs, (c) industrial ponds and (d) near coastal areas on energy generation. (189801)
- 42 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether her Department is taking steps to help promote wildlife species native to (a) Australia, (b) New Zealand and (c) Canada in British zoos. [Transferred] (189515)
- 43 **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether an Access to Work scheme has been implemented in their Department. (189845)
- 44 **Mr Clive Betts** (Sheffield South East): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether he has made an assessment of the potential impact of the provisions of the Levelling Up and Regeneration Bill on the UK's obligations under Article (a) 6 and (b) 7 of the Aarhus Convention. (189743)
- 45 **Mr Clive Betts** (Sheffield South East): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether he has made an assessment of the potential impact of the provisions on National Development Management Policies of the Levelling Up and Regeneration Bill on the UK's obligations under Article (a) 6 and (b) 7 of the Aarhus Convention.. (189744)
- 46 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, with reference to Government grants statistics 2020 to 2021, published 31 March 2022, what assessment his Department has made of the effectiveness of the Accommodation for Ex-Offenders scheme. (189813)
- 47 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, with reference to Government grants statistics 2020 to 2021, published 31 March 2022, what assessment his Department has made of the effectiveness of the Building Safety Fund Grant. (189814)

- 48 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, with reference to Government grants statistics 2020 to 2021, published 31 March 2022, what assessment his Department has made of the effectiveness of the CG-Near Neighbours Initiative Grant. (189815)
- 49 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, with reference to Government grants statistics 2020 to 2021, published 31 March 2022, what assessment his Department has made of the effectiveness of the Changing Futures (Multiple Complex Needs) Grant. (189816)
- 50 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, with reference to Government grants statistics 2020 to 2021, published 31 March 2022, what assessment his Department has made of the effectiveness of the Changing Places Grant. (189817)
- 51 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, with reference to Government grants statistics 2020 to 2021, published 31 March 2022, what assessment his Department has made of the effectiveness of the Cladding Remediation Grant. (189818)
- 52 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, with reference to Government grants statistics 2020 to 2021, published 31 March 2022, what assessment his Department has made of the effectiveness of the Community Champions Grant. (189819)
- 53 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, with reference to Government grants statistics 2020 to 2021, published 31 March 2022, what assessment his Department has made of the effectiveness of the Community Housing Fund. (189820)
- 54 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, with reference to Government grants statistics 2020 to 2021, published 31 March 2022, what assessment his Department has made of the effectiveness of the Community Ownership Fund. (189821)
- 55 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, with reference to Government grants statistics 2020 to 2021, published 31 March 2022, what assessment his Department has made of the effectiveness of the Delivery Innovation Fund (Dev Corps). (189822)
- 56 **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether an Access to Work scheme has been implemented in their Department. (189846)
- 57 **Caroline Nokes** (Romsey and Southampton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, with reference to the National Disability Strategy published on 28 July 2021, which of her Department's commitments in that strategy that have not been paused as a result of legal action have (a) been fully, (b) been partially and (c) not been implemented. (189791)

- 58 **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, whether an Access to Work scheme has been implemented in their Department. (189847)
- 59 **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, when his Department plans to publish its strategy for Low Carbon Fuels. (189915)
- 60 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will make an assessment of the potential ways rivers may be further utilised as urban transport routes (a) nationally and (b) on the River Ouse, Yorkshire. (189836)
- 61 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of the impact of river transport on pollution levels in urban settings; and what comparative assessment he has made of recent trends in (a) road and (b) river transport usage. (189838)
- 62 **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether an Access to Work scheme has been implemented in their Department. (189848)
- 63 **Sir Alan Campbell** (Tynemouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what the guidance he issues on the use of unlicensed doctors in his Department's tribunals. (189750)
- 64 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many Universal Credit deductions for (a) households and (b) households with children in Enfield North constituency there were from (i) March 2022 to February 2023, (ii) March 2021 to February 2022 and (iii) March 2020 to February 2021. (189897)
- 65 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many parents of children eligible for Healthy Start vouchers there are in (a) the London Borough of Enfield and (b) Enfield North constituency, and how many and what proportion of such parents have not received them. (189898)
- 66 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many households had a Universal Credit deduction in Enfield North constituency from (a) March 2022 to February 2023, (b) March 2021 to February 2022 and (c) March 2020 to February 2021; and how many children lived in such households in each of those periods. (189899)
- 67 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how much was taken from Universal Credit payments to households subject to a benefit deduction in Enfield North constituency in (a) March 2020 to February 2021, (b) March 2021 to February 2022 and (c) March 2022 to February 2023. (189900)
- 68 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of excluding maternity allowance from the benefits cap. (189907)

