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Questions tabled on Monday 29 April 2024

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Questions for Answer on Tuesday 30 April

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N Neil Coyle (Bermondsey and Old Southwark): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, with reference to page 7 of the document entitled ICF Brazil: Summary, published in March 2024, when the Government plans to disburse its £115 million contribution to the Amazon Fund. [Transferred] (23747)
- 2N Fabian Hamilton (Leeds North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether his Department is participating in the fourth session of negotiations on a global plastics treaty in Ottawa that began on 23 April 2024. [Transferred] (23677)
- 3N **Nick Smith** (Blaenau Gwent): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, whether her Department (a) has made an assessment of trends in the number of cyber-security roles off-shored to overseas contractors and (b) holds data on the (i) number of roles affected and (ii) financial value of that market.

[Transferred] (23719)

Questions for Answer on Wednesday 1 May

Questions for Written Answer

Sir John Hayes (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what the cost to his Department was of (a) events, (b) activities, (c) merchandise and (d) other costs relating to Pride Month 2023. (23981)

- John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, on which dates the Minister for Veterans Affairs has met with representatives of the Stoll Foundation to discuss the future of Sir Oswald Stoll Mansions. (23983)
- John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how many (a) emails and (b) phone calls the Office for Veterans Affairs have received from (i) the Stoll Foundation and (ii) veterans housed at Sir Oswald Stoll Mansions since January 2023.
- 4 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how many visits the Minister for Veterans Affairs has made to Sir Oswald Stoll Mansions to discuss the future of the site since January 2023. (23985)
- John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how many meetings the Minister for Veterans Affairs had with (a) local councillors and (b) Members of Parliament about the future of the Sir Oswald Stoll Mansions site since January 2023. (23986)
- 6 Kwasi Kwarteng (Spelthorne): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, with reference to her Department's Response to the Government consultation on measures to reform post-termination non-compete clauses in contracts of employment, published on 12 May 2023, when she plans to bring forward legislative proposals to introduce a statutory limit of three months on the length of such clauses.
- 7N Patricia Gibson (North Ayrshire and Arran): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, whether she has had recent discussions with Ofcom on (a) the impartiality of and (b) sanctions on GB News. [Transferred] (23882)
- 8N Patricia Gibson (North Ayrshire and Arran): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, whether she has had discussions with Ofcom on impartiality rules in broadcasting. [Transferred] (23883)
- 9 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what the cost to her Department was of (a) events, (b) activities, (c) merchandise and (d) other associated costs relating to Pride Month 2023.
- 10 Afzal Khan (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, who was appointed to represent the Muslim community at the National Service of Remembrance at the Cenotaph in each of the last 10 years. (24109)
- Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to the Answer of 12 July 2023 to Question 192929 on Special Educational Needs: Unpaid Work, how many supported internships have been given to young people with an education, health and care plan in (a) 2022, (b) 2023 and (c) 2024.

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- Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to the Answer of 12 July 2023 to Question 192929 on Special Educational Needs: Unpaid Work, which local authorities have received training from DFN Project Search on developing their local supported internship offer. (24142)
- Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to the Answer of 12 July 2023 to Question 192929 on Special Educational Needs: Unpaid Work, how many and what proportion of supported internships have been given to young people without an education, health and care plan under the pilot announced in the Spring Budget 2023. (24143)
- 14 Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to the Answer of 12 July 2023 to Question 192929 on Special Educational Needs: Unpaid Work, what assessment she has made of the effectiveness of the pilot extending supported internships to young people without an education, health and care plan. (24144)
- 15 **Peter Gibson** (Darlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether her Department plans to review current practices for commissioning of foster care services. (24137)
- Sir John Hayes (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what the cost to her Department was of (a) events, (b) activities, (c) merchandise and (d) other associated costs relating to Pride Month 2023. (23976)
- 17 Caroline Lucas (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 1 December 2023 to Question 3175 on Natural History: GCSE, for what reason the consultation on the subject content was not launched in early 2024; on what date it will be launched; and what support will be offered to schools to help implement Natural History GCSE by September 2025. (24012)
- 18 Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps she plans to take to ensure the safety valve programme supports SEND services in York. (24085)
- 19 **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps she is taking to count the number of staff working in the early years and childcare sector. (24020)
- 20 **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment she has made of the impact of her policies on the childcare workforce. (24021)
- 21 **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how the (a) number and (b) percentage of (i) private, (ii) voluntary and (iii) independent childcare providers has changed since March 2023. (24022)

