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Questions tabled on Monday 19 June 2023

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Questions for Answer on Tuesday 20 June

Questions for Written Answer

- 1 **Martyn Day** (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade whether the review into attracting foreign direct investment will consider the potential merits of attracting investment into domestic recycling infrastructure. [Transferred] (189963)
 - 2 **Claire Hanna** (Belfast South): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, if he will make an assessment of the implications for his policies of the report by Pregnant Then Screwed entitled Leave in the Lurch, Paternity Leave, Gender Equality and the UK Economy, published on 15 June 2023; and whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of increasing the rate of Statutory Paternity Leave. [Transferred] (189996)
 - 3 **Wera Hobhouse** (Bath): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether the review into the Government's approach to attracting foreign direct investment led by Lord Harrington of Watford will consider the Government's approach to attracting new foreign direct investment into recycling infrastructure. [Transferred] (189969)
 - 4 **Martyn Day** (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if his Department will conduct an inquiry into potential reforms to clinical research and trials to (a) scale up, (b) speed up and (c) increase the number of such trials in (i) Scotland and (ii) the UK. [Transferred] (189967)
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Questions for Answer on Wednesday 21 June

Questions for Written Answer

- 1 **Saqib Bhatti** (Meriden): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of extending the remit of the Tell Us Once service to include the notification of death to (a) banks, (b) utility companies and (c) other organisations outside the public sector. (190165)
- 2 **Seema Malhotra** (Feltham and Heston): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how many times (a) Ministers and (b) officials held meetings with the International Labour Organisation each year since 2019; what the reasons for each of those meetings were; and who was present at each meeting. (190105)
- 3 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how many small businesses went bankrupt in (a) Enfield North constituency and (b) the London Borough of Enfield in the last (i) three, (ii) six, (iii) 12 and (iv) 24 months. (190158)
- 4 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how many small businesses opened in (a) Enfield North constituency and (b) the London Borough of Enfield in the last (i) three, (ii) six, (iii) 12 and (iv) 24 months . (190159)
- 5 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what further steps he plans to take with businesses to help ensure equal pro rata pay between full-time and part-time staff. (190116)
- 6 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what recent assessment she has made of the adequacy of legislation protecting pregnant women from dismissal; and if she will take legislative steps to increase penalties on employers who dismiss staff while pregnant or on maternity leave. (190118)
- 7 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what assessment she has made of the impact of working from home policies on the gender pay gap. (190120)
- 8 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether she has made an assessment of the potential impact of anti-bullying (a) policies and (b) legislation on the number of incidences of bullying at work. (190121)
- 9 **Matt Western** (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of the advanced screen and performance technology research facilities announced in the creative industries sector vision on video game development studios. (190189)

- 10 **Matt Western** (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of the create growth programme announced in the creative industries sector vision on video game development studios. (190190)
- 11 **Matt Western** (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of the funding for the UK games fund announced in the creative industries sector vision on the growth of video game development studios. (190191)
- 12 **Matt Western** (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of UK Research and Innovation's (a) Convergent Screen Technologies And Performance in Realtime (CoSTAR), (b) Creative Catalyst and (c) creative industries clusters programme on support for UK video game development studios. (190192)
- 13 **Mr Ben Bradshaw** (Exeter): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what data her Department holds on the number of (a) nurseries, (b) primary schools, (c) secondary schools, (d) sixth form colleges and (e) all-through schools that have experienced construction delays that have postponed the planned opening date in each of the last five years. (190024)
- 14 **Mr Ben Bradshaw** (Exeter): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what data her Department holds on the number of school rebuilding programme projects that have experienced construction delays of more than one month in each of the last five years. (190025)
- 15 **Mr Ben Bradshaw** (Exeter): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether her Department has oversight of work on school buildings that is subcontracted by its contractors. (190026)
- 16 **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, when she plans to respond to the letter from Irise International of 26 May 2023 on period poverty. (190101)
- 17 **Wendy Chamberlain** (North East Fife): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many students (a) applied for and (b) received a place under the Turing Scheme for each academic year since 2021-2022. (190231)
- 18 **Wendy Chamberlain** (North East Fife): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many students (a) applied for and (b) received a place under the Erasmus Scheme for the academic years (i) 2015-2016; (ii) 2017-2018; (iii) 2018-2019; (iv) 2019-2020 and (v) 2020-2021. (190232)
- 19 **Wendy Chamberlain** (North East Fife): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what the (a) shortest, (b) longest and (c) average time for (i) processing applications and (ii) confirming funding under the Turing scheme was in each academic year from 2021 to date. (190242)

