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Questions tabled on Wednesday 28 February 2024

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

Questions for Answer on Thursday 29 February

- Stephen Morgan (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what steps her Department has taken to implement the recommendations of The Alison Rose Review of Female Entrepreneurship on increasing the number of female angel investors in the UK. [Transferred] (16011)
- 2 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether her Department is taking steps to increase the share of Angel's funding received by women and ethnic minority individuals. [Transferred] (16014)
- Dame Siobhain McDonagh (Mitcham and Morden): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how many (a) minor, (b) moderate and (c) major incident notification forms were submitted to the Office for Nuclear Regulation in each year since 2015.

 [Transferred] (15830)
- 4 Dame Siobhain McDonagh (Mitcham and Morden): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how many security inspections were carried out by the Office for Nuclear Regulation in each year since 2015. [Transferred] (15831)
- 5N **Geraint Davies** (Swansea West): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he is taking to require companies to tackle material air pollution issues.

 [Transferred] (15541)

- 6 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps he is taking to tackle the rise in islamophobia and antisemitism following the events since 7 October 2023 in Israel and Gaza.

 [Transferred] (16001)
- 7 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps he is taking to support victims of islamophobia and antisemitism following the events since 7 October 2023 in Israel and Gaza.

 [Transferred] (16003)
- 8 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether she is taking steps with Cabinet colleagues to improve the mental health and wellbeing of people working in the construction industry. [Transferred] (15888)
- 9 **Mr Ben Bradshaw** (Exeter): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment, he has made with Cabinet colleagues of the potential merits of making not-for-profit organisations that provide welfare services VAT exempt.

[Transferred] (15832)

Questions for Answer on Friday 1 March

- Dan Carden (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether the terms of reference of the expert group to provide technical advice on compensation for the Government's response to the Infected Blood Inquiry will include the recommendations of the reports entitled (a) Compensation and redress for the victims of contaminated blood recommendations for a framework, published on 7 June 2022, and (b) Second interim report of the infected blood inquiry, published by the Infected Blood Inquiry on 5 April 2023. (16217)
- Rachel Hopkins (Luton South): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how many people have received interim compensation payments because of (a) their and (b) their family member's infection from contaminated blood or blood products in Luton South constituency. (16228)
- Justin Madders (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how many ministerial redundancy payments have been repaid since 2019; and by whom those repayments have been made. (16178)
- 4 **Dr Thérèse Coffey** (Suffolk Coastal): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how many Government funded start-up loans have been issued (a) in every year since 2012 and (b) in total. (16160)

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- Ruth Jones (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether she has made an assessment of the impact of recent economic growth figures on small and medium businesses in (a) Newport West constituency and b)
 Wales.

 (16235)
- Ruth Jones (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether she has had discussions with the Secretary of State for Wales on supporting small businesses in (a) Newport West constituency and (b) Wales. (16236)
- 7 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what recent steps she has taken to help increase (a) Welsh and (b) British exports to European countries. (16240)
- 8 **Priti Patel** (Witham): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether she has made an assessment of the adequacy of Royal Mail's compliance with the universal service obligation in each postal code area in Witham constituency in each week of (a) 2023 and (b) 2024; on how many occasions each post code area in (i) Essex and (ii) Witham constituency did not receive (A) letters and (B) parcels in accordance with the universal service obligation since 1 January 2023; and what steps she is taking to ensure that Royal Mail complies with the universal service obligation in (1) Essex and (2) Witham constituency.
- 9 **Priti Patel** (Witham): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what weighting the Post Office Horizon compensation scheme gives to individual subpostmaster's (a) mental health; (b) physical health; and (c) family circumstances when calculating compensation offers. (16097)
- 10 **Priti Patel** (Witham): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, if she will publish (a) reports and (b) briefings provided to (i) Ministers and (ii) officials in her Department and its predecessor Departments by the (A) former UK Shareholder Executive and (B) UK Government Investments on the Horizon IT system.
- Sir lain Duncan Smith (Chingford and Woodford Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what steps her Department plans to take to help ensure that the sporting industry complies with voluntary or self-regulatory measures to prevent gambling harms. (16061)
- Preet Kaur Gill (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what recent assessment she has made of the effectiveness of the enforcement of regulations on online sales of age-restricted products. (16255)
- Preet Kaur Gill (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what recent assessment she has made of the effectiveness of her policies to regulate the online order and delivery of age-restricted products or bladed items to self-service lockers. (16264)

- 14N Dan Jarvis (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what steps the Media Literacy Taskforce has taken to protect the public from (a) misinformation and (b) disinformation. [Transferred] (15894)
- 15N **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, if her Department will publish the recent work of the Media Literacy Taskforce.

 [Transferred] (15895)
- 16 **Ben Everitt** (Milton Keynes North): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 12 February 2024 to Question 13186 on Carers, whether the training and information that will be accessible via the supplier Kinship's website performs the function of a portal. (16218)
- 17 **Kim Johnson** (Liverpool, Riverside): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what progress she has made on the model history curriculum. (16205)
- 18 **Kim Johnson** (Liverpool, Riverside): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what progress she has made on the cultural education plan. (16207)
- 19 Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps she is taking to help close skills gaps in the (a) public and (b) private sector.