- 22 **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what estimate she has made of the likely proportionate change in childcare providers that are (a) private, (b) voluntary and (c) independent providers by September (i) 2024 and (ii) 2025. (24023)
- 23 **Mohammad Yasin** (Bedford): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, for what reason non specialist teachers who teach core subjects eligible for levelling up premium payments are excluded from the scheme; and what assessment has been made of the impact of this exclusion on the morale of those teachers. (24092)
- 24 **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what assessment her Department has made of the potential impact of using transport and storage companies for the development of provisional cluster expansion plans for Track-2 carbon capture, usage and storage on the timely roll-out of the projects. (24099)
- 25 **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether she has provided recent guidance to (a) transport and (b) storage companies on the development of provisional cluster expansion plans for track-2 carbon capture, usage and storage. (24100)
- 26 **Kim Johnson** (Liverpool, Riverside): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether her Department has carried out a cost benefit analysis for hydrogen fuel cells using deoxygenated air as a fire extinguisher; and whether sufficient fuel cells could be produced domestically. (24164)
- Sally-Ann Hart (Hastings and Rye): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment,
 Food and Rural Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to help prevent

 (a) flooding and (b) erosion of former coastal landfill sites; whether funding is available to local authorities to tackle that matter; and if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of using under-spend from the Environment Agency's capital programme for that purpose.
- Ruth Jones (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will make an assessment of the potential impact of the exemption certification process for XL Bully-type dogs on costs for (a) the police, (b) other enforcement bodies, (c) dog owners, (d) rescue organisations and (e) Government departments.
- 29 Caroline Lucas (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 23 April 2024 to Question 22091 on Furs: Trade, what his planned timetable is for publication of the report from the expert Animal Welfare Committee on responsible sourcing in the fur industry.
 (24013)
- Justin Madders (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what his planned timetable is for announcing further successful applicants for funding under the Frequently Flooded Allowance scheme.

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- James Wild (North West Norfolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will make an estimate of the waste incineration plan capacity that is (a) operational, (b) consented but not yet operational and (c) not consented but where a permit application was submitted to the Environment Agency on or before 4 April 2024.
- James Wild (North West Norfolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what estimate he has made of waste incineration plant capacity required to meet the target to reduce residual waste set out in the Environmental Targets (Residual Waste) (England) Regulations 2003. (24150)
- James Wild (North West Norfolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assumptions his Department uses for the percentage of capacity at which consented waste incineration plants operate. (24151)
- Rushanara Ali (Bethnal Green and Bow): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether he asked the Regulator of Social Housing to report on the effectiveness of its involvement in the proposed merger between Swan Housing and Orbit in 2022. (24045)
- Andy Carter (Warrington South): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, if he will take steps to help ensure that help to buy homeowners are advised accurately by Homes England on retaining their exiting mortgage when they are going through divorce and have the means to pay. (24156)
- Gen Kitchen (Wellingborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what assessment his Department has made of the implications for his policies of trends in the prevalence of damp and mould in social housing in (a) Wellingborough constituency and (b) Northamptonshire. (24170)
- John McDonnell (Hayes and Harlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether he has made an estimate of (a) the number of UK citizens living overseas who are eligible to register to vote and (b) projected levels of such registrations in the next six months. (23973)
- 38 **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, what steps her Department is taking to help tackle inequalities in access to digital technologies in (a) the North West, (b) Lancashire and (c) Preston; and what estimate she has made of the number of households without internet access in (a) the North West, (b) Lancashire and (c) Preston. (23994)
- 39 **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, whether her Department plans to ensure that public services are available to (a) individuals and (b) households without internet access. (23995)
- 40 Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will publish the (a) dates, (b) times and (c) locations of incidents when smart-motorway technology lost power. (24139)

- Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of bringing forward legislative proposals to require drivers to carry a warning triangle in their cars. (24140)
- 42 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many road traffic accidents have occurred as a result of smart motorway technology since 2019. (23978)
- 43 Alex Sobel (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what the average processing time was for reissuing a driving licence following medical clearance in the last 12 months; and if he will make an assessment of the potential implications for his policies of that average processing time. (24102)
- Jo Stevens (Cardiff Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether he department undertook an impact assessment on separating International Drivers Permits from other DVLA delivered services. (24069)
- 45 Catherine West (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of amending regulations to require that cycle helmets be worn when hiring an e-bike. (24091)
- Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what estimate he has made of the potential impact of planned changes to the Work Capability Assessment on (a) appeal and (b) mandatory reconsideration costs.
 (24086)
- 47 **Vicky Foxcroft** (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what estimate he has made of potential costs of planned changes to the Work Capability Assessment on (a) the NHS and (b) mental health services. (24087)
- 48 **Richard Graham** (Gloucester): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how much the full basic State Pension increased in cash terms between (a) 1997 and 2010 and (b) 2010 and 2024. (24019)
- 49 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many times Ministers in his Department have met with representatives of the Women Against State Pension Inequality campaign since 2015.
- 50 **Kim Johnson** (Liverpool, Riverside): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps his Department is taking to track the number of disabled people that have secured employment via the Universal Support scheme. (24162)
- Justin Madders (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what discussions he has had with housing associations on the impact of the 53 rent week year on residents. (24062)