- 20 **Wendy Chamberlain** (North East Fife): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what criteria is used to assess which countries are (a) high and (b) low cost under the Turing scheme for the purpose of funding determinations. (190244)
- 21 **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether the Government has made an assessment of the potential impact of trends in the level of overcrowding in social housing in Birmingham on (a) primary and (b) secondary school children's education outcomes in that area. (190200)
- 22 **Seema Malhotra** (Feltham and Heston): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps she is taking to address recruitment and retention in English teaching. (190098)
- 23 **Yasmin Qureshi** (Bolton South East): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps her Department is taking to educate pupils on the potential danger of open water swimming. (190068)
- 24 **Royston Smith** (Southampton, Itchen): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 19 May 2022 to Question 304 on Refugees: Ukraine, how many people who were granted leave under the (a) Ukraine Sponsorship scheme, (b) Ukraine Family scheme and (c) Ukraine Extension scheme have received (i) a student loan and (ii) home fee status; and what the cost has been to the public purse. (190091)
- 25 **Royston Smith** (Southampton, Itchen): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 19 May 2022 to Question 304 on Refugees: Ukraine, whether her Department has made a recent assessment of whether people who were granted leave under the (a) Ukraine Sponsorship scheme, (b) Ukraine Family scheme and (c) Ukraine Extension scheme are likely to repay their student loans. (190092)
- 26 **Matt Western** (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what recent estimate her Department has made of the number of apprenticeships that are available for training in the video games sector as of 19 June 2023. (190243)
- 27 **Jack Brereton** (Stoke-on-Trent South): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, if he will take steps to decouple (a) domestic and (b) commercial electricity prices from wholesale gas prices; and if he will make a statement. (190141)
- 28 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, if his Department will make an assessment of the financial impact of switching to heat pumps on rural (a) households and (b) businesses. (190019)

- 29 **Ben Lake** (Ceredigion): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential role of (a) heat pumps, (b) EV charging points, (c) solar PV and (d) other low carbon technologies in offsetting the energy demand of new housing developments on the grid. (190169)
- 30 **Ben Lake** (Ceredigion): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what steps his Department is taking to help ensure the adequacy and equity of arrangements for managing grid connections to enable both large-scale renewable generation projects and (a) micro-generation, (b) low carbon housing developments and (c) other distribution-level projects to be connected. (190170)
- 31 **Ben Lake** (Ceredigion): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of accelerating work on local energy governance and planning arrangements to deliver investment to the energy grid where it is most needed. (190171)
- 32 **Ben Lake** (Ceredigion): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what discussions his Department has had with network operators on resolving connections queues at the distribution level. (190172)
- 33 **Ben Lake** (Ceredigion): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what steps his Department has taken to help increase the supply of trained electrical workers in the UK. (190173)
- 34 **Charlotte Nichols** (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what support is available for boaters without permanent moorings to help pay for solar panels and insulation. (190228)
- 35 **Alison Thewliss** (Glasgow Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, was assessment has been made of the adequacy of the Energy Bill Support Scheme for people on low incomes. (190104)
- 36 **Rushanara Ali** (Bethnal Green and Bow): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps she is taking to conserve biodiversity in canals. (190134)
- 37 **Dr Lisa Cameron** (East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, when her Department plans to publish its response to the Animal Welfare Committee's Opinion on the Welfare of Farmed Fish at the Time of Killing. (190131)
- 38 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has been made of the impact of deep-sea mining on the UN Convention on Biological Diversity target to protect 30 per cent of the world's oceans by 2030. (190157)

- 39 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if her Department will work with the Environment Agency to develop a Service Level Agreement with water abstraction licence holders on time for adaption when licences are changed. (190174)
- 40 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment she has made of the implications for her policies on a fully integrated, multi-sector, catchment based approach to water systems planning of the conclusions of the report by the National Farmers Union Integrated Water Management published in January 2021. (190175)
- 41 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how many dangerous dog attacks there were in each region in each year since 2013. (190020)
- 42 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how many dangerous dog attacks on (a) other dogs and (b) cats there have been in each year since 2013. (190021)
- 43 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how many American Bully XL dogs were seized in 2022. (190022)
- 44 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether her Department plans to publish an assessment of the effectiveness of public space protection orders for preventing dangerous dog attacks. (190030)
- 45 **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how many and what proportion of cattle that failed the tuberculosis skin test were subsequently found to have tuberculosis lesions at post mortem in the latest period for which data is available. (190054)
- 46 **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what her Department's policy is on whether farmers whose cattle are permanently housed indoors with precautions to prevent badger ingress should pay insurance in case tuberculosis is subsequently detected at the abattoir. (190055)
- 47 **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential presence of tuberculosis in badgers on land owned by the Shropshire Wildlife Trust. (190056)
- 48 **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential impact of stress caused by tuberculosis testing on the rate of abortion in cows. (190057)

