

Questions tabled on Wednesday 8 May 2024

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- t Indicates a Question not included in the random selection process but accepted because the quota for that day had not been filled.
- N Indicates a question for written answer on a named day under S.O. No. 22(4).
- [R] Indicates that a relevant interest has been declared.

Questions for Answer on Thursday 9 May

- Martin Docherty-Hughes (West Dunbartonshire): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what steps he is taking to increase representation of women in veteran support services.

 [Transferred] (24930)
- Selaine Saxby (North Devon): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether she has made an assessment of trends in the level of UK exports in low carbon and renewable sectors since 2015.

 [Transferred] (25113)
- Selaine Saxby (North Devon): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether she has made an estimate of the value of UK exports in low carbon and renewables sectors since 2015.

 [Transferred] (25114)
- 4 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether he is taking steps to raise public awareness (a) on the need for male continence bins and (b) to reduce the stigma associated with those who use them.

 [Transferred] (25005)
- 5 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will take steps to issue mandatory guidance to local authorities to ensure that all public washrooms include at least one male incontinence bin.

 [Transferred] (25006)
- 6N Alyn Smith (Stirling): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether he has made an estimate of the of the proportion of projected profits earned by Freeports to be received by (a) offshore investors, (b) UK companies and (c) Scottish companies.

 [Transferred] (24828)

- 7 **Liz Twist** (Blaydon): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if he will take steps to ensure that all people with hearing loss have access to (a) Relay UK, (b) video calls with captions, (c) a video relay service and (d) in-person transcriptions services when applying for Personal Independence Payment. (25314)
- Marsha De Cordova (Battersea): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to recommendation 90(c) of the UN Committee on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities' Report on follow-up to the inquiry concerning the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, advance unedited version published on 22 March 2024, if he will take steps to ensure that protections for disabled people under hate crime laws are nationally consistent.

 [Transferred] (25032)
- 9 Catherine West (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether he is taking steps with Cabinet colleagues to (a) assess instances of and (b) help tackle transnational repression. [Transferred] (24982)
- 10 **George Galloway** (Rochdale): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the cost to the public purse has been of the UK's (a) participation in Operation Prosperity Guardian and (b) military air strikes on Yemen. [Transferred] (24864)
- 11 Dame Margaret Hodge (Barking): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many individuals have been convicted for breaches of the Money Laundering Regulations in each of the last five years. (25131)

Questions for Answer on Monday 13 May

- John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, if he will make an estimate of the number of UK veterans who were turned away from polling stations on 2 May after attempting to use their Veterans ID Card as voter ID.
 (25157)
- 2N Emily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, with reference to the contract agreed by his Department with Enterprise Rent-A-Car on 19 April 2024, procurement reference CCVH23A01, which public bodies are covered by the scope of that contract; and what assessment he has made of the potential impact of that contract on the number of (a) journeys that will be made and (b) miles that will be travelled by hire car rather than public transport.
- 3 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, pursuant to the contract agreed by his Department with Enterprise Rent-A-Car on 19 April 2024, procurement reference CCVH23A01, if he will publish the specification of requirements set out in schedule 20 of that contract. (25194)

4 Andrew Bridgen (North West Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what her planned timetable is for providing compensation to sub-postmasters who (a) were wrongfully prosecuted using evidence from the Horizon IT system and (b) have already had their wrongful convictions overturned.

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- 5N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, pursuant to the Answer of 20 November 2023 to Question 1823 on Business: Insolvency, what steps his Department is taking to help tackle the trend in the number of companies declaring insolvency in that period. (25177)
- 6 **Lloyd Russell-Moyle** (Brighton, Kemptown): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how many chapters of a prospective free trade agreement with the Gulf Cooperation Council have been concluded. (25307)
- 7 Alex Sobel (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether she has taken recent steps to facilitate bilateral trade with North Macedonia. (25323)
- 8 Caroline Ansell (Eastbourne): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what progress she has made on allowing land identified as Selected Heritage Inventory for Natural England to be used for food production without financial penalties for farmers. (25300)
- 9 Andrew Bridgen (North West Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, whether she plans to commemorate the 200th anniversary of the death of Sir George Beaumont. (25233)
- 10 Thangam Debbonaire (Bristol West): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, if she will take steps to ensure there are no uninsulated overhead electricity cables at domestic sport facilities. (25249)
- 11N **Thangam Debbonaire** (Bristol West): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, if she will make an assessment of the potential implications for her policies of the Bectu report entitled UK film and TV industry in crisis, published on 26 February 2024. (25250)
- 12 **Thangam Debbonaire** (Bristol West): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what steps she is taking to support lower budget film and TV programmes. (25251)
- 13N **Thangam Debbonaire** (Bristol West): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what steps she is taking to help encourage visitors to libraries. (25252)
- 14N **Thangam Debbonaire** (Bristol West): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, if she will make an estimate of the number of libraries that have closed since 2010. (25253)

- 15 **Thangam Debbonaire** (Bristol West): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, if she will make an estimate of the number of volunteers there were in amateur football in (a) 2010, (b) 2019 and (c) 2023. (25254)
- Thangam Debbonaire (Bristol West): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, if she will make an estimate of the number of people that played grassroots sport in England in (a) 2010, (b) 2019 and (c) 2023. (25255)
- 17N **Dr Neil Hudson** (Penrith and The Border): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what steps her Department is taking to support local journalism.