- John McDonnell (Hayes and Harlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether he has had recent discussions with the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care on the potential impact of the level of statutory sick pay on health outcomes. (23972)
- Alison McGovern (Wirral South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many Jobcentre sites are temporarily closed. (24026)
- Alison McGovern (Wirral South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how much funding his Department has provided for the renovation of Jobcentre sites in each financial year since 2020. (24027)
- John Spellar (Warley): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of bringing forward legislative proposals to remove access to benefits for people sentenced to be held in secure mental health facilities. (23974)
- Peter Gibson (Darlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps her Department is taking to reduce levels of liver disease in Darlington constituency. (24136)
- 57 **Peter Gibson** (Darlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many patients were admitted to hospital for palliative care in each of the last five years. (24138)
- Sir John Hayes (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if she will hold discussions with the Leader of the House on the provision of Parliamentary time for a vote on the proposed World Health Organisation treaty on pandemic prevention, preparedness and response. (23979)
- 59 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the total cost to NHS England was for (a) events, (b) activities, (c) merchandise and (d) other expenditure relating to Pride Month 2023.

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- 60 **Kim Johnson** (Liverpool, Riverside): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to her Department's press release entitled One-off payments of up to £3,000 for over 27,000 health workers, published on 25 March 2024, what steps her Department is taking to ensure parity between clinical and recently insourced nonclinical staff for those payments. (24163)
- 61 **David Linden** (Glasgow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what information her Department holds on the availability of Creon 25000 across the UK. (24095)
- Oavid Linden (Glasgow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps her Department is taking to (a) mitigate potential future shortages of (i) Creon 25000 and (ii) other essential medicines and (b) ensure that people affected by medicine shortages have access to alternative options. (24096)

- Oavid Linden (Glasgow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment she has made of the potential implications for her policies of trends in the number of warnings from drugs companies on impending supply problems for certain products; and what steps her Department is taking to help ensure stability of supply for essential medications. (24097)
- Justin Madders (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps her Department is taking to reduce diagnostic waiting times for people with suspected young onset dementia. (24064)
- Justin Madders (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps her Department is taking to help increase the rate of diagnosis for people who develop symptoms of dementia before the age of 65.
- Justin Madders (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if she will take steps to (a) improve published national primary care data on young onset dementia and (b) ensure that young onset dementia is included in the national dementia diagnosis target rate. (24066)
- 67 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if she will make an assessment of the adequacy of current levels of age-appropriate support offered by Integrated Care Boards for people with young onset dementia. (24067)
- 68 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether her Department will provide (a) guidance and (b) resource to support all Integrated Care Systems in developing a designated care pathway for people with young onset dementia. (24068)
- 69 Navendu Mishra (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 25 April 2024 to Question 23061 on Cancer: Health Services, what steps she is taking to ensure that NHS trusts have sufficient cancer treatment capacity to adequately support the number of people that are being diagnosed.
- Jim Shannon (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if she will make an estimate of the number of people that have been diagnosed with glaucoma broken down by age in the last five years. (24043)
- 71 Catherine West (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what guidance her Department provides to NHS A&E departments to ensure staff are aware that A&E services are free of charge regardless of immigration status. (24089)
- James Wild (North West Norfolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, which dental practices in Norfolk have been accepting new NHS patients since 1 March 2024. (24155)

- Dr Lisa Cameron (East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, if he will take steps to help tackle discrimination and persecution faced by Christians in the Gambia; and if he will make an assessment of the potential impact of the level of discrimination and persecution face by Christians on religious freedom in the country. (24060)
- **Stephen Doughty** (Cardiff South and Penarth): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, with reference to the resolution of the House of 27 June 2023 on Repurposing Russian assets to rebuild Ukraine, whether he has made a recent assessment of the potential implications for his policies of that resolution; and whether the plans to bring forward such legislation. (24051)
- **Stephen Doughty** (Cardiff South and Penarth): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, when he last had discussions on the security of the (a) North Atlantic and (b) Arctic with his counterparts in (i) Iceland, (ii) Norway, (iii) the Faroe Islands, (iv) Greenland, (v) Denmark, (vi) Canada and (vii) the US. (24052)
- **Stephen Doughty** (Cardiff South and Penarth): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, whether he is taking steps to deepen diplomatic cooperation with members of the NATO Partnership for Peace programme. (24053)
- **Stephen Doughty** (Cardiff South and Penarth): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, what recent discussions he has had with (a) Romania, (b) Moldova, (c) Bulgaria, (d) Ukraine and (e) Türkiye on (i) security and (ii) maritime access in the western Black Sea region. (24054)
- **Stephen Doughty** (Cardiff South and Penarth): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, whether he has received recent reports on civil and political rights in Georgia; and when he last met (a) his counterpart from and (b) other representatives of the Government in that country. (24055)
- 79 Imran Hussain (Bradford East): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, what discussions (a) he, (b) his Ministers and (c) officials from his Department have had with their counterparts in Israel on the (i) airstrike at Al Mawasi on 18 January 2024, (ii) killings of World Central Kitchen workers in Gaza on 1 April 2024 and (iii) discovery of mass graves at al-Nasser hospital in Khan Younis. (24057)
- **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, if he will take steps to help tackle the causes of self-immolation and suicide by Tibetan monks. (24134)
- Ruth Jones (Newport West): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, if he will make an assessment of the implications for his policies of the safety of Christian (a) clergy and (b) communities (i) in Kachin, Myanmar and (ii) around the world. (24135)
- **Caroline Lucas** (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, pursuant to the Answer of 3 April 2024 to Question 20107 on West Bank: Violence, what recent discussions he has had with his Israeli counterpart on (a) stopping settler violence and (b) holding perpetrators accountable; and what steps he is taking to help prevent settlement expansion in the Occupied Palestinian Territories. (24014)

- Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, what recent progress he has made on helping to negotiate a ceasefire in Gaza. (24082)
- Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, whether he supports the Israeli government exercising military operations in Rafah. (24083)
- Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, whether he has had discussions with his Israeli counterpart on the criteria under which they would cease preparations for a military operation in Rafah. (24084)
- 86 **Lisa Nandy** (Wigan): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, whether he has had recent discussions with the UNHCR on children in Gaza who have been orphaned as a result of the Israel-Hamas war in the last six months. (24024)
- 87 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, if he will make an assessment of the implications for his policies of the safety of Christian (a) clergy and (b) communities (i) in Kachin, Myanmar and (ii) around the world. (24040)
- Jim Shannon (Strangford): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, whether he has held recent discussions with his Australian counterpart on the recent stabbing of Bishop Mar Mari Emmanuel during a church service in Wakeley, Australia. (24041)
- 89 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, if he will take steps to help support Jehovah's Witnesses in Russia in the context of the detention and sentencing of several members of that community on charges related to their religious beliefs and activities. (24042)
- 90 Alex Sobel (Leeds North West): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, pursuant to the Answer of 27 November 2023 to Question 2390 on Gubad Ibadoghlu, if he will make it his policy to call for the unconditional release of Dr Gubad Ibadoghlu. (24103)
- 91 Alex Sobel (Leeds North West): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, what his Department's timescales are for the conclusion of the negotiations for the UK-Armenia Comprehensive and Enhanced Partnership Agreement. (24104)
- 92 Alex Sobel (Leeds North West): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, how much and what proportion of overseas development assistance for Ukraine has been allocated to helping Ukraine to develop specialist capabilities to prevent (a) modern slavery and (b) human trafficking in the 2024-25 financial year. (24105)
- 93 Alex Sobel (Leeds North West): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, if he will make it his Department's policy to ensure that all Ukrainian organisations in receipt of overseas development assistance train all staff to be able to identify indicators of (a) modern slavery and (b) human trafficking. (24106)
- Alex Sobel (Leeds North West): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, what assessment he has made of the effectiveness of Overseas Development Assistance for Ukraine in (a) identifying and (b) safeguarding the most vulnerable people from modern slavery and human trafficking. (24107)

- 95 Alex Sobel (Leeds North West): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, if he will make an assessment of the potential impact of rebuilding Nagorno-Karabakh in Azerbaijan on UK-based businesses. (24108)
- 96 Alex Cunningham (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of introducing time limits on asylum cases for unaccompanied asylum-seeking children. (24035)
- 97 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps his Department is taking with local authorities to help tackle the illicit tobacco trade. (24094)
- 98 Catherine West (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether it is his policy to create a UK visa scheme for Palestinian (a) families displaced in Gaza and (b) orphans from Gaza. (24090)
- 99 **Sir lain Duncan Smith** (Chingford and Woodford Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether he plans to take steps to end the procurement from China of clothing for (a) the SAS, (b) snipers, (c) the Red Arrows and (d) other military units. (23971)
- 100 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, when he expects the Army to have stood up the Army Trials Unit. (23987)
- 101 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, who will be the Commanding Officer of the Army Trials Unit. (23988)
- 102 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many callouts have been made to Marne Barracks for maintenance issues relating to (a) roofing, (b) loss of heating and hot water, (c) electrics, (d) pest control and (e) damp and mould since April 2022. (24116)
- 103 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many service personnel are based at Marne Barracks. (24117)
- 104 Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of
 State for Defence, how much his Department has spent on improving service
 accommodation at Marne Barracks since April 2022. (24118)
- 105 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many callouts have been made to Helles Barracks for maintenance issues relating to (a) roofing, (b) loss of heating and hot water, (c) electrics, (d) pest control and (e) damp and mould since April 2022. (24119)
- 106 Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many callouts have been made to Gaza Barracks for maintenance issues relating to (a) roofing, (b) loss of heating and hot water, (c) electrics, (d) pest control and (e) damp and mould since April 2022. (24120)