- 49 **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment his Department has made of the potential impact of tuberculosis testing on milk yields in dairy herds. (190058)
- 50 **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether her Department has made an assessment of the impacts of tuberculosis (a) initial testing, (b) test failure followed by further testing after 60 days and (c) test failure of stock retained on a farm beyond the intended timescale on farm labour. (190059)
- 51 **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether his Department has held discussions with the Environment Agency on its objections to plans for the North West Relief Road in Shrewsbury. (190060)
- 52 **Yasmin Qureshi** (Bolton South East): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of installing more throw lines near waterways. (190069)
- 53 **Andrew Selous** (South West Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what plans her Department has to incentivise (a) recycling and (b) reuse of textiles. (190063)
- 54 **Andrew Selous** (South West Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether she has made an assessment of the potential merits of creating an extended producer responsibility scheme for (a) tyres, (b) mattresses, (c) white goods and (d) other items. (190064)
- 55 **Andrew Selous** (South West Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps her Department is taking to increase rates of recycling of mattresses. (190065)
- 56 **Andrew Selous** (South West Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps her Department is taking to increase recycling of chewing gum. (190066)
- 57 **Andrew Selous** (South West Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps she is taking to tackle littering from cigarette butts. (190067)
- 58 **Ben Lake** (Ceredigion): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what recent assessment his Department has made of the impact of the Future Homes Standard; and what his planned timeline is for implementing that Standard on new house build completions from 2025. (190166)
- 59 **Ben Lake** (Ceredigion): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, when his Department expects to publish the (a) technical consultation and (b) draft impact assessment for the Future Homes Standard. (190167)

- 60 **Ben Lake** (Ceredigion): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of (a) adopting a transitional approach to implementing its Future Homes Standard and (b) allowing developments that receive planning permission by 2025 to build under earlier standards. (190168)
- 61 **Seema Malhotra** (Feltham and Heston): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, when his Department plans to respond to local authorities on their proposals to use unspent money that was distributed through the 2022-23 UK Shared Prosperity Fund in the 2023-24 financial year. (190100)
- 62 **Jon Trickett** (Hemsworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what meetings he had with tenants unions and associations in (a) 2022 and (b) 2023. (190027)
- 63 **Jon Trickett** (Hemsworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what areas were covered during his meeting with the Chief Executive of the National Residential Landlords Association on 1 March 2023. (190029)
- 64 **Catherine West** (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what discussions he has had with the Housing Ombudsman about complaint response times. (190204)
- 65 **Kirsty Blackman** (Aberdeen North): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, what steps the Government is taking on protection of the neuro rights of citizens. (190108)
- 66 **Kirsty Blackman** (Aberdeen North): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, whether he plans to update employment legislation to protect workers from unauthorised access to their neuro-data. (190109)
- 67 **Kirsty Blackman** (Aberdeen North): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, whether she plans to update consumer legislation to protect people from unauthorised access to their neuro-data. (190110)
- 68 **Kirsty Blackman** (Aberdeen North): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, what steps the Government is taking to help ensure that (a) foreign states and (b) bad actors cannot access people's neuro-data. (190111)
- 69 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, what assessment she has made of the impact on levels of land based extraction of critical minerals of emerging green industries. (190156)
- 70 **Navendu Mishra** (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, if she will reply to my letter dated 31 May 2023. (190235)

- 71 **Navendu Mishra** (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps his Department is taking to (a) promote cyclists traveling by train, (b) encourage train operators to provide more capacity for cyclists and (c) improve communication from train operators about travelling with cycles on their services. (190238)
- 72 **Navendu Mishra** (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what support his Department is providing to unpaid carers in (a) Stockport constituency and (b) Greater Manchester to help deal with the effects of the cost of living crisis. (190239)
- 73 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he made of the causes of coach delays at the port of Dover. (190076)
- 74 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent assessment he has made of the adequacy of the limits on the volume of liquid passengers may take onto a flight. (190078)
- 75 **Charlotte Nichols** (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, will he make it his policy to bring the National Minimum Wage Apprentice Rate in line with the National Minimum Wage. (190187)
- 76 **Selaine Saxby** (North Devon): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many and what proportion of Personal Independence Payment assessments were carried out (a) face-to-face, (b) remotely and (c) on paper in each month since 1 September 2022. (190183)
- 77 **Alyn Smith** (Stirling): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment his Department has made of the adequacy of legislation on private pension schemes for (a) support for pensioners during the cost-of-living crisis (and b) introducing an ethics code in the decision of payments. (190219)
- 78 **Alyn Smith** (Stirling): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what comparative assessment his Department has made of the merits of pension regulatory regimes of EU member states. (190220)
- 79 **Rushanara Ali** (Bethnal Green and Bow): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to ensure the Medicines and Healthcare products Regulatory Agency meets its statutory obligation to assess clinical trials within 60 days of notification. (190132)
- 80 **Rushanara Ali** (Bethnal Green and Bow): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of the time taken to conduct clinical trial approvals by the Medicines and Healthcare products Regulatory Agency on the UK's life sciences sector. (190133)
- 81 **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment has he made of the adequacy of the availability of ear syringing treatment through the NHS in West London; and if he will make a statement. (190085)

