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Questions tabled on Friday 13 October 2023

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Questions for Answer on Tuesday 17 October

Questions for Written Answer

- Patricia Gibson (North Ayrshire and Arran): To ask the Attorney General, what proportion of civil servants graded as senior civil servant 2 on full-time equivalent contracts in the Crown Prosecution Service are women. (201579)
- 2 **Patricia Gibson** (North Ayrshire and Arran): To ask the Attorney General, what proportion of civil servants on temporary contracts in the Crown Prosecution Service are women. (201580)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Attorney General, how much their Department spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-2023 financial year. (201108)
- 4 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Attorney General, how much the Crown Prosecution Service spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201128)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Attorney General, how much the Government Legal Department spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201129)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Attorney General, how much the Serious Fraud
 Office spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201130)
- 7 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Attorney General, how much HM Crown Prosecution Service Inspectorate spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201131)

- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Attorney General, when she plans to respond to Question 195131 on Attorney General: Remote Working, tabled by the hon Member for Solihull on 19 July 2003.
 (201761)
- 9 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Attorney General, whether the Crown Protection Service is continuing to consider new cases involving potential breaches of the Coronavirus Act 2020. (201766)
- 10 Mark Logan (Bolton North East): To ask the Attorney General, what recent steps she has taken to support the prosecution of alleged war crimes in Ukraine. (201303)
- 11 Mark Logan (Bolton North East): To ask the Attorney General, what steps she is taking to ensure that the Crown Prosecution Service is adequately resourced to prosecute hate crime against members of religious minority communities (a) on social media and (b) in community settings. (201490)
- 12 **Kirsty Blackman** (Aberdeen North): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what proportion of civil servants on full-time equivalent contracts at senior civil servant pay band 2 are women. (201601)
- 13 **Kirsty Blackman** (Aberdeen North): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what proportion of civil servants on temporary contracts in the Cabinet Office are women. (201602)
- 14 **Dr Luke Evans** (Bosworth): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what discussions he (a) has had and (b) plans to have with Cabinet colleagues on (i) accessible and (ii) affordable offline access to nationally-provided public services.

 (201176)
- Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether the Disability Unit took steps with organisations representing disabled people to develop the Ask, Don't Assume campaign. (201249)
- 16 Christine Jardine (Edinburgh West): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, on how many occasions has the media briefing room at 9 Downing Street been used for (a) media briefings and (b) press conferences since its completion in 2021. (201687)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how much (a) his Department and (b) the Prime Minister's Office spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-2023 financial year. (201109)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how much the UK Statistics Authority spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201133)
- 19 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how much the Crown Commercial Service spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year.
 (201134)

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- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how much the Government Property Agency spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201135)
- 21 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how much the Civil Service Commission spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201136)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how much the Equality and Human Rights Commission spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201138)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how much the Advisory Committee on Business Appointments spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201139)
- 24 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how much the Committee on Standards in Public Life spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201140)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how much the House of Lords Appointment Commission spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201141)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how much United Kingdom Security Vetting spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201142)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how much the Senior Salaries Review Body spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201143)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how much the Social Mobility Commission spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201144)
- 29 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how much the Commissioner for Public Appointments spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201145)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how much the Evaluation Task Force spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201147)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how much Government Estates Management spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201149)

- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how much the Incubator for Automation and Innovation team spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201150)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how much the Independent Adviser on Ministers Interests spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201151)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how much the Infrastructure and Projects Authority spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201152)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how much the Office of the Registrar of Consultant Lobbyists spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201153)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how much the Privy Council Office spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201154)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how much the UK Commission on Covid Commemoration spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201155)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how much the civil service spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year.
 (201156)
- 39 **Taiwo Owatemi** (Coventry North West): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, with reference to the second interim report of the Infected Blood Inquiry, published on 5 April 2023, what steps he is taking to respond to recommendation (k).
- 40 **Lloyd Russell-Moyle** (Brighton, Kemptown): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of the outcome of the United Nations General Assembly assessment of progress towards the achievement of the Sustainable Development Goals. (200919)
- Jim Shannon (Strangford): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether his Department has taken recent steps to (a) increase efficiency in Government Departments and (b) reduce the number of civil servants. (200607)
- 42 **Mr Ben Bradshaw** (Exeter): To ask the Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, with reference to the Answer of 19 September 2023 to Question 198286 and to recommendation 5 in Appendix 1 of Sir Robert Chote's review, whether the dioceses' annual returns on Lowest Income Communities Funding funding for 2022 will be published. (200860)

- Jack Brereton (Stoke-on-Trent South): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what recent assessment her Department has made of the (a) adequacy of the UK's vaccine vial production capability, (b) reliance of the UK on the import of medical grade vials and (c) security of UK supply chains in the event of a future pandemic.
- Ian Byrne (Liverpool, West Derby): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what discussions her Department has had with trade unions on the (a) views and (b) experiences of postal workers following the reduction of opening hours at Royal Mail customer service points. (201583)
- 45 Ian Byrne (Liverpool, West Derby): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, if her Department will publish quarterly updates on implementation and operation of the Neonatal Care (Leave and Pay) Act 2023. (202011)
- 46 Ian Byrne (Liverpool, West Derby): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, if she will make it her policy to provide transitional support to people for the provision of neonatal care leave and statutory neonatal care pay between 24 May 2023 and the expected date of implementation of the Neonatal Care (Leave and Pay) Act 2023 in April 2025.
- 47 Ian Byrne (Liverpool, West Derby): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, if she will bring forward legislative proposals to introduce a statutory right to paid leave for people undergoing fertility treatment. (202054)
- 48 Ian Byrne (Liverpool, West Derby): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, if she will bring forward legislative proposals requiring companies to have a policy within its HR processes on supporting those undergoing fertility treatment.

 (202055)
- 49 Ian Byrne (Liverpool, West Derby): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what recent assessment she has made of the adequacy of guidance to employers on support in the workplace for those undergoing fertility treatment.

 (202056)
- 50 **Peter Dowd** (Bootle): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what steps she is taking to help (a) small businesses and (b) individuals access (i) Community Development Finance Institutions and (ii) other alternative lending sources. (200711)
- 51 **Bill Esterson** (Sefton Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, when she plans to respond to the email of 12 May 2023 from the Hon. member for Sefton Central, Case reference BE 1233, on fake reviews of businesses. (201228)
- Mrs Sharon Hodgson (Washington and Sunderland West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, pursuant to the Answer of 19 September 2023 to Question 199561 on World Economic Forum, how much and what proportion of the £6255.20 was spent on (a) flights, (b) accommodation and (c) hospitality. (201350)

- Afzal Khan (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how many international trade advisors are employed by her Department; and in which regions of the UK they are located. (201326)
- 54 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how much their Department spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-2023 financial year. (201110)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how much the Competitions and Market Authority spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201157)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how much Companies House spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201158)
- 57 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how much the Insolvency Service spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201159)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how much the Advisory, Conciliation and Arbitration Service spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201161)
- 59 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how much the British Hallmarking Council spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201182)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how much the Competition Service spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year.
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how much the Small Business Commissioner spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201185)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how much the Trade Remedies Authority spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201187)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how much the Low Pay Commission spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201188)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how much the Regulatory Policy Committee spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201189)

- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how much the Central Arbitration Committee spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201190)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how much the Post Office spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201192)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how much the British Business Bank spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201193)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how much the Certification Officer spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201194)
- 69 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how much the Groceries Code Adjudicator spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201195)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how much the Office of the Regulator of Community Interest Companies spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201196)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how much the Pubs Code Adjudicator spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201197)
- 72 Mark Logan (Bolton North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what recent progress her Department has made on connecting innovation ecosystems under the Japan-UK Strategic Economic Policy and Trade Dialogue; and if she will make a statement. (201470)
- 73 Caroline Lucas (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of regulating the use of loyalty cards by supermarkets. (201284)
- 74 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether she is taking steps with Cabinet colleagues to help increase uptake of local authority net zero schemes by small businesses in Portsmouth South constituency. (201314)
- 75 **Mark Pritchard** (The Wrekin): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, if she will launch a consumer review of the car insurance market for the purposes of understanding the (a) adequacy of levels of competition and (b) comparative pricing structures between companies. (201590)
- 76 **Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Streatham): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether she is taking steps to encourage UK-listed companies to pay the real living wage set by the Living Wage Foundation. (200827)

- 77 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether her Department has made an assessment of the decline in the number of local pubs on communities. (201900)
- 78 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, if she will make an assessment of the economic impact of the Australia–United Kingdom free trade agreement from 31 May 2023. (202075)
- 79 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, if she will make an assessment of the economic impact of the UK-New Zealand free trade agreement from 31 May 2023. (202076)
- 80 **Lloyd Russell-Moyle** (Brighton, Kemptown): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what steps she is taking to ensure that legislation protecting plumbers, builders and carpenters affected by delayed payments from customers is adequate. (201043)
- 81 **Richard Thomson** (Gordon): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what proportion of officials in her Department who are (a) graded as senior civil servant 2 and (b) on full-time equivalent contracts are women. (201813)
- 82 **Richard Thomson** (Gordon): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what proportion of officials in her Department on temporary contracts are women. (201814)
- Justin Tomlinson (North Swindon): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether she has made an estimate of the number of people employed in the UK hospitality industry in each of the last five years. (201362)
- Justin Tomlinson (North Swindon): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether she has made an estimate of the number of people employed in the UK retail industry in each of the last five years. (201363)
- 85 **Ben Bradley** (Mansfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, whether her Department plans to provide support to local press organisations affected by proposed reductions in BBC funding for local news and radio. (202268)
- Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, whether officials in her Department have received representations from (a) the UK Cinema Association and (b) cinemas acting independently of the association on the potential impact of a rise in performing rights fees as proposed by PRS for Music. (200817)
- 87 **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what plans her Department has to improve the protection of listed buildings. (201472)

- 88 **Dr Neil Hudson** (Penrith and The Border): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what steps her Department is taking to support sports clubs in rural areas. (200848)
- 89 **Simon Jupp** (East Devon): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what financial support is available to cricket clubs in England. (200887)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much their Department spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-2023 financial year. (201111)
- 91 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much the Charity Commission spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201198)
- 92 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much the National Archives spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201199)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much Arts Council England spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201200)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much the British Film Institute spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201201)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much the British Library spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201202)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much the British Museum spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201203)
- 97 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much the Gambling Commission spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201204)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much Historic England spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201205)
- 99 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much the Horniman Public Museum and Public Park Trust spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201206)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much the Imperial War Museum spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201207)

- 101 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, if she will commission research on the potential impact of media reporting on suspects under criminal investigation who have not been charged on the (a) mental health and (b) wellbeing of such individuals. (201403)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much the National Gallery spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201404)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much the National Heritage Memorial Fund spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201405)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much the National Lottery Community Fund spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201406)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much National Museums Liverpool spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201407)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much the National Portrait Gallery spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201408)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much the Natural History Museum spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201409)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much the Royal Armouries Museum spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201410)
- 109 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much the Royal Museums Greenwich spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201411)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much the Science Museum Group spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201412)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much the Sir John Soane's Museum spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201413)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much Sport England spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201414)

- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much the Sports Grounds Safety Authority spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201415)
- 114 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much Tate spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201416)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much UK Anti-Doping spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201417)
- 116 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much UK Sport spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201418)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much the Victoria and Albert Museum spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201419)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much VisitBritain spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201420)
- 119 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much VisitEngland spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201421)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much the Wallace Collection spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201422)
- 121 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much the Advisory Council on National Records and Archives spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201423)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much the Reviewing Committee on the Export of Works of Art and Objects of Cultural Interest spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year.
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much the Theatres Trust spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year.
- 124 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much the Treasure Valuation Committee spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201426)

125 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, whether her Department has had recent discussions with the BBC Board on their level of spending on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year.

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- 126 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, whether her Department has had recent discussions with the Channel 4 Board on their level of spending on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201428)
- 127 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much Historic Royal Palaces spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201429)
- 128 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much the Royal Parks spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201430)
- 129 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much the Churches Conservation Trust spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201431)
- 130 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much the National Citizen Service spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201432)
- 131 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, whether her Department has had recent discussions with the S4C Board on their level of spending on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201433)
- 132 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what steps she is taking to identify (a) stolen and (b) confiscated (i) treasures, (ii) art and (iii) other cultural assets that were lost during the Second World War. (201453)
- 133 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, whether she has made an assessment of the impact of the Manchester City Visitor Charge on tourism in the North West of England. (201762)
- 134 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what data his Department holds on the number of enforcement property visits that were carried out by the Television Licensing Authority in each year between 2015 and 2022. (201776)
- 135 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, whether she has had recent discussions with the Chair of the BBC on the appropriate description of Hamas in its news coverage. (202136)

- 136 Mark Logan (Bolton North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what steps her Department is taking to help prevent protestors from disrupting sporting events. (201500)
- John McNally (Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, pursuant to the Answer of 11 September 2023 to Question 196336 on Sports: Scotland and the stipulation that at least 40% of projects must benefit at least one other sport in addition to football on a sustained and regular basis, whether he has made an assessment of the (a) acceptability of the majority of funding being spent on astroturf pitches and (b) in that instance, the potential impact of that funding on (i) hockey and (ii) other sports that do not use fourth generation astroturf pitches.
- 138 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, whether her Department has made a recent assessment of the adequacy of safety and security at national heritage sites. (201906)
- 139 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, with reference to her Department's Guidance for custodians on how to deal with commemorative heritage assets that have become contested, published on 5 October 2023, what steps she has taken to help ensure that explanations accompanying statues are (a) accurate and (b) free from political bias. (202511)
- 140 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, with reference to her Department's Guidance for custodians on how to deal with commemorative heritage assets that have become contested, published on 5 October 2023, whether she has had discussions with her counterparts in the devolved administration on that guidance. (202512)
- 141 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what steps her Department took to help ensure that streets were (a) safe and (b) not overcrowded during the coronation. (200598)
- 142 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, whether she has made an assessment of the potential impact of AI social media usage on people under the age of 18. (200599)
- 143 **Sir Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what percentage of the National Heritage Lottery Fund's grants were awarded to local churches, chapels and meeting houses open for worship, excluding cathedrals, in financial years (a) 2017-18, (b) 2018-19, (c) 2019-20, (d) 2020-21, (e) 2021-22 and (f) 2022-23.
- 144 **Justin Tomlinson** (North Swindon): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much funding her Department has provided to Sport England in each of the last three financial years. (201253)

- 145 **Justin Tomlinson** (North Swindon): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much funding her Department has provided to the Football Foundation in each of the last three financial years. (201254)
- 146 **Justin Tomlinson** (North Swindon): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how many times Sport England has used statutory powers to restrict community access to sports (a) pitches and (b) other facilities in the latest period for which data is available. (201255)
- 147 **Justin Tomlinson** (North Swindon): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what progress she has made on (a) increasing the provision of and (b) improving sports pitches in the last five years. (201736)
- 148 **Nadia Whittome** (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, whether her Department has made an assessment of the implications for its policies of the financial sustainability of the regional press industry. (200931)
- 149 Nadia Whittome (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture,
 Media and Sport, whether her Department has taken recent steps to help support
 the financial sustainability of the regional press industry. (200932)
- 150 Fleur Anderson (Putney): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what information her Department holds on the number of school visits to EU countries that took place in (a) 2019 and (b) 2023. (201096)
- 151 Fleur Anderson (Putney): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether she is taking steps to help increase the number of visits by UK schools to EU countries.

 (201239)
- 152 Elliot Colburn (Carshalton and Wallington): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment she has made of the adequacy of school aged childcare provision in England for Special Educational Needs children. (202007)
- 153 **Elliot Colburn** (Carshalton and Wallington): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what support her Department (a) provides and (b) plans to provide for people who wish to train in childcare for children with special educational needs over the age of 5. (202008)
- 154 Elliot Colburn (Carshalton and Wallington): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what estimate her Department has made of the level of demand for staff who are qualified to provide childcare for children over the age of 5 with special educational needs. (202009)
- 155 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 22 June 2023 to Question 189672 on Special Educational Needs, when he plans to decide whether to issue additional guidance on school admission for summer born children with an Education, Health and Care Plan. (202520)

- 156 Marsha De Cordova (Battersea): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if she will make an assessment of the implications for her policies of the findings of the research paper entitled Serving their communities? The under-admission of children with disabilities and 'special educational needs' to 'faith' primary schools in England, published in the Oxford Review of Education on 2 October 2023. (201641)
- 157 **Rosie Duffield** (Canterbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether it is her Department's policy that care leavers under the age of 21 who present as homeless should have their accommodation funded by the local authority responsible for social care. (202498)
- 158 Mary Kelly Foy (City of Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether the presence of reinforced autoclaved aerated concrete at St Leonard's Catholic School has been raised at Gold Command meetings; and what steps have been taken in relation to the school on that matter. (201059)
- 159 Mary Kelly Foy (City of Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to her Department's statutory guidance for local authorities on Travel to school for children of compulsory school age, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of amending the eligibility criteria for a child over eight years old to access free travel to their nearest suitable school from 3 to 1.5 miles from their home.
- 160 Mary Kelly Foy (City of Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to her Department's statutory guidance for local authorities on Travel to school for children of compulsory school age, what criteria her Department uses to determine whether a walking route is safe for the purposes of access to free school travel.
- 161 Mary Kelly Foy (City of Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether her Department plans to provide additional funding for children in receipt of free school meals at St Leonard's School in County Durham. (201095)
- Mary Kelly Foy (City of Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many (a) primary and (b) secondary school students receive free school meals in (i)

 City of Durham constituency (ii) County Durham and (iii) the North East. (201102)
- Jonathan Gullis (Stoke-on-Trent North): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether her Department holds a record of the number of people in (a) primary and (b) secondary schools that have been trained to administer CPR. (200710)
- 164 Matt Hancock (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many pupils in state schools have a specific learning difficulty according to the latest data available. (201985)
- Matt Hancock (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether her Department is taking steps to increase the reach of the Nuffield Early Language Intervention programme for the purposes of supporting covid-19 education recovery. (201986)

- 166 Matt Hancock (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment she has made of the effectiveness of the Nuffield Early Language Intervention programme. (201987)
- 167 Matt Hancock (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many schools have signed up to the Nuffield Early Language Intervention programme as of 13 October 2023. (201988)
- 168 Matt Hancock (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps the Government is taking to promote the uptake of the Nuffield Early Language Intervention programme by state primary schools. (201989)
- 169 Matt Hancock (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether the Government is taking steps to ensure that (a) teachers and (b) other education professionals receive training in the early identification of neurodivergent conditions in children. (201990)
- 170 **Matt Hancock** (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what recent progress her Department has made on promoting early screening and assessment for neurodivergent conditions. (201991)
- 171 Matt Hancock (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps the Government is taking to work with (a) health professionals, (b) local authorities, (c) charities and (d) private sector businesses to ensure that children with neurodivergent conditions are (i) identified and (ii) supported as early as possible in their educational journey. (201992)
- 172 Matt Hancock (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what data her Department holds on the average age at which neurodivergent conditions are identified among children. (201993)
- 173 Matt Hancock (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether she has made an assessment of the potential merits of implementing a universal screener to identify children with neurodivergent conditions in state primary schools.

 (201994)
- 174 Matt Hancock (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether she has identified international best practices for replication in England for the purposes of (a) increasing rates of early identification of and (b) strengthening support provided to children with a neurodivergent condition in schools. (201995)
- Helen Hayes (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether her Department is taking steps to protect the mental health of children forced to learn remotely while their schools undergo building works to remove reinforced autoclaved aerated concrete. (200944)
- 176 Helen Hayes (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what estimate she has made of the date when all reinforced autoclaved aerated concrete will have been removed from special schools in England. (200945)

- 177 **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps she is taking to support children with special educational needs and disabilities in schools that have reinforced autoclaved aerated concrete.

 (200946)
- 178 Helen Hayes (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 7 September 2023 to Question 196433 on Special Educational Needs, if she will announce a timescale for when her Department expects to review the transparency of Special Educational Needs and Disabilities Information Reports. (201458)
- 179 **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what estimate she has made of how many registered childminders worked for a childminding agency in each of the last five years. (202517)
- 180 Helen Hayes (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment she has made of the potential implications of the (a) closure of Rutland Early Years Agency and (b) decision by Koru Kids to suspend its childminding support service for her Department's proposed expansion of free hours.
- 181 Sir John Hayes (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 19 September 2023 to Question 198597 on Pupils: Transgender People, what external bodies she has met in the preparation of guidance on transgender pupils in schools. (201856)
- 182 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what the average GCSE pass rate was of schools with Combined Cadet Force contingents in 2023. (200744)
- John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what the average Ofsted status was of schools with Combined Cadet Force contingents in 2023. (200745)
- 184 **Mrs Sharon Hodgson** (Washington and Sunderland West): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 14 June 2023 to Question 187978 on Free School Meals, how her Department reviews the eligibility conditions for Free School Meals to ensure that they support those that most need them. (201001)
- 185 Mrs Sharon Hodgson (Washington and Sunderland West): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to page 204 of the White Paper on Levelling up the United Kingdom, CP604, published on 2 February 2022, how much funding she plans to provide for food technology lessons in each of the next three years; what steps she is taking to support the Government's aim of all children leaving secondary school knowing at least six recipes to support healthy living; and if she will make a statement. (201256)

- **Mrs Sharon Hodgson** (Washington and Sunderland West): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of contracting (a) rehabilitation, (b) therapy and (c) other similar services for key workers.
- **Paul Howell** (Sedgefield): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether she is taking steps to ensure that pupils at schools that may have lost teaching time as a result of disruption caused by the presence of reinforced autoclaved aerated concrete are not at a disadvantage when sitting GCSE exams in summer 2024. (201177)
- **Dr Neil Hudson** (Penrith and The Border): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether her Department is taking steps to support students in rural areas to be physically active. (200849)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many pupils in Solihull constituency were entitled to the pupil premium in the last academic year. (201036)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much their Department spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-2023 financial year. (201112)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much
 Ofqual spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201434)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much
 Ofsted spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201435)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much the Education and Skills Funding Agency spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201436)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much the Standards and Testing Agency spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201437)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much the
 Teaching Regulation Agency spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022 23 financial year. (201438)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much the Construction Industry Training Board spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201439)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much the Engineering Construction Industry Training Board spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201440)

- 198 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much the Institute for Apprenticeships and Technical Education spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201441)
- 199 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much LocatED spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201442)
- 200 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much the Oak National Academy spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201443)
- 201 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much the Office for Students spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201444)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much the Office of the Children's Commissioner spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201445)
- 203 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much Social Work England spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201446)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much the Student Loans Company spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201447)
- 205 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much the School Teachers' Review Body spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year.
 (201448)
- 206 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much the Child Safeguarding Practice Review Panel spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201449)
- 207 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much the Independent Review Mechanism spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201450)
- 208 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much the Office of the Schools Adjudicator spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201451)
- 209 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps she is taking to increase security measures around Jewish schools. (202468)
- 210 Caroline Lucas (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to the letter from Susan Acland-Hood to the Chair of the Education Select Committee on National Funding Formula Update, published on 6 October 2023, what discussions she has had with (a) local authorities and (b) school leaders'

representatives on the potential impact of revision to the sums allocated under the national funding formula on schools' budget planning for the next academic year; if she will make it her policy to ensure that each school is allocated at least the same value of funding as announced in July 2023; and if she will make a statement.

- 211 Seema Malhotra (Feltham and Heston): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what meetings the Unit for Future Skills has held with external stakeholders in the last 12 months. (200721)
- 212 Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, for what reason the interest rate on student loans is set higher than the Bank of England base rate. (201294)
- 213 Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what estimate she has made of how many and what proportion of graduates in each plan will repay their (a) undergraduate and (b) post graduate loans. (202010)
- 214 **Abena Oppong-Asare** (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether her Department has made an assessment of the adequacy of the uptake in apprenticeships since 2020. (202486)
- 215 **Abena Oppong-Asare** (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether her Department has made an assessment of the adequacy of the (a) flexibility and (b) rates of pay of apprenticeship schemes. (202487)
- 216 **Abena Oppong-Asare** (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether her Department has made an assessment of the adequacy of career opportunities for young people on apprenticeship schemes. (202488)
- 217 **Abena Oppong-Asare** (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether her Department has made an assessment of the adequacy of the accessibility of the apprenticeship levy for (a) construction and (b) trade businesses.
- 218 Sarah Owen (Luton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether her Department is taking steps to assess the safety of (a) university and (b) other higher education buildings. (201236)
- 219 **Stephanie Peacock** (Barnsley East): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what recent estimate her Department has made of the number of school buildings impacted by reinforced autoclaved aerated concrete (RAAC) in each region of England. (200719)
- 220 **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what additional capital funding Queen Elizabeth High School, in the Northumberland local authority area of Hexham constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school which were rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200612)

- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what additional capital funding Skelton Primary School, in the Redcar and Cleveland local authority area of Middlesbrough South and East Cleveland constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school which were rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200613)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what additional capital funding St Paul's Catholic Primary School, a voluntary academy in the Cheshire East local authority area of Macclesfield constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of the school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey.
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what additional capital funding Styal Primary School, in the Cheshire East local authority area of Tatton constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school which were rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200615)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what additional capital funding Wilmslow High School, in the Cheshire East local authority area of Tatton constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school which were rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200616)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what additional capital funding UTC Warrington, in the Warrington local authority area of Warrington South constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that college which were rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200617)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Queen Elizabeth School, in the Cumbria local authority area of Westmorland and Lonsdale constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey.

 (200618)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Castle Park School, in the Cumbria local authority area of Westmorland and Lonsdale constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200619)

- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Seaton Academy, in the Cumbria local authority area of Workington constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200620)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Colne Valley High School, in the Kirklees local authority area of Colne Valley constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200621)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Woodlands Academy, in the North Yorkshire local authority area of Scarborough and Whitby constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey.

 (200622)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Southfield School for Girls, in the Northamptonshire local authority area of Kettering constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of the school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200623)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Redhill Primary School, in the Derbyshire local authority area of Mid Derbyshire constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200624)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Allestree Woodlands School, in the Derby local authority area of Mid Derbyshire constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200625)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Portway Junior School, in the Derby local authority area of Mid Derbyshire constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200626)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Blackfordby St Margaret's Church of England Primary School, in the Leicestershire local authority area of North West Leicestershire constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200627)

- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Kingsthorpe College, in the Northamptonshire local authority area of Northampton North constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that college rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey.

 (200628)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Catmose Primary, in the Rutland local authority area of Rutland and Melton constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200629)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Gilmorton Chandler Church of England Primary School, in the Leicestershire local authority area of South Leicestershire constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey.
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding St Columba's Catholic Primary School, in the Birmingham local authority area of Birmingham, Northfield constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey.
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what additional capital funding Our Lady and St Werburgh's Catholic Primary School in the Staffordshire local authority area of Newcastle-under-Lyme constituency has received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school which were rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200632)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what additional capital funding Wigmore School in the Herefordshire local authority area of North Herefordshire constituency has received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school which were rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200633)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what additional capital funding Ashperton Primary Academy in the Herefordshire local authority area of North Herefordshire constituency has received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school which were rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey.

- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what additional capital funding Burghill Community Academy in the Herefordshire local authority area of North Herefordshire constituency has received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school which were rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey.
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what additional capital funding Rugby High School in the Warwickshire local authority area of Rugby constituency has received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school which were rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200636)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what additional capital funding Lawrence Sheriff School in the Warwickshire local authority area of Rugby constituency has received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school which were rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200637)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what additional capital funding Cherry Trees School in the Staffordshire local authority area of South Staffordshire constituency has received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school which were rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey.

 (200638)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what additional capital funding The Valley Primary School in the Staffordshire local authority area of Staffordshire Moorlands constituency has received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school which were rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey.
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what additional capital funding Leek High School in the Staffordshire local authority area of Staffordshire Moorlands constituency has received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school which were rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey.
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what additional capital funding Milton Primary Academy in the Stoke-on-Trent local authority area of Stoke-on-Trent Central constituency has received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school which were rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey.

- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what additional capital funding Old Swinford Hospital School in the Dudley local authority area of Stourbridge constituency has received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school which were rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200642)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what additional capital funding Pershore High School in the Worcestershire local authority area of West Worcestershire constituency has received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school which were rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200643)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what additional capital funding Lickhill Primary School in the Worcestershire local authority area of Wyre Forest constituency has received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school which were rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200644)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what additional capital funding Roselands Primary School in the Hertfordshire local authority area of Broxbourne constituency has received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school which were rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200645)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what additional capital funding St George's School in the Hertfordshire local authority area of Hitchin and Harpenden constituency has received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school which were rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey.
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what additional capital funding Ramsden Hall Academy in the Essex local authority area of Maldon constituency has received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school which were rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200647)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what additional capital funding Sundon Lower School in the Central Bedfordshire local authority area of Mid Bedfordshire constituency has received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school which were rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey.
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what additional capital funding Henlow Church of England Academy in the Central Bedfordshire local authority area of North East

- Bedfordshire constituency has received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school which were rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200649)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what additional capital funding All Saints Interchurch Academy in the Cambridgeshire local authority area of North East Cambridgeshire constituency has received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school which were rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey.
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what additional capital funding John Clare Primary School in the Peterborough local authority area of North West Cambridgeshire constituency has received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school which were rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200651)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Orton Wistow Primary School, in the Peterborough local authority area of North West Cambridgeshire constituency has received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200652)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding The Shade Primary School, in the Cambridgeshire local authority area of South East Cambridgeshire constituency has received fro n;j/k'm the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200653)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Long Melford Church of England Primary School, in the Suffolk local authority area of South Suffolk constituency, has received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey.
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Lancaster School, in the Southend-on-Sea local authority area of Southend West constituency, has received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200655)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Eyke Church of England Primary School, in the Suffolk local authority area of Suffolk Coastal constituency,

has received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey.

(200656)

- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Aldeburgh Primary School, in the Suffolk local authority area of Suffolk Coastal constituency, has received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200657)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Dilkes Academy, in the Thurrock local authority area of Thurrock constituency, has received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200658)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Messing Primary School, in the Essex local authority area of Witham constituency, has received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200659)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what additional capital funding Messing Primary School, in the Essex local authority area of Witham constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school which were rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200660)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what additional capital funding Fulham Boys School, in the Hammersmith and Fulham local authority area of Chelsea and Fulham constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school which were rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200661)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what additional capital funding Chingford Foundation School, in the Waltham Forest local authority area of Chingford and Woodford Green constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school which were rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey.
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what additional capital funding Saracens High School, in the Barnet local authority area of Hendon constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school which were rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200663)

- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Biggin Hill Primary School, in the Bromley local authority area of Orpington constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200664)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Pinner High School, in the Harrow local authority area of Ruislip, Northwood and Pinner constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey.

 (200665)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Cheam High School, in the Sutton local authority area of Sutton and Cheam constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200666)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Avenue Primary Academy, in the Sutton local authority area of Sutton and Cheam constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200667)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Homewood College, in the Brighton and Hove local authority area of Brighton, Pavilion constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey.

 (200668)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Brill Church of England School, in the Buckinghamshire local authority area of Buckingham constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey.