- 107 Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many callouts have been made to Bourlon Barracks for maintenance issues relating to (a) roofing, (b) loss of heating and hot water, (c) electrics (d) pest control and (e) damp and mould since April 2022. (24121)
- 108 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many callouts have been made to Somme Barracks for maintenance issues relating to (a) roofing, (b) loss of heating and hot water, (c) electrics, (d) pest control and (e) damp and mould since April 2022. (24122)
- 109 Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many service personnel are based at Helles Barracks as of 29 April 2024.
 (24123)
- 110 Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many service personnel are based at Bourlon Barracks as of 29 April 2024.
 (24124)
- 111 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many service personnel are based at Somme Barracks as of 29 April 2024. (24125)
- 112 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much his Department has spent on improving service accommodation at Helles Barracks since April 2022. (24126)
- 113 Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much his Department has spent on improving service accommodation at Gaza Barracks since April 2022. (24127)
- 114 Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much his Department has spent on improving service accommodation at Somme Barracks since April 2022. (24128)
- 115 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much his Department has spent on improving service accommodation at Bourlon Barracks since April 2022. (24129)
- 116 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of his Department's progress on improving service accommodation since his appointment. (24131)
- 117 **Mr Ben Wallace** (Wyre and Preston North): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether he has had recent discussions with his German counterpart on ensuring that collaboration on the Boxer 155mm platform will not be subject to an export veto by the German (a) federal government and (b) parliament. (24009)
- 118 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what assessment he has made of the effectiveness of community service. (24133)

- **Dr Lisa Cameron** (East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether his Department has made an assessment of the fiscal impact of a potential digital pound by way of increased seigniorage revenue.

 [R] (24058)
- **Dr Lisa Cameron** (East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of using a potential digital pound for its own disbursements and cash management. (24059)
- **Dame Margaret Hodge** (Barking): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what the HMRC registration is for the trust or company service provider that provides a company registered address for 115 live UK companies at 19 Brignall Moor Crescent, Darlington, United Kingdom DL1 4SQ. (23966)
- **Dame Margaret Hodge** (Barking): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what the HMRC registration is for the trust or company service provider that provides a company registered address for 113 live UK companies at 1 Wembley Avenue, Blackpool, United Kingdom FY3 7DU. (23967)
- **Dame Margaret Hodge** (Barking): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what the HMRC registration is for the trust or company service provider that provides a company registered address for 113 live UK companies at 1 Wembley Avenue, Blackpool, United Kingdom FY3 7DU. (23968)
- **Dame Margaret Hodge** (Barking): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what the HMRC registration is for the trust or company service provider that provides a company registered address for 97 live UK companies at 8 Gertrude Street, Grimsby, United Kingdom DN32 0JN. (23969)
- **Dame Margaret Hodge** (Barking): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what the HMRC registration is for the trust or company service provider that provides a company registered address for 95 companies at Flat 5, 6 Ladock Green, Dorchester, DT1 3AU. (23970)
- **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of the reduction in numbers of credit unions. (24061)
- 127 James Wild (North West Norfolk): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, pursuant to the Answer of 15 December 2023 to Question 5600 on Natwest:

 Shares, whether his Department has appointed advisers to review the potential merits of a NatWest retail share offer. (24152)
- 128 James Wild (North West Norfolk): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of including an employee share element as part of the sale of the Government's remaining shares in NatWest. (24153)

129 **James Wild** (North West Norfolk): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether he plans to consult on proposed changes to the Furnished Holiday Lets tax regime.

(24154)

Questions for Answer on Thursday 2 May

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N Nick Smith (Blaenau Gwent): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether he has had recent discussions with UK-based companies on trends in the level of cyber security jobs moved abroad. (24011)
- 2N **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how export development guarantees are scrutinised. (24001)
- 3N **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, pursuant to the Answer of 25 March 2024 to Question 19719 on INEOS: Belgium, whether she made an assessment of the potential merits of supporting the cethelyne cracker plant at the existing Ineos site at Grangemouth. (24145)
- 4N **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, pursuant to the Answer of 25 March 2024 to Question 19719 on INEOS: Belgium, whether her Department sought assurances from Ineos on the safeguarding of the petrochemical site at Grangemouth before providing support for the Ineos Project One plant at Antwerp. (24146)
- 5N Angela Crawley (Lanark and Hamilton East): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, whether her Department (a) has and (b) plans to make an assessment of the potential impact of micro-transactions in video games on levels of spending among children and young people. (24075)
- 6N Angela Crawley (Lanark and Hamilton East): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, whether her Department has made an assessment of the potential impact of micro-transactions in video games on gambling behaviours among children and young people. (24076)
- 7N Angela Crawley (Lanark and Hamilton East): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, whether she has had discussions with her Belgian counterpart on regulating micro-transactions in video games as gambling. (24077)
- 8N Angela Crawley (Lanark and Hamilton East): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, whether she plans to increase regulation of microtransactions in video games. (24078)