- 82 **Dr Lisa Cameron** (East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to ensure equality of access to mental health services for blind and partially-sighted people. (190129)
- 83 **Dr Lisa Cameron** (East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what data his Department holds on the number of people with sight loss who have accessed NHS mental health support services between 1 January 2023 and 10 May 2023. (190130)
- 84 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of variations in the uptake of the bowel cancer screening programme in (a) Enfield North constituency and (b) the London Borough of Enfield. (190160)
- 85 **Tracey Crouch** (Chatham and Aylesford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what proportion of NICE appraisals have been terminated in (a) 2018-2019, (b) 2019-2020, (c) 2020-2021 and (d) 2021-2022. (190072)
- 86 **Tracey Crouch** (Chatham and Aylesford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of (a) the Voluntary Scheme for Branded Medicines Pricing and Access and (b) the introduction of the severity modifier on decisions of companies to launch medicines in the UK. (190073)
- 87 **Tracey Crouch** (Chatham and Aylesford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will monitor the impact of the severity modifier on access to new end of life cancer medicines. (190074)
- 88 **Vicky Foxcroft** (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to increase the number of pharmacists working within rheumatology services. (190142)
- 89 **Vicky Foxcroft** (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department is taking steps to increase the number of allied health professionals working within rheumatology teams. (190143)
- 90 **Vicky Foxcroft** (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department is taking steps to improve the mix of skills in primary care to help diagnose, treat and manage musculoskeletal health and rheumatic conditions. (190144)
- 91 **Vicky Foxcroft** (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether the NHS Long Term Workforce Plan will include specific plans to increase the number of paediatric rheumatology (a) consultants and (b) clinical nurse specialists. (190145)
- 92 **Vicky Foxcroft** (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent estimate his Department has made of the number of (a) rheumatology consultants, (b) rheumatology clinical nurse specialists, (c) specialist

- rheumatology physiotherapists, (d) psychologists, (e) podiatrists, (f) occupational health therapists and (g) specialist rheumatology pharmacists in England; and what steps his Department is taking to fill vacancies in each of those areas. (190146)
- 93 **Vicky Foxcroft** (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to improve levels of staff retention of healthcare professionals working in rheumatology services. (190147)
- 94 **Vicky Foxcroft** (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to help increase the number of (a) doctors, (b) nurses and (c) allied health professionals entering specialist rheumatology training. (190148)
- 95 **Vicky Foxcroft** (Lewisham, Deptford): 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 Lewisham Deptford constituency in the last (a) 12 and (d) 24 months. (190149)
- 96 **Vicky Foxcroft** (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he is taking steps to increase the number of NHS staff providing rheumatology care in (a) the South East London Integrated Care System and (b) England. (190150)
- 97 **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he plans to include requirements on disclosing the costs of publicly funded research in the context of changes of the regulation of clinical trials. (190181)
- 98 **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether it is his policy that requirements on the disclosure of the costs of publicly-funded research should be included as part of wider changes to the regulation of clinical trials. (190182)
- 99 **Sir George Howarth** (Knowsley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to increase rheumatology services' access to podiatry services. (190031)
- 100 **Sir George Howarth** (Knowsley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking increase the number of pharmacists working within rheumatology services. (190032)
- 101 **Sir George Howarth** (Knowsley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking expand the number of allied health professionals working within rheumatology teams. (190033)
- 102 **Sir George Howarth** (Knowsley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to help Increase (a) the number of sports and exercise consultants and (b) access to sports and exercise medicine. (190034)

- 103 **Sir George Howarth** (Knowsley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to help improve the skill mix in primary care to (a) diagnose, (b) treat and (c) manage (i) musculoskeletal and (ii) rheumatic conditions. (190035)
- 104 **Mr Ranil Jayawardena** (North East Hampshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if his Department will take steps to improve the testing and diagnosis of hearing impairment conditions in NHS hospitals. (190226)
- 105 **Navendu Mishra** (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what information his Department holds on the proportion of children between the ages of 11 and 15 who regularly used e-cigarettes in each year since 2018. (190236)
- 106 **Navendu Mishra** (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to reduce the number of children using (a) e-cigarettes and (b) vaping products. (190237)
- 107 **Layla Moran** (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many dental practices in Oxford West and Abingdon constituency are not accepting new NHS patients. (190184)
- 108 **Layla Moran** (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps are being taken to (a) retain and (b) train and recruit dentists. (190185)
- 109 **Ian Paisley** (North Antrim): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what guidance he has issued to (a) providers of (i) inpatient and (ii) outpatient care and (b) patients receiving community care on (1) the assessment and selection of the most clinically appropriate absorbent continence care products for patients with incontinence, and (2) the delivery of person centred care; and whether he has made an estimate of the cost of provision of products other than the most clinically appropriate for such patients. (190094)
- 110 **John Penrose** (Weston-super-Mare): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to reply to the letters of 18 April and 18 May from the Hon. Member for Weston-super-Mare on behalf of his constituent Clare Cox about ventilation to reduce infection risks. (190061)
- 111 **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether his Department is taking steps to consult with children's groups to help tackle barriers to education in developing countries. (190178)
- 112 **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to help ensure that the psychosocial needs of children are being met in (a) fragile, (b) conflict-affected and (c) other humanitarian contexts. (190179)