 (200669)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Chiltern Hills Academy, in the Buckinghamshire local authority area of Chesham and Amersham constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey.

 (200670)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Thomas Harding Junior School, in the Buckinghamshire local authority area of in the Chesham

- and Amersham constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200671)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Dover Christ Church Academy, in the Kent local authority area of Dover constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200672)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Barton Junior School, in the Kent local authority area of Dover constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200673)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Amery Hill School, in the Hampshire local authority area of East Hampshire constituency (, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200674)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Europa School UK, in the Oxfordshire local authority area of Henley constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200675)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Northwood Primary School, in the Isle of Wight local authority area of Isle of Wight constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200676)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Cuckmere House School, in the East Sussex local authority area of Lewes constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200677)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Cranbrook School, in the Kent local authority area of Maidstone and The Weald constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200678)

- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Allington Primary School, in the Kent local authority area of Maidstone and The Weald constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200679)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Jubilee Primary School, in the Kent local authority area of Maidstone and The Weald constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200680)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Fir Tree Primary School and Nursery, in the West Berkshire local authority area of Newbury constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey.

 (200681)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Rush Common School, in the Oxfordshire local authority area of Oxford West and Abingdon constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey.

 (200682)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Knole Academy, in the Kent local authority area of Sevenoaks constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200683)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Ludlow Junior School, in the Southampton local authority area of Southampton, Itchen constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200684)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Temple Grove Academy, in the Kent local authority area of Tunbridge Wells constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200685)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Dedworth Middle School, in the Windsor and Maidenhead local authority area of Windsor constituency,

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received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey.

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- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Aloeric Primary School, in the Wiltshire local authority area of Chippenham constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200687)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding SGS Pegasus School, in the South Gloucestershire local authority area of Filton and Bradley Stoke constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey.
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Severnbanks Primary School, in the Gloucestershire local authority area of Forest of Dean constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200689)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Canford Heath Junior School, in the Poole local authority area of Mid Dorset and North Poole constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey.
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Brayford Academy, in the Devon local authority area of North Devon constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200691)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Umberleigh Primary Academy, in the Devon local authority area of North Devon constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200692)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Tor Bridge High, in the Plymouth local authority area of Plymouth, Moor View constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200693)

- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding St Martin's CofE Primary School, in the Cornwall local authority area of South East Cornwall constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey.

 (200694)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Stroud High School, in the Gloucestershire local authority area of Stroud constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200695)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding The Rosary Catholic Primary School, in the Gloucestershire local authority area of Stroud constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey. (200696)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Stone with Woodford Church of England Primary School, in the Gloucestershire local authority area of Stroud constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey.
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Milton Park Primary School, in the North Somerset local authority area of Weston-super-Mare constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey.

 (200698)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Hutton Church of England Primary School, in the North Somerset local authority area of Weston-super-Mare constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey.
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much additional capital funding Walliscote Primary School, in the North Somerset local authority area of Weston-super-Mare constituency, received from the Government for the purposes of improving the condition of elements of that school rated 100% poor by the Condition Data Collection survey.

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- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether she has made an assessment of the potential impact of trends in the number of local authority section 114 notices on the (a) availability and (b) quality of provision for children with SEND in (i) affected local authority areas and (ii) more broadly. (200701)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps she had taken to implement plans for schools to have seven separate bins before the Prime Minister announced on 20 September 2023 that this policy would not go ahead. (200842)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether she made an assessment of the potential impact on school (a) finances and (b) meals of the proposed tax on meat products before the Prime Minister announced on 20 September 2023 that this proposal would not go ahead.
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, which (a) maintained nurseries, (b) other early years education settings (c) childminders, (d) other childcare providers, (e) primary schools, (f) secondary schools, (g) sixth-form colleges, (h) further education colleges and (j) universities outside the Chichester constituency she has visited since 25 October 2022; and if she will publish the (i) name, (ii) location, (iii) postcode and (iv) parliamentary constituency of each such establishment. (200844)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, which (a) maintained nurseries, (b) other early years education settings (c) childminders, (d) other childcare providers, (e) primary schools, (f) secondary schools and (g) sixth-form colleges outside the Bognor Regis and Littlehampton constituency the Minister of State for Schools has visited since 25 October 2022; and if she will publish the (i) name, (ii) location, (iii) postcode and (iv) parliamentary constituency of each such establishment. (200845)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether she made an assessment of the potential impact on university (a) finances and (b) research of the proposed new taxes on air travel before the Prime Minister announced on 20 September 2023 that this proposal would not go ahead. (200858)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what recent discussions she has had with the Chancellor of the Exchequer on (a) his Department's capital funding and (b) the adequacy of funding for (i) maintenance and (ii) other capital projects in (A) schools, (B) sixth forms, (C) further education colleges, (D) universities, (E) nurseries and (F) other settings where childcare and early years education is provided; and if she will make a statement.

- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what recent discussions she has had with the Chancellor of the Exchequer on (a) his Department's revenue budget and (b) the adequacy of revenue funding for (i) schools, (ii) sixth forms, (iii) further education colleges, (iv) universities and (v) childcare provision; and if she will make a statement. (200962)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether she has had recent discussions with (a) the Chancellor of the Exchequer and (b) the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster on managing the potential safety risks in schools as a result of (i) the presence of reinforced autoclaved aerated concrete and (ii) the condition of school buildings; and if she will make a statement. (200963)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment she has made of the adequacy of the school capital budget for (a) maintenance and (b) other work in the context of the presence of reinforced autoclaved aerated concrete in some schools; whether she has had discussions with the Chancellor of the Exchequer on this issue in the context of the Autumn Statement; and if she will make a statement. (200964)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of the use of school buildings for wraparound care pilots on (a) maintenance and (b) other school capital budget requirements for the next 10 years; whether she has had recent discussions with the Chancellor on this issue; and if she will make a statement.
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of changes to the level of free childcare entitlement announced in the Spring Budget 2023 on (a) maintenance and (b) other school capital budget requirements for the next 10 years; whether she has had recent discussions with the Chancellor on this issue; and if she will make a statement.
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether she has had discussions with His Majesty's Chief Inspector of Schools in the last 12 months on the adequacy of inspections of (a) pupil referral units and (b) alternative provision settings. (200976)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what discussions she has had with His Majesty's Chief Inspector of Schools since 25 October 2022 on how the use of alternative provision by schools is (a) inspected and (b) reported; and if she will make a statement. (200977)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of the change in the cost of visa fees for students from 4 October 2023 on the effectiveness of the Government's international education strategy; and if she will make a statement.

- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether she has made an assessment of the potential impact of the change in the cost of visa fees for students from 4 October 2023 on the number of international students studying in the UK (a) in total and (b) by (i) university and (ii) country of citizenship; and if she will make a statement. (201010)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of the change in the cost of visa fees for students from 4 October 2023 on the (a) financial sustainability and (b) resilience of higher education institutions; and if she will make a statement. (201011)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether she plans to outline the (a) financial management and (b) project oversight arrangements for spending decisions made as awards from the Condition Improvement Fund. (201012)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether she plans to outline the (a) financial management and (b) project oversight arrangements for school construction work funded through the school rebuilding programme. (201013)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 24 April 2023 to Question 180437 on Independent Schools Inspectorate, what steps her Department is taking to monitor compliance with paragraphs 10 to 12 of the Agreement between the Department for Education and the Independent Schools Inspectorate in respect of the approval of the Independent Schools Inspectorate. (201017)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 24 April 2023 to Question 180437 on Independent Schools Inspectorate (ISI) and with reference to paragraph 13 of the Agreement between the Department for Education and the Independent Schools Inspectorate in respect of the approval of the Independent Schools Inspectorate, when her Department has requested to inspect the register recording ISI board members' interests in ISI inspected schools. (201018)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 24 April 2023 to Question 180437 on Independent Schools Inspectorate (ISI) and with reference to paragraph 35 of the Agreement between the Department for Education and the Independent Schools Inspectorate in respect of the approval of the Independent Schools Inspectorate, when her Department has met the ISI to discuss its performance in the period since 24 April 2023. (201019)

- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 30 June 2022 to Question 22411 on Coronavirus: Schools, whether she has provided guidance to schools on the findings of the Rapid Covid-19 Air Disinfection Study; if she will place a copy of the findings of that study in the Library; and if she will make a statement. (201020)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 24 April 2023 to Question 180437 on Independent Schools Inspectorate (ISI) and with reference to paragraph 36 of the Agreement between the Department for Education and the Independent Schools Inspectorate in respect of the approval of the Independent Schools Inspectorate, whether she has requested Ofsted monitoring of ISI (a) inspections and (b) reports in the period since 24 April 2023.
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 24 April 2023 to Question 180437 on Independent Schools Inspectorate (ISI) and with reference to paragraph 34 of the Agreement between the Department for Education and the Independent Schools Inspectorate in respect of the approval of the Independent Schools Inspectorate, whether she has received any complaints about the ISI via (a) the ISI and (b) other groups in the period since 1 January 2023.
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps she has taken to assess the proportion of schools and colleges that meet the cyber security standards for schools and colleges, updated on 29 March 2023. (201027)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what recent progress her Department has made on issuing guidance to schools on cyber-security. (201100)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if she will make an estimate of the number and proportion of cyber-security incidents in schools that took place since 23 March 2022 that might have been (a) prevented and (b) mitigated had those schools been following the standards set out in her Department's guidance entitled Meeting digital and technology standards in schools and colleges, published on 23 March 2022. (201101)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, on how many occasions she has met the Director of the National Cyber Security Centre since 25 October 2022; and if she will make a statement. (201103)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what guidance her Department provides to schools on the minimum size of indoor spaces that should be provided for (a) sport, (b) music and (c) assemblies in new school buildings; and whether any changes have been made to this guidance since 11 May 2010. (201104)

- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether she plans to (a) amend her Department's guidance on and (b) bring forward legislative proposals to amend regulations on the minimum space requirements for the (i) teaching and (ii) performance of (A) music and (B) drama in school buildings. (201105)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether she has made a recent assessment of the adequacy of regulations on the minimum size of indoor spaces for the (a) teaching and (b) performance of (i) music, (ii) drama and (iii) sport in schools; and if she will make a statement.
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many and what proportion of fires in schools have (a) caused damage to property and (b) required emergency services intervention in each of the last 20 years; how many people were injured in those fires; and if she will make a statement.
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what guidance her Department provides to schools on fire safety; how often this guidance is updated; and what steps her Department is taking to monitor compliance with this guidance. (201258)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to ImpactEd's evaluation report on Oak National Academy published August 2023, what directions she has given to the directors appointed by her Department to Oak on the academy's future work programme.

 (201531)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to ImpactEd's evaluation report on Oak National Academy published August 2023, what assessment she has made of the value for money represented by (a) expenditure to date and (b) planned future expenditure on Oak National Academy; and if she will make a statement. (201532)
- **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether she has made an assessment of the implications for her policies of long-term trends in the number of schools that are at risk of flooding; and if she will make a statement. (201536)
- **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps the Government is taking to reduce the number of children in residential care. (201503)
- 347 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps she is taking to promote the study of classical languages in state sector schools. (200969)

- 348 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps she is taking to increase the recruitment of classics teachers in state sector schools. (200970)
- 349 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps she is taking to increase the provision of science-specific after-school clubs in state sector schools. (200971)
- 350 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps her Department has taken to improve the provision of afterschool physical exercise clubs for (a) primary and (b) secondary school pupils. (201548)
- 351 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what recent assessment she has made of the effectiveness of the use of SATs to track the educational progress of primary school children. (201694)
- 352 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many children with SEND are not in formal education in (a) Romford constituency and (b) the London Borough of Havering as of 13 October 2023. (201695)
- 353 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps she is taking to improve access for mobility impaired students in schools. (201710)
- 354 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps her Department is taking to meet the needs of areas where there are increases in demand for school placements at (a) primary and (b) secondary schools.

 (201899)
- 355 **Tulip Siddiq** (Hampstead and Kilburn): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps her Department is taking to help support PhD students with the increased cost of living. (201365)
- 356 Alexander Stafford (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what the statutory timescales are for production of an amendment to an Education, Health and Care Plan; and what guidance is provided to local authorities that do not adhere to those timescales. (201290)
- 357 **Alexander Stafford** (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what the statutory timescales are for the production of an initial Education, Health and Care Plan. (201291)
- 358 Alexander Stafford (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment her Department has made of the effectiveness of Applied Behaviour Analysis for autistic children. (201292)
- Julian Sturdy (York Outer): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether her Department plans to publish guidance for schools on issues relating to transgender pupils. (201245)

- Justin Tomlinson (North Swindon): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if her Department will make an assessment of the potential merits of allowing childminders to claim childcare funding for the costs of caring for (a) their own child and (b) a related child they are parenting when they have been registered for over five years.
- 361 Matt Western (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment she has made of the potential impact on the finances of universities of not having participated in the Horizon programme for two years.

 (200862)
- Matt Western (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if she will make an assessment of the potential impact on the (a) finances and (b) reputation of individual universities of not having participated in the Horizon programme for two years; and if she will publish details of the 10 most affected universities. (200863)
- 363 Matt Western (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment she has made of the adequacy of the provision of on-campus accommodation at higher education institutions for this academic year; and if she will publish details of institutions at which there is insufficient supply of such accommodation. (200864)
- 364 **Matt Western** (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what estimate she has made of (a) changes in the level of the cost of living for students in the (i) last and (ii) next 12 months and (b) the rate of inflation for students. (200865)
- 365 Matt Western (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what guidance her Department issued to higher education providers on determining the presence of RAAC on their estates before 1 August 2023. (200866)
- 366 Matt Western (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what information her Department requested from higher education providers on the (a) extent of and (b) likely cost of remediation of RAAC on their estates before 1 August 2023. (200867)
- 367 Matt Western (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, Since August 1st 2023, whether she has commissioned a report from the Office for Students on the potential impact of reinforced autoclaved aerated concrete present across university campuses on students' learning and accommodation. (200868)
- Matt Western (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of the presence of reinforced autoclaved aerated concrete across university campuses on teaching degree courses as students begin the new academic year. (200869)

- Matt Western (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what recent assessment she has made of trends in the level of non-continuation rates at higher education institutions; and whether her Department has analysed the reasons for the proportions of students who do not complete degree courses; and if she will make a statement. (200870)
- 370 **Matt Western** (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what guidance her Department has issued to the higher education sector on RAAC since 1 August 2023. (200881)
- 371 **Matt Western** (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if she will make and estimate of the number of domestic students commuting to university campuses in each of the last five years. (200884)
- 372 **Matt Western** (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what estimate she has made of the number of domestic students commuting to university campuses in each of the last five years. (200900)
- 373 **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many children have been out of school for one year or longer as a result of not having been able to find a setting that meets their needs. (201572)
- 374 **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many children identified as having special educational needs and disabilities have been out of school for one year or longer as a result of not having been able to find a setting that meets their needs. (201573)
- 375 **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if she will bring forward legislative proposals to (a) introduce a national register of children education at home, (b) provide (i) Ofsted with additional powers to investigate suspected illegal settings and (ii) prosecutors the power to shut settings down where appropriate; and if she will make a statement. (201796)
- 376 Alan Brown (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, pursuant to the Answer of 11 September 2023 to Question 196337, on Batteries: Factories, for what reason the financial support figure to Tata was not set out in the previous answer. (201218)
- 377 Ian Byrne (Liverpool, West Derby): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, with reference to the resolution agreed at COP27 to establish a loss and damage fund to assist countries that are more affected by climate change, if she will have discussions with the Chancellor of the Exchequer on the potential merits of a tax on companies with higher carbon emissions to help fund the UK's contribution to the loss and damage fund.
- 378 Alun Cairns (Vale of Glamorgan): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether her Department is taking steps to ensure that energy production estimates by wind farm developers are accurate. (201250)

- 379 Alun Cairns (Vale of Glamorgan): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether her Department is taking steps to ensure that energy supplied from renewable sources only incurs a cost to the public purse when it is required on the grid. (201251)
- 380 Martyn Day (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of the Prime Minister's 20 September 2023 net zero speech on the readiness of businesses to decarbonise in line with the government's net zero targets. (201388)
- 381 Marsha De Cordova (Battersea): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what steps her Department is taking to tackle fuel poverty. (201591)
- 382 Marsha De Cordova (Battersea): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what steps her Department is taking to tackle fuel poverty in Battersea constituency. (201592)
- 383 Marsha De Cordova (Battersea): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what steps her Department is taking with energy companies to support the installation of energy efficiency measures through ECO4 in Battersea constituency. (201593)
- 384 Marsha De Cordova (Battersea): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether her Department has plans to increase funding for the Home Upgrade Grant scheme. (201594)
- 385 Marsha De Cordova (Battersea): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what steps her Department is taking to help ensure that private rented homes meet the minimum standard of EPC C rating. (201595)
- 386 Marsha De Cordova (Battersea): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what steps her Department is taking to help prevent deaths attributable to living in cold homes. (201596)
- 387 Samantha Dixon (City of Chester): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, if her Department will produce annual reports on the progress (a) of the Community Energy Fund and (b) towards establishing local supply rights.

 (201457)
- 388 **Dave Doogan** (Angus): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how many and what proportion of civil servants on temporary contracts in her Department are women. (201633)
- 389 **Dave Doogan** (Angus): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what steps her Department is taking to accelerate the use of (a) battery storage and (b) other energy storage installations to store renewable energy the grid cannot accept due to capacity constraints. (201780)

- **Dave Doogan** (Angus): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether her Department is developing revised operation criteria to ensure that the System Operator moves away from selecting gas by default in the power system's balancing mechanism and develops greater use of battery storage. (201781)
- **Dave Doogan** (Angus): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether she plans to have discussions with the Home Secretary on the potential merits of reinstating the offshore wind worker concession. (202059)
- **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what steps her Department is taking to support community energy schemes in Birmingham Edgbaston constituency. (200980)
- Sally-Ann Hart (Hastings and Rye): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, with reference to the 2019 consultation outcome entitled Non-domestic private rented sector minimum energy efficiency standards: future trajectory to 2030, and the 2021 closed consultation entitled Non-domestic private rented sector minimum energy efficiency standards: EPC B implementation, when she plans to publish her Department's response to those consultations. (201175)
- **Wera Hobhouse** (Bath): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how much from the public purse the Government has provided to local authorities to support Net Zero initiatives in each of the last three years. (200776)
- **Wera Hobhouse** (Bath): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what proportion of grant funding schemes funded by her Department are performing to a satisfactory standard according to their respective monitoring and evaluation processes as of 13 October 2023. (200777)
- **Sir Bernard Jenkin** (Harwich and North Essex): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what her planned timetable is for the National Grid Electricity System Operator becoming the Future Systems Operator; whether the Future Systems Operator will be required to follow procedures as set out in the Treasury's Green Book when making recommendations to National Grid Electricity Transmission on investment in electricity transmission infrastructure; and if she will require the Future Systems Operator to take account of the potential impact of any new infrastructure on the (a) environment and (b) value of nearby property.

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- 397 Dame Andrea Jenkyns (Morley and Outwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, which offshore windfarms in the Contracts for Difference scheme have been granted a postponement of the sale of their offshore transmission owner assets; and how long each such postponement is. [R] (200927)
- **Simon Jupp** (East Devon): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what her timeline is for the introduction of regulation of heat networks. (200813)

- 399 **Stephen Kinnock** (Aberavon): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what recent steps have been taken in relation to the Floating Offshore Wind Manufacturing Investment Scheme. (201060)
- 400 **Stephen Kinnock** (Aberavon): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, when the Government plans to announce the results of the latest round of the Floating Offshore Wind Manufacturing Investment Scheme. (201061)
- 401 **Stephen Kinnock** (Aberavon): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what steps she is taking to ensure an objective and equitable approach to decision making for the Floating Offshore Wind Manufacturing Investment Scheme. (201062)
- 402 **Stephen Kinnock** (Aberavon): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what steps the Government is taking to maximise the opportunity of floating offshore wind in the Celtic Sea. (201063)
- 403 **Stephen Kinnock** (Aberavon): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what steps the Government is taking to ensure an equitable allocation of funds between England, Scotland and Wales from the Floating Offshore Wind Manufacturing Investment Scheme. (201064)
- 404 **Stephen Kinnock** (Aberavon): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what role (a) regional job creation and (b) investment growth play in decisions relating to the Floating Offshore Wind Manufacturing Investment Scheme assessment. (201065)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether her Department has provided any funding to the Climate Change Committee since 2008. (201032)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how much their Department spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-2023 financial year. (201113)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how much Ofgem spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202137)
- 408 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how much the Civil Nuclear Police Authority spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202138)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how much the Coal Authority spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202139)
- 410 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how much the Committee on Climate Change spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202140)

- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how much Great British Nuclear spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202141)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how much the North Sea Transition Authority spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202142)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how much the Nuclear Decommissioning Authority spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202143)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how much Salix Finance Ltd spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202144)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how much the UK Atomic Energy Authority spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202145)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how much the Committee on Fuel Poverty spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202146)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how much the Committee on Radioactive Waste Management spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202147)
- 418 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how much the National Nuclear Laboratory spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202148)
- 419 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how much the Electricity Settlements Company spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202149)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and
 Net Zero, how much the Low Carbon Contracts Company spent on equality and
 diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year.
- 421 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how much the Electricity Settlements Company spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202160)
- 422 Clive Lewis (Norwich South): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what steps her Department has taken to enforce the requirement to pass on energy price support to end users under section 19 of the Energy Prices Act 2022 in relation to the (a) Energy Price Guarantee, (b) Energy Bills Support Scheme and (c) Energy Bill Relief Scheme.

- 423 Clive Lewis (Norwich South): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, with reference to the requirement to pass on energy price support to end users under section 19 of the Energy Prices Act 2022, whether she has made an assessment of the number and proportion of intermediaries who have received support under the (a) Energy Price Guarantee, (b) Energy Bills Support Scheme and (c) Energy Bill Relief Scheme and (i) have and (ii) have not passed on that support since the introduction of those schemes.
- 424 Clive Lewis (Norwich South): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what estimate her Department has made of the number and proportion of consumers whose energy is provided by a heat network who are in fuel poverty in (a) Norfolk and (b) the UK.
- 425 Clive Lewis (Norwich South): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what data her Department holds on the prices paid by customers who receive heating from heat networks as of 13 October 2023. (201715)
- 426 Clive Lewis (Norwich South): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what data her Department holds on the average energy costs paid by consumers who (a) received heating from a heat network and (b) did not receive heating from a heat network and whose bill was subject to the energy price cap in 2023.
- 427 Mark Logan (Bolton North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy
 Security and Net Zero, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits
 of introducing a scheme to facilitate the installation of heat pumps in suitable
 homes with the cost structured as a long-term property linked loan as a means to
 promote the adoption of clean energy technologies. (201243)
- 428 Caroline Lucas (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, pursuant to the Answer of 19 September 2023 to Question 199094 on Sizewell C Power Station: Construction, what the expected value of the Government's shareholding in Sizewell C is in the 2023-24 financial year. (200983)
- 429 Caroline Lucas (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, with reference to the Prime Minister's speech on Net Zero on 20 September 2023, what assessment her Department made prior to 20 September of the potential impact of those policy announcements on the delivery of the (a) fifth and (b) sixth carbon budget; and (b) if she will place a copy of that assessment in the Library. (202070)
- 430 Caroline Lucas (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, with reference to the Prime Minister's speech on Net Zero on 20 September 2023, what her Department's planned timescale is for updating the Carbon Budget Delivery Plan to (a) reflect the Government's policies and (b) demonstrate how the UK's carbon budgets can be delivered; and if she will publish that plan on the Gov.uk website.

- Stephen Morgan (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what assessment her Department has made of the potential merits of expanding the eligibility criteria of the Warm Homes Discount Scheme to cover (a) people in receipt of non-means tested disability benefits and (b) parents of children with special educational needs. (201312)
- Stephen Morgan (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what steps her Department plans to take to support small businesses no longer in receipt of funding from the European Regional Development Fund on their transition to Net Zero. (201313)
- 433 Alex Norris (Nottingham North): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether her Department has made a recent assessment of the potential merits of providing additional support for community energy projects.

 (201230)
- 434 Sarah Olney (Richmond Park): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether she will make it her Department's policy to end renewable subsidies for tree burning in power stations. (200822)
- 435 **Abena Oppong-Asare** (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, if she will make an assessment of the impact of the expansion of oil and gas exploration in the North Sea on the environment. (202473)
- 436 **Matthew Pennycook** (Greenwich and Woolwich): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether she plans to amend the eligibility criteria for the Warm Home Discount Scheme to allow people without an Energy Performance Certificate for their home to be eligible for the scheme. (201760)
- 437 Andrew Percy (Brigg and Goole): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, pursuant to the Answer of 19 September 2023 to Question 199325 on Biofuels, whether that assessment includes whether transitional support should (a) include all unabated biomass power generators and (b) be restricted to biomass power generation sites scoped into the power bioenergy and carbon capture programme.
- 438 Yasmin Qureshi (Bolton South East): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether her Department is taking steps to increase the use of rooftop solar panels on (a) civic and (b) commercial buildings. (201678)
- 439 **Lloyd Russell-Moyle** (Brighton, Kemptown): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, if she will make an estimate of the potential impact of the changes announced in the PM speech on Net Zero on 20 September 2023 on carbon emissions in (a) 2030, (b) 2040 and (c) 2050. (200917)
- 440 **Lloyd Russell-Moyle** (Brighton, Kemptown): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether the Climate Change Committee was asked to comment on the risk tables created to support the delivery of the Carbon Budget Delivery Plan. (200918)

- Jim Shannon (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and
 Net Zero, whether she plans to provide funding through the Energy Bill Support
 Scheme to people who did not apply before the deadline. (200596)
- 442 Alex Sobel (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether her Department has made a recent assessment of the effectiveness of smart meter connectivity in apartment blocks with solid concrete floors. (202321)
- Derek Thomas (St Ives): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net
 Zero, what steps her Department is taking to strengthen regulatory certainty for
 (a) the lithium industry and (b) other critical mineral industries.
- 444 **Derek Thomas** (St Ives): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, when she plans to publish a plan to increase public engagement on the Government's net zero policies. (201674)
- 445 **Derek Thomas** (St Ives): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether her Department is taking steps to help support commercial laundries to reduce their energy usage. (202499)
- 446 James Wild (North West Norfolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether she plans to respond to the Climate Change Committee's 2023 Progress Report to Parliament. (200821)
- 447 **Fleur Anderson** (Putney): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what legal mechanism her Department plans to use to ban wet wipes containing plastic. (200774)
- 448 **Steven Bonnar** (Coatbridge, Chryston and Bellshill): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what proportion of civil servants graded as senior civil servant 2 on full-time equivalent contracts in her Department are women. (201576)
- 449 **Steven Bonnar** (Coatbridge, Chryston and Bellshill): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what proportion of civil servants on temporary contracts in her are women. (201577)
- 450 Elliot Colburn (Carshalton and Wallington): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, with reference to the report entitled Incineration Overcapacity in England, published by the United Kingdom Without Incineration Network in November 2022, what steps her Department is taking to tackle overcapacity of incinerators in England. (201982)
- 451 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 24 November 2022 to Question 86609 on Recycling: Standards, when she plans to publish the results of the consultation on Consistency in Household and Business Recycling Collections in England. (201680)

- 452 **Samantha Dixon** (City of Chester): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether her Department is taking steps to ensure that water companies (a) sample water entering their water treatment plants and (b) publish data on this. (201252)
- 453 Samantha Dixon (City of Chester): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps her Department is taking to help ensure that water companies meet their target for reduced pollution incidents by 2025. (201283)
- 454 **Stephen Farry** (North Down): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 17 May 2023 to Question 185629 on Marine Protected Areas: Northern Ireland, what her Department's planned timetable is, in partnership with the relevant authorities in Northern Ireland, to establish marine Special Protection Areas in East Coast and Carlingford Lough. (201497)
- 455 Matt Hancock (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment,
 Food and Rural Affairs, whether she is taking steps to support research
 and development in the alternative protein industry in the context of (a)
 environmental sustainability and (b) food security. (201742)
- 456 **Matt Hancock** (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether she is taking steps to encourage private investment in the alternative protein sector. (201743)
- 457 **Matt Hancock** (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether she has made an assessment of the effectiveness of regulatory (a) frameworks and (b) standards at supporting the (i) growth and (ii) competitiveness of the alternative protein sector. (201744)
- 458 **Matt Hancock** (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether she is taking steps to support the alternative protein industry. (201745)
- 459 **Matt Hancock** (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether she has had discussions with alternative protein companies. (201746)
- 460 Matt Hancock (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether she has had recent discussions with the Food Standards Agency on the alternative protein industry. (201747)
- 461 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps her Department is taking to help tackle the spread of invasive bamboo. (202300)
- Wera Hobhouse (Bath): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if she will hold discussions with the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero on the impact of subsidies to the anaerobic digestion industry on the sale of surplus food to charitable organisations. (202351)

- 463 **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps her Department is taking to (a) manage and (b) reduce waste pollution in rivers. (200799)
- 464 **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether she plans to introduce legislative proposals to help reduce food waste. (201981)
- 465 **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if she will bring forward legislative proposals to introduce mandatory animal welfare labelling on food products. (202519)
- 466 Imran Hussain (Bradford East): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if she will bring forward legislative proposals to remove regulations 9 and 10 of the National Emission Ceilings Regulations 2018 (SI 2018/129) from schedule 1 of the Retained EU Law (Revocation and Reform) Act 2023.
- 467 Dame Andrea Jenkyns (Morley and Outwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether she plans to take steps to end the sale of live decapod crustaceans. (201480)
- 468 Daniel Kawczynski (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment her Department has made of the potential impact of different domestic farm support regimes in England, Scotland and Wales on farmers who operate (a) on and (b) near the borders between England and (i) Scotland and (ii) Wales. (201788)
- 469 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether her Department is taking steps to help increase the level of allotment provision in urban areas. (200794)
- 470 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps she is taking to tackle Japanese knotweed. (201033)
- 471 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps she is taking to protect chalk streams in England. (201037)
- 472 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much their Department spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-2023 financial year. (201114)
- 473 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether her Department is taking steps to support farmers to store slurry. (201454)
- 474 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps she is taking with Cabinet colleagues to help protect trees of national significance from criminal damage. (201455)

- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how long on average it took the Environment Agency to respond to category (a) three and (b) four incidents in the West Midlands in the last 12 months.
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much the Advisory Committee on Releases to the Environment spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202151)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much the Agriculture and Horticulture Development Board spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202152)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much the Animal and Plant Health Agency spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202153)
- 479 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much the Board of Trustees of the Royal Botanic Gardens Kew spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202154)
- 480 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much the Centre for Environment, Fisheries and Aquaculture Science spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202155)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much the Consumer Council for Water spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202156)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much the Covent Garden Market Authority spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202157)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much the Dartmoor National Park Authority spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202158)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much her Department's Science Advisory Council spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202159)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much the Environment Agency spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202161)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much Flood Re spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202162)

- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much the Forestry Commission spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202163)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much the Independent Agricultural Appeals Panel spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202164)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much the Joint Nature Conservation Committee spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202165)
- 490 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much the Lake District National Park Authority spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202166)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much the Low Carbon Contracts Company spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202167)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much the Marine Management Organisation spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202168)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much the National Forest Company spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202169)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much the Natural England spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202170)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much the New Forest National Park Authority spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202171)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much the North York Moors National Park Authority spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202172)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much the Northumberland National Park Authority spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202173)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much the Office for Environmental Protection spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202174)

- 499 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much the Peak District National Park Authority spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202175)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much the Plant Varieties and Seeds Tribunal spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202176)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much the Rural Payments Agency spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202177)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much the Seafish spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202178)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much the South Downs National Park Authority spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202179)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much the Veterinary Medicines Directorate spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202180)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much the Veterinary Products Committee spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202181)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much the Water Services Regulation Authority spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202182)
- 507 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much the Yorkshire Dales National Park Authority spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202183)
- 508 Clive Lewis (Norwich South): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if she will make it her policy to introduce mandatory food waste reporting for large businesses. (200825)
- Clive Lewis (Norwich South): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment,
 Food and Rural Affairs, with reference to the consultation on Improved food
 waste reporting by large food businesses in England, published on 13 June 2023,
 how many large businesses responded to the consultation; and how many (a)
 supported and (b) rejected its proposals.
- 510 Caroline Lucas (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much grant funding was provided to the Office for Environmental Protection in financial years (a) 2022-2023 and (b) 2023-2024. (200934)

- Caroline Lucas (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what information on the Government's proposed amendments to the Levelling-up and Regeneration Bill on nutrient neutrality the Office for Environmental Protection had access to in the last six months. (200935)
- 512 **Stuart C McDonald** (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, with reference to Workers and Temporary Workers: guidance for sponsors: sponsor a seasonal worker, published April 2023, which body is responsible for monitoring whether workers on the horticultural Seasonal Workers visa are paid for at least 32 hours of work a week at at least the National Living Wage; what enforcement mechanisms are in place in the event that workers are not paid 32 hours a week; and what enforcement has taken place since that guidance was published. (201512)
- Stuart C McDonald (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, with reference to Workers and Temporary Workers: guidance for sponsors: sponsor a seasonal worker, published in April 2023, what (a) monitoring and (b) enforcement is in place to ensure that (i) piece rate targets set to workers on the horticultural Seasonal Worker visa scheme are reasonable and (ii) workers are (A) treated fairly by their employer and (B) not penalised workers for failing to work at the fair piece rate.
- 514 Stuart C McDonald (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps her Department is taking to (a) monitor and (b) enforce working conditions for workers employed via the horticultural seasonal worker scheme and help ensure workers (i) have enough breaks and (ii) are not required to work excessive hours at the end of their pay period in order to achieve their minimum number of paid hours.
- 515 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent assessment she has made of the potential impact of clean air zones in Portsmouth on levels of air pollution in that city. (201092)
- 516 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent assessment she has made of the impact of clean air zones in Portsmouth on health outcomes for local people. (201093)
- 517 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether her Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of extending the clean air zone to Portsmouth's port. (201094)
- 518 Alex Norris (Nottingham North): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if she has made an assessment of the implications for her policies of trends in the level of costs in the private veterinary industry. (201224)

- Alex Norris (Nottingham North): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether he Department has had recent discussions with the Competition and Markets authority on the adequacy of consumer protections in the private veterinary industry in cases of misdiagnosis. (201225)
- Abena Oppong-Asare (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether she has made an assessment of the potential impact of emissions produced by private jets on the UK's ability to reach its net zero target. (202470)
- Abena Oppong-Asare (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if she will bring forward legislative proposals to prevent breeding animals that are genetically predisposed to deformative conditions like Brachycephaly. (202474)
- 522 **Abena Oppong-Asare** (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps her Department is taking to help support local councils to tackle fly-tipping. (202478)
- Abena Oppong-Asare (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what information her Department holds on the level of illegal waste disposal in Erith and Thamesmead constituency in the last 12 months. (202479)
- Abena Oppong-Asare (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether her department has made a recent assessment of the implications for her policies of the effects of neonicotinoid pesticides on pollinators. (202492)
- Abena Oppong-Asare (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent assessment her Department has made of the (a) environmental and (b) ecological effects of the use of neonicotinoid pesticides. (202493)
- Abena Oppong-Asare (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what account her Department took when authorising the use of the neonicotinoid Cruiser SB in 2021 and 2022 of ,research on the effects of neonicotinoids on (a) bees and (b) other pollinators. (202494)
- John Penrose (Weston-super-Mare): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, when she plans to respond to the letters dated (a) 18 July 2023 and (b) 15 August 2023 from the hon. Member for Weston-super-Mare on Ofwat's water network policy reforms. (200958)
- 528 Yasmin Qureshi (Bolton South East): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether her Department plans to adopt the recommendations made by the Animal Welfare Committee in its updated opinion on farmed fish welfare. (201679)

- Dominic Raab (Esher and Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much from the public purse the Environment Agency has spent on enforcement against illegal river moorings in Elmbridge Borough in each of the last five years. (200850)
- Dominic Raab (Esher and Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if she will make an estimate of how much it would cost the public purse for the Environment Agency to relocate or remove the 116 alleged unregistered vessels moored on Environment Agency-owned land in Elmbridge Borough on 30 July 2023 using powers under Article 16 of The Environment Agency (Inland Waterways) Order 2010.
- 531 **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what estimate she has made of the number of dog legislation enforcement officers in each year since 2010. (200801)
- 532 **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps her Department is taking to ensure that its data on levels of packaging waste is accurate. (201214)
- 533 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent assessment she has made on the potential merits of requiring local authorities to provide bins for food waste disposal for residents.(201896)
- 534 Alec Shelbrooke (Elmet and Rothwell): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps she is taking with the Secretary of State for Business and Trade to increase levels of meat and poultry exports. (200993)
- Alec Shelbrooke (Elmet and Rothwell): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what discussions she (a) has had and (b) plans to have with international trading partners on the use of avian influenza vaccinations. (200994)
- Alec Shelbrooke (Elmet and Rothwell): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent discussions she has had with Cabinet colleagues on the readiness of (a) food border checks and (b) veterinary provisions. (200995)
- 537 Alec Shelbrooke (Elmet and Rothwell): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent assessment she has made of the adequacy of resources in the (a) Animal Health and Plant Agency to respond to multiple exotic disease outbreaks and (b) Food Standards Agency to respond to safety risks associated with imported food. (200996)
- 538 Cat Smith (Lancaster and Fleetwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if she will implement the recommendations of the Animal Welfare Committee on the welfare of farmed fish at the time of killing. (201639)

- Fig. 539 Henry Smith (Crawley): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of overbreeding on (a) cats and (b) their kittens. (201295)
- 540 **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps she is taking to increase transparency on where food is produced. (201244)
- Derek Thomas (St Ives): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, with reference to minimum catch sizes for crawfish, if her Department will extend the inshore 110mm landing size to outside the six mile limit.

 (200735)
- Daniel Zeichner (Cambridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment,
 Food and Rural Affairs, how many applications were received for the Sustainable
 Farming Initiative between January and September 2023; and how many of those
 applications have been awarded as of 20 September 2023. (200824)
- Mike Amesbury (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up,
 Housing and Communities, if he will make an assessment on the potential impact
 of maintaining the freeze to Local Housing Allowance rates on levels of spending
 on temporary accommodation for local authorities. (201348)
- Mike Amesbury (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, if he will make a comparative assessment of the price structure of the proposed Building Safety Regulator charging schedule in comparison to other regulators. (201361)
- Mike Amesbury (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of existing (a) mechanisms and (b) funding available to local authorities to utilise empty homes to help reduce (i) homelessness and (ii) local housing demand. (201372)
- Mike Amesbury (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up,
 Housing and Communities, what assessment he has made of the impact of longterm empty residential homes on reducing the level of (a) homelessness and (b)
 local housing demand. (201373)
- Mike Amesbury (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what assessment he has made of the impact of the (a) Rough Sleepers Accommodation Programme, (b) Single Homelessness Accommodation Programme and (c) the Local Authority Housing Fund on trends in the level of (i) homelessness and (ii) local housing demand in the last 12 months; and if he will take steps to establish a new funding package to enable local authorities to utilise (A) empty homes and (B) other property acquisitions to increase the supply of affordable housing.

- Mike Amesbury (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, with reference to his Department's press release entitled 'Severe consequences' for cladding companies who refuse to remediate, government warns investors, published 20 April 2023, what discussions his Department has had with Kingspan on how Kingspan will (a) scope, (b) identify and (c) pay for remediation works.
- 549 **Ian Byrne** (Liverpool, West Derby): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether he plans to amend planning regulations for pubs through the Levelling-up and Regeneration Bill. (202067)
- 550 Ian Byrne (Liverpool, West Derby): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling
 Up, Housing and Communities, what assessment he has made of the potential
 impact of proposals in the Levelling up and Regeneration Bill on high street rental
 auctions on pubs.

 (202068)
- Mrs Helen Grant (Maidstone and The Weald): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that local authority contracts are (a) awarded following fair processes and (b) represent value for money. (201273)
- 552 **Stephen Hammond** (Wimbledon): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of the speed with which (a) London and Quadrant and (b) other social landlords in Wimbledon constituency have complied with their obligations under the Building Safety Act 2022; and if he will meet with (i) the hon. Member for Wimbledon and (ii) residents in Wimbledon constituency to discuss this matter. (200775)
- 553 **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps his Department is taking to help tackle youth homelessness. (202521)
- Dame Andrea Jenkyns (Morley and Outwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what role public houses have in his Department's leveling up policies; and what steps his Department is taking to utilise them. (201482)
- 555 **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling
 Up, Housing and Communities, whether he has held meetings in 2023 on (a)
 Islamophobia and (b) hate crime against Muslims. (201247)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether he has plans to mandate Birmingham City Council to expand its Clean Air Zone for the purposes of generating income following the issuing of a Section 114 notice by that council. (200729)
- 557 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, if he will bring forward legislative proposals to remove nutrient neutrality rules placed on local planning authorities. (201107)

- 558 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how much their Department spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-2023 financial year. (201115)
- 559 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether he is taking steps to encourage local authorities to increase their use of artificial intelligence to identify the presence of potholes. (201770)
- 560 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how much the Architects Registration Board spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202184)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how much the Boundary Commission for England spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202185)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how much the Building Regulations Advisory Committee spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202186)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how much the Ebbsfleet Development Corporation spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202187)
- 564 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how much the HM Land Registry spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202188)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how much Homes England spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202189)
- 566 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how much the Housing Ombudsman spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202190)
- 567 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how much the Leasehold Advisory Service spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202191)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how much the Local Government and Social Care Ombudsman spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202192)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how much the Planning Inspectorate spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202193)

- 570 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how much the Queen Elizabeth II Conference Centre spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202194)
- 571 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how much the Regulator of Social Housing spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202195)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how much the UK Holocaust Memorial Foundation spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202196)
- 573 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how much the Valuation Tribunal for England spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202197)
- Mark Logan (Bolton North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up,
 Housing and Communities, what recent assessment he has made of the impact of
 the planning system on onshore renewable energy projects. (201301)
- 575 Caroline Lucas (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling
 Up, Housing and Communities, if he will make an assessment of the potential
 implications for his Department's policies of the report by Centre Point entitled
 Human costs and lost potential: the real cost of youth homelessness, published 12
 September 2023; and if he will make a statement. (201342)
- Frachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what his Department's policy is on the building of (a)

 Traveller sites and (b) other forms of housing on greenfield land. (200715)
- 577 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether his Department has provided local authorities with guidance on schedule 1, part II of the Council Tax (Discount Disregards) Order 1992. (201308)
- 578 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of requiring landlords to provide evidence of (a) selling and (b) moving their family into the property for evictions under the Renters (Reform) Bill.
- 579 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what recent steps the Government has taken to support tenants facing eviction under a Section 21 notice. (201310)
- 580 **Charlotte Nichols** (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, with reference to the Prime Minister's authored article entitled What the PM's new approach to Net Zero means for you, published 20 September 2023, whether he had held discussions with Cabinet colleagues on

- potential proposals for each household to receive seven bins for domestic waste; and whether he planned to introduce legislative proposals to implement such a policy before 20 September 2023. (201360)
- Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling
 Up, Housing and Communities, how many requests have been made by local
 councils for capitalisation directives in the last 12 months; and of those, how many
 were accepted.
 (201565)
- 582 Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling
 Up, Housing and Communities, what estimate he has made of the number of
 councils that will issue a section 114 notice in the next 24 months. (201566)
- Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling
 Up, Housing and Communities, how many local authorities have (a) raised
 concerns relating to their financial position and (b) requested financial assistance
 since 1 January 2023. (201567)
- 584 Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling
 Up, Housing and Communities, what assessment he has made of the potential
 impact of local councils warning that they may have to issue section 114 notices
 on (a) service delivery and (b) budgets.

 (201568)
- 585 Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling
 Up, Housing and Communities, whether he has plans to resume issuing multi-year
 financial settlements to local councils. (201569)
- 586 Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling
 Up, Housing and Communities, if he will bring forward legislative proposals to
 require buyers and sellers to be compensated when the other party withdraws
 from an agreement to purchase a residential property. (202503)
- 587 **Abena Oppong-Asare** (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of making membership of the Property Ombudsman scheme mandatory for registered estate agents. (202482)
- Abena Oppong-Asare (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether his Department has made an assessment of the adequacy of the accountability of estate agents to (a) landlords and (b) tenants.
- Abena Oppong-Asare (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether her Department has made a recent assessment of the adequacy of hotel accommodation provided for asylum seekers. (202484)
- 590 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps the Government is taking to ensure that local authorities have adequate funding to invest in early intervention services. (201505)

- 591 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what financial support the Government provides to local authorities for the purposes of investing in early intervention services. (201506)
- 592 **Ms Anum Qaisar** (Airdrie and Shotts): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how many grade (a) 6, (b) 7 and (c) SCS staff employed by his Department are contractually based in (i) Scotland, (ii) London and (iii) the South East. (201800)
- 593 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how many local authorities were in deficit in the financial years (a) 2022-23 and (b) 2023-24. (200874)
- 594 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up,
 Housing and Communities, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of local
 housing allowance rates. (200875)
- 595 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what support his Department is providing in (a) the London Borough of Havering and (b) other parts of London to reduce homelessness.
- 596 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up,
 Housing and Communities, whether he has had recent discussions with the Mayor
 of London on potential steps to improve the quality of new housing stock in
 Greater London. (201712)
- 597 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether he has had discussions with officials in the London Borough of Havering on the quality of new housing stock in the borough.

 (201713)
- 598 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up,
 Housing and Communities, what steps his Department is taking to help support
 local authorities with budget deficits. (201892)
- 599 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up,
 Housing and Communities, whether his Department holds data on the number of
 local authorities that have frozen non-essential spending in (a) England and (b)
 Greater London. (201898)
- 600 Alex Sobel (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether he plans to introduce legislation to cap the ground rent at £250 per annum for properties with existing leases. (201809)
- 601 **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps his Department plans to take to end youth homelessness. (201488)

- Mark Tami (Alyn and Deeside): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up,
 Housing and Communities, what recent steps he has taken to help ensure
 HM Land Registry completes the registration of new titles where a previously
 registered plot has been divided. (201321)
- Mark Tami (Alyn and Deeside): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how many and what proportion of registrations for new titles where a previously registered plot has been divided have been completed by HM Land Registry within (a) 3, (b) 6, (c) 12 and (d) 24 months since 2013.
- 604 Fleur Anderson (Putney): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, what steps her Department is taking to help improve mobile phone coverage in (a) London and (b) England. (201278)
- Fleur Anderson (Putney): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, whether she has had recent discussions with mobile phone operators on improving mobile reception in (a) London and (b) England. (201279)
- 606 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, when Ofcom's review into the transparency of in-contract price rises is due to be published. (201642)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, how much their Department spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-2023 financial year. (201116)
- 608 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, how much the Advanced Research and Invention Agency spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202198)
- 609 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, how much the British Technology Investments Ltd spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202199)
- 610 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, how much the Building Digital UK spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202200)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, how much the Copyright Tribunal spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202202)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, how much the Government Office for Science spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202203)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, how much the Information Commissioner's Office spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202204)

- 614 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, how much the Intellectual Property Office spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202205)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, how much the Met Office spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202206)
- 616 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, how much the National Physical Laboratory spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202207)
- 517 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, how much the Ordnance Survey spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202208)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, how much the Phone-paid Services Authority spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202209)
- 619 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, how much UK Research and Innovation spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202210)
- 620 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, how much UK Shared Business Services Ltd spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202211)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and
 Technology, how much the UK Space Agency spent on equality and diversity
 training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202212)
- 622 **Henry Smith** (Crawley): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, whether the use of artificial intelligence (AI) within the field of genomics will form part of the agenda at the upcoming AI Summit in November 2023.
- 623 **Henry Smith** (Crawley): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, whether representatives of (a) BGI Group, (b) subsidiaries of BGI Group and (c) companies in which BGI Group has invested have been invited to attend the UK AI safety summit scheduled to take place in November 2023. (200839)
- 624 **Henry Smith** (Crawley): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, what assessment the Government has made of the potential impact of the Chinese state's activity relating to genomics on national security; and whether that matter will be discussed at the UK AI safety summit scheduled for November 2023. (200840)

- 625 **Henry Smith** (Crawley): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, if she will take steps to include the potential impact of the Chinese state's activity relating to genomics on national security in any international framework that is developed at the UK AI safety summit in November 2023. (200841)
- 626 **Saqib Bhatti** (Meriden): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent discussions his Department has had with Network Rail on the steps that it is taking to reduce (a) noise and (b) air pollution emitted from diesel trains (i) stopping and (ii) idling at the Dorridge Freight loop. (201475)
- Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 19 September 2023 to Question 199520 on Luton Airport:
 Construction, if he will make it his policy to pause consideration of the Development Consent Order on expansion at Luton Airport until after the Government has considered the potential implications of the Climate Change Committee's recommendations.
 (200780)
- 628 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether he has made an assessment of the viability of the second hand market for electric vehicles. (201889)
- 629 James Daly (Bury North): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, which rail lines have been fully electrified since 1997; of those, how many miles were electrified; which rail lines are in the process being electrified as of October 2023; and of those, how many miles are being electrified. (201038)
- dames Daly (Bury North): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, which local transport authorities have introduced lane rental schemes; how much mileage is covered by each scheme; what the average reduction in roadworks has been in the areas that have implemented those schemes; and how much money has been raised in fines from utility companies for overrunning works in those areas in each year since the inception of lane rental schemes.
- 631 Martyn Day (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps his Department plans to take to help support the decarbonisation of the road freight industry; and whether his Department plans to issue guidance on which technology the industry should be investing in. (201389)
- 632 Martyn Day (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps his Department plans to take to help support fuel transition within the freight transportation sector. (201390)
- 633 Mary Kelly Foy (City of Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what information the Government holds on the number of electric vehicle charging points in City of Durham constituency. (201164)
- 634 **Peter Gibson** (Darlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what data his Department holds on the number of passengers (a) embarking and (b) disembarking UK passenger cruise ports in each of the last five years. [R] (200609)

- **Peter Gibson** (Darlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will make an assessment of the potential impact of the proposed A66 expansion on (a) (i) health, (ii) safety and (iii) the environment at Brough Hill and (b) the cultural role of Brough Hill Fair for gypsy and traveller communities. (201562)
- **Peter Gibson** (Darlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how often the Cruise Industry and Government Forum has met since its establishment. [R] (202302)
- **Peter Gibson** (Darlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether the Cruise Industry and Government forums plans to publish conclusions from its discussions.

 [R] (202303)
- **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether he has made an assessment of the potential impact of not proceeding with the northern leg of HS2 on the number of lorries on UK roads.(202304)
- **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what estimate his Department has made of the potential increase in freight that will be transported along the West Coast Main Line in the context of not proceeding with the northern section of HS2. (202305)
- **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of the capacity of the West Coast Main Line to meet anticipated future passenger and freight usage in the context of the decision not to proceed the northern section of HS2. (202306)
- **Mrs Helen Grant** (Maidstone and The Weald): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will make it his policy to reallocate funds allocated to HS2 in the South East to projects in Maidstone and the Weald constituency. (202293)
- **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent discussions he has had with representatives of people with sight loss on tackling pavement parking. (202057)
- **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether his Department is taking steps to help increase the affordability of bus travel for school children. (201208)
- **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether his Department plans to increase funding to local authorities for the provision of free bus travel to schools. (201209)
- **Darren Henry** (Broxtowe): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to page 77 of the Integrated Rail Plan for the North and Midlands, published by his Department in November 2021, what progress his Department has made on implementing a new station for local and regional services at Toton.

(201465)

- 646 Wera Hobhouse (Bath): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, when he was first informed of the Prime Minister's decision not to go ahead with the Birmingham to Crewe section of HS2; and when compulsory purchase of land for this section of HS2 ceased. (201850)
- **Wera Hobhouse** (Bath): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if his Department will take capital gains tax into account when calculating the resale value of land bought by his Department under a compulsory purchase order for the Birmingham-Crewe leg of HS2. (201851)
- **Tom Hunt** (Ipswich): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether his Department plans to expedite delivery of the Haughley Junction rail project, north of Stowmarket. (202524)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much their Department spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-2023 financial year. (201117)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps he is taking to help reduce the impact of road works on delays for motorists. (201767)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether it remains his Department's policy to construct the Birmingham Interchange Station as part of phase one of High Speed Rail 2. (201772)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much the Active Travel England spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202213)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much the Air Accidents Investigation Branch spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202214)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much the British Transport Police Authority spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202215)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much the Civil Aviation Authority spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202216)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much the Crossrail International spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202217)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much the
 Directly Operated Railways Limited spent on equality and diversity training in the
 2022-23 financial year. (202218)

- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much the Disabled Persons Transport Advisory Committee spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202219)
- 659 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much the Driver and Vehicle Licensing Agency spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202220)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much the Driver and Vehicle Standards Agency spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202221)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much the DfT OLR Holdings Limited spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202222)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much the East West Railway Company Limited spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202223)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much the High Speed Two (HS2) Limited spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202224)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much the London and Continental Railways Limited spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202225)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much the Marine Accident Investigation Branch spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202226)
- 666 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much the Maritime and Coastguard Agency spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202227)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much the National Highways spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year.
- 668 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much the Network Rail spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year.

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- 669 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much the Northern Lighthouse Board spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202230)

- 670 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much the Office of Rail and Road spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202231)
- 671 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much the Rail Accident Investigation Branch spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202232)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much the Traffic Commissioners for Great Britain spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202233)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much the Transport Focus spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202234)
- 674 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much the Trinity House spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year.
 (202235)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much the Vehicle Certification Agency spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202236)
- 676 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what data his Department holds on the (a) number and (b) types of (i) national and (ii) regional railcards issued by Network Rail in 2022. (202329)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether his Department as made an assessment of the potential effect of the installation of clean air zone signs across the City of Manchester on road users in the context of the Mayor of Manchester's decision to pause the clean air zone across that city. (202466)
- 678 **Mark Logan** (Bolton North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps he is taking to increase the number of air traffic controllers. (201302)
- 679 Mark Logan (Bolton North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether he has had recent discussions with his Japanese counterpart on increasing cooperation between the UK and Japanese (a) railway, (b) automotive and (c) other transport sectors. (201469)
- 680 Conor McGinn (St Helens North): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what data he holds on the average waiting time for a driving test in (a) St Helens North constituency and (b) the North West as of 13 October 2023. (200705)
- 681 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent assessment he has made of the adequacy of the National Cycle Network for promoting active travel in Portsmouth South constituency. (201071)

- Stephen Morgan (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent steps his Department has taken to increase road safety in Portsmouth South. (201072)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether his Department has plans to extend Mini-Holland schemes into (a)

 Portsmouth South constituency and (b) other cities. (201073)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps he is taking with Sustrans to improve safety on route 22 of the National Cycle Network in Portsmouth. (201075)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether he plans to introduce new regulations for e-scooters. (201076)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent assessment he has made of the effect of e-scooter usage on road and pedestrian safety. (201077)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, when he last met the National Union of Rail, Maritime and Transport Workers to discuss industrial action on the railways. (201610)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, when he last met the Associated Society of Locomotive Engineers and Firemen to discuss industrial action on the railways. (201611)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent discussions he has had with the National Union of Rail, Maritime and Transport Workers on finding a resolution to industrial action on the railways. (201612)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent discussions he has had with the Associated Society of Locomotive Engineers and Firemen on finding a resolution to industrial action on the railways.

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- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, when he last met with representatives from Network Rail to discuss industrial action on the railways. (201614)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent discussions he has had with representatives from Network Rail on resolving industrial action on the railways. (201615)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps his Department is taking to encourage people to (a) commute and (b) make other journeys by train. (201616)

- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of trends in the level of passenger demand for train services across (a) England, (b) Wales, and (c) Scotland. (201617)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what progress his Department has made on meeting the government's target of delivering a net zero railway by 2050. (201618)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what progress his Department has made on removing all diesel-only trains from the rail network by 2040. (201619)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many diesel-only trains are operating across the railway network as of October 2023; and how many diesel-only trains have been removed since 2020. (201620)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will make an assessment of the potential impact of the Government's revised policies on net zero on when diesel-only trains will be removed from the rail network.
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many kilometres of rail has been electrified in each year since 2021. (201661)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent estimate he has made of the number of kilometres of rail that will be electrified by the end of 2023. (201662)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent estimate he has made of the number of kilometres of rail that will be electrified by the end of 2025. (201663)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what formula his Department plans to use to determine the increase in rail fares for 2024.
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether he plans to roll out London North Eastern Railway's model of expanding single leg pricing to other networks. (201665)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent assessment he has made of the adequacy of passenger Wi-Fi provision by each train operator. (201666)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what his Department's policy is on the minimum level of provision of standard speed Wi-Fi that will be required in future railway franchise bids; and if he will make a statement. (201667)

- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether the National Rail Contract with Avanti West Coast that is set to commence on 15 October 2023 includes Wi-Fi provision on all train services under that contract. (201668)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many trackside masts to improve signals to trains have been installed across the UK in the latest period for which data is available. (201669)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether his Department is taking to steps to help reduce the potential impacts of timetable changes by rail operators on passenger rail travel. (201670)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps his Department is taking to improve rail services across the North of England. (202277)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether an independent oversight mechanism will be established to oversee Great British Railways. (202278)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent assessment he has made of the adequacy of the number of affordable turn up and go rail tickets available to passengers. (202279)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent assessment he has made of the affordability of rail season tickets. (202280)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to page 10 of the Williams-Shapps plan for rail, when he expects flexible season tickets to be introduced for people who commute 2 or 3 days a week.
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether his Department is taking steps to incentivise train operating companies to encourage more people to use railways. (202282)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps his Department is taking to help improve the accessibility of railways for passengers. (202283)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what estimate he has made of the number of new jobs that will be created by Great British Railways. (202284)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent assessment he has made of the impact of the roll-out of (a) hydrogen and (b) battery power technologies on emissions from trains. (202285)

- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to pages 89-90 of the Williams-Shapps plan for rail, if he will provide an update on the steps taken by his Department to strengthen the contribution of the railways to the nation's green recovery. (202286)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to page 89 of the Williams-Shapps plan for rail, whether his Department has published an environment plan to establish rail as a key pillar of a cleaner future transport system. (202287)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to page 90 of the Williams-Shapps plan for rail, what progress his Department has made towards (a) tree planting and (b) introducing other (i) green initiatives and (ii) energy efficiency measures across the rail estate. (202288)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to page 91 of the Williams-Shapps plan for rail, what steps he is taking to prioritise long-term investment in climate resilience across the rail sector.
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to page 99 of the Williams-Shapps plan for rail, what steps he is taking to increase the (a) recruitment and (b) retention of a diverse workforce across the rail sector. (202290)
- **Gavin Newlands** (Paisley and Renfrewshire North): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many and what proportion of FTE civil servants in her Department at pay band SCS2 are women. (201643)
- **Gavin Newlands** (Paisley and Renfrewshire North): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what percentage of civil servants on temporary contracts in the Department for Transport are women. (201644)
- 725 Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what the evidential basis is for his statement made on 3 October 2023 that local authorities were planning to use CCTV to restrict people's movements. (201685)
- **Abena Oppong-Asare** (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether his Department has made a recent assessment of the adequacy of the accessibility of train stations to disabled people in (a) London and (b) Erith and Thamesmead constituency. (202480)
- **Abena Oppong-Asare** (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if his Department will make an assessment of the adequacy of step-free access at Erith train station; and whether he plans to take steps to improve accessibility to the station. (202481)
- **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will make an assessment of the potential safety merits of requiring bells to be attached to new bicycles for (i) pedestrians and (ii) people with hearing

- impairments; and whether his Department holds data on the potential impact of the removal of that requirement in 2011 on the number of accidents occurring between bicycles and pedestrians. (201525)
- 729 Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many accidents involving e-bikes and pedestrians have been recorded in the last five years; and what steps the Government is taking to ensure the safety of pedestrians in areas shared with e-bikes. (201526)
- 730 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of speed limits for e-bikes in areas also used by pedestrians. (201527)
- 731 Mark Pritchard (The Wrekin): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will introduce legislative proposals to ensure that gig economy delivery companies are responsible for (a) the roadworthiness of delivery vehicles and (b) the driving standards of delivery drivers who use their delivery app platforms. (201675)
- 732 Yasmin Qureshi (Bolton South East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent discussions officials in his Department have had with the Rail Delivery Group on the provision of baby changing facilities across the rail network. (200785)
- 733 **Yasmin Qureshi** (Bolton South East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent discussions officials in his Department have had with the Rail Delivery Group on the provision of public wifi across the rail network. (200787)
- 734 Yasmin Qureshi (Bolton South East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether officials in his Department have had discussions with the Rail Delivery Group on the potential merits of expanding the provision for set down and pick up areas for wheelchair and blue badge holders at railway stations across the network.
- 735 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent steps he has taken to tackle illegal e-scooter usage on public roads. (200873)
- 736 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what his policy is on the use of bilingual street signs in England. (200904)
- 737 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent assessment he has made of the potential impact of trends in the number of car parks using pay and display machines on people who have difficulties using digital technology. (201891)
- 738 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much funding his Department has provided to increase electric vehicle charging points in the London Borough of Havering in each of the last five years for which figures are available. (201895)

- **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will make an assessment of the implications for his policies of the cost of insuring electric cars. (200597)
- 740 Cat Smith (Lancaster and Fleetwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether his Department plans to reopen the railway line into Fleetwood as part of Network North. (201676)
- **Cat Smith** (Lancaster and Fleetwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much and what proportion of the HS2 budget will be allocated to transport upgrades in Lancaster and Fleetwood constituency. (201677)
- 742 Alex Sobel (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, on what date Leeds Bradford Airport submitted its application for designation as a coordinated airport. (201493)
- **Derek Thomas** (St Ives): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what progress has been made on (a) the upgrade to the A30 between Penzance and Camborne and (b) other road schemes submitted for consideration in the third road investment strategy. (201277)
- **Sir Gavin Williamson** (South Staffordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether his Department plans to help improve the frequency of bus services in rural areas; and if he will increase funding for the provision of additional buses in those areas where services are infrequent. (202525)
- **Sir Gavin Williamson** (South Staffordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will hold discussions with the Chief Executive of National Express on cuts to transport services in South Staffordshire. (202526)
- **Sir Gavin Williamson** (South Staffordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether his Department plans to hold discussions with car manufacturers on helping to ensure there is a provision of a range of wheelchair accessible battery electric vehicles. (202527)
- **Peter Aldous** (Waveney): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of extending the repayment period for Advance Payments to 36 months as a means of reducing the monthly rate of deductions from Universal Credit. (201233)
- **Peter Aldous** (Waveney): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what recent assessment he has made of the effectiveness of (a) oral and (b) written communication with Universal Credit claimants at explaining how to request a lower rate of deductions from Universal Credit. (201234)
- **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps he is taking to ensure the accuracy of state pension payments. (201014)

- 750 **Deidre Brock** (Edinburgh North and Leith): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that people receiving the Disability Element of Working Tax Credits are not disadvantaged in the transition to Universal Credit. (200978)
- 751 **Stephen Farry** (North Down): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether he plans to uprate social security benefits for 2024-25 in line with the Consumer Price Index rate published on 16 October 2023. (201495)
- Nick Fletcher (Don Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, pursuant to the Answer of 26 June 2023 to Question 189864 on Public Lavatories: Men, when the Health and Safety Executive plans to review its guidance on the disposal of sanitary dressings in toilets for men; and whether there will be a public consultation on this matter.
- 753 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many jobcentres have specialist assistive technology installed on their customer computer kiosks. (200810)
- 754 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what recent assessment his Department has made of the suitability of hardware and software installed in jobcentres to assist jobseeker with complex disabilities. (200819)
- 755 **Vicky Foxcroft** (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many staff are employed in his Department's Economic, Serious and Organised Crime team as of 13 October 2023. (200952)
- 756 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what estimate his Department has made of the number of jobseekers with complex disabilities who have received one to one support from a Work Coach in each of the last three years. (201054)
- 757 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what training work coaches receive on supporting jobseekers with complex disabilities. (201055)
- 758 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what estimate his Department has made of the number of people with complex disabilities who have been referred to a Disability Employment Advisor in each of the last three years for which data is available. (201056)
- 759 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, when the British Sign Language (BSL) Advisory Board last met; if he will publish the minutes of that meeting; and when the next meeting of the BSL Advisory Board is due to take place. (201099)
- 760 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many people have taken part in the severe disability group test group as of 13 October 2023; and how those people were selected. (201287)

- 761 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many people have received support through the universal support programme as of 13 October 2023. (201570)
- 762 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many people have moved into employment as a result of assistance provided through the universal support programme as of 13 October 2023. (201571)
- 763 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what training Jobcentre work coaches receive on identifying potential recipients of the Universal Support programme. (201597)
- 764 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what the initial Universal Support programme assessment comprises. (201598)
- 765 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what information his Department holds on the number of assessors employed by contractors to carry out Access to Work assessments in the latest period for which data is available. (201635)
- 766 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many people were employed by his Department to determine the outcome of Access to Work assessments as of 1 October 2023. (201636)
- 767 Matt Hancock (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many people applied for an access to work grant in the last year; and what proportion of those applications are from people at the start of their employment. (202316)
- 768 Matt Hancock (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what the average processing time for employees to receive their reasonable adjustments after applying for an access to work grant has been over the last 12 months.
- 769 Matt Hancock (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether his Department is taking steps to reduce the time taken for employees to receive their reasonable adjustments after applying for an access to work grant.