 (16246)
- James Morris (Halesowen and Rowley Regis): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps her Department is taking to support local authorities to reduce the time taken to process special educational needs and disabilities applications for education, health and care plans. (16083)
- 21 **Matt Western** (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what progress she has made with Cabinet colleagues on implementing the International Education Strategy, published on 16 March 2019. (16186)
- 22 **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of providing home insulation to low-income households who have have poorly insulated homes. (16078)
- Sir Mark Hendrick (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what steps she is taking with Cabinet colleagues to reduce the incidence of circulatory and respiratory diseases as a result of poor insulation in (a) Preston and (b) Lancashire.
- 24 Caroline Lucas (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, pursuant to the Answer of 20 February 2024 to Question 13704 on Offshore Industry: Employment, for what reason her Department does not use the verified ONS figures for jobs in the UK oil and gas sector. (16114)
- Justin Madders (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, when her Department plans to respond to the consultation entitled New ecodesign requirements for lighting products, which closed on 4 April 2023. (16169)

- 26 Priti Patel (Witham): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether she is taking steps to secure private investment to develop an offshore energy grid in the East of England. (16099)
- 27 Priti Patel (Witham): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether she plans to approve future sites for offshore wind farms in the North Sea.
 (16100)
- 28 **Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Streatham): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, with reference to her Department's consultation on a transitional support mechanism for large-scale biomass generators, published on 18 January 2024, what steps she has taken to (a) cost and (b) carry out a cost/benefit analysis of the options for new subsidies in that consultation. (16252)
- 29 **Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Streatham): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, with reference to her Department's consultation on a transitional support mechanism for large-scale biomass generators, published on 18 January 2024, for what reason 31 March 2024 was chosen as the deadline for any party who considers they may be eligible for transitional support to contact her Department.
- 30 **Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Streatham): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, with reference to her Department's consultation on a transitional support mechanism for large-scale biomass generators, published on 18 January 2024, what steps she has taken to ensure that the subsidies proposed in that consultation would not allow biomass companies to receive subsidies without capturing any carbon. (16254)
- 31 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how many storm overflow discharges there have been in South Holland and The Deepings constituency in the last five years.

 (16069)
- 32 **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps his Department has taken to tackle levels of plastic waste; and whether he plans to take steps to help reduce the amount of waste that is shipped abroad for disposal. (16075)
- 33 **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he has taken to contribute towards the target in the Global Plastics Treaty of a 75% reduction in virgin plastic production and single-use plastics by 2040. (16076)
- 34 **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what estimate he has made of how many single-use plastic products were disposed of in (a) Preston, (b) Lancashire and (c) England in the last three years; and what support his Department plans to provide to businesses to encourage the production of more sustainable packaging products. (16077)

- 35 **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, when he plans to publish a progress report against the food strategy goals. (16145)
- 36 **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what estimate he has made on the average 12-month inflation rate in (a) agricultural outputs and (b) agricultural inputs in each year since 2010.

 (16146)
- 37 **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that developers do not use unsuitable materials when constructing buildings. (16260)
- Mike Amesbury (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that developers do not use unsuitable materials when constructing buildings. (16262)
- 39 **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how his Department plans to allocate the remainder of the Housing Infrastructure Fund. (16265)
- Mike Amesbury (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, if he will make an assessment of the potential implications for his policies of trends in levels of profits made by private landlords by letting emergency temporary accommodation. (16267)
- 41 **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, if he will make an assessment of the adequacy of regulation for emergency temporary accommodation. (16269)
- Mike Amesbury (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, if he will make an estimate of the number of building inspectors that are expected to have registered with the Building Safety Regulator by 6 April 2024. (16272)
- 43 **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how many buildings over 18 meters with aluminium composite material cladding have not been remediated as of 28 February 2024. (16273)
- Mike Amesbury (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what information he holds on the number and proportion of buildings over 18 meters with aluminium composite material cladding that have started remediation works. (16274)
- 45N **Mr Alistair Carmichael** (Orkney and Shetland): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of providing more integration support for Ukrainian refugees.

 [Transferred] (15846)

- Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of providing local authorities with guidance as to how to place people with complex challenges in communities. (16163)
- 47 Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, if he will publish a housebuilding workforce plan to help tackle skills shortages in the housebuilding sector. (16166)
- 48 **Priti Patel** (Witham): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what information his Department holds on the (a) total and (b) average cost of processing planning appeals per appeal type in each of the last three financial years. (16101)
- 49 **Priti Patel** (Witham): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what recent estimate he has made of the number of leaseholders in (a) Witham constituency, (b) Essex and (c) England. (16102)
- 50N Dan Jarvis (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, what (a) fines and (b) enforcement actions have been imposed upon telecoms providers since the Online Safety Act 2023 came into force.

[Transferred] (15892)

- 51N Dan Jarvis (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, whether any telecoms provider has been fined up to a maximum of 10 per cent of its relative turnover as set out in the Online Safety Act 2023, since that Act came into force.

 [Transferred] (15893)
- Fleur Anderson (Putney): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent assessment his Department has made of the potential impact of the brightness of car headlights on road safety. (16221)
- Fleur Anderson (Putney): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent assessment he has made of the adequacy of the safety of the railways. (16243)
- Andrew Bridgen (North West Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps he is taking to protect rural bus services in Leicestershire; and what discussions he has had with Arriva East Midlands about the necessity of such bus services.

 (16144)
- Mark Eastwood (Dewsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps he is taking to (a) maintain and (b) enhance rural bus services in (i) Dewsbury constituency and (ii) West Yorkshire. (16206)
- 56 **Ben Everitt** (Milton Keynes North): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what statutory powers the DVLA has to remove untaxed vehicles parked on residential streets. (16239)

- Vicky Ford (Chelmsford): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will publish (a) available data from the Government-sponsored e-scooter trials on the (i) number and (ii) number per million kilometers travelled of people killed or seriously injured in e-scooter incidents and (b) equivalent figures for (A) bicycles, (B) legally registered powered two wheel motorbikes, (C) passenger cars and (D) commercial vehicles; and whether he holds such data for incidents involving e-scooters not included in the trials.
- 58 Andrew Selous (South West Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether he is taking steps with Cabinet colleagues to support cycle businesses in England. (16080)
- 59 Andrew Selous (South West Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether he is taking steps to ensure that cycle parking is (a) secure, (b) convenient and (c) sufficient. (16112)
- 60 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of increasing funding for fixing road surfaces.