- 113 **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to help protect children who have been forcibly displaced following climate-related events. (190180)
- 114 **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether it is his Department's policy that people removed from the British Indian Ocean Territory in the 1960s were inhabitants of that Territory. (190052)
- 115 **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he has had discussions with his counterparts in the South African government on reports that South Africa has supplied weapons to Russia. (190053)
- 116 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how many King's Messenger Service passports his Department issued in 2022. (190099)
- 117 **Taiwo Owatemi** (Coventry North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment his Department has made of the implications for his policies of reports of the arrest of four Baha'i leaders in Iran on 1 May 2023. (190140)
- 118 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent steps he has taken to support the campaign to free Evan Gershkovich. (190075)
- 119 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he has taken to mark Finland's accession to NATO. (190077)
- 120 **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the adequacy of the (a) powers and (b) resources available to the police to deal with the illegal use of quad bikes. (190221)
- 121 **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether her Department is taking steps to prevent people who have been found to have used quad bikes illegally from purchasing another quad bike. (190222)
- 122 **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to tackle the sale of modified exhaust parts. (190225)
- 123 **Seema Malhotra** (Feltham and Heston): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 9 June 2023 to Question 186685 on Asylum: Children, if her Department will monitor the numbers of (a) families and (b) individuals in House in multiple occupancy properties. (190102)

- 124 **Seema Malhotra** (Feltham and Heston): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 9 June 2023 to Question 186690 on Asylum: Interviews, what steps she is taking to monitor (a) progress in the Streamlined Asylum Process and (b) the accuracy of the forecast budget. (190103)
- 125 **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to the Prime Minister's press release Record £1.9 billion UK-Poland missile export deal set to bolster European security, published on 28 April, what assessment his Department has made of the implications for collective security of that deal. (190048)
- 126 **Navendu Mishra** (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what assessment his Department has made of differences between the pension entitlements of reservists in the Army and reservists in the Royal Navy and Royal Air Force on retention levels in the Army Reserves. (190234)
- 127 **Ian Paisley** (North Antrim): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether his Department has an agreement in place with the Republic of Ireland on air defence cover. (190096)
- 128 **Ian Paisley** (North Antrim): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many times the RAF has been deployed to intercept aircraft in Republic of Ireland airspace in each of the last three years. (190097)
- 129 **Owen Thompson** (Midlothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what data his Department holds on the number and proportion of veterans who were involved in Britain's nuclear testing programme in (a) Australia, (b) the South Pacific and (c) elsewhere between 1952 and 1967 who have been diagnosed as (i) being infertile and (ii) having fertility problems. (190106)
- 130 **Owen Thompson** (Midlothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will meet nuclear test veterans to discuss their concerns. (190107)
- 131 **Saqib Bhatti** (Meriden): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what fiscal steps he is taking to support the life sciences sector in the West Midlands. (190207)
- 132 **Saqib Bhatti** (Meriden): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what fiscal steps he is taking to support small and medium-sized businesses in Meriden constituency with energy prices. (190208)
- 133 **Saqib Bhatti** (Meriden): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what fiscal steps he is taking to support households in Meriden constituency with their energy bills. (190209)
- 134 **Saqib Bhatti** (Meriden): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps he is taking to provide financial support to people on lower incomes in Meriden constituency. (190210)
- 135 **Saqib Bhatti** (Meriden): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps his Dept is taking to support the financial services sector in Meriden constituency. (190211)

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- 136 **Saqib Bhatti** (Meriden): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what fiscal steps he is taking to support the technology sector in Meriden constituency. (190212)
- 137 **Saqib Bhatti** (Meriden): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of the contribution of the services sector in Meriden constituency to (a) exports and (b) economic growth. (190213)
- 138 **Saqib Bhatti** (Meriden): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether his Department is taking steps to help secure free access to cash withdrawals and deposit facilities in Meriden constituency. (190214)
- 139 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will make an assessment of the potential impact on staff retention of raising the level of (a) Statutory Maternity Pay and (b) Statutory Paternity Pay. (190119)
- 140 **Royston Smith** (Southampton, Itchen): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment his Department has made of the accessibility of mortgages for Ukrainian refugees with a time limited permission to stay in the UK. (190093)
- 141 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, pursuant to the Answer of 5 June to Question 186960 on Access to Elected Office for Disabled People Fund, whether she has received representations from disability advocacy groups on re-establishing the (a) Access to Elected Office Fund and (b) the EnAble Fund. (190176)
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Questions for Answer on Thursday 22 June

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Bill Esterson** (Sefton Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether she is taking steps to increase levels of private investment in industrial decarbonisation projects. (190080)
- 2N **Darren Jones** (Bristol North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, for what reason the Strategic Trade Advisory Group has not met since June 2022; and when the Group is next planned to meet. (190203)
- 3N **Catherine West** (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of the European Critical Raw Materials Act on the security of the UK's supply of critical raw minerals. (190201)