 (202318)
- 770 Claire Hanna (Belfast South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether his Department plans to provide evidence to the UN Committee on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities. (201324)
- 771 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how much their Department spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-2023 financial year. (201118)

- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of the Prime Minister's announcement on a smokefree generation on 4 October 2023 on his Department's policies; and what representations he has received from employers in the tobacco industry on that announcement.
- 773 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how much the Disabled People's Employment Corporation (GB) Ltd spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202331)
- 774 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how much the Health and Safety Executive spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202332)
- 775 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how much the Independent Case Examiner spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202333)
- 776 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how much the Industrial Injuries Advisory Council spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202334)
- 777 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how much the Money and Pensions Service spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202335)
- 778 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how much the National Employment Savings Trust Corporation spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202336)
- 779 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how much the Office for Nuclear Regulation spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202337)
- 780 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how much the Pension Protection Fund spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202338)
- 781 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how much the Pension Protection Fund Ombudsman spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202339)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how much the Pensions Ombudsman spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202340)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how much the Pensions Regulator spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year.

- 784 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how much the Remploy Pension Scheme Trustees Ltd spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202342)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how much the Social Security Advisory Committee spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202343)
- **Conor McGinn** (St Helens North): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what recent assessment his Department has made of the potential impact of inflation on pensioners in (a) St Helens North constituency and (b) the North West.
- **Alison McGovern** (Wirral South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what the total budget underspend for the Office for Nuclear Radiation was for the financial year 2022-23. (200835)
- **Alison McGovern** (Wirral South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, when he plans to approve the budget for the Office for Nuclear Radiation for the financial year 2023-24. (200837)
- **Alison McGovern** (Wirral South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what the average number of children is in single-parent households where that parent is a benefit claimant and searching for work. (200984)
- **Alison McGovern** (Wirral South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what the average number of children is in couple households where both parents are benefit claimants and searching for work. (200985)
- 791 Alison McGovern (Wirral South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what the average number of children is in couple households where one parent is a benefit claimant and searching for work and one parent has no work requirements. (200986)
- **Alison McGovern** (Wirral South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what the average number of benefit claimants per work coach was December 2019. (200987)
- **Alison McGovern** (Wirral South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what the average number of benefit claimants per work coach is as of September 2023. (200988)
- **Alison McGovern** (Wirral South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps his Department has taken to advertise its employment schemes to employers. (202295)
- **Alison McGovern** (Wirral South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps his Department plans to take to increase employers' engagement with its employment schemes. (202296)

- 796 Alison McGovern (Wirral South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps his Department plans to take to advertise Sector-based Work Academy Programmes to employers. (202297)
- 797 **Alison McGovern** (Wirral South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps his Department plans to take to advertise the JCP and DWP Work trial programme to employers. (202298)
- 798 **Abena Oppong-Asare** (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if his Department will publish a report on the outcome of the pension credit public awareness campaign. (202490)
- 799 **Abena Oppong-Asare** (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether there were significant changes in the level of uptake of pension credit claims after the launch of the invitation to claim trial. (202491)
- 800 **Kate Osamor** (Edmonton): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if his Department will take steps to ensure that attendance allowance forms can be submitted electronically. (201732)
- 801 Lloyd Russell-Moyle (Brighton, Kemptown): To ask the Secretary of State for the Department of Work and Pensions, whether he plans to accept the invitation from Garden Court Chambers to attend mediation talks with Joanne Welch from CEDAWinLAW on an alternative dispute resolution for women born in the 1950s who were affected by changes in the State Pension age. (201066)
- Jim Shannon (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if he will make it his Department's policy to conduct all Personal Independence Payment assessments in person. (200608)
- Jim Shannon (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many Employment and Support Allowance claimants with cystic fibrosis as their main disabling condition have been (a) placed in the support group,
 (b) placed in the work-related activity group and (c) found fit for work at Work Capability Assessments in each year since 2013.
- Jim Shannon (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many Universal Credit claimants with cystic fibrosis as their main disabling condition have been (a) placed in the limited capability for work-related activity group, (b) placed in the limited capability for work group and (c) found fit for work at Work Capability Assessments in each year since 2013. (201227)
- 805 Alex Sobel (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether his Department is taking steps to increase understanding amongst employers of endometriosis and its impact on people affected. (201031)
- 806 **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of introducing discretionary payments for bereavement support. (201564)

- 807 **Liz Twist** (Blaydon): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, pursuant to the Answer of 19 September 2023 to Question 199184 on Disability Living Allowance and Personal Independence Payment: Internet, which postcodes are eligible for the online application service for PIP launched on 27 July; and what criterion was used to select these postcodes. (201483)
- 808 **Bob Blackman** (Harrow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether it remains the Government's policy to meet its smokefree 2030 target of an adult smoking prevalence of 5% or less. (200965)
- 809 **Bob Blackman** (Harrow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the Written Statement of 17 April 2023, HCWS710, on Achieving Smokefree 2030: cutting smoking and stopping kids vaping, whether his Department has conducted modelling on the potential impact of the measures outlined in the statement on progress towards the target of reducing smoking rates to 5% or less by 2030.
- 810 Andrew Bridgen (North West Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what (a) trials and (b) tests were conducted to ensure the (i) safety and (ii) efficiency of mixing and matching covid-19 vaccines and boosters from different manufacturers; and when those trials and tests were conducted. (200606)
- Richard Burgon (Leeds East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that the average ambulance response time to category two incidents is at least 30 minutes by the 2023-24 financial year.
- 812 **Richard Burgon** (Leeds East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to (a) discharge patients from hospitals and (b) reduce the number of patients in hospital who do not meet residency criteria. (201275)
- 813 **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the guidance entitled Vaccination against shingles guide from September 2023, updated on 22 August 2023, whether his Department made an assessment of the potential merits of providing all people aged between 65 and 69 a free vaccination for shingles. (200930)
- 814 Amy Callaghan (East Dunbartonshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what proportion of civil servants (a) at grade senior civil servant 2 and (b) on full-time equivalent contracts in his Department are women. (201652)
- 815 Amy Callaghan (East Dunbartonshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what proportion of civil servants on temporary contracts in his Department are women. (201653)

- 816 Dan Carden (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to his Department's press release of 15 August 2023 on £250 million to boost NHS capacity with 900 new beds, what baseline number was used to calculate the announcement of 5,000 additional beds as part of the permanent bed base for winter.
- 817 Dan Carden (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that 76% of patients are admitted, transferred or discharged within four hours in A&Es by March 2024. (201179)
- 818 Andy Carter (Warrington South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to reduce endoscopy waiting lists in (a) Cheshire and Merseyside Integrated Care System and (b) Warrington. (200604)
- 819 **Wendy Chamberlain** (North East Fife): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department takes to monitor the number of children with home addresses in England that are placed in residential care in Scotland. (201538)
- 820 **Wendy Chamberlain** (North East Fife): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many children with primary family addresses in England are in residential care in Scotland as of 13 October 2023. (201539)
- 821 Wendy Chamberlain (North East Fife): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to (a) monitor and (b) inspect residential care homes in Scotland where (i) referrals are made for children residing in England and (ii) children with primary home addresses in England are staying.
- 822 **Bambos Charalambous** (Enfield, Southgate): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the Written Ministerial Statement of 17 April 2023 on Achieving Smokefree 2030: cutting smoking and stopping kids vaping, HCWS710, whether his Department has made an assessment of modelling on the potential effectiveness of each of the proposed steps in helping reduce smoking rates to 5% or less by 2030. (200929)
- 823 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 12 September 2023 to Question 199250 on General Practitioners: Enfield North, how many (a) branch and (b) main surgeries there are in Enfield North constituency. (200811)
- 824 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether it remains his Department's policy to reduce the prevalence of smoking among adults to 5% or less by 2030. (200948)
- 825 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the Written Statement of 17 April 2023 on Achieving Smokefree 2030: cutting smoking and stopping kids vaping, HCWS710, what

- modelling his Department has conducted on the impact the steps outlined in that Statement will have on efforts to reduce smoking rates to 5% or less in England by 2030. (200949)
- 826 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to MBRRACE-UK's report entitled UK Perinatal Deaths for Births from January to December 2021, published in September 2023, what assessment he has made of the implications for his Department's polices of that report's finding that neonatal mortality increased in 2021 across all gestational age groups.
- 827 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to reach his target of reducing pre-term births from 8% to 6% by 2025. (200951)
- 828 Elliot Colburn (Carshalton and Wallington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what his policy is on whether (a) trans women with a gender recognition certificate will be banned from and (b) trans men will be expected to use female wards; and whether this policy will apply in all (i) healthcare settings and (ii) circumstances. (201656)
- 829 Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of the cap mechanism in the Voluntary Scheme for Branded Medicines Pricing and Access on (a) levels of investment in late stage clinical trials and (b) decisions taken by pharmaceutical companies regarding (i) whether and (ii) when to launch medicines in the UK. (201606)
- 830 Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the proposed update to the 2023 statutory scheme to control the cost of branded health services medicines, whether other policy options were included on his Department's long-list as alternatives to those included in the final consultation. (201607)
- 831 Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the proposed update to the 2023 statutory scheme to control the cost of branded health services medicines, what (a) evidential basis and (b) analysis his Department considered when proposing to keep growth in the branded medicines bill in real terms decline, at 2 per cent per annum. (201608)
- 832 Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he plans to refer the Impact Assessment for the 2023 statutory scheme to control the cost of branded health services medicines to the Regulatory Policy Committee.
 (201609)
- 833 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of including policies on epilepsy in the the Major Conditions Strategy. (201691)

- Baisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make it his policy to provide healthy alternatives to cows' milk under the Nursery Milk Scheme for children who cannot consume cow's milk for (a) medical, (b) ethical and (c) religious reasons.
- 835 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make it his policy to ensure that results from privately purchased rapid lateral flow tests for Covid-19 can be reported on the Gov.uk website. (201718)
- 836 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will take steps to enable individuals who are not eligible for the autumn 2023 covid booster vaccine to purchase the vaccine. (201720)
- 837 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make it his policy to require breast cancer screening invitations to include an appointment time. (201786)
- 838 Marsha De Cordova (Battersea): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to reduce the number of people with autism that are confined to inpatient care in mental health hospitals. (200953)
- 839 Marsha De Cordova (Battersea): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he plans to set targets for reducing the number of people with autism without a learning disability that are confined to inpatient care in mental health hospitals. (200954)
- 840 **Peter Dowd** (Bootle): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to encourage the uptake of flu vaccination across (a) support staff and (b) other professions working in the NHS. (201180)
- Peter Dowd (Bootle): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what proportion of (a) paediatric and (b) adult cystic fibrosis centres did not provide at least 85 per cent of their patients with psychological support at their annual review in (i) 2021 and (ii) 2022. (201599)
- 842 **Bill Esterson** (Sefton Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to respond to the email of 27 July 2023 from the Hon. member for Sefton Central, Case reference BE12979, on the use of medical equipment in people's homes. (201223)
- 843 **Tim Farron** (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many and what proportion of people registered with an NHS dentist are within the (a) Lancashire and South Cumbria Integrated Care Board and (b) North East and North Cumbria Integrated Care System as of 13 October 2023.
- 844 **Nick Fletcher** (Don Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an assessment of the adequacy of the level of provision of sanitary bins for men experiencing incontinence in (a) male public toilets and (b) other public spaces. (201271)

- 845 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the level of public awareness of the National Reporting and Learning System; and whether he is taking steps to raise awareness of the system.

 (201356)
- 846 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how the National Reporting and Learning System works alongside independent reports to individual (a) clinics, (b) hospitals, (c) Patient Advice and Liaison Services and (d) Clinical Commissioning Groups which are dealt with in-house.
- 847 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how patient safety incidents were reported before the introduction of the National Reporting and Learning System (NRLS); and what data he holds on the number of such incidents recorded in (a) each of the five years (i) before and (ii) after the introduction of the NRLS and (b) in each of the last five years. (201358)
- 848 Mary Kelly Foy (City of Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of childhood obesity levels in (a) City of Durham constituency, (b) County Durham, (c) the North East and (d) England; and what steps his Department is taking to tackle childhood obesity in each of those areas.
- 849 **Richard Fuller** (North East Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to reduce regional variation in the dementia diagnosis rate. (200733)
- 850 **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of trends in the level of demand for patient transport services in each regional ambulance service in England in the last 12 months.
- 851 **Mrs Helen Grant** (Maidstone and The Weald): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he plans to take with Cabinet colleagues to help support people with obsessive compulsive disorder in (a) the workplace and (b) other public settings.
- 852 **Jonathan Gullis** (Stoke-on-Trent North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of implementing a pilot programme for screening cardiac conditions associated with sudden cardiac death. (200709)
- 853 **Fabian Hamilton** (Leeds North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent discussions he has had with the Association of the British Pharmaceutical Industry on the level of the voluntary scheme for branded medicines pricing and access tax rebate. (200959)

- 854 Matt Hancock (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the independent report entitled Commercial clinical trials in the UK: the Lord O'Shaughnessy review final report, published in May 2023, what steps the Government has taken to implement that report's recommendations; and if he will he make a statement. (201541)
- 855 Matt Hancock (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to recommendation 7 of the independent report entitled Commercial clinical trials in the UK: the Lord O'Shaughnessy review final report, published in May 2023, what plans the Government has to (a) set and (b) meet annual targets for increasing commercial clinical trials in the UK. (201542)
- 856 Matt Hancock (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to recommendations 14 and 15 of the independent report entitled Commercial clinical trials in the UK: the Lord O'Shaughnessy review final report, published in May 2023, what plans the Government has to promote research (a) opportunities and (b) campaigns among clinicians and the public. (201543)
- 857 Matt Hancock (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to recommendations 22 and 23 of the independent report entitled Commercial clinical trials in the UK: the Lord O'Shaughnessy review final report, published in May 2023, whether the Government plans to set out a strategy for increasing clinical trial activity in primary care settings. (201544)
- 858 Matt Hancock (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to recommendations 2 and 3 of the independent report entitled Commercial clinical trials in the UK: the Lord O'Shaughnessy review final report, published in May 2023, whether the Government has taken steps to reduce the (a) regulatory burden of and (b) turnaround time for approving clinical trials.

 (201545)
- 859 Matt Hancock (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if will he make an oral statement to the House on the Government's response to Lord O'Shaughnessy's review into commercial clinical trials in the UK.

 (201546)
- 860 Matt Hancock (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to assess the cost-effectiveness of his Department's preventive healthcare strategies; and whether his Department has conducted research on the (a) cost-effectiveness and (b) impact on public health outcomes of preventive healthcare interventions. (201748)
- Matt Hancock (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what data his Department holds on the effectiveness of preventive healthcare (a) programs and (b) interventions at (i) increasing average life expectancy and (b) reducing the incidence of preventable diseases in the last 10 years; and whether his Department has conducted research on the effectiveness of individual preventive healthcare (A) programs and (B) interventions. (201749)

- 862 Matt Hancock (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what funding he has allocated to spending on preventive healthcare in the next fiscal year. (201750)
- 863 Matt Hancock (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of joint working between (a) health services, (b) social care services and (c) local councils on the prevention of fractures caused by osteoporosis. (201751)
- 864 Matt Hancock (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to publish a vaccine strategy. (201752)
- 865 Matt Hancock (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of levels of (a) patient and (b) staff satisfaction with hospital food. (201753)
- 866 Matt Hancock (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many NHS trusts have a named board member with responsibility for hospital food. (201754)
- 867 Matt Hancock (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to publish the measurement criteria for the effectiveness of improvements in hospital food. (201755)
- 868 Matt Hancock (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he plans to stockpile personal protective equipment for potential future pandemics. (201756)
- 869 Matt Hancock (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many items of what sort of personal protective equipment he plans to stockpile for future pandemics; and what account he has taken of previous experience in deciding levels and sorts of such equipment. (201757)
- 870 Matt Hancock (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to help maintain a resilient supply chain for personal protective equipment. (201758)
- 871 Matt Hancock (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many children were receiving auditory verbal therapy in England as of 6 October 2023; if his Department will make an estimate of the number of deaf children in England who might benefit from such therapy; if his Department will make an assessment of the (a) accessibility of auditory verbal therapy to deaf children through the NHS and (b) potential social return on further investment in that therapy; and whether his Department has plans to provide investment to train an additional 300 specialist therapists as recommended by Auditory Verbal UK.

- 872 Claire Hanna (Belfast South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of making Dental (a) Foundation and (b) Vocational Training mandatory for dentists entering private practice. (200923)
- 873 Claire Hanna (Belfast South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he plans to review the standards of training for dentistry students.

 (200925)
- Claire Hanna (Belfast South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of increasing the clinical experience dentists receive before becoming eligible to practise. (200926)
- 875 **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an assessment of the potential impact of shortages in prescription drugs (a) Atorvastatin and (b) Bumetanide on patients who are regularly prescribed those drugs; and if he will make a statement. (200809)
- 876 **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent estimate he has made of the number of (a) hospitals and (b) other healthcare facilities that contain reinforced autoclaved aerated concrete (RAAC) in (i) Lambeth and (ii) Southwark. (200938)
- 877 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has held discussions with NHS England on the potential merits of making cystic fibrosis prescriptions free. (202064)
- 878 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure the NHS has adequate numbers of cystic fibrosis specialists. (202065)
- 879 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an estimate of the cost to the NHS of providing healthcare to people who have registered as patients since migrating to the UK since 2010. (202291)
- 880 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of raising of the age at which someone can purchase cigarettes by a year each successive year on NHS spending. (202292)
- 881 Wera Hobhouse (Bath): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the adequacy of the scope of draft NICE guidelines on haemochromatosis with regards to (a) known forms of haemochromatosis and (b) pathogenic variants attributable to other genetic mutations associated with iron overload.
- Wera Hobhouse (Bath): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what information his Department holds on the reasons for which the drafting process for NICE guidelines on haemochromatosis was paused in April 2023. (201341)

- **Mrs Sharon Hodgson** (Washington and Sunderland West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of contracting (a) rehabilitation, (b) therapy and (c) other similar services for key workers.
- **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will take steps to increase access to cannabis-based medicinal products on the NHS. (201631)
- **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that the procurement process for NHS England's federated data platform (a) is transparent, (b) ensures equality of treatment for all potential suppliers and (c) does not advantage incumbents.
- **Simon Jupp** (East Devon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an estimate of the cost of doubling (a) Magnetic resonance imaging and (b) computerised tomography scanning capacity in the NHS over a five year period. (201886)
- **Simon Jupp** (East Devon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an estimate of the annual cost of moving social care workers onto a single contract and set of terms and conditions. (201887)
- 888 Daniel Kawczynski (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the reasons for regional differences in waiting times for access to NHS specialist menopause services. (200960)
- **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 setting a target for hospitals to not exceed 85 per cent occupancy levels. (201162)
- **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps the Government is taking to reduce the number and proportion of patients waiting in emergency departments for 12 hours or more from their time of arrival. (201163)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care,
 how much their Department spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022 2023 financial year.
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has held discussions with the UK Health Security Agency on the implications for its policies of trends in cimicosis infestations in France. (201774)
- 893 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has made an assessment of the potential impact of the availability of face-to-face GP appointments on trends in the number of young people opting for (a) online and (b) telephone GP appointments.

- 894 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much the Administration of Radioactive Substances Advisory Committee spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202237)
- 895 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much the Advisory Committee on Clinical Impact Awards spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202238)
- 896 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much the British Pharmacopoeia Commission spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202239)
- 897 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much the Care Quality Commission spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202240)
- 898 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much the Commission on Human Medicines spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202242)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much the Committee on Mutagenicity of Chemicals in Food, Consumer Products and the Environment spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year.
- 900 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much Health Education England spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202244)
- 901 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much the Health Research Authority spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202245)
- 902 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much the Human Fertilisation and Embryology Authority spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202246)
- 903 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much the Independent Reconfiguration Panel spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202247)
- 904 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much the Medicines and Healthcare products Regulatory Agency spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202248)
- 905 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much the National Data Guardian spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202249)

- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much the National Institute for Health and Care Excellence spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202250)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much the NHS Blood and Transplant spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202251)
- 908 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much the NHS Business Services Authority spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202252)
- 909 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much the NHS Counter Fraud Authority spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202253)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much NHS Digital spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202254)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much NHS England spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202255)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much the NHS Pay Review Body spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202256)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much the NHS Resolution spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202257)
- 914 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much the Review Body on Doctors' and Dentists' Remuneration spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202258)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much the UK Health Security Agency spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202259)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what data his Department holds on the number of body cameras that have been issued to (a) doctors and (b) nurses in hospitals since 1 January 2023; and what guidance his Department has issued on the use of body cameras in healthcare settings.
- **Ben Lake** (Ceredigion): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much funding his Department has allocated to research into treatment of diffuse intrinsic pontine glioma in children in each of the past 10 years. (200854)

- 918 **Ian Lavery** (Wansbeck): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to increase the number of people working in the social care sector. (201215)
- 919 Andrew Lewer (Northampton South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment he has made of the effectiveness of Mental Health Support Teams in reducing levels of demand on Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services. (200956)
- 920 Clive Lewis (Norwich South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what factors its Department (a) considers and (b) advocates as a priority on the cross-agency topic prioritisation group; and if he will make a statement. (201396)
- 921 Clive Lewis (Norwich South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department has had recent discussions with NHS England on expanding the provision of clinical care for Tourette Syndrome. (201397)
- 922 **Simon Lightwood** (Wakefield): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department plans to take to improve the way referrals are made by schools to Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services, in the context of Coroner Abigail Combes' prevention of future deaths report in September 2023.

 (200982)
- 923 **Mark Logan** (Bolton North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what digital health collaboration is in place between the UK and (a) India, (b) Japan and (c) Israel as of 13 October 2023. (201468)
- 924 **Rebecca Long Bailey** (Salford and Eccles): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he plans to make financial support available for patients with (a) avoidant restrictive food intake disorder and (b) other eating disorders to help with the cost of living. (201519)
- 925 **Rebecca Long Bailey** (Salford and Eccles): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the report entitled Fit for the Future, published by the Royal College of General Practitioners in May 2023, whether he is taking steps to (a) increase the amount of space available for GP surgeries to operate in under current conditions and (b) secure additional space for training GPs in the future; and whether he is taking steps with Cabinet colleagues to increase the level of funding available for upgrading NHS premises. (201733)
- 926NRachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the policy paper entitled National Partnership Agreement: Right Care, Right Person, published on 26 July 2023, if he will make an assessment of the (a) potential impact of people not being attended to by the police and (b) adequacy of staff powers to support their patient under Sections 135 and 136 on the number of people in a mental health crisis that (i) an ambulance is called for and (ii) are admitted at accident and emergency departments.

- Pachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the policy paper entitled National Partnership Agreement: Right Care, Right Person, published 26 July 2023, what assessment he has made of the potential role of the voluntary and community sector in supporting integrated care boards (ICBs) with tackling mental health challenges in the community; and if he will take steps to ensure that ICBs consult that sector on the design and implementation of the Right Care, Right Person agreement. (200714)
- **Conor McGinn** (St Helens North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to support the (a) recruitment and (b) retention of mental health specialists in St Helens North constituency. (200707)
- **Damien Moore** (Southport): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to support people who have experienced harm as a result of the hormone pregnancy drug Primodos. (201600)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment he has made of the adequacy of access to GP services in Portsmouth South constituency. (201086)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment he has made of the adequacy of access to dentistry services in Portsmouth South constituency. (201087)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent estimate he has made of the number of people on waiting lists for GP appointments in Portsmouth South constituency. (201088)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent estimate he has made of the number of people on waiting lists for dentistry appointments in Portsmouth South constituency. (201089)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to improve access to (a) GP services and (b) dentistry services in Portsmouth South constituency. (201090)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to improve recruitment and retention in (a) GP services and (b) dentistry services in Portsmouth South constituency. (201091)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what modelling his Department has conducted to estimate that the steps outlined in the Minister for Primary Care and Public Health's Written Statement of 11 April 2023 on Achieving Smokefree 2030: cutting smoking and stopping kids vaping, UIN HCWS710, will help reduce smoking rates to 5% or less in England by 2030.
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what progress his Department has made on reducing adult smoking rates to 5% or less in England by 2030. (201316)

- 938 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of expanding the number of mutual recognition schemes in dentistry qualifications. (201317)
- 939 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what discussions he has had with the General Dental Council on steps to help reduce the time taken to approve qualified dentists. (201318)
- 940 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what discussions he has had with the General Dental Council on proposed changes to the Overseas Registration Exam. (201320)
- 941 Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make it his policy to establish a mental health emergency helpline. (200804)
- 942 Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many NHS physicians there were per 10,000 people in January (a) 2010 and (b) 2023. (201473)
- 943 **Charlotte Nichols** (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many and what proportion of NHS dentists are accepting new adult patients that are not entitled to free dental care as of October 2023. (201630)
- 944 Caroline Nokes (Romsey and Southampton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to increase the uptake of perinatal mental health services among ethnic minority communities. (201371)
- 945 Alex Norris (Nottingham North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the impact of masking on adult (a) autism and (b) ADHD assessments. (201688)
- 946 Alex Norris (Nottingham North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he has taken to improve (a) assessment and (b) diagnosis processes for adults with (i) autism and (ii) ADHD. (201689)
- 947 **Taiwo Owatemi** (Coventry North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that people with dementia are routinely offered the option of taking part in research. (200924)
- 948 **Taiwo Owatemi** (Coventry North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether it remains the Government's policy to reduce the prevalence of adult smoking to 5% or less by 2030. (201231)
- 949 **Taiwo Owatemi** (Coventry North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the Written Statement of 17 April 2023, HCWS710, on Achieving Smokefree 2030: cutting smoking and stopping kids vaping, whether his Department has conducted modelling on the potential impact of the measures outlined in that statement on progress towards the target of reducing smoking rates to 5% or less by 2030.

- 950 **Taiwo Owatemi** (Coventry North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much his Department spent on (a) consulting on the new name for Improving Access to Psychological Therapies services, b) rebranding these services (i) digitally and (ii) physically on (A) signs and (B) official documents and (c) informing patients of this name change.
- 951 **Sir Mike Penning** (Hemel Hempstead): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many biosafety level 4 labs are located in the UK. (202310)
- 952 **Sir Mike Penning** (Hemel Hempstead): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many biosafety level 4 labs are located in urban areas in the UK.

 (202311)
- 953 **Sir Mike Penning** (Hemel Hempstead): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what oversight protocols are in place for biosafety level 4 labs in the UK. (202312)
- 954 **Sir Mike Penning** (Hemel Hempstead): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department has taken recent steps to help tackle the growth of (a) gain-of-function research and (b) any other research that modifies a virus or other pathogen to make it more transmissible, virulent and pathogenic in (i) the UK and (ii) other countries; and if he will make a statement. (202313)
- 955 **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to improve access to NHS dental services in Houghton and Sunderland South constituency. (201097)
- 956 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps her Department is taking to address the use of sweet flavoured nicotine powders by minors. (200974)
- 957 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will list the fertility treatments available through the NHS as of October 2023. (201696)
- 958 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what data his Department holds on the number of women undergoing NHS fertility treatment as of 13 October 2023. (201697)
- 959 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent steps his Department has taken to help support patients unable to access NHS dental services. (201893)
- 960 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will increase (a) funding and (b) staffing levels for vascular care. (200602)
- 961 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will take steps to develop coeliac endoscopy NHS waiting lists. (200717)

- 962 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department plans to review the approval thresholds for new medications used by the National Institute for Health and Care Excellence. (201211)
- 963 **Tulip Siddiq** (Hampstead and Kilburn): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of prioritising the covid-19 vaccine booster programme for people diagnosed with long-covid.