 (16115)
- 61 **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how much his Department spent on exempt accommodation in each of the last three years. (16270)
- Fleur Anderson (Putney): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what recent steps the Government has taken to ensure that families living in poverty in the UK have sufficient (a) food (b) energy and (c) basic household goods.

 (16223)
- Or Thérèse Coffey (Suffolk Coastal): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, pursuant to Answer of 26 February 2024 to Question 15000 on Pension Credit and State Retirement Pensions: Suffolk Coastal, what estimate his Department has made of when that data will be updated and made available. (16152)
- Justin Madders (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what the average turnaround time is for access codes to be checked when dealing with enquiries where a claimant is subject to Power of Attorney. (16168)
- Justin Madders (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment he has made of the suitability of the current ceiling amount for the Disabled Facilities Grant. (16171)
- Justin Madders (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what the average turnaround time is for the (a) approval and (b) completion of works under the Disabled Facilities Grant by Local Authority in England.

- 67 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of introducing a fast-track route for the Disabled Facilities Grant when the applicant has a progressive health condition. (16173)
- Jessica Morden (Newport East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of making the Universal Credit claimant commitment for kinship carers equal to that for foster carers.

 (16111)
- 69 **Paul Blomfield** (Sheffield Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent discussions she has had with the NHS Pay Review Body on its potential recommendations on the 2024-25 pay round. (16108)
- Paul Blomfield (Sheffield Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps her Department is taking to ensure all general practice nursing staff will receive a pay uplift for 2023-24. (16109)
- 71 **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if she will publish a strategy to (a) tackle critical medicines shortages and (b) help improve the resilience of the community pharmacy sector.

 (16184)
- 72 **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps her Department is taking to raise awareness of chronic kidney disease among high-risk groups. (16202)
- Preet Kaur Gill (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether her Department is taking steps to ensure that patients diagnosed with early stage chronic kidney disease are monitored for disease progression.

 (16203)
- Preet Kaur Gill (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the press release entitled New drugs pilot to tackle obesity and cut NHS waiting lists, published on 7 June 2023, what her Department's timetable is for launching the obesity drugs pilot. (16237)
- Preet Kaur Gill (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment she has made of the adequacy of the accessibility of tier 3 weight management services for patients; and in which (a) Integrated Care Board areas and (b) NHS trusts those services are available. (16238)
- Preet Kaur Gill (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if she will publish a breakdown of the number of people on waiting lists for tier 3 weight management services by (a) Integrated Care Board area and (b) NHS trust.

- 77 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate her Department has made of the number of people who were (a) treated with contaminated blood products and (b) given contaminated blood transfusions by the NHS in (i) South Holland and the Deepings constituency and (ii) Lincolnshire. (16068)
- Rachel Hopkins (Luton South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if she will make an estimate of the number of people who were (a) treated with contaminated blood products and (b) given contaminated blood transfusions by the NHS in Luton South constituency.
- Rachel Hopkins (Luton South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if she will make an estimate of the number of people who have died since being (a) treated with contaminated blood products and (b) given contaminated blood transfusions in Luton South constituency. (16225)
- Rachel Hopkins (Luton South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what psychological support is available for people (a) infected and (b) affected by contaminated blood and blood products in Luton South. (16226)
- Rachel Hopkins (Luton South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if his Department will (a) identify and (b) contact people in Luton South who were (i) infected and (ii) affected by the contaminated blood scandal as part of Government preparations for responding to Infected Blood Inquiry recommendations on compensation. (16227)
- Justin Madders (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the planned timescale is for (a) completing and (b) assessing the projects undertaken under the Artificial Intelligence in Health and Care Award.

 (16175)
- 83N Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether she has had discussions with pediatricians on trends in the number of young children diagnosed with (a) autism and (b) ADHD. [Transferred] (15940)
- 84 **Taiwo Owatemi** (Coventry North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps the Warwickshire, Solihull and Coventry Breast Screening Unit is taking as part of the breast screening improvement plan; what the timeline is for their delivery; and how much funding has been allocated for their delivery. (16242)
- 85 **Priti Patel** (Witham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether she (a) has reviewed and (b) plans to review the (i) provision and (ii) location of (A) inpatient and (B) outpatient health services in Essex. (16103)
- 86 **Priti Patel** (Witham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps she is taking to increase the number of GPs in Essex. (16104)

- 87 **Priti Patel** (Witham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent progress has been made on the Lampard Inquiry into mental health services in Essex. (16105)
- 88 **Priti Patel** (Witham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of enabling pharmacy students to utilise the NHS learning support fund. (16106)
- 89 Cat Smith (Lancaster and Fleetwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether postural tachycardia syndrome is a rare disease as defined in the UK Rare Diseases Framework. (16159)
- 90 Alexander Stafford (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if she will make an assessment of the potential impact of calorie labelling on menus on (a) obesity levels, (b) people with eating disorders and (c) young people.