- 69 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment her Department has made of the effectiveness and targeting of Cold Weather Payments. [Transferred] (189537)
- 70 **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether an Access to Work scheme has been implemented in their Department. (189849)
- 71 **Scott Benton** (Blackpool South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will review the effectiveness of the operation of Section 178 of the Health and Care Act 2022 on the early medical termination of pregnancies at home. (189892)
- 72 **Scott Benton** (Blackpool South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will hold an inquiry into the operation of Section 178 of the Health and Care Act 2022 on the early medical termination of pregnancies at home. (189893)
- 73 **Miriam Cates** (Penistone and Stocksbridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when the last new paediatric patient attended their first appointment at the Tavistock and Portman NHS foundation trust gender and identity development service. (189887)
- 74 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many and what proportion of parents of children eligible for Healthy Start vouchers in (a) the London Borough of Enfield and (b) Enfield North constituency have not received them. (189901)
- 75 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has made a recent assessment of the implications for his policies on preparing for pandemics of public inquiries into covid-19 taking place in other countries. [Transferred] (189472)
- 76 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that the latest technology is being used in radiotherapy treatments. (189828)
- 77 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will commission an independent review of the provision of radiotherapy services for cancer care. (189829)
- 78 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will take steps to help ensure that patients do have travel journeys of more than 45 minutes when attending radiotherapy appointments. (189830)
- 79 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an assessment of the potential impact of implementing a radiotherapy strategy on waiting times for cancer treatment. (189833)

- 80 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of providing radiotherapy treatments within community diagnostic centres; and if he will take steps to implement this proposal. (189835)
- 81 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will take steps to help ensure that information on the importance of hydration in hot weather is communicated to the public. (189856)
- 82 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he is taking steps to help ensure that information on the importance of (a) skin protection, (b) covering up and (c) using an appropriate factor sun cream is communicated to the public. (189857)
- 83 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure that families on low incomes have access to adequate sun protection products; and if he will ensure that free sun protection products are available to people who are exempt from paying for prescriptions. (189858)
- 84 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has discussions with the (a) Secretary of State for Education and (b) Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs on the potential merits of the provision of water bottles to school children for use in and out of school. (189859)
- 85 **Mr Barry Sheerman** (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has had recent discussions with Cabinet colleagues on the potential merits of publishing a plan to help support unpaid carers. (189751)
- 86 **Greg Smith** (Buckingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an assessment of the adequacy of the provision of rheumatology care in Buckinghamshire in the last (a) 12 and (b) 24 months. (189916)
- 87 **Greg Smith** (Buckingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he plans to increase the number of NHS staff providing rheumatology care in the (a) Buckinghamshire, (b) Oxfordshire and (c) West Berkshire Integrated Care Board area and (d) England. (189917)
- 88 **Greg Smith** (Buckingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent steps his Department is taking to help increase the number of (a) doctors, (b) nurses and (c) Allied Health Professionals entering specialist rheumatology training. (189918)
- 89 **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether an Access to Work scheme has been implemented in their Department. (189850)

- 90N **Drew Hendry** (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of extending the UK's Russian sanctions regime to cover all Russian Military personnel accused of war crimes by Ukrainian authorities. [Transferred] (189654)
- 91 **Caroline Nokes** (Romsey and Southampton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to the National Disability Strategy published on 28 July 2021, which of his Department's commitments in that strategy that have not been paused as a result of legal action have (a) been fully, (b) been partially and (c) not been implemented. (189787)
- 92 **Taiwo Owatemi** (Coventry North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether his Department has made representations to the Iranian authorities on the loss of contact between Shadi Shahidzadeh and her family since her arrest. (189925)
- 93 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent steps he has taken to compensate victims of Qadhafi-sponsored IRA terrorism. [Transferred] (189536)
- 94 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether his Department has made an assessment for the implications of its policies of recent reports of the sentencing of a young child to life imprisonment in a prison camp in the Democratic People's Republic of Korea due to their parents being in possession of a bible; and if he will make a statement. (189768)
- 95 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he will plans to provide support to the Government of Nova Scotia to help tackle wildfires. (189769)
- 96 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he plans to visit Togo. (189770)
- 97 **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether an Access to Work scheme has been implemented in their Department. (189851)
- 98 **Tonia Antoniazzi** (Gower): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to support women who have sought asylum. (189890)
- 99 **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether her Department is taking steps to raise public awareness of the potential fire risk of lithium batteries in residential buildings. (189773)