 (201364)
- 964 Cat Smith (Lancaster and Fleetwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent progress he has made towards its target of an adult smoking prevalence of 5% or less by 2030. (200885)
- 965 Cat Smith (Lancaster and Fleetwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the Written Statement of 11 April 2023 on Achieving Smokefree 2030: cutting smoking and stopping kids vaping, HCWS710, what modelling his Department has undertaken on how the steps outlined in that statement will help bring smoking rates down to 5% or less in England by 2030.
- 966 Cat Smith (Lancaster and Fleetwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has plans to improve access to NHS dentistry in Lancaster and Fleetwood constituency. (201968)
- 967 Alex Sobel (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to retain NHS phlebotomists. (200846)
- 968 **Wes Streeting** (Ilford North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, by what date he plans to publish the full design for Hospital 2.0. (201015)
- 969 **Wes Streeting** (Ilford North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will provide a list of hospital projects he plans to construct using Hospital 2.0 designs. (201016)
- 970 **Wes Streeting** (Ilford North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many virtual beds are in use in the NHS. (201262)
- 971 **Wes Streeting** (Ilford North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many patients were treated in virtual beds in the NHS in England in September 2023. (201263)
- 972 **Wes Streeting** (Ilford North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many staffed hospital beds were in use in the NHS on 27 September (a) 2022 and (b) 2023. (201264)
- 973 **Wes Streeting** (Ilford North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many ambulances were in use in the NHS in September (a) 2022 and (b) 2023. (201265)

- **Wes Streeting** (Ilford North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many specialist mental health ambulances were in use in the NHS in September (a) 2022 and (b) 2023. (201266)
- **Wes Streeting** (Ilford North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many and what proportion of NHS hospitals (a) provide and (b) do not provide same-day emergency care services. (201267)
- **Wes Streeting** (Ilford North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many retired clinicians were employed by NHS 111 in (a) April and (b) September 2023. (201268)
- **Wes Streeting** (Ilford North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the policy paper entitled 2023 to 2025 Better Care Fund policy framework, published on 5 April 2023, how his Department is using the additional £1.6 billion funding for the discharge of hospital patients into social care.
- **Wes Streeting** (Ilford North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many and what proportion of hospitals (a) have and (b) do not have care transfer hubs. (201270)
- **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to help ensure that new disease-modifying treatments for dementia will be available on the NHS. (200922)
- **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to help support people living with epilepsy. (201484)
- **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to help manage the (a) affordability and (b) value for money in the cost of medicines purchased by patients. (201485)
- **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to help support patients receiving end-of-life care. (201486)
- **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether the Government is taking steps to reduce inequalities in access to medicinal cannabis prescribed under the NHS. (201487)
- **Derek Thomas** (St Ives): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of directing the Care Quality Commission to assess the adequacy of care home laundry hygiene standards. (202500)

- 985 **Justin Tomlinson** (North Swindon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what data his Department holds on obesity rates among children in the last five years; and when he plans to publish his Department's most recent data on Overweight children. (201737)
- 986 **Mr Ben Wallace** (Wyre and Preston North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what progress his Department has made on the New Hospital Programme in Preston and Lancaster; and if he will make a statement. (201366)
- 987 Catherine West (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the Delivery plan for recovering urgent and emergency care services, published on 30 January 2023, what progress he has made on increasing clinical support for 111 online and urgent call services. (200847)
- 988 Catherine West (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to his Department's Written Statement of 11 April 2023, on Achieving Smokefree 2030: cutting smoking and stopping kids vaping, HCWS710, what modelling his Department has done of how the steps outlined in that Statement will help bring smoking rates down to 5% or less in England by 2030.
- 989 **Dr Philippa Whitford** (Central Ayrshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has plans with Cabinet colleagues to increase research funding into the (a) diagnosis and (b) treatment of blood cancers. (201728)
- 990 **Dr Philippa Whitford** (Central Ayrshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to page 35 of the report Tipping Point: The Future of Dementia, published by Alzheimer's Research UK in September 2023, whether his Department is taking steps to increase awareness among people with a dementia diagnosis about dementia (a) clinical trials and (b) other research. (201787)
- 991 **Sammy Wilson** (East Antrim): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department is taking steps to make primary care optometry the default option for glaucoma care. (200856)
- 992 **Sammy Wilson** (East Antrim): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department plans to issue guidance on hospital eye services partnering with local optometrists to deliver local care. (200857)
- 993 Sammy Wilson (East Antrim): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent progress he has made on delivering the Government's dementia moonshot commitment; and what recent estimate he has made of when that commitment will be delivered, in the context of the finding in Alzheimer's Research UK's report entitled Tipping Point: The Future of Dementia, published in September 2023, that every £1 invested in dementia research is expected to generate an average of £2.91 of economic benefits in the UK between 2020 and 2040.

- 994 **Daniel Zeichner** (Cambridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has made an assessment of the treatment by recruitment agencies of nurses working in social care who were recruited from India. (201650)
- 995 **Fleur Anderson** (Putney): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent discussions he has had with his French counterpart on facilitating school visits to France. (201098)
- 996 **Deidre Brock** (Edinburgh North and Leith): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what diplomatic discussions he has had with his counterparts in (a) African Union, (b) United Nations and (c) other countries on reaching a sustained ceasefire in Sudan. (200832)
- 997 **Deidre Brock** (Edinburgh North and Leith): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps the Government is taking as penholder for Sudan on the UN Security Council to (a) tackle the humanitarian situation in Sudan and (b) help ensure that human rights abuses are properly investigated. (200833)
- 998 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking to strengthen
 his Department's work on atrocity prevention; and if he will include engagement
 with political transition processes using an atrocity prevention lens framework
 within that work.

 (202530)
- 999 **Sir Christopher Chope** (Christchurch): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how much official development assistance has been provided to India to help (a) tackle climate change, (b) reduce carbon emissions and (c) achieve the Sustainable Development Goals in each of the last five years; and how much of that investment has been returned in each of the last five years.
- 1000 Martyn Day (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to help support religious minorities in Pakistan. (201379)
- 1001 Martyn Day (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what discussions he has had with his Pakistani counterpart on the persecution of religious minorities in that country.

 (201380)
- 1002 Martyn Day (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how much and what proportion of (a) humanitarian and (b) development funding his Department has provided to help support the human rights of minorities in Pakistan. (201381)

- 1003 **Peter Gibson** (Darlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether his Department is taking
 steps to establish a non-charitable interparliamentary organisation for the
 Commonwealth Parliamentary association.

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- 1004 **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what humanitarian assistance his
 Department is providing to people displaced by violence in Manipur. (200928)
- 1005 **Patrick Grady** (Glasgow North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent discussions he has had
 with cabinet colleagues about human rights in Saudi Arabia; and whether he has
 raised these issues with his Saudi Arabian counterpart. (201810)
- 1006 Patrick Grady (Glasgow North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether his Department has made
 an assessment of the adequacy of the Saudi Arabian human rights record in
 preparation for the visit by the Crown Prince of that country. (201811)
- 1007 **Patrick Grady** (Glasgow North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he plans to make
 representations on the human rights situation in Saudi Arabia with the Crown
 Prince of that country during his visit. (201812)
- 1008 Patrick Grady (Glasgow North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment his Department has
 made of the potential impact of the reduction in the annual aid budget on the
 UK's ability to fulfill its commitment to support developing countries to tackle
 climate change, as announced on 21 September 2023. (201853)
- 1009 Patrick Grady (Glasgow North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether his Department has made
 an assessment of the impact of the Government's climate finance spending on
 climate vulnerable countries. (201854)
- 1010 **Patrick Grady** (Glasgow North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to the Government's
 pledge to spend £11.6 billion on international climate finance between 2021 and
 2026, what steps his Department plans to take to support the delivery of that
 pledge.

 (201855)
- 1011 **Patrick Grady** (Glasgow North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of
 the adequacy of the level of UK Official Development Assistance in Syria. (201857)
- 1012 **Patrick Grady** (Glasgow North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he has taken to provide
 support for (a) victims of the violence and (b) protesters in Suwayda in Syria. (201858)

- 1013 **Patrick Grady** (Glasgow North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,

 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to

 support the human rights of the Saharawi people. (201859)
- 1014 **Patrick Grady** (Glasgow North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking to help prevent
 breaches of international humanitarian law in Western Sahara. (201860)
- 1015 **Fabian Hamilton** (Leeds North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he has had discussions with his
 Israeli counterpart on the demolition of Palestinian homes in Masafer Yatta. (201463)
- 1016 **Drew Hendry** (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to the report by the ONE Campaign entitled Getting a grip: How the Home Office should improve refugee and asylum seeker welfare and protect UK aid, published on 29 September 2023, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of the recommendations of that report. (202005)
- 1017 **Drew Hendry** (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues on the target of spending 0.7% of GDP on Official Development Assistance. (202006)
- 1018 Afzal Khan (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to the oral contribution
 of 3 February 2022 by the then Minister for the Middle East, North Africa and
 North America in the adjournment debate on Kazakhstan: Anti-corruption
 Sanctions, Official Report column 574, whether he plans he has to impose
 sanctions on (a) Timur Kulibayev, (b) Dinara Nazarbayeva, (c) Arvind Tiku, (d)
 Dariga Nazarbayeva, (e) Kairat Sharipbayev, (f) Nurali Aliyev, (g) Karim Massimov,
 (h) Aigul Nuriyeva, (i) Vladimir Kim, (j) Eduard Ogay, (k) Kenes Rakishev, (l) Sauat
 Mynbayev, (m) Alexander Mashkevich, (n) Patokh Chodiev, (o) Bulat Utemuratov,
 (p) Bolat Nazarbayev, (q) Akhmetzhan Yesimov, (r) Kairat Boranbayev, (s) Nuram
 Nigmatulin, (t) Baurzhan Baibek, (u) Marat Beketayev, (v) Alexander Klebanov, (w)
 Yakov Klebanov, (x) Kairat Satybaldy and (y) Samat Abish.
- 1019 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how much their Department spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-2023 financial year. (201120)
- 1020 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent discussions he has had with airlines on the potential merits of direct flights between the UK and Saint Helena. (201769)
- 1021 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the efficiency of UK consular assistance in Angola. (201827)

- 1022 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the efficiency of UK consular assistance in Burkina Faso. (201828)
- 1023 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the efficiency of UK consular assistance in Burundi. (201829)
- 1024 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the efficiency of UK consular assistance in Benin. (201830)
- 1025 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the efficiency of UK consular assistance in Botswana. (201831)
- 1026 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the efficiency of UK consular assistance in Congo. (201832)
- 1027 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the efficiency of UK consular assistance in Central African Republic. (201833)
- 1028 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the efficiency of UK consular assistance in Democratic Republic of the Congo. (201834)
- 1029 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the efficiency of UK consular assistance in Cote D'Lvoire. (201835)
- 1030 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the efficiency of UK consular assistance in Cameroon. (201836)
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- 1193 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the efficiency of UK consular assistance in Tajikistan. (202112)
- 1194 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the efficiency of UK consular assistance in Tanzania. (202113)
- 1195 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the efficiency of UK consular assistance in Thailand. (202114)
- 1196 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the efficiency of UK consular assistance in Timor-Leste. (202115)
- 1197 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the efficiency of UK consular assistance in Togo. (202116)
- 1198 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the efficiency of UK consular assistance in Tonga. (202117)
- 1199 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the efficiency of UK consular assistance in Trinidad and Tobago. (202118)
- 1200 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the efficiency of UK consular assistance in Tunisia. (202119)
- 1201 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the efficiency of UK consular assistance in Turkey. (202120)

- 1202 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the efficiency of UK consular assistance in Turkmenistan. (202121)
- 1203 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the efficiency of UK consular assistance in Tuvalu. (202122)
- 1204 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the efficiency of UK consular assistance in Uganda. (202123)
- 1205 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the efficiency of UK consular assistance in Ukraine. (202124)
- 1206 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the efficiency of UK consular assistance in the United Arab Emirates. (202125)
- 1207 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the efficiency of UK consular assistance in the US. (202126)
- 1208 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the efficiency of UK consular assistance in Uruguay. (202127)
- 1209 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the efficiency of UK consular assistance in Uzbekistan. (202128)
- 1210 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the efficiency of UK consular assistance in Vanuatu. (202129)
- 1211 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the efficiency of UK consular assistance in Venezuela. (202130)
- 1212 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the efficiency of UK consular assistance in Vietnam. (202131)
- 1213 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the efficiency of UK consular assistance in Yemen. (202132)

- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the efficiency of UK consular assistance in Zambia. (202133)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the efficiency of UK consular assistance in Zimbabwe. (202134)
- 1216 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of the recent diptheria outbreak in Nigeria. (202330)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how much the British Council spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202344)
- 1218 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how much the Commonwealth Scholarship Commission in the UK spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202345)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how much FCDO Services spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202346)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how much the Government Communications

 Headquarters spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year.
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how much the Great Britain-China Centre spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202348)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how much the HM Government Communications Centre spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202349)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how much the Independent Commission for Aid Impact spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202350)
- 1224 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how much the Marshall Aid Commemoration Commission spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year.

 (202352)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how much the Secret Intelligence Service spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202353)

- 1226 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how much the Westminster Foundation for Democracy spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202354)
- 1227 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how much Wilton Park spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202355)
- 1228 **Chris Law** (Dundee West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent discussions he has had
 with Cabinet colleagues on the human rights situation in Saudi Arabia; and
 whether he has raised that matter with his Saudi Arabian counterpart. (201051)
- 1229 **Chris Law** (Dundee West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether his Department has reviewed
 the Saudi Arabian human rights record ahead of the Crown Prince's planned visit
 to the UK. (201052)
- 1230 **Chris Law** (Dundee West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he plans to have discussions
 on Saudi Arabia's human rights (a) record and (b) ongoing situation with the
 Crown Prince during his planned visit to the UK. (201053)
- 1231 Mark Logan (Bolton North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to
 support BBC World Service broadcasts into North Korea. (201378)
- 1232 **Mark Logan** (Bolton North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment his Department
 has made of the level of uranium enrichment achieved by Iran. (201489)
- 1233 Mark Logan (Bolton North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps his Department is taking
 to (a) raise awareness of and (b) commemorate the Holodomor in the UK, in the
 context of the war in Ukraine. (201491)
- 1234 Caroline Lucas (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to Afghan Citizens
 Resettlement Scheme advice provided by his Department to Afghan nationals that
 they should travel to Pakistan for final checks stating that they can arrange their
 own accommodation in the UK, if he will issue guidance on the criteria required
 by the Government for those accommodation arrangements; and if he will make a
 statement.
- 1235 Caroline Lucas (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what estimate he has made of the
 number of UK (a) businesses and (b) other organisations (i) operating and (ii)
 cooperating with businesses in Xinjiang which have been implicated in human
 rights abuses; and if he will make a statement. (201640)

Kenny MacAskill (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assets owned by the UK Government are in Gaza.

(202269)

- **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,

 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent estimate he has made of
 the number of UK nationals that are in Gaza. (202270)
- **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how many staff work at the UK
 embassy in Israel. (202271)
- **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he has had recent discussions
 with his Israeli counterpart on taking steps to ensure (a) the safety and (b) safe
 passage for UK nationals in the Gaza Strip. (202272)
- **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,

 Commonwealth and Development, whether he has had recent discussions with
 the Government of Israel on upholding the Geneva conventions. (202273)
- **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how much aid his Department has
 provided for projects in Gaza since 2000. (202274)
- **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how much (a) aid and (b) other
 assistance (i) his Department and (ii) other UK-based organisations have sent to
 Gaza in each year since 2020. (202501)
- **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,

 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what reports he has received of the
 political situation in Sierra Leone since the June elections. (200800)
- 1244 John McNally (Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 18 September 2023 to Question 199460 on Members: Correspondence, and with refence to the letter from the Parliamentary Under Secretary of State for Europe to the hon. Member for Falkirk relating to a bereaved constituent, ref MC2023/14846, dated 14 September 2023, what forms of liaising his Department undertakes with the Turkish Government on this topic; and whether he is taking (a) bilateral and (b) other steps to help prevent deaths following private medical procedures in that county.
- **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what his Department's priorities are when allocating funding to curb antimicrobial resistance (AMR); and with reference to the recommendations of the UK's Special Envoy on AMR and the CEO

- of WaterAid UK, whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of changing priorities to favour spending on the improvement of water, sanitation and hygiene infrastructure in healthcare facilities. (200734)
- **Brendan O'Hara** (Argyll and Bute): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,

 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment has been made

 of the adequacy of the level of UK Official Development Assistance to Syria. (200920)
- **Brendan O'Hara** (Argyll and Bute): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking to support for
 (a) victims of violence and (b) protesters in Suwayda. (200921)
- **Kirsten Oswald** (East Renfrewshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether his Department is reviewing
 (a) commercial relations with and (b) UK imports of oil from Azerbaijan in the
 context of border violations and military manoeuvres in the Lachin Corridor. (201219)
- **Kirsten Oswald** (East Renfrewshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent discussions he has had
 with Cabinet colleagues on the human rights situation in Saudi Arabia. (201220)
- **Kirsten Oswald** (East Renfrewshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether his Department has conducted
 a review of Saudi Arabia's human rights record ahead of the Crown Prince's
 planned visit to the UK. (201221)
- **Kirsten Oswald** (East Renfrewshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he plans to discuss Saudi Arabia's human rights (a) record and (b) ongoing situation with the Crown Prince during his planned visit to the UK. (201222)
- **Kirsten Oswald** (East Renfrewshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to
 support the human rights of the Saharawi people. (201999)
- **Kirsten Oswald** (East Renfrewshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,

 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking to help prevent

 breaches of international humanitarian law in Western Sahara. (202000)
- **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking to help
 de-escalate recent violence in Artsakh or Nagorno-Karabakh. (200861)
- 1255 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,

 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the
 implications for his policies of levels of support for an independence referendum
 in the Western Cape. (200902)

- 1256 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,

 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made
 of the implications for his policies of the purported persecution of the Tamil
 population in northern Sri Lanka. (201553)
- **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how much his Department spent on the
 maintenance of British assets in the British Indian Ocean Territory in each of the
 last five years.
 (201554)
- **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,

 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of

 UK relations with Zimbabwe; and if he will make a statement. (201555)
- **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,

 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how many British nationals have
 requested consular assistance in Zimbabwe in each of the last five years. (201556)
- 1260 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,

 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how many of his Department's officials

 are stationed in Zimbabwe as of 13 October 2023. (201557)
- 1261 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if he will have discussions with Cabinet
 colleagues on the potential merits of flying the Commonwealth flag on (a)
 Government buildings and (b) national monuments all year round. (201698)
- **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if he has considered the potential
 merits of flying the Commonwealth flag on British (a) high commission and (b)
 embassy buildings. (201699)
- **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he has met his French
 counterpart since His Majesty the King's state visit to France in September 2023.

 (201700)
- **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,

 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether the Government plans to host
 the French President in the United Kingdom in the next 12 months. (201701)
- **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent discussions he has had
 with non-governmental organisations on the British Indian Ocean Territory Marine
 Protected Area; and if he will make a statement. (201703)
- **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,

 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he plans to visit Mauritius in
 the next 12 months. (201704)

- 1267 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent discussions he has had
 with his Mauritian counterpart on the British Indian Ocean Territory (Chagos
 Islands) Marine Protected Area. (201706)
- 1268 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent discussions his Department
 has had with Chagossian communities (a) in the UK and (b) elsewhere on
 proposals relating to the sovereignty of the Chagos Islands; and if he will make a
 statement.
- 1269 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how much his Department has spent
 on the (a) management and (b) enforcement of the British Indian Ocean Territory
 (Chagos Islands) Marine Protected Area in each of the last five years. (201709)
- 1270 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,

 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if he will make it his policy to
 compensate victims of acts of terrorism perpetrated by the IRA using Libyansupplied weapons. (201975)
- 1271 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if he will make an assessment of
 the potential merits of seeking a comprehensive trade agreement between
 Commonwealth member states. (201976)
- 1272 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made
 of the potential merits of using revenue raised from frozen Libyan assets to
 compensate people affected by acts of terrorism perpetrated by the IRA using
 Libyan-supplied weapons. (201977)
- 1273 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he (a) has taken and (b) plans
 to take steps with the Government of Libya to compensate people affected by acts
 of terrorism perpetrated by the IRA using Libyan-supplied weapons. (201978)
- 1274 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how much financial aid the
 Government has provided to Libya in each of the last five years. (201979)
- 1275 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps his Department have taken
 to (a) support and (b) protect Christians in the (i) Gaza Strip and (ii) West Bank. (201998)

- 1276 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps his Department is taking
 to support UN-led efforts to achieve a lasting and mutually acceptable political
 solution to the conflict in Western Sahara that provides for the self-determination
 of the people of Western Sahara. (202072)
- 1277 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,

 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment his Department has
 made of the impact of the conflict in Western Sahara on (a) the right to selfdetermination and (b) other human rights of people in the region. (202073)
- 1278 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,

 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to
 use soft power to promote dialogue and cooperation between the parties to the
 conflict in Western Sahara. (202074)
- 1279 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,

 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he has taken to help the
 government of Israel to secure the swift return of (a) British and (b) other Israelis
 taken captive by Hamas. (202502)
- 1280 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,

 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the
 role of hostile third-party states in Hamas's recent attacks on Israel. (202504)
- 1281 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,

 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the
 implications for his policies of reports that Iranian officials aided Hamas in its
 attack on Israel. (202505)
- 1282 Julian Sturdy (York Outer): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,

 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what information his Department holds
 on the amount of aid disbursed by the Disaster and Emergency Committee in

 Ukraine since the Russian invasion of that country. (201563)
- 1283 James Sunderland (Bracknell): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, for what reason his Department
 has not approved the draft Tax Information Exchange Agreement negotiated
 between the British Virgin Islands and Taiwan. (201328)
- 1284 **Richard Thomson** (Gordon): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent discussions he has had
 with Cabinet colleagues on the human rights situation in Saudi Arabia; and
 whether he has raised that matter with his Saudi Arabian counterpart. (201657)
- 1285 **Richard Thomson** (Gordon): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether his Department has reviewed
 the Saudi Arabian human rights record ahead of the Crown Prince's planned visit
 to the UK.

 (201658)

- 1286 **Richard Thomson** (Gordon): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he plans to have discussions
 with the Crown Prince of Saudi Arabia on that country's human rights situation
 during his planned visit to the UK. (201659)
- 1287 **Richard Thomson** (Gordon): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,

 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to

 support the human rights of the Saharawi people. (201861)
- 1288 **Richard Thomson** (Gordon): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,

 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking to help prevent

 breaches of international humanitarian law in Western Sahara. (201862)
- 1289 Claudia Webbe (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking with his
 international counterparts to help tackle reported human rights abuses in
 Manipur. (200730)
- 1290 **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will make an estimate of the number and proportion of people served with a seven-day notice to quit accommodation when section 95 support was ceased who were without alternative accommodation on leaving that accommodation in each of the last 12 months. (201523)
- 1291 Ian Byrne (Liverpool, West Derby): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to HM Chief Inspector of Prisons Report on an unannounced inspection of short-term holding facilities at Western Jet Foil, Manston and Kent Intake Unit, published on 6 June 2023, what steps her Department is taking to ensure that children are made to feel safe, supported and that their welfare and safeguarding needs are met those facilities. (202031)
- 1292 Ian Byrne (Liverpool, West Derby): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, in reference to HM Chief Inspector of Prisons Report on an unannounced inspection of short-term holding facilities at Western Jet Foil, Manston and Kent Intake Unit, published on 6 June 2023, what steps her Department is taking to help improve the facilities for children and young people at Western Jet Foil, Manston and Kent Intake Unit. (202032)
- 1293 Ian Byrne (Liverpool, West Derby): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to HM Chief Inspector of Prisons Report on an unannounced inspection of short-term holding facilities at Western Jet Foil, Manston and Kent Intake Unit, published on 6 June 2023, what steps she is taking to improve governance of adult and child safeguarding at those facilities. (202033)
- 1294 Ian Byrne (Liverpool, West Derby): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to HM Chief Inspector of Prisons' Report on an unannounced inspection of short-term holding facilities at Western Jet Foil, Manston and Kent Intake Unit, what steps she has taken in response to the

- concern that care planning for vulnerable detainees, children and those with disabilities was poor and did not demonstrate individual planning, risk assessment or meaningful welfare checks. (202034)
- 1295 Ian Byrne (Liverpool, West Derby): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to HM Chief Inspector of Prisons' Report on an unannounced inspection of short-term holding facilities at Western Jet Foil, Manston and Kent Intake Unit, what steps she has taken in response to the concern that there was limited evidence of engagement by staff with detainees to monitor their welfare or resolve concerns. (202035)
- 1296 Ian Byrne (Liverpool, West Derby): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to HM Chief Inspector of Prisons' Report on an unannounced inspection of short-term holding facilities at Western Jet Foil, Manston and Kent Intake Unit, what steps she has taken in response to the concern that during busy periods detainees had often been held for considerably longer in marquees in unacceptable conditions. (202036)
- 1297 **Sarah Champion** (Rotherham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether she plans to reinstate capital grants for police forces in England. (201400)
- 1298 Sarah Champion (Rotherham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will have discussions with LGBT (a) community organisations and (b) charities on steps the Government can take to help prevent homophobic and transphobic hate crimes. (202299)
- 1299 Elliot Colburn (Carshalton and Wallington): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to her speech to the American Enterprise Institute in Washington DC on 26 September 2023, whether she plans to change the asylum application process for people applying on the basis of persecution due to a protected characteristic. (201334)
- 1300 Elliot Colburn (Carshalton and Wallington): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to the Official Statistics on Hate Crime, England and Wales, 2022 to 2023, published on 5 October 2023, what assessment she has made of the reasons for the increase in hate crime against transgender people; and what steps her Department plans to take to tackle hate crime against transgender people.
- 1301N Mr
 - **David Davis** (Haltemprice and Howden): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether she plans to use data in the UK passport database for the (a) prevention and b) detection of crime. (201792)
- 1302 **Martyn Day** (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will hold discussions with the Fire Brigades Union on its campaign for improved maternity rights in the Fire and Rescue Service. (201280)

- 1303 Martyn Day (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will make an assessment of the implications for her policies of the Fire Brigades Union campaign for improved maternity rights in the Fire and Rescue Service; and if she will make a statement. (201281)
- 1304 Samantha Dixon (City of Chester): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to ensure that disabled people in the asylum system receive the care they need. (202309)
- 1305 **Allan Dorans** (Ayr, Carrick and Cumnock): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to reduce the number of international (a) cold and (b) scam callers to domestic (i) landlines and (ii) mobile telephone numbers. (201311)
- 1306 **Tim Farron** (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to her Department's news story of 12 September 2023 entitled New Illegal Migration Act measures and age dispute assessment tests, whether the consultations with local authorities and organisations within the sector to look at the UK's capacity to accommodate and support those arriving through safe and legal routes will seek views on proposed additional safe routes..
- 1307 **Tim Farron** (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the potential impact on (a) refugees and (b) local authorities of starting the move-on period for refugees granted asylum when they receive notice of their asylum decision. (201818)
- 1308 **Tim Farron** (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what discussions her Department held with local authorities before the change in practice of calculating the 28 days prior to asylum support ending for new refugees to when the asylum application decision is made. (201819)
- 1309 Mary Kelly Foy (City of Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what recent estimate her Department has made of gender-based pay inequality among firefighters in England. (201057)
- 1310 Matt Hancock (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home

 Department, how many foreign-trained doctors have claimed asylum in the last
 five years. (201783)
- 1311 Matt Hancock (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home
 Department, how many (a) engineers and (b) people working in engineering
 professions have claimed asylum in the last five years. (201784)
- 1312 **Matt Hancock** (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many (a) teachers and (b) higher education educators have claimed asylum in the last five years. (201785)

- 1313 Claire Hanna (Belfast South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home
 Department, how many migrants sought assistance through the national referral
 mechanism in (a) Northern Ireland and (b) the UK in the latest period for which
 data is available; and how many and what proportion of these migrants were
 unsuccessful in their application for support. (202314)
- 1314 Claire Hanna (Belfast South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home
 Department, how many and what proportion of people who sought asylum in
 Northern Ireland were (a) of Eritrean nationality and (b) referred to the national
 referral mechanism as potential victims of trafficking in the latest period for which
 data is available.
 (202315)
- 1315 **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when her Department plans to bring forward legislative proposals to ban machetes and zombie knives. (202514)
- 1316 **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many incidents of (a) grievous bodily harm and (b) homicide involving (i) machetes and zombie knives there were in England in each of the last five years. (202515)
- 1317 **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what information her Department holds on the age of the perpetrator of incidents of (a) grievous bodily harm and (b) homicide involving knives in (i) London and (ii) England in each of the last five years. (202516)
- 1318 Dame Margaret Hodge (Barking): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to the Framework for transparent and accountable asset return, published in January 2022, what steps her Department is taking to (a) send the money confiscated from former Nigerian governor James Ibori and his associates in July 2023 to the Delta State government within the shortest reasonable timeframe, (b) ensure that all information on the (i) transfer and (ii) administration of returned assets is published and available in both the (A) transferring and (B) receiving countries and (c) ensure that civil society organisations in the UK are able to (1) monitor the use of the funds and (2) hold the government to account.
- 1319 Dame Margaret Hodge (Barking): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to the announcement on ending civil service expansion by the Chancellor of the Exchequer on 2 October 2023, whether the cap on the civil service headcount will affect the recruitment of the (a) 400 fraud investigators announced in the Fraud Strategy 2023 and (b) 475 full-time equivalent staff for tackling money laundering and asset recovery announced in the Economic Crime Plan 2023-26.
- 1320 **Mrs Sharon Hodgson** (Washington and Sunderland West): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of contracting (a) rehabilitation, (b) therapy and (c) other similar services for frontline staff. (201349)

- 1321 Dame Andrea Jenkyns (Morley and Outwood): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether she has had discussions with her counterpart in Japan on the effectiveness of that country's policies to reduce illegal immigration.

 (201481)
- 1322 **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether she has held meetings in 2023 on (a) Islamophobia and (b) hate crime against Muslims. (201246)
- 1323 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what sum her Department has spent on preparing RAF Scampton to house asylum seekers.