- 9N Joanna Cherry (Edinburgh South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether she has had discussions with the Secretary of State for Business and Trade on the potential impact of the Industrial Decarbonisation Research and Innovation Centre on growth and investment. [Transferred] (902618)
- 10N **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what the (a) dates and (b) agenda items are for future meetings of the Net Zero Council. (24007)
- 11N **Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what recent estimate she has made of the average weekly pension payment to widows of miners who are recipients of the mineworkers pension scheme. (24015)
- 12N **Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether she has had recent discussions with the Mineworkers Pension Scheme Trustees on the decision to make hardship payments discretionary rather than mandatory. (24016)
- 13N **Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of reinstating the Rules Amendment Committee for the Mineworkers Pension Scheme. (24017)
- 14N **Dr Thérèse Coffey** (Suffolk Coastal): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 26 April 2024 to Question 22727 on Darwin Plus: Finance, if he will list the (a) funding and (b) recipient of the funding for each project per Territory. (24033)
- 15N Stella Creasy (Walthamstow): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 12 March 2024 to Question 13303 on Import Controls: Disease Control, when he will publish an economic impact assessment of the legislative measures required to introduce the Border Target Operating Model. (24028)
- 16N **Stella Creasy** (Walthamstow): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how many staff will be assigned to (a) monitor and enforce the restrictions introduced under the Border Target Operating Model (BTOM) and (b) carry out the administration of the BTOM, expressed as (i) full-time equivalent numbers and (ii) headcount. (24029)
- 17N Stella Creasy (Walthamstow): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will make an estimate of the number of physical checks that will take place under the Border Target Operating Model on consignments containing only medium- and low-risk goods entering the UK through the short straits in the week commencing 6 May 2024; and what estimate he has made of the proportion of all such eligible consignments this would represent. (24030)

- 18N **Stella Creasy** (Walthamstow): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will make an estimate of the number of physical checks that will take place under the Border Target Operating Model on consignments containing only high-risk goods entering the UK through the short straits in the week commencing 6 May 2024; and what estimate he has made of the proportion of all such eligible consignments this would represent. (24031)
- 19N Helen Morgan (North Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of deferring eligibility for Agricultural Property Relief for all environmental land management schemes on the estates of (a) landowners and (b) farmers who will die prior to 6 April 2025.
- 20N **Gen Kitchen** (Wellingborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what recent assessment his Department has made of trends in the number of people living in overcrowded housing in Wellingborough constituency. (24168)
- 21N **Gen Kitchen** (Wellingborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how many help to buy homeowners are waiting for a decision on a loan redemption application in (a) Wellingborough constituency and (b) Northamptonshire. (24169)
- 22N **Gen Kitchen** (Wellingborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up,
 Housing and Communities, if he will make an estimate of the average increase in
 rent for private properties in Wellingborough constituency in the last 12 months;
 and what assessment he has made of the affordability of rent increases for people
 on average earnings in Wellingborough constituency.

 (24171)
- 23N **Gen Kitchen** (Wellingborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether he has made an estimate of the number of unoccupied dwellings in (a) Northamptonshire and (b) Wellingborough constituency. (24172)
- 24N **Gen Kitchen** (Wellingborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether his Department has taken recent steps to increase the construction of (a) social housing and (b) affordable homes in Wellingborough constituency. (24173)
- 25N **Peter Kyle** (Hove): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, with reference to her Department's policy paper entitled National semiconductor strategy, CP 838, published on 19 May 2023, what progress she has made on the UK Semiconductor Infrastructure Initiative. (24088)
- 26N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 29 January 2024 to Question 11269 on Electric Scooters: Hire Services, whether he plans to announce a decision on extending e-scooter rental trials before the Summer recess. (23998)