 (16196)
- 91 Alexander Stafford (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if she will commission a review into the effectiveness of the requirement under the Calorie Labelling (Out of Home Sector) (England)
 Regulations 2021 to display calorie information on menus. (16197)
- 92 **Sir John Whittingdale** (Maldon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will detail the capital expenditure on St Peter's Hospital in Maldon in each year since 2000. (16053)
- 93 **Sir John Whittingdale** (Maldon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what work has been undertaken to (a) refurbish and (b) repair St Peter's Hospital in Maldon in each year since 2000. (16054)
- 94 **Sir John Whittingdale** (Maldon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many outpatient appointments took place at St Peter's Hospital Maldon in each year since 2000. (16055)
- 95 **Sir John Whittingdale** (Maldon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many births took place in the Maternity Unit at St Peter's Hospital Maldon in each year since 2000. (16056)
- 96 **Sir John Whittingdale** (Maldon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many patients received Intermediate inpatient care in St Peter's Hospital Maldon in each year since 2000. (16057)
- 97 **Sir John Whittingdale** (Maldon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many patients received stroke rehabilitation inpatient care in St Peter's Hospital Maldon in each year since 2000. (16058)
- 98 Fleur Anderson (Putney): To ask the Minister of State, Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office, what assessment he has made of the impact of the halting of cross-border humanitarian operations on (a) the delivery of UK aid to Sudanese refugees in Chad and (b) those displaced within Sudan. (16200)

- 99 Dan Carden (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Minister of State, Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Office, pursuant to the Answer of 22 February
 2024 to Question 15325 on Gaza: Internally Displaced People, whether he plans to
 seek guarantees from his Israeli counterparts on the right to return of Palestinians
 displaced from their homes in Gaza. (16188)
- 100 **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Minister of State, Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office, what recent discussions he has had with his Indian counterpart on the protection of freedom of religion or belief in that country.

 (16187)
- 101 **Paul Girvan** (South Antrim): To ask the Minister of State, Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office, whether he has had recent discussions with his counterparts in Nigeria on the training of Nigerian security forces to help (a) reduce and (b) prevent anti-Christian violence. (16198)
- 102 Caroline Lucas (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Minister of State, Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Office, with reference to his oral contribution
 of 27 February 2024 on Israel and Gaza, Official Report, column 163, if he will
 provide a response to the queries raised by the hon. Member for Brighton Pavilion
 in relation to licences for L3Harris.
- 103 Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Minister of State, Foreign,

 Commonwealth and Development Office, what preparations his Department has

 made for increasing aid to Gaza after a potential ceasefire. (16258)
- 104 Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Minister of State, Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Office, whether he is taking steps to deliver aid
 to Palestine by sea. (16259)
- 105 Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Minister of State, Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Office, what steps he is taking to ensure that
 (a) aid workers and (b) medical volunteers have access to Gaza as soon as possible.

 (16261)
- 106 Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Minister of State, Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Office, whether he has had discussions with
 international counterparts on a Palestinian visa scheme to support the health
 needs of civilians.

 (16271)
- 107 **Ms Marie Rimmer** (St Helens South and Whiston): To ask the Minister of State, Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office, if he will make an assessment of the adequacy of religious freedom in Mozambique; and if he will hold discussions with his counterparts in that country on religious freedom. (16127)
- 108NOlivia Blake (Sheffield, Hallam): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what funds he plans to provide for the UK's Global Refugee Forum 2023 pledge on continued support for the integration of refugees in the UK. [R] [Transferred] (16048)

- **Stephen Farry** (North Down): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many visas for Palestinian nationals (a) are being processed, (b) have been approved and (c) have been rejected since 1 October 2023. (16279)
- **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many and what proportion of international undergraduate students at universities in England applied for indefinite leave to remain after their studies in (a) 2022 and (b) 2023. (16070)
- **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many asylum claims are subject to third country enquiries as of 28 February 2024. (16176)
- **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what the average response time was for a third country enquiry on an asylum application in each year since 2014. (16177)
- 113 Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of allowing injured Palestinians to be treated at UK hospitals until their health is stabilised. (16263)
- 114 Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home
 Department, if he will take steps to enable children in Gaza with parents living in
 the UK to come to the UK. (16266)
- **Alison McGovern** (Wirral South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether the Government plans to take steps to ensure parity in travel requirements for school groups travelling to the UK from (a) Germany and (b) other EU member states with those from France. (16139)
- **Alison McGovern** (Wirral South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether he has had discussions with his European counterparts on extending the rules for school groups travelling to the UK from France, to other EU member states. (16140)
- **Alison McGovern** (Wirral South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether he has had discussions with his European counterparts on easing travel restrictions for UK school groups travelling to EU member states. (16141)
- **Alison McGovern** (Wirral South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what recent steps the Government has taken to facilitate travel of school groups from (a) Germany and (b) other EU member states to the UK. (16142)
- **Alison McGovern** (Wirral South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment he has made of the impact of the withdrawal of the list of travellers scheme for school trips from EU countries in October 2021 on the (a) tourism and education sectors and (b) economy. (16143)

- **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the timescale is for the completion of the transfer of service records from 1 January 1963 from his Department's contracted storage site to the National Archives. (16174)
- **Tonia Antoniazzi** (Gower): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what the average time taken is from submission of application to granting of probate in the last 12 months. (16212)
- **Tonia Antoniazzi** (Gower): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what steps his

 Department is taking to reduce waiting times for the granting of probate. (16213)
- **Tonia Antoniazzi** (Gower): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what the (a) average and (b) target response time is from submitting an online complaint to HM Courts and Tribunal Service. (16215)
- **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many people were sentenced to prison for non-payment of a TV licence in the last five years. (16081)
- **Gareth Johnson** (Dartford): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of (a) removing the limitation period for civil claims relating to childhood sexual abuse and (b) bringing forward legislative proposals to align the law in England and Wales with that in Scotland following the introduction of the Limitation (Child Abuse)(Scotland) Act 2017. (16085)
- **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what assessment has been made of the average waiting time for a First-tier Tribunal (Immigration and Asylum); and whether he plans to take steps to reduce this wait.
- **Conor McGinn** (St Helens North): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, what steps his Department is taking to ensure Northern Ireland can host Euro 2028 games alongside the rest of the UK and Ireland. (16131)
- **Conor McGinn** (St Helens North): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, what discussions he has had with the Irish Government on the funding of Casement Park. (16132)
- **Simon Jupp** (East Devon): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will exempt not for profit organisations delivering welfare services for people living with dementia from VAT. (16256)
- **Priti Patel** (Witham): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the performance of HMRC in answering telephone enquiries. (16107)
- **Priti Patel** (Witham): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what recent assessment he has made of the impact of the introduction of the Pillar 2 OECD global minimum income tax on the UK economy. (16136)

- 132 **Priti Patel** (Witham): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps he is taking to protect small businesses from being de-banked. (16137)
- 133 **Priti Patel** (Witham): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what estimate he has made of the future revenue to the Exchequer from the lease of the seabed by the Crown Estate for offshore wind farms.