 (25392)
- 18 Caroline Ansell (Eastbourne): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps her Department is taking to increase the retention rate of teachers in coastal communities. (25293)
- 19 Caroline Ansell (Eastbourne): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps her Department is taking to increase recruitment of teachers of (a) physics,

 (b) modern foreign languages and (c) other specialist subjects. (25297)
- 20 Caroline Ansell (Eastbourne): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, when she expects to meet recruitment targets for (a) physics and (b) modern foreign languages at secondary school level. (25298)
- 21 Andrew Bridgen (North West Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps she is taking to help disadvantaged children access (a) traineeships and (b) apprenticeships. (25235)
- Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what progress her Department has made on improving SEND services at Hertfordshire County Council. (25358)
- 23N Dame Andrea Jenkyns (Morley and Outwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps she is taking to reduce the time taken for children to receive (a) SEN assessments and (b) mental health treatment in Morley and Outwood constituency. (25278)
- 24 Catherine West (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many and what proportion of primary schools had a dedicated (a) school library and (b) librarian in (i) 2010, (ii) 2023 and (iii) May 2024. (25303)
- Catherine West (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many and what proportion of primary schools in Hornsey and Wood Green constituency had a dedicated (a) school library and (b) librarian in (i) 2010, (ii) 2023 and (iii) May 2024.
- Catherine West (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many and what proportion of secondary schools had a dedicated (a) school library and (b) librarian in (i) 2010, (ii) 2023 and (iii) May 2024. (25305)

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 - 27 Catherine West (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many and what proportion of secondary schools in Hornsey and Wood Green constituency had a dedicated (a) school library and (b) librarian in (i) 2010, (ii) 2023 and (iii) May 2024.
- 28 Andrew Western (Stretford and Urmston): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether she has made an assessment with Cabinet colleagues of the potential national security implications of Confucius Institutes on UK university campuses. (25401)
- 29 **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether she has made an assessment of the potential impact of moving schools on children in care; and what steps she is taking to reduce the number of children in care who experience school moves. (25368)
- 30 **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps are being taken to improve the educational outcomes of children and young people in care; and what estimate she has made of the number of care leavers who are not in (a) education, (b) employment and (c) training. (25369)
- 31 **Deidre Brock** (Edinburgh North and Leith): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether she (a) has taken and (b) plans to take steps with the devolved Administrations to achieve the (i) mission, (ii) goal and (iii) targets of the Kunming-Montreal Agreement 2022. (25243)
- Deidre Brock (Edinburgh North and Leith): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what steps she (a) has taken and (b) plans to take with the devolved Administrations to achieve the (i) mission, (ii) goal and (iii) targets of the Paris Agreement 2015.
- 33 **Deidre Brock** (Edinburgh North and Leith): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what steps she (a) has taken and (b) plans to take with the devolved Administrations to integrate (i) climate and (ii) nature plans. (25245)
- 34N **Dave Doogan** (Angus): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, with reference to the Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy's press release entitled UK backs new small nuclear technology with £210 million, published on 9 November 2021, what estimate she has made of the projected return on investment of the Government's support to Rolls-Royce SMR.

 (25350)
- Dave Doogan (Angus): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what assessment she has made of the potential implications for her policies of Roll-Royce's decision not to open a pressure vessel manufacturing facility to support the delivery of small modular reactors. (25351)
- 36N **Dave Doogan** (Angus): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, with reference to the Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy's press release entitled UK backs new small nuclear technology with

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- £210 million, published on 9 November 2021, what the cost to the public purse is of Government support to Rolls Royce SMR since 2021; and if she will make an estimate of the level of future funding they are forecast to receive by 2035. (25352)
- 37 Dame Andrea Jenkyns (Morley and Outwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether members of (a) the Climate Change Committee and (b) its Adaptation Subcommittee may (i) hold remunerated positions in businesses that are likely to benefit from energy transition and (ii) have other financial interests that benefit from energy transition. (25276)
- 38N Anne McLaughlin (Glasgow North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, with reference to the Answer from the Parliamentary Under Secretary of State at the Department for Energy Security and Net Zero to the Question from the hon. Member for West Aberdeenshire and Kincardine on 16 April 2024, Official Report, column 156, when that meeting will be facilitated.
- 39 **Lloyd Russell-Moyle** (Brighton, Kemptown): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, if she will make an assessment of the potential impact of alkaline hydrolysis as an alternative to cremation on the UK's ability to achieve its energy security and net zero emissions targets. (25308)
- 40 Caroline Ansell (Eastbourne): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will introduce year-round water quality testing. (25292)
- 41 Caroline Ansell (Eastbourne): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of increasing support for citizen science to help improve understanding of the UK's water quality. (25295)
- 42 Caroline Ansell (Eastbourne): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of asking citizen science programmes to (a) test water quality and (b) provide that data to his Department. (25296)
- Paul Blomfield (Sheffield Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will take steps to stop child friendly packaging being used to advertise unhealthy food to children. (25204)
- 44 Andrew Bridgen (North West Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to support small rural community projects in North West Leicestershire constituency.