- 27N **Sir Greg Knight** (East Yorkshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what his latest estimate is of the date by which (a) repairs to the Ouse bridge on the M62 near Goole will be completed, (b) the temporary speed limit in that area will be removed and (c) all lanes will be fully open to traffic in both directions. (23996)
- 28N Alan Brown (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, pursuant to the Answer of 29 April 2024 to Question 23517 on Work Capability Assessment: Parkinson's Disease, when she (a) last met and (b) is next scheduled to meet representatives from Parkinson's UK. (24079)
- 29N **Neil Coyle** (Bermondsey and Old Southwark): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many and what proportion of disabled people receiving Personal Independence Payment are in work. (24056)
- 30N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether her Department has made an assessment of the potential impact of vaping on fertility. (23999)
- 31N Alex Cunningham (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if his Department will publish the revised Mental Capacity Act Code of Practice before the end of this parliament. (24037)
- 32N Alex Cunningham (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of developing a social worker workforce strategy that prioritises (a) recruitment, (b) retention and (c) professional pathways. (24038)
- 33N Alex Cunningham (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of specialist (a) training and (b) accreditation on (i) alcohol and (ii) other drugs for social workers. (24039)
- 34N Navendu Mishra (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 21 March 2024 to Question 17965 on Stepping Hill Hospital: Repairs and Maintenance, what assessment her Department has made of the potential impact of the state of repair of buildings at Stepping Hill hospital on capacity in (a) Stockport and (b) Greater Manchester. (24157)
- 35N Navendu Mishra (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 18 April 2024 to Question 21490 on Prosthetics, if her Department will make an assessment of the potential merits of updating the stock of prosthetic limbs available. (24158)
- 36N Navendu Mishra (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to paragraph 3.64 of the NHS Long Term Plan, published in January 2019, what steps she is taking to ensure that every person diagnosed with cancer will have access to (a) personalised care, (b) needs assessment, (c) a care plan and (d) health and wellbeing information and support. (24159)

- 37N Navendu Mishra (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 29 April 2024 to Question 23065 on NHS:

 Databases, if he will hold discussions with the Federation of Clinical Registries on the (a) procurement and (b) centralising of clinical registries by the Medical Devices Outcome Registry programme.
- 38N **Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many people have been waiting more than 12 months for (a) knee and (b) hip replacement surgery in the North East as of 29 April 2024. (24018)
- 39N **Lisa Nandy** (Wigan): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether her Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of allowing paramedics to certify Med3 Fit Notes. (24025)
- 40N Karin Smyth (Bristol South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps she is taking to improve recruitment and retention to deliver her Department's integrated one workforce approach. (24070)
- 41N Karin Smyth (Bristol South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many people have taken the accredited NHS Strategic Workforce Planning course through the Chartered Institute of Professional Development. (24071)
- 42N Karin Smyth (Bristol South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate she has made of the number of clinicians who started advanced practice pathways in 2023-24. (24072)
- 43N Karin Smyth (Bristol South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate she has made of the number of nursing associates who completed training in 2023-24. (24073)
- 44N Karin Smyth (Bristol South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate she has made of the number of staff working in the NHS who will be eligible to access extended childcare support. (24074)
- 45N **Stephen Doughty** (Cardiff South and Penarth): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, what recent assessment he has made of the potential implications for his policies of recent discussions between Armenia and Azerbaijan; and what diplomatic support his Department is providing in relation to such discussions. (24047)
- 46N **Stephen Doughty** (Cardiff South and Penarth): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, whether his Department providing support to Armenia to assist with refugees from Nagorno-Karabakh. (24048)
- 47N **Stephen Doughty** (Cardiff South and Penarth): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, what (a) ambassadorial, (b) high commissioner and (c) deputy head of mission postings in (i) Europe and (ii) North America he plans to (A) announce and (B) appoint in the next seven months.

- 48N **Stephen Doughty** (Cardiff South and Penarth): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, how many members of staff from the (a) Department for Business and Trade and (b) devolved Administrations are co-located in UK embassies and high commissions in (i) Europe and (ii) North America; and if he will publish a breakdown of those figures by location. (24050)
- 49N **Mr David Jones** (Clwyd West): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, whether he has held recent discussions with the European Commission on the implications for the timing of the EU Entry/Exit System on delays at (a) UK and (b) EU (i) ports, (ii) railway stations and (iii) airports. (24008)
- 50N **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, what steps he is taking to help prevent the Irish government from returning illegal migrants across the border to Northern Ireland. (24010)
- 51N Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, whether he has had discussions with his international counterparts on the UN Security Forces taking over the border checks for aid at the Gaza border. (24080)
- 52N Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, what steps his Department is taking to deliver aid into the north of Gaza in the context of the infrastructure challenges by land. (24081)
- 53N **Anna McMorrin** (Cardiff North): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, pursuant to the Answer of 26 April 2024 to Question 23264 on Haiti: Turks and Caicos Islands, how many additional specialist police officers have been recruited by the Turks and Caicos Islands in 2024. (24093)
- 54N Layla Moran (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, whether he has made an assessment of the potential implications for his policies of the US's sanctions on (a) Mount Hebron Fund, Shlom Asiraich and (b) the leader of Lehava, Ben Zion Gopstein; and whether he has plans to implement sanctions on those actors.
- 55N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer on 25 April 2024 to Question 22900 on Undocumented Migrants: English Channel, whether the Ukrainian authorities have accepted liability for any UK seacraft in the last twelve months. (23997)
- 56N Alex Cunningham (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if his Department will make an assessment of the potential impact of No Recourse to Public Funds on people who are (a) destitute and (b) facing destitution. (24036)
- 57N **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 17 April 2024 to Question 902272 on Disinformation, how many information threats the Defending Democracy Taskforce has responded to. (24046)