- 100 **Vicky Foxcroft** (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether her Department is taking steps to increase the number of full time equivalent staff working on processing Windrush Compensation Scheme claims. (189841)
- 101 **Vicky Foxcroft** (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will make it her policy to allocate additional funds to the Windrush Compensation Scheme; and if she will make a statement to mark the 75th anniversary of the arrival of the HMT Empire Windrush in Britain. (189843)
- 102 **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many applications for (a) entry clearance (b) permission to stay in the UK for family members of people already in the UK on the Afghan Relocations and Assistance Policy (i) have been received, (ii) been granted, (iii) are still awaiting a decision and (iv) have been refused since August 2021. [Transferred] (189546)
- 103 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what was the average time taken to process asylum applications in May (a) 2022 and (b) 2023. (189809)
- 104 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to ensure asylum seekers are given accurate information on the (a) expected processing times for and (b) progress of their applications. (189810)
- 105 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to (a) improve the efficiency and (b) maintain the thoroughness of the asylum application process. (189811)
- 106 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what plans she has to increase the capacity of the asylum system to (a) reduce processing times and (b) eliminate backlogs. (189812)
- 107 **Holly Lynch** (Halifax): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to paragraph 59.g of the Anti-Social Behaviour Action Plan, updated on 17 May, what discussions she has had with stakeholders on the introduction of the new offence of cuckooing . (189804)
- 108 **Holly Lynch** (Halifax): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what (a) research she has commissioned and (b) information her Department holds on the (i) prevalence and (ii) impact of cuckooing in vulnerable communities. (189805)
- 109 **Holly Lynch** (Halifax): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to her Department's Anti-Social Behaviour Action Plan, which (a) organisations and (b) other stakeholders her Department plans to consult on the potential merits of bringing forward legislative proposals for a new cuckooing offence. (189806)

- 110 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will make an assessment with Cabinet colleagues of the potential impact of the Right Care, Right Person operational model on community safety partnerships overseen by local authorities. [Transferred] (189716)
- 111 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will make an assessment with Cabinet colleagues of the potential impact of the Right Care, Right Person operational model on (a) social services for vulnerable people and (b) other local authority-run services. [Transferred] (189718)
- 112 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to ensure that case managers provide comprehensive updates to case requests through the MP hotline for visa and immigration matters. (189860)
- 113 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many asylum claims have been processed in each of the last 12 months for which data is available; and what proportion that figure represents of undecided asylum claims in each such month. (189861)
- 114 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will commission the creation of a digital tool to enable asylum seekers to be provided with updates on their case. (189862)
- 115 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will make it her policy to ensure that (a) all (i) visa and (ii) other immigration applications are processed within 12 months, unless there are exceptional circumstances requiring a longer processing time, and (b) whether she has a target date for completion of all such applications that have not been processed within 12 months. (189863)
- 116 **Navendu Mishra** (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps police forces are taking to monitor breaches of exclusion zones relating to (a) domestic abuse and (b) other violent crimes. (189891)
- 117 **Caroline Nokes** (Romsey and Southampton North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to the National Disability Strategy published on 28 July 2021, which of her Department's commitments in that strategy that have not been paused as a result of legal action have (a) been fully, (b) been partially and (c) not been implemented. (189788)
- 118 **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether an Access to Work scheme has been implemented in their Department. (189853)
- 119 **Kim Johnson** (Liverpool, Riverside): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what his timetable is for phase 2 of the veterans' recognition scheme roll-out. (189888)