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- 45 Andrew Bridgen (North West Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he is taking to improve flood defences in North West Leicestershire constituency. (25232)

- Deidre Brock (Edinburgh North and Leith): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will make an assessment of the potential implications for his policies of the recommendations in the report entitled Creating a nature-rich UK: Unleashing the potential of nature-based solutions, published by Zero Hour on 13 September 2023. (25246)
- 47N **Stella Creasy** (Walthamstow): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what proportion of consignments of (a) products of animal origin and (b) plant products that were liable for the common user charge had the correct paperwork in place upon their arrival in the UK between 30 April and 5 May 2024.
- 48N **Stella Creasy** (Walthamstow): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what the average time was between a consignment entering Sevington Border Control Post and leaving following (a) a physical inspection and (b) any other inspection between 30 April and 5 May 2024. (25211)
- 49 **Miss Sarah Dines** (Derbyshire Dales): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to provide (a) resources, (b) strategy and (c) public information to tackle invasive Asian hornets. (25385)
- 50N Navendu Mishra (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 2 April 2024 to Question 17003 on River Mersey: Water, when he expects the Environment Agency's national programmes report on its investigation into chemical failures and historic sources of chemicals across the Mersey catchment to be published. [Transferred] (25089)
- Andrew Selous (South West Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the effectiveness of the National Cycle Network in providing access to nature. (25183)
- Mr Barry Sheerman (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether he has made an assessment with Cabinet colleagues of the potential (a) viability and (b) merits of creating a national indoor air quality observatory to monitor (i) levels and (ii) the potential health effects of indoor air pollution.
- Mr Barry Sheerman (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if his Department will (a) issue guidance and (b) provide resources to local authorities to help tackle household air pollution. (25170)
- Andrew Bridgen (North West Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, if he will take steps to provide support to (a) Coalville CAN and (b) other charities that provide cooking lessons for children and elderly people. (25229)

- 55 Andrew Bridgen (North West Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, if he will make a cost benefit analysis of the introduction of direct democracy. (25230)
- 56N Dame Andrea Jenkyns (Morley and Outwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of the availability of council homes in Morley and Outwood constituency. (25277)
- 57N **Ben Lake** (Ceredigion): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what recent discussions he has had with the (a) Welsh Government and (b) local authorities in Wales on the operation of the Shared Prosperity Fund after March 2025. (25315)
- Andrew Selous (South West Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of mentioning the National Cycle Network in the National Planning Policy Framework. (25184)
- 59 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether he has had discussions with the Department for Communities in Northern Ireland on the provision of social housing. (25218)
- 60N **Alistair Strathern** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether he is taking steps to increase protections for house purchase expenses prior to exchange of contracts. (25403)
- 61 **Sir Robert Buckland** (South Swindon): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, what steps his Department is taking to encourage investment in the UK artificial intelligence sector. (25212)
- 62 **Sir Robert Buckland** (South Swindon): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, whether she has had recent discussions with her Australian counterpart on the proposed Misinformation and Disinformation Bill in that country. (25213)
- 63 **Sir Robert Buckland** (South Swindon): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, if she will make an assessment of the potential impact of malign actors imitating the interfaces of reputable sources on public trust in digital content. (25214)
- Dame Andrea Jenkyns (Morley and Outwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, what assessment her Department has made of the potential impact of the UK Standard Essential Patents regulatory regime on the ability of SMEs to innovate on (a) artificial intelligence and (b) the Internet of Things.
- 65 Andrew Bridgen (North West Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether he has conducted a cost benefit analysis of Low Traffic Neighbourhoods. (25234)

- Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to the Answer of 19 September 2023 to Question 199520 on Luton Airport: Construction, when he plans to respond to the Climate Change Committee's recommendations; and if he will respond to the recommendation on not expanding the airport until a capacity management framework is in place before announcing a decision on expansion of the airport. (25356)
- Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will make representations to SEGRO on responding to requests for a public meeting on ongoing construction work at the former Radlett Aerodrome site. (25357)
- 68N **Bill Esterson** (Sefton Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will take steps to announce a timetable for a licencing review of (a) mopeds, (b) motorcycles and (c) other powered light vehicles. (25205)
- 69N **Bill Esterson** (Sefton Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to the Government's Joint Action Plan for powered light vehicles, whether he plans to take steps to simplify the licensing regime for mopeds and motorcycles.

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- 70N **Bill Esterson** (Sefton Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of simplifying the licensing regime for powered light vehicles. (25207)
- 71N **Bill Esterson** (Sefton Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 27 March 2024 to Question HL3418 on Motorcycles: Licensing, if he will publish an assessment of the potential impact of simplifying the licensing regime for mopeds and motorcycles on road safety. (25208)
- 72N **Bill Esterson** (Sefton Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will publish a timeline for plans to reform the licensing regime for L-Category Vehicles.