- 58N **Dr Thérèse Coffey** (Suffolk Coastal): To ask the hon. Member for Broxbourne, representing the House of Commons Commission, pursuant to the Answer of 26 April 2024 to Question 22724 on Parliamentary Estate: Security, if the Commission will publish a breakdown of the (a) 4,132 staff and (b) 4,236 contractors with valid security passes by (i) profession and (ii) Department. (24032)
- 59N **Sir Chris Bryant** (Rhondda): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what proportion of armed forces uniforms are manufactured in the UK. (24003)
- 60N **Sir Chris Bryant** (Rhondda): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will provide a breakdown of countries with current British Armed Forces uniform manufacturing contracts. (24004)
- 61N **Sir Chris Bryant** (Rhondda): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will make an assessment of the potential impact of manufacturing armed forces uniforms abroad on security. (24005)
- 62N **Sir Chris Bryant** (Rhondda): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of manufacturing all British armed forces uniforms in the UK. (24006)
- 63N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether his Department has made an assessment of the environmental impact of the UK's nuclear test programmes in Kiritimati in the last 10 years. (24000)
- 64N **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many and what proportion of Invitations to Negotiate issued by his Department did not lead to a procurement contract in 2023. (23989)
- 65N **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to the Written Statement of 1 February 2024 on Afghan Relocations and Assistance Policy (ARAP) Scheme Update, HCWS233, whether his Department has completed the reassessments of eligibility decisions made on ineligible ARAP applications with credible links to (a) Commando Force 333 and (b) Afghan Territorial Force 444.
- 66N **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what his criteria are for publicly disclosing payments made to contractors working on defence programmes. (24002)
- 67N **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether he has shared information gathered by RAF Shadow R1 flights over Gaza with the International Criminal Court. (24147)
- 68N **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether RAF Shadow R1 flights over Gaza have recorded evidence of mass graves at (a)
 Nasser and (b) Al-Shifa Hospital. (24148)

- 69N Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he has had discussions with (a) Nautilus International and (b) the National Union of Rail, Maritime and Transport Workers on the Royal Fleet Auxiliary. (24112)
- 70N **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many callouts have been made to RM Stonehouse for maintenance issues relating to (a) roofing, (b) loss of heating and hot water, (c) electrics, (d) pest control and (e) damp and mould since April 2022. (24113)
- 71N Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many service personnel were based at RM Stonehouse as of 29 April 2024. (24114)
- 72N **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much his Department has spent on improving service accommodation at RM Stonehouse since April 2022. (24115)
- 73N **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many callouts have been made to (a) single living accommodation and (b) Service Family Accommodation properties for maintenance issues since April 2022. (24130)
- 74N Alex Cunningham (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if his Department will end the use on children of (a) the inverted wrist hold and (b) other pain inducing restraints. (24034)
- 75N **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to the Prime Minister's speech in Warsaw on 23 April 2024, whether his Department has (a) conducted an assessment of costings and (b) developed proposals for how to fund the commitment to spend 2.5% of gross domestic product on defence by 2030.
- 76N John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to the Prime Minister's speech in Warsaw on 23 April 2024, whether the commitment to spend 2.5% of gross domestic product on defence by 2030 will be require additional funding streams other than through reductions to (a) the civil service and (b) research and development budgets.
- 77N **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether he plans to allocate at least £3 billion for military support to Ukraine in each year between 2024 and 2030. (23992)
- 78N **Helen Morgan** (North Shropshire): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of Basis Period Reform on the availability of accounting resources for (a) sole traders and (b) partnerships. (24167)

Questions for Answer on Tuesday 7 May

Questions for Written Answer

1N Emma Hardy (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, with reference to Q25 of the oral evidence given by the Chief Executive of the Environment Agency to the Committee of Public Accounts on 27 November 2023, HC 71, if he will list the 500 schemes that will no longer go forward in the Flood and Coastal Erosion Risk Management investment programme; and if he will publish details of the modelling system used to make that calculation.

(24098)

- 2N Marsha De Cordova (Battersea): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if he will hold discussions with (a) sector stakeholders and (b) people with lived experience on his Department's consultation on proposed changes to Personal Independence Payments. (24110)
- 3N **Neil O'Brien** (Harborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many (a) male and (b) female live births there were in each lower layer super output area in each year since 2007. (24111)
- 4N **Fabian Hamilton** (Leeds North East): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, what steps his Department is taking to provide support to flood affected areas in East Africa; and whether small farmers will be (a) consulted and (b) involved in both short and longer term responses. (23993)