 (16138)
- 134 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, whether she has taken recent steps with the Department of Justice in Northern Ireland on tackling domestic abuse in Northern Ireland. (16116)
- 135 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, what steps she is taking with Cabinet colleagues to help support women experiencing menopause in the workplace. (16117)

Questions for Answer on Monday 4 March

- 1N Dame Nia Griffith (Llanelli): To ask the Attorney General, how much funding her Department (a) allocated for (b) spent on magazine subscriptions in each of the last three financial years. (16086)
- 2N **Peter Grant** (Glenrothes): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, if he will make an estimate of how many people would be eligible for compensation under the terms of the recommendations of the second interim report of Infected Blood Inquiry, published on 5 April 2023, in Glenrothes constituency. (16156)
- 3N **Peter Grant** (Glenrothes): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how many people have received interim compensation payments as a result of (a) their infection and (b) their family member's infection resulting from contaminated blood or blood products in Glenrothes constituency. (16157)
- 4N Dame Diana Johnson (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, pursuant to the Answer of 29 January 2024 to Question 14606 on Infected Blood Inquiry, for what reason his Department has chosen not to publish the names of members of the expert group.
- 5N **Pat McFadden** (Wolverhampton South East): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how much funding his Department has (a) allocated for (b) spent on magazine subscriptions in each of the last three financial years. (16092)
- 6N **Sir Greg Knight** (East Yorkshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, if she will bring into force the provisions of the Easter Act 1928 to fix the date of Easter from 2025. (16082)

- 7N **Stewart Malcolm McDonald** (Glasgow South): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, if she will make an assessment of the potential impact of Paperchase's administration and sale on independent (a) small designers and (b) card publishers. (16118)
- 8N **Pat McFadden** (Wolverhampton South East): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how much funding her Department and its predecessor Department (a) allocated for (b) spent on magazine subscriptions in each of the last three financial years. (16091)
- 9N **Dr Alan Whitehead** (Southampton, Test): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether she has had recent discussions with the Chancellor of the Exchequer on the potential merits of implementing a carbon border adjustment mechanism.
- 10N **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how many times the Media Literacy Taskforce has met in the last 12 months.
- 11N Pat McFadden (Wolverhampton South East): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much funding her Department and its predecessor Department (a) allocated for (b) spent on magazine subscriptions in each of the last three financial years. (16093)
- 12N **Pat McFadden** (Wolverhampton South East): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much funding her Department and (a) allocated for (b) spent on magazine subscriptions in each of the last three financial years. (16094)
- 13N **Dave Doogan** (Angus): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, if she will make it her policy not to carry forward surplus emissions from the Third Carbon Budget into future carbon budgets. (16244)
- 14N **Dave Doogan** (Angus): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how many renewable energy projects are awaiting a decision on their application to connect to the national grid as of 28 February 2024. (16276)
- 15N **Dave Doogan** (Angus): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what capacity of floating offshore wind projects she plans to fund in the next Contracts for Difference auction round. (16277)
- 16N **Dave Doogan** (Angus): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what estimate her Department has made of the potential GDP value to the economy of reaching the 50GW offshore wind capacity target. (16278)
- 17N Pat McFadden (Wolverhampton South East): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how much funding her Department and its predecessor Department (a) allocated for (b) spent on magazine subscriptions in each of the last three financial years. (16095)

- 18N **Derek Thomas** (St Ives): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what discussions her Department has had with Ofgem on its decision to allocate the temporary adjustment to the price cap to customers equally. (16219)
- 19N **Dr Alan Whitehead** (Southampton, Test): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how many private rented properties have a registered exemption from minimum energy efficiency standards as of 28 February 2024. (16063)
- 20N **Dr Alan Whitehead** (Southampton, Test): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether she has made an estimate of the cost to the public purse of the System Operator favoring high carbon power stations over low carbon options in the balancing mechanism. (16064)
- 21N **Jonathan Ashworth** (Leicester South): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much funding his Department (a) allocated for and (b) spent on magazine subscriptions in each of the last three financial years.

 (16119)
- 22N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if she will meet the Species Reintroduction Taskforce to discuss ongoing work to increase the number of red squirrels in the UK.
- 23N Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps is he taking to neutralise sewage in rivers. (16247)
- 24N Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment,
 Food and Rural Affairs, whether he is providing public health warnings about the
 importance of avoiding water contaminated with sewage. (16248)
- 25N Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what discussions he has had with the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care on levels of ill health caused by contact with sewage contaminated water. (16249)
- 26N Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment has he made of the adequacy of the sewage drainage systems in (a) the UK and (b) York to address (i) demand and (ii) demand when it rains.
- 27N Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, when he expects sewage release levels to be reduced. (16251)
- 28N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, with reference to the 2019 Conservative manifesto commitment to plant an additional 75,000 acres of trees a year by the end of the next Parliament, how much has been spent on tree planting as of 28 February 2024. (16158)

- 29N **Jonathan Ashworth** (Leicester South): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how much funding his Department (a) allocated for and (b) spent on magazine subscriptions in each of the last three financial years.