 (25209)
- 73N Louise Haigh (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to the most recent HS2 6-monthly report to Parliament, whether phase one estimates at completion include public funding required to deliver core civil engineering and tunnelling work related to HS2's Euston development. (25270)
- 74N Louise Haigh (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent estimate he has made of the total cost to the public purse of the HS2 Euston development, including core civil engineering and tunnelling. (25271)
- 75N Louise Haigh (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent estimate he has made of the number of houses that will be delivered as part of the Euston quarter development corporation. (25272)
- 76N Louise Haigh (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent discussions he has had with Ministerial colleagues in HM Treasury on funding for (a) delivering HS2 to Euston and (b) the re-scoped Euston station development. (25273)

- 77N Louise Haigh (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what estimate he has made of the amount of private finance required to deliver the HS2 Euston quarter development; and how much private finance has been secured for the project as of 8 May 2024. (25274)
- 78N Dame Andrea Jenkyns (Morley and Outwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps he is taking to help ensure passenger safety in the private hire sector. (25280)
- 79N Dame Andrea Jenkyns (Morley and Outwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will make a comparative assessment of the adequacy of regulation of (a) Uber and (b) other private hire operators. (25281)
- 80N **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether funding has been allocated to Harland & Wolff to run a ferry service between Penzance and the Isles of Scilly.

 [Transferred] (24865)
- Daniel Kawczynski (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of introducing graduated driving licences. (25196)
- 82 Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether he had discussions with rail unions on taking steps to avoid the strikes that commenced on 7 May 2024. (25372)
- 83 Andrew Selous (South West Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of the relationship between the National Cycle Network and local cycle routes. (25185)
- 84 Caroline Ansell (Eastbourne): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps his Department is taking to support parents of children with SEND to remain in the workforce. (25294)
- 85 **Caroline Ansell** (Eastbourne): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what information he holds on the number and proportion of participants of the Kickstart scheme that are in employment. (25299)
- 86N Marsha De Cordova (Battersea): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if he will take steps to make the local District Provision Tool available to local partners in London to help (a) tackle youth unemployment and (b) increase education and training opportunities. (25326)
- 87N Dame Angela Eagle (Wallasey): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps his Department is taking to help increase the uptake of housing benefit in (a) Wallasey constituency, (b) Wirral, (c) the North West and (d) the United Kingdom. (25172)
- 88N Dame Angela Eagle (Wallasey): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many pensioner households are entitled to but not in receipt of housing benefit. (25173)

- 89N Dame Angela Eagle (Wallasey): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment his Department has made of the potential impact of freezing of income tax thresholds on pensioners. (25174)
- 90N Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many people are awaiting a decision on their Access to Work applications as of 1 May 2024. (25283)
- 91 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many people living with osteoarthritis have (a) applied for and (b) been successful in an Access to Work application in the last 12 months. (25284)
- 92 **Vicky Foxcroft** (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many people living with rheumatoid arthritis have (a) applied for and (b) been successful with an Access to Work application in the last 12 months.

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- 93 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many people living with a musculoskeletal condition have (a) applied for and (b) been successful with an Access to Work application in the last 12 months.
- 94 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what progress his Department has made on the digitalisation of Access to Work.

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- 95 **Vicky Foxcroft** (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment he has made of trends in the the number of people who are out of work because of a musculoskeletal condition. (25288)
- John McDonnell (Hayes and Harlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether he has made an estimate of the number and proportion of disabled people facing one-off extra costs related to their disability. (25139)
- 97 John McDonnell (Hayes and Harlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of his Department's report entitled Shaping Future Support: The Health and Disability Green Paper, published on 20 July 2021 on the finances of people with complex disabilities. (25140)
- Jim Shannon (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether he has made an assessment of the potential impact of benefit claimants receiving over-payments on their mental health; and what steps his Department is taking to support claimants that need to re-pay over-payments. (25219)
- 99 Andrew Bridgen (North West Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if she will make an estimate of the cost to the public purse of treating (a) smoking related illnesses and (b) alcohol related illnesses in the last 12 months.

- 100 Andrew Bridgen (North West Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if she will extend the Children's Hospice Grant beyond 2024-25. (25226)
- 101 Andrew Bridgen (North West Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether she has made a cost benefit analysis of the implementation of assisted dying.
 - (25227)
- 102 Sir Robert Buckland (South Swindon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps her Department is taking to help ensure public (a) safety and (b) clarity in the healthcare roles of (i) physician associates and doctors and (ii) other NHS staff. (25215)
- 103 Richard Burgon (Leeds East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what data her Department holds on the provision of vision rehabilitation support services. (25289)
- 104 Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps she plans to take to ensure those that don't have access to the internet can respond to the 10 year review of the NHS constitution. (25355)
- 105 Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, on what date her Department expects to receive the final business case studies from hospital trusts that are part of the New Hospital Programme. (25359)
- 106 Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 5 June 2023 to Question 187004 on Health Professions: Regulation, if she will set out the timetable to remove the five year time limit for fitness to practice concerns to be investigated by the General Medical Council. (25360)
- 107 Marsha De Cordova (Battersea): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of amending the funding model for hospices. (25324)
- 108 Marsha De Cordova (Battersea): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether she is taking steps to support hospices with rising costs. (25325)
- 109 Anneliese Dodds (Oxford East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if she will take steps to implement the recommendations of MBRRACE-UK's report entitled Saving Lives, Improving Mothers' Care: Lessons learned to inform maternity care from the UK and Ireland Confidential Enquiries into Maternal Deaths and Morbidity 2019-21, published in October 2023. (25319)
- 110 Anneliese Dodds (Oxford East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if she will take steps to ensure that NHS England facilitates the dissemination of the findings of the maternal, newborn and infant clinical outcome review programme delivered by MBRRACE-UK. (25320)