- 4N **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, whether she has had discussions with other Government departments on the potential effect of additional public holidays on the tourism industry and the economy. (190139)
- 5N **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what steps her Department is taking to tackle greenwashing in advertising. (190043)
- 6N **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment her Department has made of the potential effect on the environment of placing restrictions on advertisements for high-carbon products or services. (190044)
- 7N **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many state-funded schools have (a) temporarily or (b) permanently closed (i) all or (ii) part of their school site due to the presence of reinforced autoclaved aerated concrete since 1 January 2023; and which schools were affected. (190162)
- 8N **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what criteria her Department uses to determine whether a school should close following the discovery of reinforced autoclaved aerated concrete. (190163)
- 9N **Olivia Blake** (Sheffield, Hallam): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, pursuant to the Answer of 8 June 2023 to Question 186793 on Energy: Local Government, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of requiring local authorities to report on (a) whether they generate their own power, (b) how much energy they generate per annum and (c) the mode of generation. (190161)
- 10N **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, pursuant to the Answer of 30 May to Question 186184 on Energy Charter Treaty, how many meetings officials in his Department have held to assess stakeholder views on the Energy Charter Treaty. (190084)
- 11N **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether his Department will take a one or two-phase approach to Track-2 cluster sequencing for carbon capture. (190135)
- 12N **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, when his Department plans to issue a final decision on selected Track-2 participants following the conclusion of the expression of interest process. (190136)
- 13N **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether his Department plans to name a Track-2 reserve cluster as part of the wider Track-2 cluster selection process. (190137)

- 14N **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, if his Department will issue project-specific feedback to (a) successful and (b) unsuccessful Track-2 expressions of interest. (190138)
- 15N **Bill Esterson** (Sefton Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what the average time taken by his Department was to reach a decision on granting planning permission for low carbon infrastructure projects in the latest period for which data is available; and what information he holds on the average time for building works on those projects to commence following their approval. (190079)
- 16N **Bill Esterson** (Sefton Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether he plans to decouple electricity and gas prices. (190081)
- 17N **Bill Esterson** (Sefton Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what plans he has to increase the rate of installation of energy efficiency measures under ECO4. (190086)
- 18N **Bill Esterson** (Sefton Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether he plans to retrofit homes at risk of fuel poverty. (190087)
- 19N **Bill Esterson** (Sefton Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, when he plans to publish the consultation on the technical specification of the Future Homes Standard on the use of hydrogen-ready boilers for new homes. (190088)
- 20N **Bill Esterson** (Sefton Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of mandatory energy efficiency standards for the owner-occupied homes. (190089)
- 21N **Bill Esterson** (Sefton Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what assessment he has made of the effectiveness of delivery of the Local Authority Flexibility aspect of the ECO4 scheme. (190090)
- 22N **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what assessment his Department has made of the potential impact of changes in the levels of mortgage interest rates on (a) leaseholders and (b) people in shared ownership accommodation; and if he will make a statement. (190123)
- 23N **Dame Nia Griffith** (Llanelli): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether he has had recent discussions with the Minister for the Cabinet Office on undertaking a review of voter ID. [Transferred] (905537)
- 24N **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether he has had recent discussions with the Minister for the Cabinet Office on undertaking a review of voter ID. [Transferred] (905544)

- 25N **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential occupational health impacts of the proposed increases in housing for asylum seekers in Shrewsbury. (190047)
- 26N **Navendu Mishra** (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether his Department plans to encourage (a) businesses and (b) organisations in Greater Manchester to sign up to the Greater Manchester Good Employment Charter. (190233)
- 27N **David Morris** (Morecambe and Lunesdale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of extending the exemption in the Renters Reform Bill to allow fixed term tenancies for purpose built student accommodation to include all student accommodation. (190095)
- 28N **Sir Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, with reference to page 128 of the Levelling Up White Paper, published on 2 February 2022, CP 604, what progress he has made on streamlining grants to local authorities; and if he will make a statement. (190023)
- 29N **Jon Trickett** (Hemsworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what meetings he had with the National Residential Landlords Association in (a) 2022 and (b) 2023. (190028)
- 30N **Navendu Mishra** (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if his Department will make an assessment of the potential merits of re-introducing the Stockport station to Manchester Airport station railway service. (190240)
- 31N **Jonathan Ashworth** (Leicester South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how much his Department spent on Youth Hubs in each financial year since they were launched; and how much his Department is forecast to spend on Youth Hubs in (a) 2023-24, (b) 2024-25, (c) 2025-26, (d) 2026-27 and (e) 2027-28. (190112)
- 32N **Jonathan Ashworth** (Leicester South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if he will publish a list of Youth Hub locations in Great Britain as of 19 June 2023. (190113)
- 33N **Jonathan Ashworth** (Leicester South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many Youth Hub work coaches are employed by his Department as of 19 June 2023; and how many were employed on the same date in (a) 2022 and (b) 2021. (190114)
- 34N **Jonathan Ashworth** (Leicester South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many jobseekers (a) were referred to and (b) engaged with Youth Hub services (i) in 2021-22, (ii) in 2022-23 and (iii) between 1 April 2023 and 19 June 2023. (190115)