 (16120)
- 30N **Jeremy Corbyn** (Islington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of tribunal processes against freeholders on the wellbeing of leaseholders. (16059)
- 31N **Helen Morgan** (North Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what the average length of time was that (a) families and (b) individual people spent in temporary accommodation in each year since 2015.
- 32N **Sir Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, with reference to the oral contribution of 27 February 2024 by the Minister for Housing, Planning and Building Safety, Official Report, column 237, which party will be the asbestos duty holder following enfranchisement. (16060)
- 33N **Jonathan Ashworth** (Leicester South): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, how much funding her Department and the predecessor Department (a) allocated for and (b) spent on magazine subscriptions in each of the last three financial years. (16121)
- 34N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, what steps she is taking to ensure that the Space Agency's Placements in Industry Programme includes all parts of the UK. (16067)
- 35N **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, whether her Department plans to publish any of the work produced by the National Security Online Information Team. (16125)
- 36N **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, how many members of staff are currently working at the National Security Online Information Team. (16126)
- 37N **Sir Desmond Swayne** (New Forest West): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, if she will provide financial assistance to vulnerable customers reliant on (a) monitoring and (b) emergency call services where their equipment has to be upgraded as a result of BT's digital switchover. (16065)
- 38N **Jonathan Ashworth** (Leicester South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much funding his Department (a) allocated for and (b) spent on magazine subscriptions in each of the last three financial years. (16123)

- 39N **Neil Coyle** (Bermondsey and Old Southwark): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether his Department is taking steps to help ensure (a) drivers living in the UK with EU licences and (b) UK licence holders seeking to drive in EU member states do not lose (i) licences and (ii) access to insurance after the age of 70.
- 40N Liz Saville Roberts (Dwyfor Meirionnydd): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent assessment he has made of the adequacy of the availability of car driving test slots. (16220)
- 41N **Jonathan Ashworth** (Leicester South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how much funding his Department (a) allocated for and (b) spent on magazine subscriptions in each of the last three financial years. (16124)
- 42N **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what mechanism she plans to use to ringfence NHS dentistry budgets in financial year 2024-25. (16179)
- 43N **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether the Office for Health Improvement and Disparities has an alcohol policy team. (16199)
- 44N **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many full time equivalent alcohol policy specialists her Department employs. (16201)
- 45N **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many people (a) have undergone and (b) are eligible to receive an NHS Health Check in each of the last five years. (16204)
- 46N **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many dental undergraduate training places will be available to students in England in each academic year between 2024-25 and 2031-32. (16211)
- 47N **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate she has made of the (a) total and (b) annual cost of increasing dental undergraduate training places in England by 40% by 2031-32. (16214)
- 48N **Peter Grant** (Glenrothes): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate her Department has made of the number of people who were (a) treated with contaminated blood products and (b) given contaminated blood transfusions by the NHS in Glenrothes constituency. (16153)
- 49N **Peter Grant** (Glenrothes): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate her Department has made of the number of people who have died since being (a) treated with contaminated blood products and (b) given contaminated blood transfusions in Glenrothes constituency. (16154)

- 50N **Peter Grant** (Glenrothes): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what psychological support is available for people (a) infected and (b) affected by contaminated blood and blood products in Glenrothes constituency. (16155)
- 51N **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to his correspondence of 28 February 2024 to Kath Sansom and Ruth MacLeod of the Sling the Mesh Group, if he will publish (a) the patient groups that contributed to, (b) the distribution lists used to inform (i) patient groups and (ii) stakeholders about and (c) a summary of the contributions of patient groups to the consultation. (16222)
- 52N **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether colorimetry spectacles can be purchased with NHS optical vouchers. (16241)
- 53N **Karin Smyth** (Bristol South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many junior doctors left the NHS workforce in each of the last five years.

 (16147)
- 54N **Karin Smyth** (Bristol South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many vacancies there are in the NHS in each (a) region and (b) integrated care board. (16148)
- 55N **Karin Smyth** (Bristol South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate she has made of the number of available medical school places in each of the last 10 years. (16149)
- 56N Karin Smyth (Bristol South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many cancer treatments were carried out in each of the last two years.

 (16150)
- 57N Karin Smyth (Bristol South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many applications her Department has received from social enterprises for funding for one-off lump sum payments for frontline NHS staff. (16151)
- 58N **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Minister of State, Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Office, pursuant to the Answer of 27 February
 2023 to Question 15371 on UNRWA: Finance, whether his Department held
 discussions with UNWRA on the allegations before funding was suspended. (16185)
- 59N Olivia Blake (Sheffield, Hallam): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether his Department has made an estimate of the number of potential victims of slavery referred into the national referral mechanism who would be in scope to have their support removed were sections 22 to 29 of the Illegal Migration Act 2023 enacted.

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- 60N Olivia Blake (Sheffield, Hallam): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether his Department has made an estimate of the number of potential victims of slavery supported under the Modern Slavery Victim Care Contract that would be in scope to have their support removed were sections 22 to 29 of the Illegal Migration Act 2023 enacted.