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- 120 **Caroline Nokes** (Romsey and Southampton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to the National Disability Strategy published on 28 July 2021, which of his Department's commitments in that strategy that have not been paused as a result of legal action have (a) been fully, (b) been partially and (c) not been implemented. (189789)
- 121 **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether an Access to Work scheme has been implemented in their Department. (189854)
- 122 **Scott Benton** (Blackpool South): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what his Department's policy is on decriminalising abortion after 24 weeks. [Transferred] (189647)
- 123 **Caroline Nokes** (Romsey and Southampton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, with reference to the National Disability Strategy published on 28 July 2021, which of his Department's commitments in that strategy that have not been paused as a result of legal action have (a) been fully, (b) been partially and (c) not been implemented. (189790)
- 124 **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, whether an Access to Work scheme has been implemented in their Department. (189855)
- 125 **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether he plans to take steps to allow (a) Birmingham City Council and (b) other local authorities to keep the revenue collected from speeding fines. (189889)
- 126 **Sarah Olney** (Richmond Park): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps his Department is taking to help ensure that HM Revenue and Customs responds to enquiries and complaints within standard response times. (189911)
- 127 **Sarah Olney** (Richmond Park): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of HM Revenue and Customs' (a) customer service standard and (b) response times. (189912)
- 128 **Sarah Olney** (Richmond Park): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many complaints HM Revenue and Customs received in each of the last five years; and what proportion of those were upheld. (189913)
- 129 **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether an Access to Work scheme has been implemented in their Department. (189852)
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## Questions for Answer on Tuesday 20 June

### Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how much the Office for Veterans' Affairs has spent on hospitality in each of the last four financial years. (189762)
- 2N **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether an Access to Work scheme has been implemented in their Department. [R] (189837)
- 3N **Karl Turner** (Kingston upon Hull East): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, if he will publish a list of the former ministers that have been given legal representation paid for by the public purse for (a) parliamentary and (b) Privileges Committee inquiries. (189774)
- 4N **Angus Brendan MacNeil** (Na h-Eileanan an Iar): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether her Department is taking steps to reduce the tariff on fish feed imported from the Faroe Islands. (189761)
- 5N **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether an Access to Work scheme has been implemented in their Department. (189839)
- 6N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what steps she is taking to help ensure Public Service Broadcasters meet public service broadcasting obligations on reaching audiences. (189823)
- 7N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, whether her Department is taking steps to help ensure that people are able to access digital radio content. (189825)
- 8N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, whether her Department is taking steps to seek public feedback on the adequacy of public service broadcasting platforms for accessing digital content. (189826)
- 9N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what recent steps she has taken to improve regional diversity in public service broadcasting. (189827)
- 10N **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, whether an Access to Work scheme has been implemented in their Department. (189840)
- 11N **Caroline Nokes** (Romsey and Southampton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to the National Disability Strategy published on 28 July 2021, which of her Department's commitments in that strategy that have not been paused as a result of legal action have (a) been fully, (b) been partially and (c) not been implemented. (189780)

- 12N **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what discussions she has had with (a) local authorities and (b) businesses in the North East on the decision to stop funding for Level 3 tourism qualifications by 2025. (189800)
- 13N **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether an Access to Work scheme has been implemented in their Department. (189842)
- 14N **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many state-funded schools have temporarily closed due to water shortages since December 2019; and which schools were affected. (189908)
- 15N **Bill Esterson** (Sefton Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what steps he is taken to increase the speed of (a) granting planning permission and (b) approving low carbon and network infrastructure projects. [Transferred] (189599)
- 16N **Bill Esterson** (Sefton Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether he has had recent discussions with businesses in the electricity supply chain on the construction of national grid infrastructure. [Transferred] (189600)
- 17N **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether her Department has contingency plans in place to ensure the continued operation of (a) water supply and (b) sewage treatment and processing in the event of a water company no longer being able to fulfill its financial obligations. (189771)
- 18N **Theresa Villiers** (Chipping Barnet): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether it remains her policy to ban the non-commercial import of pregnant dogs in the last 30 per cent of their gestation period. (189758)
- 19N **Theresa Villiers** (Chipping Barnet): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether she plans to bring forward secondary legislation to ban the non-commercial import of pregnant dogs in the last 30 per cent of their gestation period. (189759)
- 20N **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what the average number of section 21 evictions was in each region of England in each of the last 12 months. (189926)
- 21N **Caroline Nokes** (Romsey and Southampton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, with reference to the National Disability Strategy published on 28 July 2021, which of his Department's commitments in that strategy that have not been paused as a result of legal action have (a) been fully, (b) been partially and (c) not been implemented. (189778)
- 22N **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether he has had discussions with local authorities in Newcastle on delays to repair work on social housing. (189799)