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- Peter Gibson (Darlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether her Department is taking steps to identify people that have been diagnosed with HIV but are not accessing treatment. (25353)
- 112 **Peter Gibson** (Darlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps her Department is taking to ensure that PrEP is available in all parts of the UK. (25354)
- Sir John Hayes (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when she last held discussions with NHS trusts on hospital car parking fees. (25145)
- 114 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the take-up rate for breast cancer screening was in

 (a) Lincolnshire and (b) the East Midlands in each of the last five years. (25146)
- 115 Dame Andrea Jenkyns (Morley and Outwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment she has made of the implications for her policies of the long term prescribing of topical corticosteroids. (25275)
- 116N Peter Kyle (Hove): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 7 May 2024 to Question 24269 on Lung Cancer:

 Artificial Intelligence, which (a) NHS trusts have and (b) imaging network has not received funding.

 (25291)
- 117 Caroline Lucas (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the oral contribution of the Prime Minister of 8 May 2024 in response to a question from the hon. Member for Weston Super Mare, which the 500 dental practices referred to are; and how many of those practices were registering NHS patients on 8 May 2024. (25203)
- 118N Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps she is taking to help improve the (a) quality, (b) coverage, (c) availability and (d) use of musculoskeletal data. (25259)
- 119 Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of surgical hubs on trends in waiting times for elective care. (25260)
- 120NRachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many and what proportion of people received treatment for (a) knee and (b) hip replacements in surgical hubs in each of the last 12 months. (25261)
- 121NRachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what progress her Department has made on ensuring all NHS trusts have electronic patient records by March 2026. (25262)
- 122NRachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps her Department is taking to help reduce regional variations in the length of NHS elective care waiting lists. (25263)

- 123NRachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment she has made of trends in the level of asthma (a) acute admissions and (b) deaths in the last 12 months. (25264)
- 124 Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment she has made of the effectiveness of access to (a) specialist care provision and (b) review for asthma patients. (25265)
- 125 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps she is taking to end deaths from asthma. (25266)
- 126 Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether she is taking steps to promote asthma research through the use of (a) data and (b) AI. (25267)
- 127 Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps her Department is taking to help patients with the technological management of asthma. (25268)
- 128 Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether waiting times to see (a) asthma specialists and (b) respiratory consultants have increased in the last 12 months; and whether there has been an increase in the number of asthma (i) deaths and (ii) acute presentations in the last 12 months.
- 129NHelen Morgan (North Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps her Department is taking to ensure there are effective pathways for early detection of liver disease in Shropshire. (25400)
- 130NJess Phillips (Birmingham, Yardley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what discussions she (a) has had and (b) plans to have with (i) charities and (ii) other organisations working to secure UK access to new drugs for (A) incurable, (B) relapsing and (C) remitting cancers such as myeloma. (25238)
- 131N Jess Phillips (Birmingham, Yardley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether she (a) has had discussions and (b) plans to have discussions with the National Institute for Health and Care Excellence on (i) its use of the new severity modifier and (ii) how it (A) measures and (B) reports the impact of the modifier on approval of treatments for (1) cancers, (2) relapsing and remitting conditions and (3) conditions that are more prevalent in older people. (25239)
- 132 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many women were diagnosed with ovarian cancer by age in each of the last three years. (25217)
- 133 **Mr Barry Sheerman** (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether her Department has made an assessment of the potential impact of household air pollution on (a) health outcomes and (b) NHS capacity and resources. (25168)

- 134 Alexander Stafford (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if she will make an estimate of the number of hospital admissions for issues related to cigar smoking in the last (a) 12 months, (b) five years and (c) 20 years.
- 135 **Alexander Stafford** (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if she will make an estimate of the number of hospital admissions for issues related to the taking of snuff in the last (a) 12 months, (b) five years and (c) 20 years.
- 136 Alexander Stafford (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if she will make an estimate of the annual cost to the NHS of (a) cigar smoking and (b) snuff taking. (25395)
- 137 Andrew Bridgen (North West Leicestershire): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, whether he has had discussions with his Turkish counterpart on recent Turkish military operations in Sinjar. (25225)
- 138 Andrew Bridgen (North West Leicestershire): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, what steps the Government is taking to help support persecuted Christians in (a)

 Israel and (b) the Occupied Palestinian Territories. (25231)
- 139 **Sir Robert Buckland** (South Swindon): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, what support his Department provides to Central Asian partners to (a) contain and(b) counter Islamic State Khorasan Province in that region. (25216)
- 140NMr Gregory Campbell (East Londonderry): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, if he will have discussions with the UN on establishing responsibility for the (a) bombing of the al-Ahli Arab Hospital in Gaza in October 2023 and (b) recent deaths of four Israel Defence Forces soldiers at Kerem Shalom border crossing. (25175)
- 141N Sarah Green (Chesham and Amersham): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, whether he has discussions with Cabinet colleagues on the potential merits of banning flights by Iran Air to the UK.