- 35N **Jonathan Ashworth** (Leicester South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what comparative assessment he has made of the effectiveness of (a) Youth Hub and (b) Jobcentre support in helping young jobseekers into employment. (190117)
- 36N **Olivia Blake** (Sheffield, Hallam): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many and what proportion of Personal Independence Payment assessments were carried out (a) face-to-face, (b) remotely and (c) on paper in each month since 1 September 2022. (190229)
- 37N **Olivia Blake** (Sheffield, Hallam): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what the average length of the suspension period was for benefit claimants who had their benefits suspended and then reinstated by the Risk Review team. (190230)
- 38N **Hywel Williams** (Arfon): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of a review of the under-occupancy penalty. (190042)
- 39N **Hywel Williams** (Arfon): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment he has made of the impact of the removal of the spare bedroom subsidy on levels of spending on (a) housing benefit (b) discretionary housing payments in Wales in each year since April 2013. (190071)
- 40N **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 19 June 2023 to Question 187396 on Department of Health and Social Care: Empty Property, if he will provide a breakdown of each property's (a) original use or purpose, (b) location and (c) reason for vacancy. (190227)
- 41N **Chris Green** (Bolton West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many participants were recruited to industry-sponsored clinical trials in each of the National Institute for Health and Care Research's Local Clinical Research Networks in 2022-23. (190128)
- 42N **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the impact on the local health economy of the housing of an increased number of asylum seekers in Shrewsbury. (190049)
- 43N **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, for what reason his Department has removed health impairment as a head of impairment in fitness to practice proceedings before professional regulatory tribunals. (190050)
- 44N **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 on integration between health and social care of increasing funding for the Better Care Fund. (190122)

- 45N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the impact on the quality of social care of the introduction of Integrated care boards. (190124)
- 46N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to (a) release funding for winter planning and (b) set out priorities for winter pressures for the NHS in 2023-24. (190125)
- 47N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to improve management of delayed discharges. (190126)
- 48N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment has he made of the impact of the cost of living on people in receipt of Personal Allowances to purchase care. (190127)
- 49N **Mr Rob Roberts** (Delyn): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many nightingale hospitals were constructed during the covid-19 pandemic; and what the total cost was of those facilities. (190177)
- 50N **Fabian Hamilton** (Leeds North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to support Peru following the recent outbreak of dengue fever. (190036)
- 51N **Fabian Hamilton** (Leeds North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what discussions he has had with his Guatemalan counterpart on (a) the sentencing of José Rubén Zamora, the founder of El Periódico newspaper, and (b) media freedoms in that country. (190038)
- 52N **Fabian Hamilton** (Leeds North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether his Department (a) has provided and (b) plans to provide support to the Ministry for Indigenous Peoples in Brazil on preventing (i) the harassment of and (ii) violence against indigenous people in that country. (190039)
- 53N **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what discussions his Department has had with US counterparts on the transfer of the British Indian Ocean Territory to Mauritius. (190051)
- 54N **Ms Anum Qaisar** (Airdrie and Shotts): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of adherence by the Russian Federation to its legal responsibilities towards the populations of the occupied Ukrainian territories. (190241)
- 55N **Catherine West** (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the effectiveness of UK funding for research on treating and preventing (a) dengue, (b) chikungunya and (c) other arboviral diseases in the last five years; and what future plans he has to support dengue research and innovation. (190197)

- 56N **Nadia Whittome** (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the treatment of LGBT+ people in Afghanistan by (a) the Taliban Government, (b) religious authorities and (c) Afghan society since August 2021. (190194)
- 57N **Crispin Blunt** (Reigate): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to the requirement for drug testing charities to obtain licenses from her Department for back of house drug testing in the presence of police officers, for what reason (a) her Department's policy has changed and (b) charities were not given advance notice; if she will consider (i) waving the fee for applications for such licences and (ii) expediting those applications; and (if she will commission the Advisory Council on the Misuse of Drugs to review this area of policy and make recommendations. [R] (190013)
- 58N **Neil Coyle** (Bermondsey and Old Southwark): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many people the police have detained under section 1365 of the Mental Health Act 1983 in each of the last 24 months. (190082)
- 59N **Neil Coyle** (Bermondsey and Old Southwark): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many hours on average police officers spend in Accident and Emergency each month waiting for sectioned people to receive treatment. (190083)
- 60N **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment her Department has made of the adequacy of arrangements for the housing of an increased number of asylum seekers in Shrewsbury. (190046)
- 61N **Layla Moran** (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many leave-to-remain applications cannot be progressed because of a technical issue. (190186)
- 62N **Liz Saville Roberts** (Dwyfor Meirionnydd): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many stop and searches per 1,000 people by ethnicity were recorded in Wales in 2021-22. (190195)
- 63N **Liz Saville Roberts** (Dwyfor Meirionnydd): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many stop and searches per 1,000 people by ethnicity were recorded in England in 2021-22. (190196)
- 64N **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what plans he has for C130J Hercules following its retirement. (190037)
- 65N **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the cost was of the 2018 to 2023 refit of HMS Iron Duke. (190070)
- 66N **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, in which countries are UK personnel are deployed with NATO; on which (a) NATO and (b) domestic bases are they stationed; and at what levels. (190199)