- 23N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, if she will take steps to help provide access to digital audio content for (a) people from disadvantaged backgrounds, (b) older people and (c) other people. (189824)
- 24N **Mike Kane** (Wythenshawe and Sale East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to his Department's publication entitled Seafarers in the UK Shipping Industry: 2022, published 10 May 2023, whether he plans to undertake a review into the (a) training and (b) employment of UK seafarers. (189793)
- 25N **Caroline Nokes** (Romsey and Southampton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to the National Disability Strategy published 28 July 2021, which of his Department's commitments in that strategy that have not been paused as a result of legal action have (a) been fully, (b) been partially and (c) not been implemented. (189782)
- 26N **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of safety incident data for the UK set out in the report by the G+ Global Offshore Wind Health and Safety Organisation entitled 2022 incident data report; and if he will make a statement. (189777)
- 27N **Caroline Nokes** (Romsey and Southampton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, pursuant to the Answer of 25 May 2023 to Question 185576 on Disability, which of his Department's commitments in the National Disability Strategy that have not been paused as a result of legal action have (a) been fully, (b) been partially and (c) not been implemented. (189779)
- 28N **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to respond to the correspondence of 25 May 2023 from the hon. Member for Tooting on the Essex Mental Health Independent Inquiry. (189870)
- 29 **Bambos Charalambous** (Enfield, Southgate): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many crisis houses are commissioned by the NHS but not managed by its staff. (189927)
- 30N **Sir Greg Knight** (East Yorkshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will publicise the scope and timing of the proposed consultation on proposals to expand water fluoridation in the North East; what steps he plans to take to encourage participation in that consultation; and if he will make a statement. (189748)
- 31N **Caroline Nokes** (Romsey and Southampton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the National Disability Strategy published 28 July 2021, which of his Department's commitments in that strategy that have not been paused as a result of legal action have (a) been fully, (b) been partially and (c) not been implemented. (189781)

- 32N **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies regional variations in the uptake of the bowel cancer screening programme. (189802)
- 33N **Sir Charles Walker** (Broxbourne): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make it his policy in negotiations on a pandemic preparedness treaty that responsibility for the (a) planning and (b) implementation of future pandemic responses will rest with the UK Government and not the World Health Organisation. (189757)
- 34N **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if he will take steps to support (a) evidence preservation and (b) international investigations relating to alleged atrocities in El Geneina, Sudan since 15 April 2023; and whether he has had discussions with his counterparts in the (i) African Union, (ii) United Nations and (iii) other countries and international organisations on those alleged atrocities and ensuring civilian protection. (189760)
- 35N **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking to encourage the Taliban regime to enable (a) women and girls to have a full education including university, (b) women to take up employment and (c) women and girls to (i) visit parks and (ii) engage in normal activities outside their homes. (189798)
- 36N **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will set timescales for (a) the processing of applications and (b) making travel arrangements for Afghans who are entitled to resettle in the UK and are housed in hotels in Pakistan. (189776)
- 37N **Jim McMahon** (Oldham West and Royton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what information her Department holds on how many submissions to the Truth Project set up by the Independent Inquiry into Child Sexual Abuse were made by residents in each of the Greater Manchester authorities. (189924)
- 38N **Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when her Department's policy started to require Hon. and Rt Hon. Members to provide a Letter of Authority when raising cases relating to the Homes for Ukraine Scheme via email. (189794)
- 39N **Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when her Department's policy started to require Hon. and Rt Hon. Members to provide a Letter of Authority when raising cases relating to the Homes for Ukraine Scheme through the MPAM phonenumber. (189795)