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- 142 **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, if he will take diplomatic steps to ensure the reopening of the (a) Rafah and (b) Kerem Shalom crossings. (25316)
- 143 **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, what recent assessment has made of the adequacy of designated safe zones in Gaza. (25317)
- 144 Dame Margaret Hodge (Barking): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, pursuant to the Answer of 2 May 2024 to Question 23506 on British Overseas Territories and Crown Dependencies: Companies, whether his Department plans to set a timetable for the introduction of public registers of beneficial ownership in the Overseas Territories. (25135)

- 145NKenny MacAskill (East Lothian): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, whether his Department was involved in arranging the meeting between Prince Salman bin Hamad Al Khalifa and HM the King on 3 May 2024. (25364)
- **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, whether he has made an assessment of the potential implications for his policies of (a) the statement by Amnesty International entitled Bahrain: human rights activist faces trial in further prosecution for protesting travel ban, published on 3 May 2024, and (b) other reports by human rights organisations on that matter; and if he will make representations to his Bharani counterpart on ensuring that human rights are upheld.
- **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, what (a) assessment he has made of the potential implications for his policies of and (b) representations he has made to his Saudi counterpart on the case of Manahel al-Otaibi. (25366)
- **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, if he will make (a) an assessment of the potential implications for his policies of and (b) representations to his Saudi counterpart on the approval of new death sentences against minors in that country. (25367)
- **Matthew Pennycook** (Greenwich and Woolwich): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, if he will make an assessment of the potential impact of the Israeli Defence Forces taking control of the Rafah border crossing on the delivery of humanitarian aid into Gaza. (25301)
- **Matt Western** (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, whether the Government has sold arms to Israel since 1 April 2024. (25311)
- **Mr Ben Bradshaw** (Exeter): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what the annual cap on his Department's receipts from the asset recovery incentivisation scheme has been in each financial year from 2017-18 to 2022-23.
- **Mr Ben Bradshaw** (Exeter): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much and what proportion of receipts recovered from Glencore Energy UK Ltd through the asset recovery incentivisation scheme following its conviction for bribery in November 2022 accrued to his Department. (25143)
- 153 Andrew Bridgen (North West Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether he has plans to negotiate an agreement with the Republic of Ireland on the return of asylum seekers (a) from Ireland to the UK and (b) from the UK to Ireland. (25221)
- 154 Andrew Bridgen (North West Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to the Independent Review into the boohoo Group PLC's Leicester supply chain, published on 24 September 2020, what recent steps he has taken to tackle modern slavery. (25236)

- 155N**Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 19 December 2023 to Question 6089 on Home Office: Training, whether participants in the e-learning training on FGM were asked to provide an approval rating for that course. (25176)
- 156NMr Gregory Campbell (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 27 February 2024 to Question 15230 on Northern Ireland Strategic Migration Partnership, what each of those multiple agreements in place with Northern Ireland government departments are.

 (25178)
- 157N**Mr Alistair Carmichael** (Orkney and Shetland): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what the capacity of the immigration detention estate was on (a) 8 May 2024, (b) January 2024 and (c) July 2023. (25179)
- 158NMr Alistair Carmichael (Orkney and Shetland): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many individuals that have been detained for removal to Rwanda have also been served an (a) notice of inadmissibility and (b) inadmissibility decision. (25180)
- 159NMr Alistair Carmichael (Orkney and Shetland): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many individuals that have been issued a notice of intent of inadmissibility have subsequently been admitted to the asylum system since 1 January 2022. (25181)
- 160 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether he has had discussions with the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care on the advice given to immigrants by care worker agencies on finding suitable accommodation in the UK. (25144)
- 161 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps he is taking to reduce shoplifting in (a) Lincolnshire and (b) the East Midlands. (25147)
- Dame Margaret Hodge (Barking): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what the (a) budget and (b) headcount was for the National Crime Agency's Proceeds of Crime Centre in the financial year (i) 2021-22, (ii) 2022-23 and (iii) 2023-24; and how many accreditations were issued to financial investigators in each of those financial years. (25132)
- Dame Margaret Hodge (Barking): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how his Department has spent revenues received through the Asset Recovery Incentivisation Scheme in each year since 2017. (25134)
- 164 **Dame Margaret Hodge** (Barking): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what the (a) annual budget and (b) staff headcount has been for the National Crime Agency's Financial Intelligence Unit in each of the last three years.

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- 165N Dame Andrea Jenkyns (Morley and Outwood): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether he has made an assessment of the potential impact of illegal immigration on levels of violent crime. (25279)
- 166NAnne McLaughlin (Glasgow North East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what safe and legal routes to the UK are available for (a) refugees and (b) asylum seekers as of 8 May 2024. (25258)
- 167NLayla Moran (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what estimate he has made of the number of local staff of the British Embassy in Khartoum who have been resettled in the UK in the last three years.