- 67N **Anneliese Dodds** (Oxford East): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, with reference to the report 'Celebrating Marriage: A New Weddings Law' published by the Law Commission' on 18 July 2022, HC 557, what steps the Government is taking to implement the changes proposed to (a) the conduct of legally binding weddings by (i) non-religious belief organisations and (ii) independent celebrants, (b) the locations in which people can get married and (c) other aspects of weddings law; and if he will make a statement. (190198)
- 68N **Liz Saville Roberts** (Dwyfor Meirionnydd): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what estimate his Department has made of the number of mortgage defaults in Wales in each of the next twelve months. (190153)
- 69N **Liz Saville Roberts** (Dwyfor Meirionnydd): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will make an assessment of the effect on pensioners of changes in the costs of the average mortgage. (190154)
- 70N **Liz Saville Roberts** (Dwyfor Meirionnydd): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps he has taken to support pensioners with changes in their mortgage costs as a result of (a) the cost-of-living crisis and (b) rises in interest rates. (190155)
- 71N **Sir Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether he has plans to ensure every public sector employee receives at least the Living Wage. (190015)
- 72N **Sir Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether he has plans to ensure that outsourced staff in the public sector receive (a) at least the Living Wage and (b) certainty over hours of work. (190016)

Questions for Answer on Monday 26 June

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Darren Jones** (Bristol North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, when her Department plans to publish the first biennial free trade agreement monitoring report. (190202)
- 2N **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, when her Department plans to announce whether UTC Portsmouth's bid to expand into Southampton has been successful. (190245)
- 3N **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps she is taking to tackle the illegal trade in wildlife. (190188)

- 4N **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent assessment she has made of the effectiveness of her policies in tackling the illegal wildlife trade. (190218)
- 5N **Rosie Duffield** (Canterbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps her Department is taking to protect the welfare of beagles bred for sale to animal testing facilities. (190193)
- 6N **Saqib Bhatti** (Meriden): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether the National Institute for Health and Care Excellence is taking steps to approve Enhertu for use in the treatment of cancers other than breast cancer. (190164)
- 7N **Darren Jones** (Bristol North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what treatment options are available through the NHS to support individuals who have had (a) injuries, (b) side effects and (c) other symptoms separate to long Covid following their covid-19 vaccinations. (190223)
- 8N **Darren Jones** (Bristol North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much funding his Department has allocated to understanding the (a) causes of, (b) symptoms of and potential treatment for people's (i) injuries and (ii) other symptoms following the administration of their covid-19 vaccinations. (190224)
- 9N **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of an urgent uplift in funding for pharmacies. (190152)
- 10N **Lloyd Russell-Moyle** (Brighton, Kemptown): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will provide an assessment of progress against each of the individual UNAIDS targets (a) by age, (b) by ethnicity and (c) for (i) gay, bisexual and other men who have sex with men, (ii) heterosexual women, (iii) heterosexual men, (iv) people who acquired HIV through injecting drug use, (v) people who acquired HIV through vertical transmission. (190205)
- 11N **Lloyd Russell-Moyle** (Brighton, Kemptown): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he expects the Retention and Engagement in Care Task-and-Finish Group to report; and (b) who the members of that Group are. (190206)
- 12N **Dame Margaret Hodge** (Barking): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps his Department has taken to sanction (a) Telegram and (b) Pavel Durov. (190014)
- 13N **Dame Margaret Hodge** (Barking): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he has had discussions with (a) Google and (b) Apple on the ability of users to download from their app stores (i) Telegram and (ii) other apps which could be used to promote (A) Russian propaganda and (B) posts by people who have been sanctioned. (190017)

- 14N **Dame Margaret Hodge** (Barking): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether his Department is taking to prevent the promotion of (a) violence and (b) extremism on (i) Telegram and (ii) other online platforms. (190018)
- 15N **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to facilitate the release of Vladimir Kara-Murza. (190151)
- 16N **Tony Lloyd** (Rochdale): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what discussions he has had with the Colombian government on the reforms to the National Police proposed by the Colombian President, and what steps he has taken to raise the concerns of human rights organisations over these reforms. (190040)
- 17N **Tony Lloyd** (Rochdale): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps his Department is taking in its role as penholder for the Colombian peace process in the UN Security Council to maintain the international community's support for implementation of that country's peace accords. (190041)
- 18N **Sir Chris Bryant** (Rhondda): To ask the Prime Minister, if he will respond to my letter dated 18 April 2023. (190062)
- 19N **David Mundell** (Dumfriesshire, Clydesdale and Tweeddale): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether the Office of Financial Sanctions Implementation prioritises urgent licence applications from start-up businesses that are unable to secure further funding without an approved application. (190045)

Questions for Answer on Thursday 29 June

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Saqib Bhatti** (Meriden): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what recent discussions his Department has had with energy providers on steps being taken increase flexibility for small businesses to cancel energy contracts. (190215)
- 2N **Saqib Bhatti** (Meriden): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what assessment he has made of the potential implications for his Department's policies of the adequacy of levels of flexibility in the ways businesses can change energy contracts between providers in (a) Meriden constituency and (b) England; and what recent discussions he has had with energy providers on steps being taken to increase that flexibility. (190216)

- 3N **Saqib Bhatti** (Meriden): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what recent steps he has taken to support the long-term energy needs of hospitality businesses in Meriden constituency. (190217)