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- 61N Olivia Blake (Sheffield, Hallam): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether his Department has made an estimate of the number of people under the age of 18 who have been referred into the national referral mechanism since July 2023 and who would be eligible to have their modern slavery support removed once they reach the age of 18 were sections 22 to 29 of the Illegal Migration Act 2023 enacted.
- 62N **Olivia Blake** (Sheffield, Hallam): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether the extant Public Order Disqualifications (POD) for potential victims of modern slavery in cases where there is an immediate and real risk of re-trafficking will apply to those expected to receive PODs under the Illegal Migration Act 2023.
- 63N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many companies had registered with his Department as having multiple domestic properties available to be used as temporary residences for (a) refugees and (b) people seeking asylum in the UK as of 31 January 2024. (16071)
- 64N **Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Streatham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what provision his Department has made for collecting biometric data from relatives of British Nationals fleeing Gaza in the absence of functioning visa applications centres in Gaza. (16180)
- 65N Liz Saville Roberts (Dwyfor Meirionnydd): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if he will make (a) a comparative estimate of what the average projected pension of a police officer who retired in each year from 2015 to 2023 would have been before the introduction of the McCloud remedy and associated public service pension changes and (b) an estimate of the average discrepancy between (i) the pension being received by police officers as of 28 February 2024 and (ii) the pension police officers will be entitled to once the McCloud remedy and associated public service pension changes are fully implemented. (16194)
- 66N Liz Saville Roberts (Dwyfor Meirionnydd): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 23 February 2024 to Question 14908 on Police: Wales, whether his Department has provided additional funding to each police force in Wales to implement the redesigned crown logo. (16195)
- 67N **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether his Department has hired Graham Potter to give a speech to service people in the Falkland Islands in the last 12 months.

- 68N **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much his Department has spent on (a) hiring fees and (b) other expenses on external speakers at events run by his Department for service people in each year since 2019.
- 69N **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, which external speakers have given speeches at events run by his Department for service people since 2019. (16183)
- 70N **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether artefacts salvaged illegally from HMS Prince of Wales and seized in Malaysia are to be accessioned by the National Museum of the Royal Navy. (16073)
- 71N Fleur Anderson (Putney): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what the most recent data is that his Department holds for the number of (a) unreleased people and (b) recalled people serving a serving a sentence of Imprisonment for Public Protection.
- 72N Ruth Cadbury (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, with reference to the statutory eligibility criteria in section 4.3.1 of his Department's publication on the home detention curfew (HDC), published on 6 June 2023, if he will consider the potential merits of extending the list of people excluded from eligibility for release under the HDC scheme to include individuals convicted of a domestic abuse offence.
- 73N Dame Nia Griffith (Llanelli): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much funding his Department (a) allocated for (b) spent on magazine subscriptions in each of the last three financial years. (16087)
- 74N Dame Nia Griffith (Llanelli): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, how much funding his Department (a) allocated for (b) spent on magazine subscriptions in each of the last three financial years. (16090)
- 75N Dame Nia Griffith (Llanelli): To ask the Secretary of State for Scotland, how much funding his Department (a) allocated for (b) spent on magazine subscriptions in each of the last three financial years. (16089)
- 76N **Neil Coyle** (Bermondsey and Old Southwark): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will take steps to reduce excise duty on wine. (16161)
- 77N **Neil Coyle** (Bermondsey and Old Southwark): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of making the easement for levying wine duty permanent. (16162)
- 78N **Neil Coyle** (Bermondsey and Old Southwark): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what estimate he has made of the impact of raising wine duty on revenue raised by his Department. (16164)

- 79N Patricia Gibson (North Ayrshire and Arran): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the impact of paying tax in advance via HMRC's system of payments on account on (a) small business owners, (b) freelancers and (c) other self-employed people. (16128)
- 80N **Patricia Gibson** (North Ayrshire and Arran): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether he plans to undertake a review of HMRC's payments on account system. (16129)
- 81N Dame Nia Griffith (Llanelli): To ask the Secretary of State for Wales, how much funding his Department (a) allocated for (b) spent on magazine subscriptions in each of the last three financial years. (16088)

Questions for Answer on Tuesday 5 March

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N Fabian Hamilton (Leeds North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, if she will make an assessment of the implications for her policies of the findings of the report by Independent Age entitled A constant struggle: The impact of high household costs on older people facing financial hardship, published in September 2023, on the proportion of older people on a low household income that had cut back their heating. (16074)
- 2N Navendu Mishra (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will bring forward legislative proposals to require train companies to hold a public consultation before withdrawing the use of cash from catering services. (16216)
- 3N Ian Byrne (Liverpool, West Derby): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps her Department is taking to help prevent (a) death and (b) serious illness of (i) mothers and (ii) babies from Group B Streptococcal Infection.

(16233)

- 4N lan Byrne (Liverpool, West Derby): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the review of the list of notifiable diseases as part of proposed amendments to the Health Protection (Notification) Regulations 2010, if he will take steps to add Group B Streptococcal Infection in schedule 1 of those Regulations.
- 5N Claire Hanna (Belfast South): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, whether capital funding for shared and integrated education was included in the Assembly restoration financial settlement. (16257)

- 6N Claire Hanna (Belfast South): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, what capital projects supporting shared and integrated education have been agreed between the UK Government and the Northern Ireland Executive between 3 February and 24 February 2024. (16268)
- 7N **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will allocate funds to compensate victims of the infected blood scandal in the forthcoming Budget. (16113)