 (25318)
- 168 Cat Smith (Lancaster and Fleetwood): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if he will bring forward legislative proposals to increase the range of wildlife crimes which have notifiable status. (25256)
- 169 Alex Sobel (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether he plans to introduce a (a) visa exemption, (b) visa on arrival and (c) eVisa scheme for people from North Macedonia. (25321)
- 170 Alex Sobel (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many visas his Department has granted to applicants from North Macedonia in each year since 2020. (25322)
- 171N Emily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 7 May 2024 to Question 24423 on Undocumented Migrants: France, whether the payments made by his Department to the French authorities for their part in delivering the UK-France Joint Leader's Declaration are published as part of his Department's monthly transparency data on spending over £25,000.
- 172NEmily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if he will publish the specification of requirements for the contracts agreed by his Department on (a) 2 October 2023 with Home Connections Lettings Ltd., procurement reference 433189/1352384, (b) 21 March 2024 with Bunnyfoot Lt., procurement reference 407485/1352441, (c) 28 March 2024 with Deloitte LLP, procurement reference 417551/1349771, and (d) 1 April 2024 with Faculty Science Ltd., Zinc Network and Adam Smith International Ltd., procurement reference 376900/1351150.
- 173N Daniel Kawczynski (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the hon. Member for Broxbourne, representing the House of Commons Commission, what steps the Commission is taking to ensure that secretariats of All-Party Parliamentary Groups do not pass sensitive information to foreign governments. (25197)
- 174N Daniel Kawczynski (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the hon. Member for Broxbourne, representing the House of Commons Commission, with reference to paragraph 8 of the Eighth Report of Session 2022-23 of the Committee on

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- Standards, All-Party Parliamentary Groups: final proposals, HC 228, published on 5 April 2023, what steps the Commission is taking to tackle the risk of improper (a) access and (b) influence by foreign actors through APPGs. (25198)
- 175N Daniel Kawczynski (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the hon. Member for Broxbourne, representing the House of Commons Commission, with reference to paragraph 17 of the Eighth Report of Session 2022-23 of the Committee on Standards, All-Party Parliamentary Groups: final proposals, HC 228, published on 5 April 2023, what steps the Commission is taking to ensure that Secretariats of APPGs (a) are not funded by and (b) do not receive benefits from foreign governments.
- 176N Daniel Kawczynski (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the hon. Member for Broxbourne, representing the House of Commons Commission, if the Commission will make it its policy that former Ambassadors and High Commissioners may not work in the Secretariats of APPGs on countries to which they were accredited. (25200)
- 177NJohn Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many (a) full-time, (b) reservist and (c) former armed forces personnel were affected by the data breach reported on 6 May 2024. (25148)
- 178NJohn Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many investigations the Information Commissioner's Office has open related to data breaches in his Department. (25149)
- 179NJohn Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, when (a) the contractor, (b) officials in his Department, (c) Ministers and (d) he first learned of the armed forces payment data breach reported on 6 May 2024. (25150)
- 180NJohn Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether salary payments for serving armed forces personnel due in May 2024 were affected by the armed forces payment data breach reported on 6 May 2024.
- John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what information his Department holds on whether personal data belonging to (a) current and (b) former armed forces personnel has been published online following the armed forces payment data breach reported on 6 May 2024. (25152)
- John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, which external organisation his Department has commissioned to conduct an independent investigation into the armed forces payment data breach reported on 6 May 2024.
 (25153)
- John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to his oral statement entitled Defence Personnel Data Breach of 7 May 2024, Official Report, column 466, when the investigation into that data breach will be concluded. (25154)

- John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether his Department has found evidence that personal data has been copied out of the subcontractor's IT system by a malign actor following the armed forces payment data breach reported on 6 May 2024. (25155)
- 185NJohn Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether any personnel on exchange programmes from non-UK allied Armed Forces have been impacted by the data breach following the armed forces payment data breach reported on 6 May 2024. (25156)
- 186 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many (a) serving armed forces personnel and (b) veterans had their addresses accessed during the armed forces payment data breach reported on 6 May 2024.

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- John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many (a) full-time, (b) reservist and (c) former armed forces personnel reported suspicious activity related to their bank account to his Department following the data breach reported on 6 May 2024. (25159)
- John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to his oral statement entitled Defence Personnel Data Breach of 7 May 2024, Official Report, column 469, who will lead the Cabinet Office review of Government contracts with Shared Services Connected Ltd; and what estimate he has made of when this review will be completed. (25160)
- 189 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, when he plans to appoint a defence production envoy. (25161)
- 190 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what powers the defence production envoy will have. (25162)
- 191 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, to whom the proposed envoy to oversee production of weapons and ammunition will report. (25163)
- John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what plans he has for joint working between (a) the proposed envoy to oversee production of weapons and ammunition and (b) the Minister for Defence Procurement.
- 193 John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what powers he plans to give the proposed envoy to oversee production of weapons and ammunition in the context of (a) managing contracts and (b) spending.
 (25165)
- 194 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what process he plans to use to select the proposed envoy to oversee production of weapons and ammunition. (25166)

- 195 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what plans he has for joint working between (a) the proposed envoy to oversee production of weapons and ammunition and (b) the head of Defence Equipment and Support. (25167)
- 196NKenny MacAskill (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many planes operated by the RAF have landed in (a) Lebanon, (b) Egypt, (c)

 Jordan and (d) Syria since 7 October 2023. (25361)
- 197NKenny MacAskill (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many planes operated by the RAF have taken off from Israel since 7 October 2023.