- 40N **Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will make an estimate of the number of cases where her Department breached General Data Protection Regulation by accepting Homes for Ukraine Scheme enquiries from Hon. and Rt Hon. Members without first obtaining a Letter of Authority. (189796)
- 41N **Abena Oppong-Asare** (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many claims for compensation under the Windrush compensation scheme have been awarded as of 15 June 2023. (189879)
- 42N **Abena Oppong-Asare** (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what recent assessment her Department has made of the number of people who are eligible for compensation under the Windrush compensation scheme. (189880)
- 43N **Abena Oppong-Asare** (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many unsuccessful claims for compensation under the Windrush compensation scheme have been subject to appeal up to 1 June 2023. (189881)
- 44N **Abena Oppong-Asare** (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what has been the cost to public purse of services provided by the We Are Digital company for the Windrush compensation scheme as of 15 June 2023. (189882)
- 45N **Abena Oppong-Asare** (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many applicants for compensation under the Windrush compensation scheme have died while waiting for a decision on their application. (189883)
- 46N **Alison Thewliss** (Glasgow Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many and what proportion of unaccompanied asylum seeking children who went missing from hotel accommodation remain unaccounted for. (189803)
- 47N **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what recent estimate he has made of when his Department will take delivery of the first Capability Drop 3 Ajax vehicles. (189749)
- 48N **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether weapons systems on the Capability Drop 1 Ajax vehicles have been fired successfully during vehicle movement. (189763)
- 49N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, when he plans to have further roundtable discussions with party leaders in Northern Ireland on taking steps to help restore the Northern Ireland Executive with cross-community support. (189747)

- 50N **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether i an Access to Work scheme has been implemented in their Department. [R] (189834)
- 51N **Hywel Williams** (Arfon): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what recent steps he has taken to inform people that are eligible to add to their voluntary National Insurance contributions from April 2006 up to April 2017 that HMRC has extended the deadline to 31 July 2025. (189752)
- 52N **Hywel Williams** (Arfon): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of extending deadlines for additional voluntary National Insurance contributions from April 2006 to April 2017. (189753)
- 53N **Hywel Williams** (Arfon): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether he has made a comparative assessment of the adequacy of the provision by HM Revenue and Customs of information about deadlines for voluntary National Insurance Contributions for men born (a) before and (b) after 5 April 1951. (189754)

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## Questions for Answer on Wednesday 21 June

### Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Angus Brendan MacNeil** (Na h-Eileanan an Iar): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, if she will make an assessment of the impact of the Intellectual Property Office review of the standard-essential patent ecosystem on the competitiveness of small and medium-sized enterprises in international trade, in the context of terms for licencing (a) 5G and (b) other technology standards. (189764)
- 2N **Carol Monaghan** (Glasgow North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, when she plans to respond to the letter of 26 May 2023 from the hon. Member for Glasgow North West on arranging a meeting to discuss redundancy compensation for former employees of Morton's Rolls. (189866)
- 3N **Richard Burgon** (Leeds East): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if her Department will make an estimate of the total number of years' experience held by all state (a) primary, and (b) secondary teachers in each year since 2010. (189831)
- 4N **Dr Neil Hudson** (Penrith and The Border): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 5 June 2023 to Question 186538 on Animal and Plant Health Agency: Port of Dover, if she will provide a breakdown of the animals detained by the Animal and Plant Health Agency in the last 12 months by (a) species, (b) port and (c) reason for detention; and how many and what proportion of those animals were (i) leaving and (ii) entering the UK. (189894)