Oral Questions to the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care

- **Dr Alan Whitehead** (Southampton, Test): What recent discussions she has had with the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero on tackling the health impacts of fuel poverty. (901795)
- **Mary Robinson** (Cheadle): What steps her Department is taking to improve urgent and emergency care. (901796)
- **Peter Aldous** (Waveney): What progress her Department has made on reforming social care. (901797)
- **Peter Grant** (Glenrothes): What steps she is taking to help increase recruitment and retention in the adult social care sector. (901798)
- Tulip Siddiq (Hampstead and Kilburn): What discussions she has had with the North Central London Integrated Care System on the potential closure of maternity services in north London. (901799)
- **Sarah Green** (Chesham and Amersham): What steps she is taking to reduce waiting times for gynaecology treatment. (901800)
- **Julie Marson** (Hertford and Stortford): What steps her Department is taking to improve access to primary care. (901801)
- **Greg Smith** (Buckingham): What assessment she has made of the adequacy of primary care provision in rural communities. (901802)
- **Mrs Flick Drummond** (Meon Valley): What steps her Department is taking to improve urgent and emergency care. (901803)
- **Sarah Owen** (Luton North): What steps she is taking to help increase recruitment and retention in the adult social care sector. (901804)
- **Paul Girvan** (South Antrim): When she plans to introduce a tobacco and vapes bill. (901805)
- **Neale Hanvey** (Kirkcaldy and Cowdenbeath): What steps she plans to take to improve the recruitment and retention of community and district nurses. (901806)

13	Olivia Blake (Sheffield, Hallam): When she plans to respond to the Joint Commi on the Draft Mental Health Bill's Report entitled Draft Mental Health Bill 2022, published on 19 January 2023.	ttee (901807)
14	Steven Bonnar (Coatbridge, Chryston and Bellshill): What steps she is taking to help increase recruitment and retention in the adult social care sector.	(901808)
15	Andrew Lewer (Northampton South): What steps her Department is taking to improve urgent and emergency care.	(901809)
16	Ms Lyn Brown (West Ham): What steps she is taking to improve healthcare for women.	(901810)
17	George Freeman (Mid Norfolk): What progress her Department has made on increasing access to dentists.	(901811)
18	Alan Brown (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): What steps her Department is taking to help tackle medicine shortages.) (901812)
19	Rachel Hopkins (Luton South): What steps she is taking to improve access to mental health services.	(901813)
20	Joanna Cherry (Edinburgh South West): What steps she is taking to help increase recruitment and retention in the adult social care sector.	e (901814)
21	Richard Burgon (Leeds East): What steps her Department is taking to reduce waiting times for NHS treatment.	(901815)
22	Gill Furniss (Sheffield, Brightside and Hillsborough): What steps she is taking to improve cardiac healthcare for women.	(901816)
23	Judith Cummins (Bradford South): What steps she is taking to improve healthcafor women.	re (901817)
24	Christine Jardine (Edinburgh West): What progress her Department has made of improving access to GP appointments.	n (901818)

improving access to GP appointments. (901818)

25 Andrew Jones (Harrogate and Knaresborough): What recent progress she has made on increasing levels of GP recruitment and retention. (901819)

Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care

T1	John Penrose (Weston-super-Mare): If she will make a statement on her departmental responsibilities.	(901820)
T2	Debbie Abrahams (Oldham East and Saddleworth):	(901821)
T3	Andrew Jones (Harrogate and Knaresborough):	(901822)
T4	Andrew Selous (South West Bedfordshire):	(901823)
T5	Rachael Maskell (York Central):	(901824)

T6	Nigel Mills (Amber Valley):	(901825)
T7	Feryal Clark (Enfield North):	(901826)
T8	Stephen Metcalfe (South Basildon and East Thurrock):	(901827)
Т9	Dame Nia Griffith (Llanelli):	(901828)
T10	Vicky Ford (Chelmsford):	(901829)

Questions for Answer on Wednesday 6 March

- 1N Stephanie Peacock (Barnsley East): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 27 February 2024 to Question 14673 on Dangerous Dogs: Registration and with reference to his oral contribution on 1 February 2024, Official Report, column 970, for what reason he advised those who had not yet registered their XL Bully dogs to register them as soon as possible.
- 2N **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps his Department is taking to increase the support provided to unemployed North Sea oil and gas workers to find new employment. [Transferred] (15834)
- 3N **Nick Thomas-Symonds** (Torfaen): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much funding their Department (a) allocated for (b) spent on magazine subscriptions in each of the last three financial years. (16189)
- 4N **Nick Thomas-Symonds** (Torfaen): To ask the Minister of State, Foreign,
 Commonwealth and Development Office, how much funding their Department
 (a) allocated for (b) spent on magazine subscriptions in each of the last three financial years.

 (16190)
- 5N **Stephen Kinnock** (Aberavon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many nationals from (a) Bahrain, (b) Kuwait, (c) Oman, (d) the United Arab Emirates, (e) Saudi Arabia, (f) Jordan and (g) Qatar have (i) applied for and (ii) been granted an Electronic Travel Authorisation since 1 February 2024.

 (16133)
- 6N **Stephen Kinnock** (Aberavon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many people have entered the UK with an Electronic Travel Authorisation since 22 February 2024. (16134)

- 7N **Stephen Kinnock** (Aberavon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many and what proportion of Skilled Worker visas were issued to people classified as new entrants eligible for employment at reduced minimum salary thresholds in the most recent 12 months for which data is available. (16135)
- 8N **Nick Thomas-Symonds** (Torfaen): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much funding his Department (a) allocated for and (b) spent on magazine subscriptions in each of the last three financial years. (16192)
- 9N **Sir Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 26 February 2024 to Question 13206 on Migrants: Health Services, whether applicants who applied for entry clearance under paragraph 319X of the Immigration Rules before 12 April 2023 pay the Immigration Health Surcharge if their application is processed after that date. (16062)
- 10N **Nick Thomas-Symonds** (Torfaen): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much funding his Department (a) allocated for and (b) spent on magazine subscriptions in each of the last three financial years. (16193)
- 11N **Nick Thomas-Symonds** (Torfaen): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how much funding their Department (a) allocated for (b) spent on magazine subscriptions in each of the last three financial years. (16191)

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Questions for Written Answer

1N Ruth Cadbury (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, whether there is a requirement for the victims of domestic abuse to be informed when the perpetrator of their abuse is released early under the home detention curfew scheme.

(16167)