 (201035)
- 1324 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much their Department spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-2023 financial year. (201122)
- 1325 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what guidance her Department issues on the right to anonymity of arrested individuals before charge. (201401)
- 1326 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will bring forward legislative proposals to give a right of anonymity to people who are under investigation for a criminal offence and who have not been charged. (201402)
- 1327 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what recent assessment she has made of the effectiveness of police and crime commissioners. (201768)
- 1328 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will make an assessment of the potential impact of the Prime Minister's announcement on a smokefree generation on 4 October 2023 on the operational capacity of police forces. (201771)
- 1329 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to help ensure the police investigate individuals and groups suspected of promoting Hamas in the UK. (201773)
- 1330 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to support community neighbourhood watch groups. (201777)
- 1331 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether her Department has issued guidance on the wearing of pride coloured epaulettes by Border Force officials. (201823)
- 1332 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much the Advisory Council on the Misuse of Drugs spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202371)

- 1333 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much the Animals in Science Committee spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202372)
- 1334 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much the Biometrics and Forensics Ethics Group spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202373)
- 1335 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much the Biometrics and Surveillance Camera Commissioner spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202374)
- 1336 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much the College of Policing spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202375)
- 1337 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much the Commission for Countering Extremism spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202376)
- 1338 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much the Disclosure and Barring Service spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202377)
- 1339 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much the Forensic Science Regulator spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202378)
- 1340 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much the Gangmasters and Labour Abuse Authority spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202379)
- 1341 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much the HM Inspectorate of Constabulary and Fire and Rescue Services spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202380)
- 1342 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much the Independent Anti-slavery Commissioner spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202381)
- 1343 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much the Independent Chief Inspector of Borders and Immigration spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202382)
- 1344 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much the Independent Family Returns Panel spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202383)

- 1345 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much the Independent Office for Police Conduct spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202384)
- 1346 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much the Independent Reviewer of Terrorism Legislation spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202385)
- 1347 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much the Investigatory Powers Commissioner's Office spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202386)
- 1348 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much the Investigatory Powers Tribunal spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202387)
- 1349 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much the Migration Advisory Committee spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202388)
- 1350 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much the National Counter Terrorism Security Office spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202389)
- 1351 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much the National Crime Agency Remuneration Review Body spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202390)
- 1352 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much the Office for Communications Data Authorisations spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202391)
- 1353 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much the Office of the Immigration Services Commissioner spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202392)
- 1354 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much the Police Advisory Board for England and Wales spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202393)
- 1355 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much the Police Discipline Appeals Tribunal spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202394)
- 1356 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much the Police Remuneration Review Body spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202395)

- 1357 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much the Security Industry Authority spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202396)
- 1358 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much the Technical Advisory Board spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202397)
- 1359 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much the the Adjudicator's Office spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202398)
- 1360 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much the Security Service spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202399)
- 1361 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to the Biometrics and Surveillance Camera Commissioner's letter to the Secretary of State for Transport on the risks to the ANPR system, published on 11 October 2023, what assessment she has made of the implications for her polices of the Commission's comments on the creation of a national facial recognition software database; and if she will make a statement.
- 1362 Mrs Pauline Latham (Mid Derbyshire): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many (a) convictions, (b) prosecutions, (c) arrests and (d) live, ongoing criminal investigations there were for the new crime of arranging for a child to marry between the introduction of the Marriage and Civil Partnerships (Minimum Age) Act 2022 and 31 July 2023; and how many referrals the Forced Marriage Unit has received for child marriage cases in that time period. (200830)
- 1363 Mrs Pauline Latham (Mid Derbyshire): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether her Department has (a) provided training for police officers on and (b) taken steps to monitor enforcement by police of the new crime of arranging for a child to marry since the introduction of the Marriage and Civil Partnerships (Minimum Age) Act 2022; whether her Department has published guidance for police officers on (i) preventing and (ii) intervening in suspected child marriage cases; what data her Department holds on safeguarding measures introduced by police forces to help ensure that suspected child marriage cases are managed adequately; and whether she has had discussions with the Secretaries of State for Health and for Education on (A) training on, (B) monitoring of, (C) guidance on and (D) safeguarding measures for the management of such cases by (1) social workers and (2) teachers.
- 1364 **Mrs Pauline Latham** (Mid Derbyshire): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what funding and how many full-time equivalent staff have been allocated to the Forced Marriage Unit in each financial year since its foundation; and how many cases have been reported to that unit in each of those years. (201852)

- 1365 Mark Logan (Bolton North East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether her Department has taken recent steps with charities and voluntary organisations to promote (a) social cohesion and (b) community safety.

 (201502)
- 1366 Mark Logan (Bolton North East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many Border Force personnel have been recruited since January 2020. (201533)
- 1367 Caroline Lucas (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 20 June 2023 to Question 188925 on Slavery: Victims, if she will publish her findings following consideration of the scope and process of any possible alternative assurance process; and if she will make a statement.
- 1368 Caroline Lucas (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 18 September 2023 to Question 198491 on Asylum: Applications, how many legacy cases her Department plans to process in (a) October, (b) November and (c) December 2023. (201528)
- 1369 Caroline Lucas (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 18 September 2023 to Question 198491 on Asylum: Applications, how long the training lasts for newly recruited decision makers; who provides the training for newly recruited decision makers; and what steps she is taking to (a) provide support to new decision makers and (b) monitor the (i) quality and (ii) consistency of decision making.
- 1370 Caroline Lucas (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 12 September 2023 on Migrant Help: Standards, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of an increase in the headcount for Migrant Help on the service standards they provide; what rectification actions are still outstanding; what progress Migrant Help have made on improving standards to the level set out in their contract; and if she will make a statement.
- 1371 Caroline Lucas (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many full-time equivalent Home Office staff have dealt with complaints about matters that have not been resolved through Migrant Help in the last 12 months; and how many complaints have been received as of October 2023.
- 1372 Caroline Lucas (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what discussions she has had with her counterpart in Pakistan on immigration enforcement action against Afghan nationals who are in Pakistan awaiting final checks on UK visa applications; what steps she is taking to prevent Afghan nationals in this position being sent back to Afghanistan on the grounds that documentation allowing them to be in Pakistan has expired; and if she will make a statement.

- 1373 Caroline Lucas (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will make it her policy to (a) finalise UK visas and (b) provide permission to travel to the UK for Afghan nationals instructed to travel to Pakistan under the Afghan Citizen's Resettlement Scheme; and if she will make a statement.
- 1374 Caroline Lucas (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to the Home Office and Ministry of Justice news story entitled Government to build cases to prosecute rogue immigration lawyers published on 8 August 2023, whether any non-immigration lawyers are being monitored by her Department; and if she will make a statement. (201603)
- 1375 Caroline Lucas (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many open family reunion applications her Department has from Afghan citizens who legally travelled to Pakistan for the purposes of accessing a UK visa processing centre. (201825)
- 1376 Caroline Lucas (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to the announcement by Pakistan's Interior Minister Sarfraz Bugti on 3 October 2023 that Afghan asylum seekers must leave the country by the end of November 2023, if she will make it her policy to issue UK visas before that date to all Afghan citizens in Pakistan who are eligible to come to the UK and who are waiting for a decision from her Department under (a) the Afghan Citizen's Resettlement Scheme and (b) family reunion rules; and if she will make a statement.
- 1377 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 22 September 2023 to Question 199531 on Rwanda: Visits Abroad, how much and what proportion of the £7,269.90 was spent on (a) flights, (b) accommodation and (c) hospitality. (201067)
- 1378 Justin Madders (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 22 September 2023 to Question 199532 on Rwanda: Visits Abroad, how much and what proportion of the £5577.62 was spent on (a) flights, (b) accommodation and (c) hospitality. (201068)
- 1379 **John McNally** (Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether her Department has made (a) a comparative assessment of the speed of processing asylum claims for (i) her Department's existing method and (ii) alternative methods and (b) an assessment of the efficiency of alternative methods taken by other nations. (201605)
- 1380 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what recent assessment she has made of the causes of increased levels of retail crime. (201078)
- 1381 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to tackle verbal and physical abuse against shop workers. (201079)

- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to tackle anti-social behaviour in Portsmouth South constituency. (201080)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what recent assessment she has made of the effectiveness of community triggers in reducing anti-social behaviour. (201081)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to improve visibility of police in Portsmouth South constituency. (201082)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what recent assessment she has made of the adequacy of neighbourhood policing levels in Portsmouth South constituency. (201083)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what recent estimate she has made of the number of people employed by the Hampshire Police and Crime Commissioner's Office; and if she will make an assessment of how that figure compares to Commissioners' offices responsible for a similar geographical area. (201084)
- **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what recent assessment she has made of the effectiveness of the Hampshire Police and Crime Commissioner's Model for Change. (201085)
- 1388 Alex Norris (Nottingham North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to prevent (a) harassment and (b) violence against (i) women and (ii) elderly people from the UK's Eritrean community. (201724)
- **Stephanie Peacock** (Barnsley East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 18 September 2023 to Question 198113 on Kent Intake Unit: Paintings, whether her Department paid for the work hours of contractors used to paint over the mural at the Kent Intake Unit. (200720)
- 1390 Matthew Pennycook (Greenwich and Woolwich): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to (a) investigate allegations of and (b) prevent potential exploitation of the Skilled Worker route by third parties that results in financial loss for skilled worker visa applicants. (200936)
- 1391 Matthew Pennycook (Greenwich and Woolwich): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many allegations of exploitation of the Skilled Worker route by third parties have been investigated by her Department in the last 12 months; and how many and what proportion of those investigations have resulted in (a) the recovery of funds and (b) other forms of compensation for skilled worker visa applicants who were found to have been exploited. (200937)
- **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to reduce domestic burglaries. (200871)

- 1393 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home

 Department, whether she plans to introduce a national police uniform for town
 and county forces. (201549)
- 1394 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home

 Department, how many approved suppliers of police uniforms there are in the UK
 as of 13 October 2023. (201550)
- 1395 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home

 Department, how much her Department spent on the provision of police uniforms
 in each of the last five years. (201551)
- 1396 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether she is taking steps to improve the quality of police uniforms. (201552)
- 1397 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to help increase police charging rates for burglaries. (201922)
- 1398 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home
 Department, what assessment she has made of the potential impact on the threat
 level from international terrorism of the UK's support for Israel in its war with
 Hamas. (202508)
- 1399 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to reduce the number of people entering the UK illegally by boat. (200600)
- 1400 Jim Shannon (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to the The National review into the murders of Arthur Labinjo-Hughes and Star Hobson, published 26 May 2022 and Independent review of children's social care: final report, published 23 May 2022, what progress her Department has made on implementing the recommendations of those reviews; and what discussions she has had with the devolved administrations on coordinating action in that area. (200601)
- 1401 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will hold discussions with the Police Service of Northern Ireland on tackling physical abuse between people under the age of 18 in Northern Ireland. (200603)
- 1402 **Mr Barry Sheerman** (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what the (a) membership and (b) terms of reference is for the forensic science reform programme board. (201216)
- 1403 **Henry Smith** (Crawley): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to tackle illegal dog fighting. (201779)

- **Alex Sobel** (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether she has made an assessment with Cabinet colleagues of the potential impact on public health of relocating people seeking asylum that are receiving treatment for tuberculosis. (200990)
- **Alex Sobel** (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what information her Department holds on the number of asylum seekers waiting for a decision on their application who have been diagnosed with tuberculosis as of October 2023. (200991)
- **Alex Sobel** (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what proportion of refugees received their documentation before their 28 day move on notice period began in the last 12 months. (201795)
- **Alex Sobel** (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if her Department will issue guidance to local authorities to state that refugees are eligible for homelessness prevention support from the date of notification of the decision on their asylum claim, without the need for evidence such as an eviction letter. (201797)
- **Alex Sobel** (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if her Department will work with statutory services to manage the increase in demand for support for housing for refugees who have received notification of the decision on their asylum claim. (201798)
- **Alex Sobel** (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of extending the move-on period for people who have received their asylum decisions to at least 56 days. (201799)
- **John Spellar** (Warley): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many asylum seekers are housed in (a) Sandwell and (b) each of the other local authorities in the West Midlands as of 13 October 2023. (200728)
- **Alexander Stafford** (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many responses her Department has received to its consultation entitled Firearms licensing: a consultation on recommendations for changes made to the Home Office, which closed on 23 August 2023. (201604)
- 1412 Zarah Sultana (Coventry South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether her Department has made a recent assessment of the impact of removing the right of appeal for applicants seeking entry to the UK as a family visitor in June 2013 on the families affected; and whether her Department has made a recent estimate of the number and proportion of family visit visa applications that were successful on re-application since June 2013. (201690)

- 1413 **Mick Whitley** (Birkenhead): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment her Department has made of the prevalence of advertisements for the sale of items prohibited under the Offensive Weapons Act 2019 (a) on social media platforms and (b) by online retailers; and what steps she is taking to end the sale of those items. (202308)
- 1414 **Sir Bill Wiggin** (North Herefordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what information her Department holds on the time taken by police forces to issue (a) firearm and (b) shotgun licences. (202529)
- 1415 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the hon. Member for Broxbourne, representing the House of Commons Commission, how much the House of Commons spent on equality and diversity training for staff in the 2022-23 financial year. (201137)
- 1416 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Leader of the House, how much their

 Department spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-2023 financial
 year. (201132)
- 1417 Ian Blackford (Ross, Skye and Lochaber): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to the all-party parliamentary group for veteran's survey findings, published in 2023, what steps he is taking to (a) strengthen the services provided by Veterans UK, (b) ensure that veterans receive high-quality (i) care, (ii) support and (iii) communication throughout the process of claiming compensation and (c) ensure that veterans' physical and mental health is taken into consideration during that process.
- 1418 Ian Blackford (Ross, Skye and Lochaber): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will introduce a medal for armed forces personnel who were prisoners of war. (200829)
- 1419 **Sir Geoffrey Cox** (Torridge and West Devon): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps he is taking to (a) assist and (b) ensure the safety of interpreters who were previously employed by UK armed forces in Afghanistan who have escaped to a third country and whose (i) application under the ARAP scheme and (ii) appeal against an unsuccessful initial application is delayed; and what steps he is taking to expedite such (A) applications and (B) appeals. (200859)
- 1420 Martin Docherty-Hughes (West Dunbartonshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what proportion of civil servants that are (a) at the grade of senior civil servant 2 and (b) on full-time equivalent contracts in his Department are women.

 (201637)
- 1421 Martin Docherty-Hughes (West Dunbartonshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what proportion of civil servants on temporary contracts in his Department are women. (201638)

- 1422 Martin Docherty-Hughes (West Dunbartonshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what is the cost to the public purse of Phase 1 and 2 infantry training for an army recruit initially enrolled at (a) Army Foundation College, Harrogate and (b) Infantry Training Centre, Catterick. (202061)
- 1423 Martin Docherty-Hughes (West Dunbartonshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many formal complaints of violent behaviour by staff towards personnel under the age of 18 have been recorded on the Joint Personnel Administration system at the (a) Army Foundation College, (b) Army Training Centre and (c) Infantry Training Centre since 2014.
- **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what categories of steel will be required to construct the Fleet Solid Support Ships.

 (200737)
- **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what estimate has his Department made of the proportion of UK steel that will be used to construct the Fleet Solid Support Ships. (200738)
- **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether his Department is placing a requirement on contractors as part of the Fleet Solid Support Ships programme to source a specific proportion of steel from UK steel yards. (200739)
- **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the budget is for the Combined Cadet Force in 2023. (200740)
- **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the budget was for the Combined Cadet Force in 2010. (200741)
- **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many schools the Combined Cadet Force worked with in 2023. (200742)
- **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many schools the Combined Cadet Force worked with in 2010. (200743)
- **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many staff work for the Reserve Forces and Cadets Division as of 13 October 2023. (200746)
- **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the projected whole life costs of the Land Intelligence, Surveillance, Target, Acquisition and Reconnaissance programme (a) were originally and (b) are as of 13 October 2023.
- **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the projected whole life costs of the Lighting Programme (a) were originally and (b) are as of 13 October 2023. (200748)

- **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the projected whole life costs of the Maritime Electronic Warfare programme (a) were originally and (b) are as of 13 October 2023. (200749)
- **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the projected whole life costs of the Maritime Patrol Aircraft programme (a) were originally and (b) are as of 13 October 2023. (200750)
- **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the projected whole life costs of MARSHALL (a) were originally and (b) are as of 13 October 2023. (200751)
- **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the projected whole life costs of Marlet (a) were originally and (b) are as of 13 October 2023. (200752)
- **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the projected whole life costs of MENSA (a) were originally and (b) are as of 13 October 2023. (200753)
- **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the projected whole life costs of Meteor (a) were originally and (b) are as of 13 October 2023. (200754)
- 1440 John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the projected whole life costs of the Mine Hunting Capability Programme (a) were originally and (b) are as of 13 October 2023. (200755)
- **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the projected whole life costs of MODnet Evolve (a) were originally and (b) are as of 13 October 2023. (200756)
- **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the projected whole life costs of Naval Support Integrated Global Network (a) were originally and (b) are as of 13 October 2023. (200757)
- **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the projected whole life costs of New Medium Helicopter (a) were originally and (b) are as of 13 October 2023. (200758)
- 1444 John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the whole life projected costs of New Style of I information Technology (Base) (a) were originally and (b) are as of 13 October 2023. (200759)
- **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the projected whole life cost of the New Style of IT (Deployed) programme

 (a) was originally and (b) is as of 13 October 2023. (200760)

- **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the projected whole life cost of the Next Generation (fixed) Communication Network programme (a) was originally and (b) is as of 13 October 2023. (200761)
- **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the projected whole life cost of the PEGASUS programme (a) was originally and (b) is as of 13 October 2023. (200762)
- **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the projected whole life cost of the Project Bramley programme (a) was originally and (b) is as of 13 October 2023. (200763)
- **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the projected whole life cost of the Protector programme (a) was originally and (b) is as of 13 October 2023. (200764)
- **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the projected whole life costs of Sea Venom (a) were originally and (b) are as of 13 October 2023. (200765)
- **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the projected whole life cost of the Skynet 6 programme (a) was originally and (b) is as of 13 October 2023. (200766)
- **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the projected whole life cost of the Spearcap 3 programme (a) was originally and (b) is as of 13 October 2023.
- **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the projected whole life cost of the Spearfish upgrade programme (a) was originally and (b) is as of 13 October 2023. (200768)
- **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the projected whole life cost of the Submarine Dismantling Project (a) was originally and (b) is as of 13 October 2023. (200769)
- **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the projected whole life cost of the Submarine Waterfront Infrastructure Future programme (a) was originally and (b) is as of 13 October 2023. (200770)
- **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the projected whole life cost of the TEUTATES programme (a) was originally and (b) is as of 13 October 2023. (200771)
- **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the projected whole life cost of the Type 26 Global Combat Ship programme (a) was originally and (b) is as of 13 October 2023. (200772)

- 1458 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the projected whole life cost of the Type 31e programme (a) was originally and (b) is as of 13 October 2023. (200773)
- 1459 **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, when a land Industrial Health Assessment was last produced. (201296)
- 1460 **Alicia Kearns** (Rutland and Melton): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether the Government plans to re-join the EUFOR peacekeeping force in Bosnia and Herzegovina in the event that the mandate for that force is extended in November 2023. (202322)
- 1461 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what assessment he has recently made of the operational capacity of volunteer gliding squadrons; and what steps he is taking to increase the availability of gliding induction courses for air cadets. (201034)
- 1462 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much their Department spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-2023 financial year. (201123)
- 1463 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what recent assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of levels of asbestos on the defence estate. (201452)
- 1464 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether his Department holds data on the number of veterans who are to be awarded the new Nuclear Test Medal. (201824)
- 1465 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much the Advisory Committee on Conscientious Objectors spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202400)
- 1466 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much the Advisory Group on Military and Emergency Response Medicine spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202401)
- 1467 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much the Armed Forces Covenant Fund Trust spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202402)
- 1468 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much the Armed Forces' Pay Review Body spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202403)
- 1469 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much the Atomic Weapons Establishment spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202404)

- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much the Central Advisory Committee on Compensation spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202405)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much the Defence and Security Media Advisory Committee spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202406)
- 1472 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much the Defence Equipment and Support spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202407)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much the Defence Nuclear Safety Committee spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202408)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much the Defence Science and Technology Laboratory spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202409)
- 1475 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much the Independent Medical Expert Group spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202410)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much the National Army Museum spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202411)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much the National Museum of the Royal Navy spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202412)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much the Nuclear Research Advisory Council spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202413)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much the Reserve Forces' and Cadets' Associations (RFCA) spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202414)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much the Royal Air Force Museum spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202415)
- **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much the Scientific Advisory Committee on the Medical Implications of Less-Lethal Weapons spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202416)

- 1482 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much the Service Complaints Ombudsman spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202417)
- 1483 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much the Service Prosecuting Authority spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202418)
- 1484 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much the Sheffield Forgemasters International Ltd spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202419)
- 1485 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much the Single Source Regulations Office spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202420)
- 1486 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much the Submarine Delivery Agency spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202421)
- 1487 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much the The Oil and Pipelines Agency spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202422)
- 1488 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much the UK Hydrographic Office spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202423)
- 1489 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much the Veterans Advisory and Pensions Committees spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202424)
- 1490 Mark Logan (Bolton North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what recent discussions he has had with his (a) Italian and (b) Japanese counterparts on the potential entry of Saudi Arabia into the Global Combat Air Programme. (201304)
- 1491 **Mark Logan** (Bolton North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what assessment he has made of the security situation in northern Kosovo in the context of the recent violence near the village of Banjska. (201375)
- 1492 Mark Logan (Bolton North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many British armed forces personnel are currently located in Estonia; and how many will be based in that country in (a) 2024 and (b) 2025 and (c) 2026. (201376)
- 1493 **Mark Logan** (Bolton North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what recent discussions he has had with his Estonian counterpart on increasing the number of British troops in that country as part of NATO's Enhanced Forward Presence. (201377)

- 1494 Mark Logan (Bolton North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps is Department is taking to support (a) industry and (b) academia to engage in the Defence Innovation Accelerator for the North Atlantic; and if he will make a statement. (201395)
- 1495 **Mark Logan** (Bolton North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether the Government plans to increase its provision of long-range precision strike weapons, (b) artillery, (c) air defence equipment, (d) armoured vehicles and (e) other forms of military support to Ukraine. (201467)
- 1496 Mark Logan (Bolton North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to page 11 of the Defence Command Paper 2023, published in July 2023, what recent progress his Department has made on supporting integrated working practices between different branches of the UK Armed Forces. (201471)
- 1497 **Mark Logan** (Bolton North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many times his Department has recorded the incursion of (a) Spanish and (b) civilian and other vessels in Gibraltarian waters in 2023 to date. (201501)
- 1498 **Mark Logan** (Bolton North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps his Department is taking to progress commitments made under The Tallinn Pledge. (201534)
- 1499 Mark Logan (Bolton North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether he has had discussions with his (a) Lithuanian and (b) Polish counterparts on the potential merits of increasing the number of UK troops on rotational deployment to the Suwalki gap. (201535)
- 1500 **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what information his Department holds on whether military equipment supplied from the UK has been used by Israel in its recent military operations in Gaza. (202275)
- 1501 **Alex Norris** (Nottingham North): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what recent assessment he has made of the extent of racism in the armed forces. (201023)
- 1502 **Alex Norris** (Nottingham North): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps his Department is taking to tackle racism in the armed forces. (201024)
- 1503 **Alex Norris** (Nottingham North): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether he has set targets for the recruitment of (a) women and (b) ethnic minorities to the armed forces. (201025)
- 1504 Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to the Answer of 13 July 2023 to Question HL8900 on Armed Forces: HIV Infection, what the medical assessment process is for serving (a) aircrew and (b) controllers who are (i) living with HIV and (ii) taking HIV PrEP. (201329)

- 1505 Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to the Answer of 13 July 2023 to Question HL8900 on Armed Forces: HIV Infection, what guidance his Department has issued on the safety of medical fitness decisions for serving (a) aircrew and (b) controllers who are (i) living with HIV and (ii) taking HIV PrEP. (201330)
- 1506 Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to the Answer of 13 July 2023 to Question HL8900 on Armed Forces: HIV Infection, how many (a) aircrew and (b) controllers who were (i) living with HIV and (ii) taking HIV PrEP were assessed as being medically unfit to carry out their roles in full in each year since 2020. (201331)
- 1507 Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many Albion-class Royal Navy ships were available for deployment as of 13 October 2023. (202465)
- **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps his Department is taking to tackle drug smuggling in the Caribbean United Kingdom Overseas Territories. (200967)
- **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps he has taken to support Israel in its defence against Hamas terrorism. (202506)
- **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of providing air support to Israel from RAF Akrotiri in its war against Hamas. (202507)
- **Lloyd Russell-Moyle** (Brighton, Kemptown): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to the Answer of 7 June 2023 to Question 187102, how many and what proportion of applications for relocation under the ARAP scheme by family members were not granted in each of the last 12 months. (200914)
- **Royston Smith** (Southampton, Itchen): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what proportion of Royal Navy personnel identify as non-binary. (201801)
- **Royston Smith** (Southampton, Itchen): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what proportion of Royal Navy personnel identify as transgender. (201802)
- **Royston Smith** (Southampton, Itchen): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what proportion of Royal Air Force personnel identify as non-binary. (201803)
- **Royston Smith** (Southampton, Itchen): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what proportion of Royal Air Force personnel identify as transgender. (201804)
- **Royston Smith** (Southampton, Itchen): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what proportion of Army personnel identify as non-binary. (201805)
- **Royston Smith** (Southampton, Itchen): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what proportion of Army personnel identify as transgender. (201806)

- 1518 James Sunderland (Bracknell): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether armed forces personnel are entitled to use local NHS care at their home residence whilst off duty; and whether his Department has issued guidance to armed forces personnel on what steps to take if care is refused by local NHS services. (201044)
- **Mr Ben Wallace** (Wyre and Preston North): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what progress his Department has made on the delivery of the National Cyber Force at Samlesbury; and if he will make a statement. (201367)
- 1520 Mr Ben Wallace (Wyre and Preston North): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to his Department's publication entitled Defence's response to a more contested and volatile world, published 18 July 2023, what his Department's expected timeline is for publishing its Head Office reform plans. (201368)
- **Saqib Bhatti** (Meriden): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of trends in the number of staff in the Prison and Probation Service working from home on the (a) time taken to process cases and (b) quality of service provision. (201478)
- **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of the education services provided in prisons. (200894)
- **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of literacy-based education provision in prisons. (200895)
- **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what estimate he has made of the average number and proportion of hours spent by prisoners per (a) week and (b) month in (i) education-based classes and (ii) workshops in prison as of 13 October 2023. (200896)
- **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of shortages of prison staff on the provision of education in prisons. (200897)
- **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much funding has been allocated to each police force in England and Wales for the use of police cells under Operation Safeguard in the latest period for which data is available. (201167)
- **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much funding was allocated to Essex Police under Operation Safeguard in 2023; and how much and what proportion of that funding was used to house prisoners in that period. (201168)
- **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much funding was allocated to South Wales Police under Operation Safeguard in 2023; and how much and what proportion of that funding was used to house prisoners in that period. (201169)

- **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what recent estimate his Department has made of the cost to the public purse of Operation Safeguard in 2023. (201170)
- **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many police (a) forces and (b) cells have been used in Operation Safeguard in 2023.
- **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what the average amount of time prisoners were held in a police cell for under Operation Safeguard in 2023. (201172)
- **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, pursuant to the Answer of 17 July 2023 to Question 193369 on Prisoners: Police Custody, if he will provide a breakdown of the allocation of that £25.4 million spend.
- **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, whether his Department has conducted a recent impact assessment of Operation Safeguard. (201184)
- **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what estimate he has made of how many (a) incidents of self harm and (b) assaults on police staff by prisoners held in police cells as part of Operation Safeguard there have been in 2023. (201186)
- **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many foreign nationals are being held in prison beyond the completion of their sentence in (a) England and (b) Wales. (201191)
- **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, whether he has plans to end the (a) Horizon and (b) iHorizon programmes within the probation service for sex offenders. (201238)
- **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what proportion of newly qualified probation officers stay in the Probation Service for more than 48 months. (201240)
- **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many people on the Probation Service's trainee probation officer scheme in financial year 2021-2022 remain in the Service. (201242)
- **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what data his Department holds on the number of hours each day that body scanners for (a) prison staff and (b) prisoners entering prisons in England and Wales are operated by staff in the last 12 months. (201383)

- 1540 Janet Daby (Lewisham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential impact of the Police, Crime, Sentencing and Courts Act 2022 on the (a) number and (b) length of prison sentences. (202326)
- 1541 Janet Daby (Lewisham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, whether his Department has made a post-legislative assessment of the potential impact of the Police, Crime, Sentencing and Courts Act 2022 on the number of prisoners within the prison population. (202327)
- 1542 Mrs Sharon Hodgson (Washington and Sunderland West): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, pursuant to the Answer of 18 September 2023 to Question 198482 on Ministry of Justice: Procurement and with reference to the contract, reference 385640/1256947, published on 11 September 2023, what the supporting items are; whether the contract award notice is for one site or more; and whether the baseline cost for equipment is for (a) full purchase or (b) rental at a (i) daily, (ii) weekly and (iii) monthly rate.
- 1543 **Mrs Sharon Hodgson** (Washington and Sunderland West): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of contracting (a) rehabilitation, (b) therapy and (c) other similar services for frontline staff. (201347)
- 1544 Daniel Kawczynski (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if he will use the set aside process to seek reconsideration by the Parole Board of its decision to release Simon Smith from prison on licence. (201476)
- 1545 **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, whether he has made a recent assessment of the adequacy of the decision-making framework used by the Parole Board to assess risk. (201477)
- 1546 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of retention rates of magistrates. (200731)
- 1547 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much their Department spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-2023 financial year. (201124)
- 1548 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, whether his

 Department holds data on the number of cases of Television Licence evasion that
 were considered by magistrates' courts in each year between 2015 and 2022. (201775)
- 1549 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much the Academy for Social Justice spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202425)
- 1550 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much the Advisory Committees on Justices of the Peace spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202426)

- 1551 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much the Cafcass spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202427)
- 1552 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much the Civil Justice Council spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202428)
- 1553 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much the Civil Procedure Rule Committee spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202429)
- 1554 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much the Criminal Cases Review Commission spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202430)
- 1555 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much the Criminal Injuries Compensation Authority spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202431)
- 1556 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much the Criminal Procedure Rule Committee spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202432)
- 1557 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much the Family Justice Council spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202433)
- 1558 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much the Family Procedure Rule Committee spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202434)
- 1559 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much the HM Courts & Tribunals Service spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202435)
- 1560 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much the HM Inspectorate of Prisons spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202436)
- 1561 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much the HM Inspectorate of Probation spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202437)
- 1562 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much the HM Prison and Probation Service spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202438)
- 1563 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much the Independent Advisory Panel on Deaths in Custody spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202439)

- 1564 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much the Independent Monitoring Authority for the Citizens' Rights Agreements spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202440)
- 1565 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much the Independent Monitoring Boards spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202441)
- 1566 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much the Insolvency Rules Committee spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202442)
- 1567 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much the Judicial Appointments and Conduct Ombudsman spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202443)
- 1568 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much the Judicial Appointments Commission spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202444)
- 1569 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much the Judicial Office spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202445)
- 1570 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much the Law Commission spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202446)
- 1571 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much the Legal Aid Agency spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year.

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- 1572 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much the Legal Services Board spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202448)
- 1573 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much the Official Solicitor and Public Trustee spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202449)
- 1574 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much the Office of the Public Guardian spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202450)
- 1575 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much the Parole Board spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year.