- 5N **Dr Neil Hudson** (Penrith and The Border): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, when she plans to answer Question 186536 tabled by the hon. Member for Penrith and the Border on 23 May for answer by 5 June 2023. (189895)
- 6N **Margaret Greenwood** (Wirral West): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, when he plans to respond to the correspondence of 5 June 2023 from the hon. Member for Wirral West and the Leader of Wirral Council on the Leverhulme Estates planning appeals. (189775)
- 7N **Margaret Greenwood** (Wirral West): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, when he plans to respond to correspondence of 12 April and 5 May 2023 from Wirral Council on the Leverhulme Estates planning appeals. (189807)
- 8N **Angus Brendan MacNeil** (Na h-Eileanan an Iar): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, what steps she is taking to help ensure that small and medium-sized enterprises developing innovative products, do not have to pay excessive royalties to foreign companies for licences to standard-essential patents. (189765)
- 9N **Angus Brendan MacNeil** (Na h-Eileanan an Iar): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, with reference to the outcome of the Intellectual Property Office's consultation entitled Standard Essential Patents and Innovation: Executive summary and next steps, updated on 5 August 2022, what plans he has to consult Parliament on the potential impact of such steps on the (a) wider UK intellectual property economy and (b) ability of small and medium-sized enterprises' to compete in the global marketplace. (189766)
- 10N **Sir Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether his Department is taking steps to ensure that legacy benefit claimants (a) are aware of and (b) have access to managed payments to landlord in the managed migration to Universal Credit. (189742)
- 11N **Sir Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether he plans to amend Universal Credit regulations to allow claimants of legacy benefits to be eligible for transitional protection if their initial claim was rejected due to a lack of information but was then approved in a subsequent claim. (189745)
- 12N **Sir Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of excluding any legacy benefit claimant due to qualify for Pension Credit before April 2025 from having to migrate to Universal Credit; and if he will make a statement. (189746)
- 13N **Richard Burgon** (Leeds East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if his Department will make an estimate of the total number of years' experience held by all NHS (a) nurses and (b) doctors in each year since 2010. (189832)

- 14N **Naz Shah** (Bradford West): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how much was received in VAT receipts from the hospitality sector in each quarter since the temporary reduced VAT rate which applied to tourism and hospitality ended on 31 March 2022. (189808)
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### Oral Questions to the Prime Minister

- 1 **Patricia Gibson** (North Ayrshire and Arran): If he will list his official engagements for Wednesday 21 June. (905566)
  - 2 **Mark Menzies** (Fylde): (905567)
  - 3 **Gavin Newlands** (Paisley and Renfrewshire North): (905568)
  - 4 **Dame Meg Hillier** (Hackney South and Shoreditch): (905569)
  - 5 **Philip Davies** (Shipley): (905570)
  - 6 **Kevin Brennan** (Cardiff West): (905571)
  - 7 **Virginia Crosbie** (Ynys Môn): (905572)
  - 8 **Andy Slaughter** (Hammersmith): (905573)
  - 9 **Dr Liam Fox** (North Somerset): (905574)
  - 10 **Anne Marie Morris** (Newton Abbot): (905575)
  - 11 **Danny Kruger** (Devizes): (905576)
  - 12 **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): (905577)
  - 13 **Deidre Brock** (Edinburgh North and Leith): (905578)
  - 14 **Kate Kniveton** (Burton): (905579)
  - 15 **Mr David Davis** (Haltemprice and Howden): (905580)
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## Questions for Answer on Thursday 22 June

### Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Dr Philippa Whitford** (Central Ayrshire): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether any Departments are using artificial intelligence-based systems to make automated decisions. (189772)
- 2N **Sir Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what his planned timetable is for consulting on options for a new approach to consumer protection in energy markets after April 2024. (189741)

- 3N **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what estimate he has made of the average cost of housing a person evicted under a section 21 notice for (a) each local authority in England and (b) the Government in each of the last five years. (189873)
- 4N **Rosie Duffield** (Canterbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether Afghan refugees who are in hotels can apply for homelessness with any local authority. (189919)

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### Oral Questions to the Minister for the Cabinet Office

- 1 **Richard Burgon** (Leeds East): What steps he is taking with Cabinet colleagues to help ensure value for money in public spending. (905531)
- 2 **Elliot Colburn** (Carshalton and Wallington): What steps his Department is taking to provide comprehensive support to veterans. (905532)
- 3 **John Penrose** (Weston-super-Mare): What criteria his Department uses to assess people who are nominated for honours. (905533)
- 4 **David Duguid** (Banff and Buchan): What steps he is taking with Cabinet colleagues to recognise the contribution of nuclear test veterans. (905534)
- 5 **Marion Fellows** (Motherwell and Wishaw): Whether he has had recent discussions with Cabinet colleagues on the potential impact of the publication of the resignation honours lists of the Rt hon. Member for South West Norfolk and the former Rt hon. Member for Uxbridge and South Ruislip on public trust in (a) politicians and (b) political institutions. (905535)
- 6 **Stephen Metcalfe** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): What steps his Department is taking to improve access to public sector procurement for small and medium-sized businesses. (905536)
- 7 **Dame Nia Griffith** (Llanelli): Whether he has had recent discussions with the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities on undertaking a review of voter ID. (905537)
- 8 **Mrs Emma Lewell-Buck** (South Shields): What recent steps his Department has taken to cooperate with the UK Covid-19 Inquiry. (905538)
- 9 **Greg Smith** (Buckingham): What steps his Department is taking to reduce the cost to the public purse of Government projects. (905539)
- 10 **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): What recent assessment he has made of the adequacy of his Department's processes for scrutinising nominations for honours. (905540)
- 11 **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): What steps he is taking with Cabinet colleagues to help veterans access well-paid employment. (905541)