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- 1576 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much the Prisons and Probation Ombudsman spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202452)
- 1577 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much the Prison Service Pay Review Body spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202453)
- 1578 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much the Sentencing Council for England and Wales spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202454)
- 1579 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much the The Legal Ombudsman spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202455)
- 1580 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much the Tribunal Procedure Committee spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202456)
- 1581 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much the Victims' Commissioner spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202457)
- 1582 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much the Youth Justice Board for England and Wales spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202458)
- 1583 Mark Logan (Bolton North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, whether he has had recent discussions with his Japanese counterpart on increasing cooperation between the Japanese and UK legal service sectors. (201305)
- 1584 Mark Logan (Bolton North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if he will hold discussions with Cabinet colleagues on the potential merits of bringing forward proposals to ensure that parents are held accountable in the event that their child is convicted of a serious offence where it is deemed that the parent's action or inaction contributed to that offence. (201492)
- 1585 **Abena Oppong-Asare** (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what recent progress his Department has made on its meeting the commitments made in the Government's full response to the Criminal Legal Aid Independent Review and consultation on policy proposals, published in December 2022.
- 1586 **Abena Oppong-Asare** (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if he will make an estimate of the number of criminal duty solicitors working in Erith and Thamesmead constituency. (202472)

- **Abena Oppong-Asare** (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if his Department will make an assessment of the adequacy of rates of processing probate applications by HM Courts and Tribunals Service. (202495)
- **Kate Osamor** (Edmonton): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many prisoners were held at Pentonville Prison on 17 July 2023. (201621)
- **Kate Osamor** (Edmonton): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many and what proportion of prison officers at Pentonville Prison attended their shift on 17 July 2023. (201622)
- **Kate Osamor** (Edmonton): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what recent assessment he has made of the adequacy of living conditions inside Pentonville Prison. (201623)
- **Kate Osamor** (Edmonton): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what recent assessment he has made of the adequacy of mental health support provision inside Pentonville Prison. (201624)
- **Kate Osamor** (Edmonton): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what assessment he has made of the potential implications for his policies of the report by the Independent Monitoring Board entitled Annual Report of the Independent Monitoring Board at HMP Pentonville, published on 26 September 2023. (201625)
- 1593 Yasmin Qureshi (Bolton South East): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, whether his Department has plans to (a) review the effectiveness of substance free living units and (b) make an assessment of the potential merits of extending those units across all prison estates. (200782)
- **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what steps he is taking to reduce waiting times for tribunal hearings. (200872)
- **John Spellar** (Warley): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many outstanding cases there are at (a) Dudley, (b) Walsall and (c) Wolverhampton Magistrates Court. (201181)
- 1596 Zarah Sultana (Coventry South): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what assessment his Department has made of the impact of the reduction in the number of duty solicitors at police stations since 2017 on access to justice; and if he will take steps to increase the number of duty solicitors at police stations. (201693)
- 1597 Catherine West (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, pursuant to the Answer of 11 September 2023 to Question 197320 on Probate: Applications, how many and what proportion of probate applications took longer than 16 weeks to be processed in the latest period for which data is available.
- **Colum Eastwood** (Foyle): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, for what reason Northern Ireland is not included in the Green Deal loan scheme. (200852)

- 1599 Claire Hanna (Belfast South): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, if he will hold discussions with the Department for Communities on the adequacy of Local Housing Allowance rates in Northern Ireland in the context of recent trends in the level of rental costs. (201333)
- 1600 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, how much their Department spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-2023 financial year. (201125)
- 1601 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, how much the Boundary Commission for Northern Ireland spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202459)
- 1602 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, how much the Northern Ireland Human Rights Commission spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202460)
- 1603 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, how much the Parades Commission for Northern Ireland spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202461)
- 1604 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, if he will make an assessment of the potential impact of bilingual street signs on sectarianism in Northern Ireland. (200903)
- 1605 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, what assessment he has made of the potential implications of his policies of the Irish Taoiseach's recent comments on a United Ireland; and whether he has made an assessment of the potential effect of those comments on the Good Friday Agreement.
- 1606 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of introducing legislative proposals to help restore devolved government in Northern Ireland. (201970)
- 1607 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, whether he has made an assessment of the potential implications for his policies of the Irish Congress of Trade Unions' proposal to write off the Northern Ireland Executive's overspend. (201971)
- 1608 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, if he will make it his policy to establish a new official local flag for Northern Ireland in addition to the Union flag. (201972)
- 1609 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, if he will take steps to seek compensation for the victims of Libyan-sponsored IRA terrorism. (201973)

- 1610 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, whether he has had discussions with political parties in Northern Ireland on the potential merits of compensating people affected by acts of terrorism perpetrated by the IRA using Libyan-supplied weapons as part of discussions relating to the restoration of power sharing. (201974)
- 1611 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, whether his Department has prepared contingency plans to ensure that the electricity supply in Northern Ireland would be secure in the event of a temporary closure of Kilroot power station. (202509)
- 1612 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, what steps his Department is taking to help reduce the number of assaults on Police Service of Northern Ireland officers. (202510)
- 1613 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, what assessment the Government has made of the potential implications for its policies of differences between duty free arrangements for people in (a) England, Scotland and Wales and (b) Northern Ireland. (201028)
- 1614 **Richard Thomson** (Gordon): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, what proportion of officials in his Department that are (a) graded as senior civil servant 2 and (b) on full-time equivalent contracts are women. (201815)
- 1615 **Richard Thomson** (Gordon): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, what proportion of officials in his Department on temporary contracts are women. (201817)
- 1616 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Prime Minister, if he will make an assessment of (a) the potential merits of a visit by him to Northern Ireland during the Orange Order parades on 12 July 2024 and (b) the potential impact of such a visit on the strength of the Union. (200905)
- 1617 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Scotland, how much their Department spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-2023 financial year. (201127)
- 1618 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Scotland, how much the Boundary Commission for Scotland spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202462)
- 1619 **Peter Aldous** (Waveney): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what plans he has for the Household Support Fund beyond the 2023-24 financial year. (201235)
- 1620 **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what recent assessment he has made of the adequacy of funding for children's services.

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- 1621 Harriett Baldwin (West Worcestershire): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of trends in the level of inflation on the £25 billion retail deposit level at which banks are required to ring-fence their retail deposit-taking operations. (201628)
- 1622 Harriett Baldwin (West Worcestershire): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what recent assessment he has made of the potential impact of the £25 billion threshold for banks to separate out their retail deposit-taking operations into a ring-fenced entity on the competitiveness of the UK retail bank industry. (201629)
- **Saqib Bhatti** (Meriden): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether he has made an assessment of the potential impact of trends in the number of staff in HMRC working from home on the (a) average time taken to process cases and (b) quality of service provision. (201479)
- **Bob Blackman** (Harrow East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether his Department has made a recent assessment of the potential merits of (a) implementing additional tax measures for the tobacco industry and (b) ringfencing tax receipts from the tobacco industry to help fund steps the Government is taking to reduce smoking prevalence to 5% or less by 2030. (200968)
- **Sir Graham Brady** (Altrincham and Sale West): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether he has made an assessment of the efficiency of the Respect at Work programme in HMRC. (201890)
- **Sir Graham Brady** (Altrincham and Sale West): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many employment tribunal cases have been held involving HMRC staff in each of the last five years; and if he will provide a breakdown by type of dispute heard for each of those years. (201894)
- **Alan Brown** (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether his Department made an assessment of the potential impact of the requirement for funeral plan companies to be regulated by the FCA by 9 July 2022 on the number of those companies (a) entering and (b) likely to enter administration. (201651)
- **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, pursuant to the Answer of 16 May 2023 to Question 183901 on Sanitary Protection: VAT, what steps his Department is taking to ascertain whether the savings of zero-rating VAT on period products are being passed on from retailers to consumers.
- **Douglas Chapman** (Dunfermline and West Fife): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what recent assessment he has made of the adequacy of Approved Mileage Allowance Payments in the context of trends in the level of oil prices. (201323)
- **Ronnie Cowan** (Inverclyde): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what the Barnett consequentials for Scotland are of the construction of the HS2 rail project.

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- 1631 Martyn Day (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether he plans to bring forward legislative proposals to regulate Buy Now Pay Later providers. (201385)
- 1632 Martyn Day (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether he has made an estimate of the number of consumers that are using Buy Now Pay Later products to purchase essential items in the last 12 months. (201386)
- 1633 Martyn Day (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of introducing (a) tax incentives and (b) rebates to wholesale sector distributors to help increase (i) investment in renewable energy projects and (ii) recharging and refueling infrastructure.
- 1634 Martyn Day (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to the Office for Tax Simplification's (OTS) evaluation paper on the High Income Child Benefit Charge, whether steps have been taken to progress recommendations relating to the high income child benefit charge made in the OTS's 2019 Life Events review.
- 1635 **Stephen Farry** (North Down): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of providing independent oversight of the review by NatWest into allegations of mis-selling of fixed rate hedging products by Ulster Bank. (201210)
- 1636 **Stephen Farry** (North Down): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what the allocation to Northern Ireland will be from Wave 3 of the Social Housing Decarbonisation Fund. (201496)
- 1637 **Stephen Farry** (North Down): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the impact of changes to the HS2 scheme on Barnett funding for Northern Ireland. (202066)
- 1638 **Dr Liam Fox** (North Somerset): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how much accrued to the Exchequer from VAT on health and social care training in each of the last five years. (201719)
- 1639 Mary Kelly Foy (City of Durham): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to the National Semiconductor Strategy published in May 2023, if he will provide funding in the forthcoming Autumn Statement to support non-silicon semiconductor manufacturing including flexible circuits. (201339)
- 1640 Claire Hanna (Belfast South): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether his

 Department has made an assessment of the potential impact of the replacement
 of the VAT margin scheme on small car dealerships. (200803)
- 1641 Claire Hanna (Belfast South): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to the Answer of 14 January 2021 to Question 134263 on UK Internal Trade: Northern Ireland, what recent discussions he has had with the European Commission on the VAT Margin Scheme. (200882)

- 1642 **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, when his Department plans to bring forward proposals to regulate providers of buy-now-pay-later products. (201352)
- 1643 Emma Hardy (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether his Department plans to introduce interim measures to protect buy-now-pay-later borrowers ahead of planned regulation of those products. (201353)
- 1644 Emma Hardy (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether he has made an estimate of the number of buy-now-pay-later providers that are reporting their customers' borrowing and repayment records to the credit reference agencies. (201355)
- 1645 **Drew Hendry** (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many Grade (a) 6, (b) 7 and (c) SCS staff in his Department are contractually based in (i) Scotland (ii) London and (iii) the Southeast of England.
- 1646 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how much their Department spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-2023 financial year. (201121)
- 1647 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the implications for his Department's policies of the judgment by the Court of Justice of the European Union in Commission v United Kingdom (Fiscal marking of gas oil) on 28 September 2023.
- 1648 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what estimate he has made of the potential impact of the Prime Minister's announcement on a smokefree generation on 4 October 2023 on tobacco duties received by the Treasury.

 (201763)
- 1649 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps he is taking with Cabinet colleagues to recover funding awarded fraudulently through the Government's pandemic support schemes. (201822)
- 1650 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how much the Financial Conduct Authority spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202356)
- 1651 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how much the Government Actuary's Department spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202357)
- 1652 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how much the Government Internal Audit Agency spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202358)

- 1653 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how much the Infrastructure and Projects Authority spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202359)
- 1654 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how much the National Infrastructure Commission spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202360)
- 1655 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how much NS and I spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202361)
- 1656 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how much the Office for Budget Responsibility spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202362)
- 1657 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how much the Payment Systems Regulator spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202363)
- 1658 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how much the Reclaim Fund Ltd spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202364)
- 1659 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how much the Royal Mint spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year.

 (202365)
- 1660 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how much the Royal Mint Advisory Committee spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202366)
- 1661 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how much UK
 Asset Resolution Limited spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23
 financial year. (202367)
- 1662 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how much the UK

 Debt Management Office spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23

 financial year. (202368)
- 1663 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how much UK
 Government Investments spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23
 financial year. (202369)
- 1664 Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how much the UK Infrastructure Bank spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (202370)
- 1665 **Mark Logan** (Bolton North East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will (a) lower fuel duty and (b) provide other additional support for motorists in the Autumn Statement 2023. (201394)

- 1666 Mark Logan (Bolton North East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps he is taking to ensure that (a) banks and (b) other payment service providers do not terminate contracts on the grounds of clients having expressed a view that is within the scope of lawful free speech. (201498)
- 1667 Mark Logan (Bolton North East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether he plans to review the levels of (a) Marriage and (b) Married Couple's Allowance ahead of the Autumn Statement. (201499)
- 1668 **Rebecca Long Bailey** (Salford and Eccles): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what recent assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of updating the valuations upon which Council Tax bands are set. (201515)
- 1669 **Rebecca Long Bailey** (Salford and Eccles): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the impact of council tax on households with high and low (a) incomes and (b) value properties. (201516)
- 1670 **Rebecca Long Bailey** (Salford and Eccles): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether his Department has undertaken an Equality Impact Assessment on the potential impact of council taxation on different households across England. (201517)
- 1671 **Rebecca Long Bailey** (Salford and Eccles): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to the Answer of 22 July 2021 to Question 33338, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of introducing alternative forms of council taxation. (201518)
- 1672 Caroline Lucas (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to paragraph 2.7 of the Office of Financial Sanctions guidance entitled UK Maritime Services Ban and Oil Price Cap, published June 2023, if he will monitor the amount of refined oil products entering the UK that have undergone a change in origin from the Russian Federation to another country determined based on substantial processing in a jurisdiction other than the Russian Federation; if he will make it his policy to amend the rules to disallow a change of origin of fuel products originating in the Russian Federation following substantial processing elsewhere; and if he will make a statement.
- 1673 **Alison McGovern** (Wirral South): To ask the Chancellor for the Exchequer, what happens to money from the public purse not spent by the Office for Nuclear Radiation when there is budgetary underspend. (200836)
- 1674 Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to the authored article entitled What the PM's new approach to Net Zero means for you, published by the Prime Minister's Office on 20 September 2023, whether he had discussions with Cabinet colleagues on proposals for a tax on meat; and whether he planned to bring forward legislative proposals to implement such a tax before 20 September 2023. (201229)

- **Charlotte Nichols** (Warrington North): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps he is taking to protect people from credit and loan scams; and if he will bring forward legislative proposals to make it a requirement for lenders to request ID from customers before credit can be issued. (201522)
- **Charlotte Nichols** (Warrington North): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will make it his policy not to charge VAT on defibrillators. (202264)
- **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will make it his policy to increase the personal savings allowance. (200732)
- **Abena Oppong-Asare** (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential impact of the level of alcohol duty on the financial viability of pubs. (202475)
- **Abena Oppong-Asare** (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will make an assessment of the potential impact of the VAT charged on alcohol supplied by (a) pubs and (b) supermarkets on the level of competition between those sectors. (202476)
- **Abena Oppong-Asare** (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what recent steps his Department has taken to help support pubs with increases in the cost of living. (202477)
- **Kirsten Oswald** (East Renfrewshire): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will make it his policy to introduce tax relief on care and nursing home fees. (200818)
- 1682 Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what is the total value of Russian state sovereign wealth that has been frozen as a result of the UK's sanctions. (201726)
- **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether he plans to introduce tax incentives to promote take up of electric vehicles. (200973)
- 1684 Lloyd Russell-Moyle (Brighton, Kemptown): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to the impact assessment for the Government's reforms to loan repayments, published in February 2022 and the House of Commons Library briefing entitled The Post-18 Education and Funding Review: Government conclusion, section 4.1, what assessment his Department has made of the implications for its policies of disparities in student loan repayments of the (a) average total loan charge and (b) time spent repaying loans between male and female borrowers.
- 1685 Jim Shannon (Strangford): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether he has made an estimate of the number of large businesses paying into the highest bracket of corporation tax in calendar years (a) 2022 and (b) 2023. (200595)

- 1686 Zarah Sultana (Coventry South): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will make an assessment of the effectiveness of the level of fines issued by HMRC for the late submission of self-assessment tax returns for self-employed people who have not earned above the threshold for paying tax. (201692)
- 1687 **Daniel Zeichner** (Cambridge): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to the judgment in the case of Uber Britannia Limited v Sefton Borough Council [2023] EWHC 1975 (KB), what assessment his Department has made of the potential impact of that judgment on the application of VAT on taxi fares. (200889)
- 1688 Daniel Zeichner (Cambridge): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of applying a 0% VAT rate for licensed minicab operator journeys. (200890)
- 1689 Daniel Zeichner (Cambridge): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential impact of the application of VAT to taxis and licensed minicabs journeys on minicab businesses operating in remote areas. (200891)
- 1690 Daniel Zeichner (Cambridge): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment his Department has made of the potential impact of the application of VAT to taxis and licensed minicab journeys on vulnerable people who need to use taxis and private-hire vehicles. (200892)
- 1691 **Daniel Zeichner** (Cambridge): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies on VAT of the High Court judgment of 28 July 2023 in Uber Britannia Limited v Sefton Metropolitan Borough Council; and if he will make a statement. (200893)
- 1692 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Wales, how much their Department spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-2023 financial year. (201126)
- 1693 **Richard Thomson** (Gordon): To ask the Secretary of State for Wales, what proportion of officials in his Department on temporary contracts are women. (201820)
- 1694 **Richard Thomson** (Gordon): To ask the Secretary of State for Wales, what proportion of officials in his Department that are (a) graded as senior civil servant 2 and (b) on full-time equivalent contracts are women. (201821)
- 1695 Elliot Colburn (Carshalton and Wallington): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, whether the Government plans to amend (a) provisions on gender reassignment as a protected characteristic in the Equality Act 2010 and (b) section 9 of the Gender Recognition Act 2004. (201655)
- 1696 **Michael Fabricant** (Lichfield): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, when she plans to publish guidance for schools on supporting trans pupils. (200798)

- 1697 Matt Hancock (West Suffolk): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, whether the Government Equalities Office is taking steps to encourage (a) private companies and (b) the public sector to adopt neuro-inclusive practices in the workplace. (202319)
- 1698 Matt Hancock (West Suffolk): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, what steps the Government is taking to help reduce workplace stigma for people who are neurodivergent. (202320)
- 1699 **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, whether she has held meetings in 2023 on (a) Islamophobia and (b) hate crime against Muslims. (201248)
- 1700 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, how much the Equality Hub spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201146)
- 1701 **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, how much the Government Equalities Office spent on equality and diversity training in the 2022-23 financial year. (201148)
- 1702 **Caroline Lucas** (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, what recent estimate she has made of when the proposed ban on sexual orientation and gender identity conversion practices will be in place; and if she will make a statement. (201327)
- 1703 **Stuart C McDonald** (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, whether (a) she and (b) officials in her Department have had discussions with representatives of (i) LGBT organisations and (ii) conversion practices survivors in the relevant states of the US and District of Columbia on the effectiveness of legislation banning conversion practices. (201589)
- 1704 **Kirsten Oswald** (East Renfrewshire): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, what proportion of officials who are (a) graded as senior civil servant 2 and (b) on full-time equivalent contracts in the Government Equalities Office are women. (201807)
- 1705 **Kirsten Oswald** (East Renfrewshire): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, what proportion of officials on temporary contracts in the Government Equalities

 Office are women. (201808)

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1N Andy Slaughter (Hammersmith): To ask the Attorney General, what provision the Serious Fraud Office made in its Annual Report 2022-23 for special payments for the case involving three executives of G4S. (200876)

- 2N Andy Slaughter (Hammersmith): To ask the Attorney General, how many corporate self-reports the Serious Fraud Office has received in each of the last five years. (200877)
- 3N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how often action has been taken against third parties under the National Security and Investment Act 2021 in the last two years. (201547)
- 4N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, what steps the Commissioners are taking to ensure the Lowest Income Communities Funding meets the objective of assisting clergy and parishes in hardest to reach communities. (201297)
- 5N Andrew Bridgen (North West Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how much funding her Department has provided to Oneweb; and how that funding has been used. (201046)
- 6N Andrew Bridgen (North West Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what information her Department holds on the number of shares in Eutelsat that are owned by the Chinese government. (201047)
- 7N **Douglas Chapman** (Dunfermline and West Fife): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, when she plans to bring forward legislation to limit the length of post-termination non-compete clauses in (i) contracts of employment and (ii) limb (b) worker contracts to three months. (200796)
- 8N **Drew Hendry** (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether her Department has held recent discussions with trade associations representing private parking firms on changes in the level of parking fees for disabled drivers. (201845)
- 9N **Drew Hendry** (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what assessment her Department has made of the appropriateness of parking fees for disabled drivers charged by private parking companies; and what information her Department holds on the relation of such fees to the rate of inflation. (201846)
- 10N **Drew Hendry** (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether she has made an assessment of the effectiveness of the Motor Ombudsman at helping motorists to (a) resolve disputes with and (b) obtain redress in disputes about vehicles. (201849)
- 11N **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether she has made an assessment of the potential merits a statutory duty on insolvency practitioners to pay outstanding (a) wages and (b) notice pay as the first duty when a company ceases to trade as a result of insolvency. (200716)

- 12N **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether the UK subsidy control regime precludes financial support for a direct continental ferry service by the Scottish Government. (201508)
- 13N Anne McLaughlin (Glasgow North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how many and what proportion of FTE civil servants on pay band SCS2 in her Department are women. (201626)
- 14N **Anne McLaughlin** (Glasgow North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how many and what proportion of civil servants on temporary contracts in her Department are women. (201627)
- 15N Catherine West (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how many times military end-use controls were applied to proposed exports to Chinese universities in (a) 2020, (b) 2021 and (c) 2022. (200998)
- 16N Catherine West (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how many standard individual export licenses were granted for proposed exports to Chinese universities in (a) 2020, (b) 2021 and (c) 2022. (200999)
- 17N Catherine West (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how many standard individual export licenses were granted to UK university sponsored applications for proposed exports to China in (a) 2020, (b) 2021 and (c) 2022. (201000)
- 18N Julie Elliott (Sunderland Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, whether she has had discussions with domestic sporting authorities on steps to reduce the number of Anterior Cruciate Ligament injuries among female athletes. (201384)
- 19N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, when she plans to publish to publish for consultation an amended draft of the statutory guidance on the risks associated with e-cigarettes in the Relationships, Sex and Health Education curriculum. (201299)
- 20N Rosie Duffield (Canterbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether her Department has provided recent guidance to local authorities on consulting with affected children on proposed changes to (a) the provision of accommodation and (b) other services for (i) children in care and (ii) care leavers.

 (202497)
- 21N Claire Hanna (Belfast South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what the Barnett Consequential for Northern Ireland will be as a result of the 6.5% pay increase for teachers in England. (201058)
- 22N **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what recent estimate she has made of the number of nurseries in each region in England that require building works to remove reinforced autoclaved aerated concrete (RAAC). (200939)

- 23N Helen Hayes (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what estimate she has made of the number of children with (a) special needs and (b) disabilities who will have to use remote learning due to building works in their schools to address reinforced autoclaved aerated concrete. (200940)
- 24N Helen Hayes (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment she has made of the presence of reinforced autoclaved aerated concrete in alternative provision educational settings by region.

 (200941)
- 25N Helen Hayes (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment she has made of the presence of reinforced autoclaved aerated concrete in special schools by region. (200942)
- 26N Helen Hayes (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment she has made of the presence of reinforced autoclaved aerated concrete in buildings used for residential placements for looked after children, by region. (200943)
- 27N Seema Malhotra (Feltham and Heston): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many apprenticeship placements there were in SMEs in the (a) 2017-2018, (b) 2018-19, (c) 2019-20, (d) 2020-21, (e) 2021-22 and (f) 2022-23 academic year.
- 28N Seema Malhotra (Feltham and Heston): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much and what proportion of apprenticeship levy funds were transferred from levy-payers to non-levy payers in the (a) 2019-20, (b) 2020-21, (c) 2021-22 and (d) 2022-23 academic year. (201370)
- 29N Seema Malhotra (Feltham and Heston): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many and what proportion of students who started a T-level course in the 2021-22 academic year (a) completed the qualification, (b) transferred to a different qualification and (c) left education or training during the (i) 2021-22 and (ii) 2022-23 academic year. (201702)
- 30N Catherine McKinnell (Newcastle upon Tyne North): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to the Answer of 27 April 2023 to Question HL7130 on Teachers: Workplace Pensions, if she will publish a list of employers involved in the provision of private education which (a) are or (b) have been since 11 May 2010 participants in the Teachers' Pension Scheme.
- 31N Andy Slaughter (Hammersmith): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 18 September 2023 to question 199083, and with reference to the budgets used to fund emergency mitigation works for schools with reinforced autoclaved aerated concrete, whether that money would have been used for other Department capital projects; and if he will publish details of what those capital projects would have been. (200806)

- 32N **Virginia Crosbie** (Ynys Môn): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether her Department is taking steps to ensure a resilient supply of ammonia as a future fuel for the maritime sector. (201040)
- 33N **Virginia Crosbie** (Ynys Môn): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what steps her Department is taking to help ensure that the UK is taking a leading role in the development of nuclear energy. (201980)
- 34N **Dave Doogan** (Angus): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how many and what proportion of FTE civil servants at pay band SCS2 in her Department are women. (201632)
- 35N **Dave Doogan** (Angus): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how many Renewable Obligation Certificates have been issued to hydroelectric power stations in Scotland since 2015, broken down by (a) the total over that period and (b) each year. (201725)
- 36N **Dave Doogan** (Angus): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how many staff in her Department at (a) Grade 6, (b) Grade 7 and (c) SCS are contractually based in (i) Scotland, (ii) London and (iii) the South East. (201730)
- 37N **Ben Lake** (Ceredigion): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether the revised target for the phasing out of fossil fuel boilers in offgrid homes will apply to Wales. (201045)
- 38N **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what discussions she has had with Ofgem on the criteria used to decide the the regional rates and standing charges for electricity. (201507)
- 39N **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether renewable energy (a) brought ashore for battery storage and hydrogen and (b) not connected to the national grid is subject to grid connection charges or other imposed regulatory costs. (201983)
- 40N **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether her Department has a policy on the production of green ammonia from hydrogen and renewable energy. (201984)
- 41N **Stewart Malcolm McDonald** (Glasgow South): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, if her Department will publish a consultation on a social energy tariff ahead of the Autumn Statement. (201574)
- 42N **Conor McGinn** (St Helens North): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what estimate she has made of the number and proportion of care recipients that are in fuel poverty in St Helens North constituency. (200708)
- 43N **Mohammad Yasin** (Bedford): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what assessment her Department has made of the impact of some utility companies prohibiting payment of bills at high street banks and post offices on

- affected customers; and whether her Department is taking steps to help support people who do not have access to online and telephone banking to set up direct debits with their utility suppliers. (201282)
- 44N **Patricia Gibson** (North Ayrshire and Arran): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if she will make it her policy to bring forward cat breeding regulations similar to those in Scotland. (201336)
- 45N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if she will list the dates on which her Department has identified the UK presence of the Colorado beetle since January 2021. (201042)
- 46N **Conor McGinn** (St Helens North): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether his Department has made an estimate of the number of community buildings affected by reinforced autoclaved aerated concrete in (a) St Helens North constituency and (b) the North West. (200704)
- 47N Navendu Mishra (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up,
 Housing and Communities, whether his Department has had recent discussions
 with local authorities on the potential merits of increasing funding for the
 processing of blue badge applications. (201217)
- 48N Carol Monaghan (Glasgow North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling
 Up, Housing and Communities, whether his Department plans to extend the
 duration of the (a) Ukraine Sponsorship Scheme, (b) Ukraine Family Scheme and
 (c) Ukraine Extension Scheme beyond the initial three-year period. (200878)
- 49N Carol Monaghan (Glasgow North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, if he will make it his policy to introduce settlement routes for Ukrainian nationals in the UK on temporary visas under the (a) Ukraine Sponsorship Scheme, (b) Ukraine Family Scheme and (c) Ukraine Extension Scheme.
- 50N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will make an assessment of the adequacy of the resources available for regional airports to ensure greater flexibility in the operation of public service obligation routes. (201260)
- 51N Virginia Crosbie (Ynys Môn): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what his Department's timeline is for works to complete the electrification of the North Wales mainline; what the estimated cost is for the electrification of that line; and what estimate he has made of the effect of the upgrade on journey times between Holyhead and London and other destinations. (201897)
- 52N Virginia Crosbie (Ynys Môn): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment his Department has made of the potential economic benefits of the funding for the electrification of the North Wales mainline on the constituents of (a) Ynys Mon and (b) North Wales.

- 53N **Mrs Sharon Hodgson** (Washington and Sunderland West): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, for what reason his Department's spending with Enterprise Rent-A-Car increased between 2011 and 2022. (200611)
- 54N **Tom Hunt** (Ipswich): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to the announcement that the Ely Junction and Haughley Junction rail projects will receive Government funding, what the timescales are for the delivery of each project. (201996)
- 55N **Tom Hunt** (Ipswich): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will make an assessment of the potential benefits to passenger services in Ipswich of the upgrade of (a) Ely Junction and (b) Haughley Junction. (201997)
- 56N **Tom Hunt** (Ipswich): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of the potential benefits to road users in (a) Ipswich and (b) Suffolk of the upgrading of (i) Ely North Junction and (ii) Haughley Junction. (202001)
- 57N **Jonathan Ashworth** (Leicester South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to the press notice entitled Government announces employment support boost for over 30,000 economically inactive young people, published by his Department on 25 September 2023, how his Department estimated the number of additional 16 to 24 year-olds that would benefit from the expansion of the youth offer to economically inactive claimants. (202513)
- 58N **Jonathan Ashworth** (Leicester South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to the £3.5 billion package of measures to increase employment announced in the 2023 Spring Statement, on which measures his Department intends to spend this additional funding in each financial year. (202522)
- 59N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether his Department provides guidance to Child Maintenance Service caseworkers on ensuring fairness of arrangements for resident and non-resident parents. (201494)
- 60N **Rebecca Long Bailey** (Salford and Eccles): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether people who are (a) usually eligible for (i) Universal Credit and (ii) other benefits and (b) have received a nil award for those benefits in the qualifying period because they have received non-consolidated additional backpay from the NHS for the year 2022-23 will receive all the cost of living payments they would otherwise be entitled to in 2023-24. (201729)
- 61N **Alison McGovern** (Wirral South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to the £3.5 billion over five years to increase workforce participation announced in Budget 2023, how much and what proportion has been spent as of 13 October 2023. (201288)

- 62N **Alison McGovern** (Wirral South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to the £3.5 billion over five years to increase workforce participation announced in Budget 2023, what estimate he has made of how much and what proportion of that investment will be spent by the end of the five years over which that money has been allocated. (201289)
- 63N **Sir Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether he has made an estimate of the number of people whose benefit award would be assessed as lower if the (a) coping with social engagement and (b) getting about indicators were removed from the Work Capability Assessment. (200722)
- 64N **Sir Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether he has made an estimate of the number of people whose benefit award would be assessed as lower if the number of points awarded for the (a) coping with social engagement and (b) getting about indicators was reduced. (200723)
- 65N **Sir Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether he has made an estimate of the additional number of people who would be found fit for work if the (a) coping with social engagement and (b) getting about indicators were removed from the Work Capability Assessment. (200724)
- 66N **Sir Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether he has made an estimate of the additional number of people who would be found fit for work if the number of points awarded for the (a) coping with social engagement and (b) getting about indicators was reduced. (200725)
- 67N **Dr Philippa Whitford** (Central Ayrshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to the correspondence from Garden Court Chambers of (a) 24 August and (b) 14 September 2023 on pension age changes for women born in the 1950s, whether he plans to meet with them to discuss this issue. (201325)
- 68N **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to respond to the Joint Committee on the Draft Mental Health Bill's Report entitled Draft Mental Health Bill 2022, published on 19 January 2023, HC 696. (200778)
- 69N Fleur Anderson (Putney): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to (a) strengthen the infrastructure of GP surgeries and (b) ensure that GP surgeries have the (i) space and (ii) capacity to train new GPs.
- 70N lan Byrne (Liverpool, West Derby): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to Kidney Research UK's recent report entitled Kidney Disease: a UK public health emergency, what steps his Department is taking to mitigate the cost of kidney disease treatment to the NHS. (200814)

71N lan Byrne (Liverpool, West Derby): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the recommendations of Kidney Research UK's recent report entitled Kidney Disease: a UK public health emergency, whether he plans to establish oversight of paediatric kidney care from kidney policymakers.