- 12 **Michael Fabricant** (Lichfield): What steps his Department is taking to maintain public services during industrial action; and if he will make a statement. (905542)
- 13 **Scott Benton** (Blackpool South): What recent steps he has taken with Cabinet colleagues to help ensure value for money in public spending. (905543)
- 14 **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): Whether he has had recent discussions with the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities on undertaking a review of voter ID. (905544)
- 15 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): What recent assessment he has made of the reasons for which external consultants are used by the Civil Service. (905545)
- 16 **Nicola Richards** (West Bromwich East): What steps his Department is taking to help maintain public services during industrial action. (905546)
- 17 **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): What steps his Department is taking to improve its approach to freedom of information requests. (905547)
- 18 **Carol Monaghan** (Glasgow North West): What recent discussions he has had with the Commissioner for Public Appointments on ensuring high standards of propriety in public appointments. (905548)
- 19 **Peter Aldous** (Waveney): What recent steps his Department has taken to strengthen national resilience. (905549)
- 20 **Bob Blackman** (Harrow East): What recent assessment his Department has made of the adequacy of the Government's preparedness for extreme heat. (905550)
- 21 **Jane Hunt** (Loughborough): What steps he is taking to put infrastructure in place to alert the public of national emergencies. (905551)
- 22 **Andrew Selous** (South West Bedfordshire): What recent steps he has taken with Cabinet colleagues to help ensure value for money in public spending. (905552)
- 23 **Wera Hobhouse** (Bath): What recent assessment he has made of the adequacy of his Department's average response time to correspondence from hon. Members. (905553)
- 24 **Mr Philip Hollobone** (Kettering): If he will take steps with Cabinet colleagues to improve response times to calls made to the customer helplines of Government agencies. (905554)
- 25 **Anna Firth** (Southend West): What steps he is taking to share best practice on veterans' affairs with his international counterparts. (905555)

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### Topical Questions to the Minister for the Cabinet Office

- T1 **Stephen Metcalfe** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): If he will make a statement on his departmental responsibilities. (905556)

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T2	<b>Andrew Gwynne</b> (Denton and Reddish):	(905557)
T3	<b>Sir Conor Burns</b> (Bournemouth West):	(905558)
T4	<b>Sarah Atherton</b> (Wrexham):	(905559)
T5	<b>Kenny MacAskill</b> (East Lothian):	(905560)
T6	<b>Helen Hayes</b> (Dulwich and West Norwood):	(905561)
T7	<b>Liz Twist</b> (Blaydon):	(905562)
T8	<b>Priti Patel</b> (Witham):	(905563)
T9	<b>Chris Stephens</b> (Glasgow South West):	(905564)
T10	<b>Andrew Selous</b> (South West Bedfordshire):	(905565)

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## Questions for Answer on Monday 26 June

### Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Neale Hanvey** (Kirkcaldy and Cowdenbeath): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether she has made an assessment of the potential merits of introducing a moratorium on deep sea mining activities until a review has been conducted into its environmental, social and economic impacts. [Transferred] (189673)
- 2N **Kirsten Oswald** (East Renfrewshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether she is taking steps to update the (a) Waste Duty of Care and (b) other relevant legislation to help ensure it supports the provision of incontinence bins in male toilet facilities. (189864)
- 3N **Kirsten Oswald** (East Renfrewshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps she is taking to ensure that men who experience incontinence are able to dispose of their incontinence products in specialist bins in male toilets. (189865)
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## Questions for Answer on Thursday 29 June

### Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Mike Kane** (Wythenshawe and Sale East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what discussions he has had with his Indian counterparts about the treatment of human rights defenders in that country. (189797)