(200816)

- 72N lan Byrne (Liverpool, West Derby): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure that NHS bank staff receive non-consolidated payments as part of the NHS pay deal in England. (201842)
- 73N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will hold discussions with representatives of the devolved institutions on the potential merits of including policies on the sharing of information on mental health matters in the Major Conditions Strategy. (200992)
- 74N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has made an assessment of the likely need to use serious shortage protocols in connection with potential challenges with HRT supply by the end of 2023. (201261)
- 75N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the NHS long-term plan, what the Barnett consequentials for Norther Ireland are of the additional funding for mental health services. (201298)
- 76N **Stella Creasy** (Walthamstow): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what stocks NHS England has of (a) covid-19 boosters, (b) covid-19 rapid tests, (c) N95 masks and (d) flu vaccines as of October 2023, in the context of preparations for winter 2023-24.
- 77N **Rosie Duffield** (Canterbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of the availability of ADHD medication. (201794)
- 78N **Gill Furniss** (Sheffield, Brightside and Hillsborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to chapter 2 of the report entitled, Tipping Point: The Future of Dementia, published by Alzheimer's Research UK in September 2023, whether he has considered the potential merits of taking steps to increase NHS capacity to diagnose dementia. (200915)
- 79N **Mrs Paulette Hamilton** (Birmingham, Erdington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to support the (a) recruitment and (b) retention of General Practice Nurses. (201575)
- 80N **Dr Neil Hudson** (Penrith and The Border): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if his Department will take steps to restrict the sale of high-strength nicotine pouches to people under 18. (201461)

- 81N **Mrs Emma Lewell-Buck** (South Shields): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many and what proportion of recipients of Healthy Start paper vouchers have not re-enrolled via the online registration system. (201335)
- 82N **Mrs Emma Lewell-Buck** (South Shields): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many hospital admissions for malnutrition in England were there in the latest period for which data is available, broken down by age groups
 (a) 0-5 years, (b) 5-10 years, (c) 10-16 years and (d) over-16 years. (201648)
- 83N **Mrs Emma Lewell-Buck** (South Shields): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many hospital admissions were there for (a) scurvy, (b) rickets and (c) vitamin D deficiency in England in the latest period for which data is available, broken down by age groups (i) 0-5 years, (ii) 5-10 years, (iii) 10-16 years and (iv) over-16 years.
- 84N Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the policy paper entitled National Partnership Agreement: Right Care, Right Person, published on 26 July 2023, if he will make an estimate of NHS (a) staffing and (b) capital infrastructure requirements for implementing the proposals set out in that policy paper until 31 October 2023. (200712)
- 85N Ian Murray (Edinburgh South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether annual budget allocations have been made for 2024-25 in relation to the NHS Long Term Workforce Plan. (201337)
- 86N Ian Murray (Edinburgh South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether funding for the NHS Long Term Workforce Plan is coming from his Department's existing budgets. (201338)
- 87N **Mr Virendra Sharma** (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has had discussions with relevant stakeholders on the potential merits of prioritising earlier detection of heart failure as part of the Major Conditions Strategy. (201509)
- 88N Mr Virendra Sharma (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has had discussions with the Office of Health Improvement and Disparities on the potential merits of prioritising identification of people who (a) are traditionally reluctant to engage with the health system and (b) may not be easily identifiable as a result of (i) poor health literacy, (ii) digital exclusion, (iii) multiple deprivation and (iv) inequalities conferred by ethnicity.
- 89N **Mr Virendra Sharma** (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has had discussions with NHS England on the potential merits of supporting the British Society for Heart Failure-led multi-disciplinary 25in25 initiative. (201511)

- 90N Andy Slaughter (Hammersmith): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many hospitals outside of those included in the New Hospital Programme have been identified to have reinforced autoclaved aerated concrete; and whether his Department plans to fund emergency mitigation works to those hospitals.
- 91N Alex Sobel (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to reduce the average time between the onset of symptoms and diagnosis for people with endometriosis. (201030)
- 92N **Wes Streeting** (Ilford North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will publish interim findings from surveys relating to access to GP services commissioned by the Government and NHS England following the Delivery plan for recovering access to primary care. (200790)
- 93N **Derek Twigg** (Halton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to Alzheimer's Research UK's report entitled Tipping Point: The Future of Dementia, what steps he is taking to increase the number of lumbar punctures conducted to help identify people who may be eligible for new dementia treatments. (200955)
- 94N **Dr Philippa Whitford** (Central Ayrshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the Answer of 4 April 2019 to Question 238305 on Vaccination, what advice the Joint Committee on Vaccination and Immunisation Healthcare Associated Infections Working Group provided on the development of better tools to estimate and quantify the potential impact of vaccines in reducing the long-term burden of antimicrobial resistance; and if he will make a statement. (201332)
- 95N **Dr Philippa Whitford** (Central Ayrshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to Alzheimer's Research UK's report entitled Tipping Point: The Future of Dementia, what steps his Department is taking to increase the proportion of people with a dementia diagnosis who are registered to be informed about dementia clinical trials. (201359)
- 96N Fleur Anderson (Putney): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if he will make it his policy to (a) reassess his Department's funding allocation for overseas aid and (b) prioritise spending on the improvement of (i) water, (ii) sanitation and (iii) hygiene infrastructure in healthcare facilities to tackle antimicrobial resistance. (200812)
- 97N Wayne David (Caerphilly): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, when a Minister last raised the case of
 Alaa abd el-Fattah with the Egyptian Government; and what steps his Department
 is taking to secure Mr el-Fattah's release. (201847)

- 98N Dave Doogan (Angus): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 7 September 2023 to Question 196981 on Thailand: British Nationals Abroad, if she will publish raw, redacted data on unexplained deaths in Thailand in 2022 to enable analysis of the regions in which those deaths occurred. (200702)
- 99N **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he has had recent discussions with the Government of Israel on the protests against that Government's proposed judicial reforms. (200981)
- 100NAfzal Khan (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, when he plans to respond to the
 correspondence of 28 July 2023, reference AK59834, from the hon. Member for
 Manchester Gorton. (201464)
- 101NMark Logan (Bolton North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,

 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to

 progress Israel-Saudi Arabia normalisation talks. (201354)
- 102NMark Logan (Bolton North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,

 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking to (a) establish
 and (b) help ensure the safety of UK nationals in Israel. (201844)
- 103NBrendan O'Hara (Argyll and Bute): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the
 implications for his policies of the proposed amnesty law in Iraq that could result
 in Daesh members who have been convicted of (a) genocide against Yazidi people
 and (b) other crimes being freed from detention.

 (201584)
- 104NBrendan O'Hara (Argyll and Bute): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what representations he has made to
 his counterparts in Iraq on the potential effects of the proposed amnesty law that
 could result in Daesh members who have been convicted of (a) genocide against
 the Yazidi people and (b) other crimes being freed from detention. (201585)
- 105NBrendan O'Hara (Argyll and Bute): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how many UK Daesh fighters (a) are
 currently serving criminal sentences and (b) may be freed if the proposed amnesty
 law for Daesh fighters is implemented in Iraq. (201586)
- 106NMr Virendra Sharma (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 24 April
 2023 to Question 181199 on Development Aid: Genito-urinary Medicine, if he will
 publish updated data on (a) bilateral aid in 2022 and (b) multilateral aid in 2021
 for sexual and reproductive health and rights. (202276)

- 107NZarah Sultana (Coventry South): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether his Department has taken
 steps to help ensure that older people are included in commitments made at the
 high-level meeting of the United Nations General Assembly on universal health
 coverage. (201398)
- 108NZarah Sultana (Coventry South): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what representations his Department
 has made to the (a) Kurdistan Regional Government and (b) Government of Iraq
 on (i) the imprisonment of Kurdish journalists Sherwan Sherwani and Guhdar
 Zebarito and (b) levels of press freedom in those regions. (201399)
- 109NSir Stephen Timms (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what representations he has made to
 the Government of India about recent attacks on (a) Christians in Manipur and (b)
 Muslims and Dalits elsewhere in India. (201039)
- 110N Catherine West (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how many Academic Technology Approval Scheme applications made by Chinese nationals were rejected in (a) 2020, (b) 2021, (c) 2022 and (d) 2023 to date. (200997)
- 111N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many people had their British citizenship removed under the British Nationality Act 1981 in each of the last ten years. (200989)
- 112N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what recent discussions the Border Force has had with its Irish counterpart on tackling the transit of illegal drug supplies from Ireland into the UK. (201392)
- 113N Neil Coyle (Bermondsey and Old Southwark): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department plans to take to help ensure the safety of Afghan Chevening scholars after the conclusion of their studies in the UK.
- 114N Neil Coyle (Bermondsey and Old Southwark): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether her Department has made an estimate of the number of Afghan Chevening scholars who are unable to return to Afghanistan at the end of their studies. (200784)
- 115N **Mr David Davis** (Haltemprice and Howden): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what recent assessment she has made of the implications for her policies on the storage by police of custody images of people who have not been convicted of the judgment in RMC and FJ v Commissioner of Police of the Metropolis and Secretary of State for the Home Department [2012] EWHC 1681 (Admin).

- 116N **Mr David Davis** (Haltemprice and Howden): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many custody images of people who have not been convicted of a crime are stored in the Police National Database. (201739)
- 117N Mr David Davis (Haltemprice and Howden): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether she has received legal advice on the potential for using the UK passport database for the (a) prevention and (b) detection of crime.

 (201740)

118N Claire Hanna (Belfast South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to ensure that asylum seekers

are able to (a) make initial and (b) maintain contact with her Department. (201050)

- 119N **Drew Hendry** (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many medical professionals working for the NHS moved from a study visa to a work visa in the last 12 months. (200605)
- 120N Drew Hendry (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether her Department is taking steps to support the top 20 nursing students from Afghanistan to continue their studies in the UK through the Afghan Citizens Resettlement Scheme. (200703)
- 121N**Tom Hunt** (Ipswich): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of the Novotel in Ipswich being taken over by her Department on (a) tourism in Ipswich and (b) the local economy.

 (202002)
- 122N**Tom Hunt** (Ipswich): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what guidance her Department has issued on the prosecution of pro-Hamas demonstrators. (202523)
- 123N Dame Diana Johnson (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many requests from select committees for details of Home Office expenditure her Department has declined over the past two years on the stated basis that the information was commercially sensitive. (202241)
- 124N Dame Diana Johnson (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what criteria her Department uses for designating whether reporting of departmental expenditure is commercially sensitive. (202260)
- 125N Dame Diana Johnson (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what the attrition rate was for (a) asylum application decision makers and (b) national referral mechanism case workers in the latest period for which data is available. (202261)
- 126N Dame Diana Johnson (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether her Department has made an assessment of the (a) geographic spread of asylum cases in the legacy backlog and (b) potential effect on local authorities of delivering decisions on all of those cases by the end of 2023.

- 127N Dame Diana Johnson (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when she plans to provide heatmaps detailing the national spread of asylum cases to local authorities. (202265)
- 128NAfzal Khan (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether he Department has (a) undertaken and (b) commissioned from external consultants modelling of the potential impact of a reduction of the backlog of asylum applications on the number of people applying to (i) come to and (ii) stay in the UK via a refugee family reunion application. (202294)
- 129N**Stephen Kinnock** (Aberavon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home

 Department, what steps she is taking to reduce the number of inadequately
 documented arrivals by air. (200802)
- 130N Mark Logan (Bolton North East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home

 Department, how many people have been prosecuted for belonging and
 professing to belong to Hamas since that group was proscribed. (201843)
- 131N Stephen M Partland (Stevenage): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether she plans to make police officer body-worn camera footage available to people who have been recorded using those systems when that is requested. (201307)
- 132NKate Osborne (Jarrow): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to the Report on an unannounced inspection of Derwentside Immigration Removal Centre by HM Chief Inspector of Prisons, 8–25 August 2022, published on 6 December 2022, when she expects a plan to resolve the concerns identified in the report to be published.
- 133NAlison Thewliss (Glasgow Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, for what reason the Independent Chief Inspector of Borders and Immigration has not been reappointed. (200718)
- 134NNadia Whittome (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many incidents of (a) use, (b) misuse and (c) unlawful use of force have been recorded on the immigration detention estate in the last 12 months; and for what reason force was used in each incident. (201007)
- 135N Nadia Whittome (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to (a) identify and (b) prevent the (i) misuse and (ii) unlawful use of force against people held in detention under immigration powers; and what steps she is taking to ensure that there is adequate (A) scrutiny of and (B) transparency on the use of force in such cases. (201008)
- 136N Dave Doogan (Angus): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether he has made an assessment of the potential impact of F-35B Block 4 upgrades on the (a) cooling and (b) power demands of F135-PW-600 engines installed in the UK fleet.

(200610)

- 137N Patricia Gibson (North Ayrshire and Arran): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many (a) accidents and (b) near misses involving manual handling equipment have taken place at Defence Equipment and Support in Beith since 11 September 2023. (200791)
- 138NPatricia Gibson (North Ayrshire and Arran): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether alternative labour is being used to carry out the roles of people on strike at Defence Equipment and Support in Beith. (200792)
- 139NPatricia Gibson (North Ayrshire and Arran): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether he is taking steps to ensure the adequacy of health and safety arrangements during industrial action at Defence Equipment and Support in Beith. (200793)
- 140NMr Kevan Jones (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to the Answer of 19 September 2023 to Question 198289 on Defence:

 Buildings, when he plans that surveys to identify buildings which may have been constructed with RAAC on his Department's land will be completed. (200916)
- 141N Mr Kevan Jones (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, when he plans to finalise the full business case for the E-7 Wedgetail programme. (201003)
- 142N**Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, for what reason the forecast delivery of the first E-7 Wedgetail aircraft has changed from 2023 to late 2024. (201005)
- 143N**Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what recent estimate he has made of when the third E-7 Wedgetail aircraft will be delivered. (201006)
- 144NJulian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, when his Department plans to respond to the correspondence of 11 April 2023 from the hon. Member for Solihull, reference JK29645. (201683)
- 145NMark Logan (Bolton North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps his Department is taking to help increase transatlantic quantum technology cooperation. (201382)
- 146N**Stewart Malcolm McDonald** (Glasgow South): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, when he plans to publish his Department's response to the LGBT Veterans Independent Review Final Report, published in May 2023. (201520)
- 147N Stephanie Peacock (Barnsley East): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to the oral contribution of the Minister for Defence People, Veterans and Service Families of 11 September 2023, Official Report, column 652, in response to the oral question of the hon. Member for Barnsley East, to whom nuclear test veterans should submit a subject access request for their health records.

- 148N**Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many assaults have been reported against prison officers at Wandsworth Prison in each year since 2010. (201537)
- 149N**Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many speech and language therapists work in each prison in England and Wales as of 13 October 2023. (201645)
- 150N**Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many inmates have (a) been assessed by and (b) received therapy from a speech and language therapist in each prison in England and Wales in each year since 2010.
- 151N **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what data his Department holds on the number and proportion of inmates who have a stammer in prisons in England and Wales. (201647)
- 152NRuth Cadbury (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, whether on-site survey work was carried out on the prison estate to (a) assess and (b) improve security in prisons between March 2020 and June 2021. (200898)
- 153NStephen Kinnock (Aberavon): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, with reference to the consultation outcome, Possible changes to the First-tier Tribunal (Immigration and Asylum Chamber) Rules and the Upper Tribunal Rules arising from Nationality and Borders Act 2022, published by the Tribunal Procedure Committee on 27 October 2022, whether it remains the Government's policy not to proceed with implementation of the proposed rules in relation to accelerated detained appeals, as drafted by the Tribunal Procedure Committee pursuant to section 27 of the Nationality and Borders Act 2022. (201285)
- 154NAndy Slaughter (Hammersmith): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, whether any court buildings have been identified as having reinforced autoclaved aerated concrete (RAAC); and whether his Department plans to fund emergency mitigation works to any courts in which RAAC is identified. (200808)
- 155N**Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, when he plans that the pilot No Interest Loan Scheme will be launched in Northern Ireland. (201259)
- 156NPatricia Gibson (North Ayrshire and Arran): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether he has made an assessment of the potential impact of administrative changes to IR35 in 2021 on the extent to which domestic contractors are able to secure short-term contracts from UK clients. (201393)
- 157N Sarah Jones (Croydon Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps HMRC is taking to help reduce the risk of a (a) major IT failure and (b) security breach. (201041)

- 158NJustin Madders (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps HM Revenue and Customs is taking to mitigate the risks of a major (a) IT failure and (b) security breach. (200883)
- 159N**Lisa Nandy** (Wigan): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what financial support is available to parents after the stillbirth of a child. (201789)
- 160NAbena Oppong-Asare (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps he is taking to identify the number of unclaimed mature Child Trust Funds that have been claimed by account holders in the last 12 months.

 (202531)
- 161N Michael Fabricant (Lichfield): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of the Domestic Abuse Act 2021 on the use of conversion practices with LGBT people. (200797)
- 162NMichael Fabricant (Lichfield): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, whether she has made an assessment of the effectiveness of legislation to ban conversion practices in Spain. (201578)

Questions for Answer on Thursday 19 October

- 1N **Julian Knight** (Solihull): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of commissioning an update to the Cabinet Manual in the context of the repeal of the Fixed Term Parliament Act. (202463)
- 2N lan Byrne (Liverpool, West Derby): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of planned reductions to Royal Mail customer service points on local services in Liverpool, West Derby constituency. (201581)
- 3N Jamie Stone (Caithness, Sutherland and Easter Ross): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment her Department has made of the implications for its policies of the potential impact of Meta's reduction to the Community News Project on local journalism. (202058)
- 4N Catherine McKinnell (Newcastle upon Tyne North): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many school (a) sports and (b) recreational pitches have been used for temporary classrooms due to the presence of reinforced autoclaved aerated concrete (RAAC) in main school buildings. (201048)

5N Catherine McKinnell (Newcastle upon Tyne North): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many school children are learning online due to the presence of reinforced autoclaved aerated concrete (RAAC) in their schools in each region.

(201049)

6N lan Byrne (Liverpool, West Derby): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to Kidney Research UK's recent report entitled Kidney Disease: a UK public health emergency, what assessment his Department has made of the adequacy of available data on the rate at which patients progress through the stages of chronic kidney disease.

- 7N Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when his Department plans to respond to the correspondence of 14 June 2023 from the hon. Member for Solihull, reference JK40690. (202267)
- 8N Ian Byrne (Liverpool, West Derby): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to United Nations
 Security Council Resolution 2417, what steps his Department is taking to (a) help
 ensure that civilians in conflict zones can access food and (b) stabilise global food
 supply chains.
- 9N Patrick Grady (Glasgow North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will publish the (a) contributions to, (b) analysis of and (c) the government response to her Department's consultation on Section 24 of the Animals (Scientific Procedures) Act 1986. (202528)
- 10N Alex Norris (Nottingham North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what information her Department holds on the types of (a) knives and (b) other sharp instruments that have been used in (i) homicides and (ii) other offences involving those instruments in the latest period for which data is available.
- 11N Alex Norris (Nottingham North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many and what proportion of (a) homicides and (b) other offences involved the use of a ninja sword in the last three years. (201213)
- 12N Alex Norris (Nottingham North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what recent estimate she has made of when the targeted stakeholder engagement exercise on the proposed offence of cuckooing will conclude.

 (201681)
- 13N **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many prison staff (a) retired and (b) were dismissed at HM Prison Wandsworth in the last 12 months. (200779)

- 14N **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, with reference to the document entitled Annual report of the Independent Monitoring Board at HMP Wandsworth for reporting year 1 June 2021 to 31 May 2022, published in September 2022, when work on the CCTV upgrades at HMP Wandsworth began; and what his timetable is for completion of the work. (200899)
- 15N **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what steps (a) officials in his Department and (b) HM Prison and Probation Service took to assess security arrangements at HM Prison Wandsworth in response to a prisoner escape attempt from that prison in 2019. (200901)
- 16N **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many times a police cell was used to house an inmate as part of Operation Safeguard in each of the last 12 months. (201166)
- 17N Janet Daby (Lewisham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many and what proportion of people who appealed the (a) sentence and (b) conviction they received from a magistrates' court to the Crown Court were (i) unrepresented, (ii) funded through legal aid and (iii) privately-funded in each of the last five years.
- 18N Janet Daby (Lewisham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much his Department spent on legal aid for appeals to (a) sentences and (b) convictions from the magistrates' court to the Crown Court in each of the last five years. (202325)
- 19N **Abena Oppong-Asare** (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what steps his Department is taking to ensure the robustness of (a) technical and (b) software systems used by HM Court and Tribunal Service to process probate applications. (202496)
- 20N **Mr Rob Roberts** (Delyn): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what the difference is between the amount of Government revenue collected from sources in Wales and the amount of funding provided by the Government to the Welsh Government in each of the last five financial years. (201174)

Questions for Answer on Friday 20 October

Questions for Written Answer

Justin Madders (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, when her Department plans to bring forward regulations to implement the Workers (Predictable Terms and Conditions) Act 2023; and whether she plans to hold discussions with businesses that (a) supply and (b) use agency workers before doing so.
(201306)

- 2N **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether she has made an assessment of the potential merits of offering higher starting salaries to people entering the teaching profession with wider professional experience relevant to the subjects they teach. (201723)
- 3N Lloyd Russell-Moyle (Brighton, Kemptown): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 26 April 2023 to Question 181305 on Free School Meals, what guidance her Department has provided to local authorities on ensuring that eligible pupils (a) on school premises and (b) at any other place where education is being provided are in receipt of free school meals. (201521)
- 4N **Mr Nicholas Brown** (Newcastle upon Tyne East): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of expanding public spaces protection orders to all public places as defined by his Department. (200805)
- Mike Amesbury (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to the transparency data entitled Train operating companies:

 Passenger's Charter compensation, published on 25 August 2022, if he will publish data on (a) traditional and (b) delay repay passenger compensation paid by train operating companies in the 2022-23 financial year.

 (201029)
- 6N **Mr Nicholas Brown** (Newcastle upon Tyne East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment he has made of the impact of the freeze on Local Housing Allowance since April 2020 on the discretionary income of claimants of the housing element of Universal Credit. (200727)
- 7N **Mr Nicholas Brown** (Newcastle upon Tyne East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if he will make an estimate of what the income would be for a claimant who is eligible for the housing element of Universal Credit in the event that the Local Housing Allowance had increased in line with local rents for each year since 2020 in the city of Newcastle upon Tyne. (200736)
- 8N **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of increasing funding for (a) screening and (b) treating ovarian cancer. (201474)
- 9N **Wes Streeting** (Ilford North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the expenditure limit for agency staffing spend set by NHS England for 2022-23 was for each integrated care system, trust and foundation trust; what the year-end spending against that limit was for each of those organisations; and what limit has been set for each organisation for 2023-24. (200781)
- 10N **Wes Streeting** (Ilford North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the (a) nominal and (b) proportional change planned for 2023-24 is for (i) total, (ii) substantive, (iii) bank and (iv) agency workforce for (A) England and (B) each integrated care system, trust and foundation trust. (200786)

- 11N Wes Streeting (Ilford North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 30 March 2023 to Question 159027 on NHS: Expenditure, how much NHS England, clinical commissioning groups and integrated care boards spent in aggregate on (a) mental health services, (b) acute health services, (c) social care services, (d) primary medical care, (e) other primary care services, (f) continuing healthcare, (g) specialised services and (h) other main categories of spending in each financial year since 2015-16; and how much NHS England and integrated care boards plan to spend in aggregate in each of those areas in 2023-24.
- 12N Wes Streeting (Ilford North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the Primary Care Data Gathering Programme carried out for NHS England between 2020 and 2022 relating to the condition of GP practice estates, if he will publish findings on (a) premises ownership, (b) backlog maintenance, (c) site usage, (d) age of premises, (e) EPC/DEC ratings, (f) condition of estate, (g) premises suitability, (h) decontamination and infection control compliance, (i) clinical rooms and (j) compliance with (i) statutory and contractual standards on health and safety, (ii) asbestos, (iii) the Equality Act, (iv) risk management and (v) business continuity.
- 13N **Mr Nicholas Brown** (Newcastle upon Tyne East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will consult child psychologists on the potential health impact of increasing spouse visa fees on affected children. (200726)
- 14N **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to ensure the (a) safety of asylum seekers aged under 18 and (b) adequacy of detention facilities for asylum seekers aged under 18. (200947)
- 15N Janet Daby (Lewisham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many and what proportion of defendants had their sentence increased after appealing the (a) sentence and (b) conviction they received from the magistrates' court to the Crown Court in each of the last five years. (202323)
- 16N **Drew Hendry** (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what proportion of civil servants in his Department on full-time equivalent contracts at senior civil servant pay band 2 are women. (201587)
- 17N **Drew Hendry** (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what proportion of civil servants on temporary contracts in his Department are women. (201588)

Questions for Answer on Monday 23 October

- 1N Darren Jones (Bristol North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what progress her Department has made on the draft Audit Reform Bill; and when she plans to publish it. (201002)
- 2N Darren Jones (Bristol North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, on what date the transparency measures on public tree removal in the Environment Act 2021 will be implemented. (200823)
- 3N **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how many and what proportion of (a) residential buildings 18 meters or taller and (b) seven-story high buildings with two or more residential units (i) were and (ii) were not registered with the Building Safety Regulator under the Building Safety Act 2022 by 1 October 2023. (201459)
- 4N **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how many and what proportion of (a) residential buildings 18 meters or taller and (b) seven-story high buildings with two or more residential units (i) were and (ii) were not registered with the Building Safety Regulator under the Building Safety Act 2022 by 1 October 2023. (201460)
- 5N Paula Barker (Liverpool, Wavertree): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what personal information on (a) vehicle owners and (b) registered keepers can be provided to private parking enforcement companies through the KADOE system.

 (201671)
- 6N Paula Barker (Liverpool, Wavertree): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what charge the DVLA levies on private parking enforcement companies for fulfilling requests for information on (a) vehicle owners and (b) registered keepers through the KADOE system. (201672)
- 7N Paula Barker (Liverpool, Wavertree): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much revenue the DVLA accumulated through fulfilling KADOE requests for private parking enforcement companies in financial years (a) 2019-20, (b) 2020-21 and (c) 2021-22.
- 8N Darren Jones (Bristol North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether he has made an assessment of his Department's progress on increasing the number of electric vehicle charging points across Bristol North West constituency. (201343)
- 9N Andrea Leadsom (South Northamptonshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of using funds released by the cancellation of the second phase of HS2 for (a) a new Silverstone International train station for the Grand Prix, (b) improving bus services and (c) other infrastructure in South Northamptonshire constituency. (202003)

- 10N Andrea Leadsom (South Northamptonshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if his Department will make an assessment of the potential merits of a Silverstone International railway station following the cancellation of the second phase of HS2. (202004)
- 11N **Nick Smith** (Blaenau Gwent): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether State Pension data will be included in the Pensions Dashboard Programme. (202262)
- 12N **Tim Farron** (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many and what proportion of cases where patients that developed sepsis in hospital have resulted in (a) permanent impairment and (b) death in the last 12 months. (201387)
- 13N **Tony Lloyd** (Rochdale): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent representations he has made to his Pakistani counterpart on forced disappearances in that country. (200906)
- 14N **Tony Lloyd** (Rochdale): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of allegations of involvement of the Pakistani (a) intelligence services and (b) military in (i) enforced disappearances and (ii) secret detention in that country.

 (200907)
- 15N **Tony Lloyd** (Rochdale): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the of the implications for his policies of the political situation in Pakistan. (200908)
- 16N **Tony Lloyd** (Rochdale): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he has made representations to his (a)

 Pakistani and (b) Indian counterparts about reports of involvement by their officials in repression in the UK. (200909)
- 17N Peter Grant (Glenrothes): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many people from Afghanistan who were resettled to the UK under the (a) ARAP and (b) ACRS remain in a bridging hotel after their notice to quit date has passed because they have not found alternative accommodation as of 13 October 2023.
- 18N Peter Grant (Glenrothes): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many people from Afghanistan who were resettled to the UK under the (a) ARAP and (b) ACRS have been evicted from bridging accommodation in each of the last 12 months; of those people, how many and what proportion were (a) moved to temporary accommodation and (b) without accommodation upon eviction; and how many and what proportion of those people are (i) in temporary accommodation and (ii) without accommodation as of 13 October 2023. (200912)

- 19N Peter Grant (Glenrothes): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many and what proportion of people from Afghanistan who were resettled to the UK under the (a) ARAP and (b) ACRS were in bridging accommodation when her Department (i) announced that it would begin to issue and (ii) began to issue notices to quit. (200913)
- 20N **Tony Lloyd** (Rochdale): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what her Department's aims, purpose and forward plans are for the Overseas Domestic Worker Advisory Group; on what date that group last met; and when the group's next scheduled meeting is. (202328)
- 21N **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what proportion of (a) family, (b) student, (c) settlement, (d) visitor and (e) work visas submitted in the last 12 months have taken longer to process than the limits set by their respective customer service standards. (201293)
- 22N **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department are taking to protect Jewish people from hate crimes.

 (201888)
- 23N **Dr Philippa Whitford** (Central Ayrshire): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether she is taking steps to negotiate bilateral youth mobility schemes with (a) the EU, (b) France, (c) Greece, (d) Italy and (e) Spain. (201727)
- 24N **Drew Hendry** (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether his Department has had discussions with the Financial Conduct Authority on the level of fees charged by companies for supporting people with claims relating to payment protection insurance. (200910)
- 25N Darren Jones (Bristol North West): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of reducing the level of VAT applied to children's (a) swimming lessons and (b) other sports. (201504)

Questions for Answer on Tuesday 24 October

- 1N **Mohammad Yasin** (Bedford): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether he has made an assessment of the potential impact of the changes to the HS2 project on East West Rail. (201684)
- 2N Helen Morgan (North Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of the support provided by his Department to universal credit recipients who wish to appeal a decision at Upper Tribunal. (200855)

Questions for Answer on Wednesday 25 October

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N Dave Doogan (Angus): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how many staff in her Department in grades (a) 6, (b) 7 and c) SCS are contractually located in (i) Scotland, (ii) London and (iii) the South East. (201778)
- 2N **Duncan Baker** (North Norfolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, when the mandatory offer of support to people in the light touch conditionality regime will begin. (201848)

Questions for Answer on Monday 30 October

Questions for Written Answer

1N **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps he is taking to tackle (a) increases in rents and (b) shortages of housing. (201735)

Questions for Answer on Tuesday 31 October

- 1N Rebecca Long Bailey (Salford and Eccles): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what progress has been made towards implementing the NHS England Delivery Plan for the Recovery of Urgent and Emergency Care Services. (201074)
- 2N Naz Shah (Bradford West): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home
 Department, whether her Department plans to increase funding for West
 Yorkshire Fire and Rescue Service. (201790)
- 3N Naz Shah (Bradford West): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of increases in costs on fire and rescue services across England. (201791)