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- 198NKenny MacAskill (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many planes operated by the US Air Force have taken off from RAF Akrotiri since 7 October 2023. (25363)
- Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many callouts have been made for maintenance issues relating to
 (a) roofing, (b) loss of heating and hot water, (c) electrics, (d) pest control and (e)
 damp and mould from Beacon Barracks since April 2022. (25330)
- Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many callouts have been made for maintenance issues relating to
 (a) roofing, (b) loss of heating and hot water, (c) electrics, (d) pest control and (e) damp and mould from Kendrew Barracks since April 2022.
- 201 Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many callouts have been made for maintenance issues relating to
 (a) roofing, (b) loss of heating and hot water, (c) electrics, (d) pest control and (e) damp and mould from St George's Barracks, North Luffenham since April 2022. (25332)
- 202 Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many callouts have been made for maintenance issues relating to (a) roofing, (b) loss of heating and hot water, (c) electrics, (d) pest control and (e) damp and mould from RAF Wittering since April 2022.
- Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many callouts have been made for maintenance issues relating to
 (a) roofing, (b) loss of heating and hot water, (c) electrics, (d) pest control and (e) damp and mould from RAF Digby since April 2022.
- 204 Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many service personnel are based at Beacon Barracks as of May 2024.
 (25335)
- 205 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many service personnel are based at Kendrew Barracks as of May 2024. (25336)

- 206 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many service personnel are based at St George's Barracks, North Luffenham as of May 2024. (25337)
- 207 Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many service personnel are based at RAF Wittering as of May 2024.
 (25338)
- 208 Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many service personnel are based at RAF Digby as of May 2024. (25339)
- 209 **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 Beacon Barracks since April 2022. (25340)
- 210 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 Kendrew Barracks since April 2022. (25341)
- 211 **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 St George's Barracks, North Luffenham since April 2022. (25342)
- 212 **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 RAF Wittering since April 2022. (25343)
- 213 **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 RAF Digby since April 2022. (25344)
- 214 Mark Pritchard (The Wrekin): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will make an assessment of the potential impact of climate change on anti-submarine warfare capabilities. (25201)
- 215 **Mark Pritchard** (The Wrekin): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what recent assessment he has made of the potential impact of climate change on the counter-sonar capabilities of the continuous at sea deterrent. (25202)
- 216 Catherine West (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies on the UK's defence position in the Indo-Pacific region of the Australian national defence strategy.
 (25302)
- 217 **Matt Western** (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many RAF flights have traveled to Israel (a) since October 7 2023 and (b) between October 2022 and October 2023. (25309)

- 218 **Matt Western** (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether armed forces personnel have been deployed in Gaza since 7 October 2023. (25310)
- 219 **Matt Western** (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will make an assessment of the origin of (a) munitions and (b) hardware used by the Israel Defence Force in the drone strikes that killed World Central Kitchen aid workers in Gaza on 1 April 2024. (25312)
- Matt Western (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Secretary of State for
 Defence, what the purpose of UK military flights travelling to Israel since 7
 October 2023 has been.
- 221NSarah Dyke (Somerton and Frome): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of expanding the Rape Review Action Plan to include all cases of sexual violence. (25402)
- 222 Dame Margaret Hodge (Barking): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how funds received by HM Courts and Tribunals Service through the Asset Recovery Incentivisation Scheme have been spent in each year since 2017. (25133)
- 223 **Mr Ranil Jayawardena** (North East Hampshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what service level agreements his Department has in place for the operation of the probate office within HM Courts and Tribunal Service. (25290)
- 224 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if he will make an estimate of the number of convictions relating to cryptocurrency offences in each of the last five years. (25220)
- 225NEmily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, with reference to the press notice entitled Clean-up scheme expanded nationwide to tackle anti-social behaviour, published on 22 March 2024, how many offenders in England and Wales were ordered to carry out litter-clearing activities in support of the Great British Spring Clean from 17 March to 2 April 2024; and how many hours of litter-clearing activity were completed by those offenders.
- 226NEmily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, in what way the purpose of the contract agreed by his Department with Ipsos Mori on 20 March 2024, procurement reference 398437/1351727, differs from the purpose of the contract agreed with the same company on 5 June 2023, procurement reference 336036/1227987. (25190)
- 227 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, with reference to the Answer of 18 July 2023 to Question 193876, when he plans to publish the (a) content from the deliverables, (b) details of the experiment and (c) findings from the survey conducted by Ipsos Mori. (25193)

- **Beth Winter** (Cynon Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what recent assessment his Department has made of the effectiveness of the implementation of a violence reduction strategy at HMP Parc. (25373)
- **Beth Winter** (Cynon Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, with reference to the Action Plan: HMP Parc following the July 2022 HM Inspectorate of Prisons report, published on 11 October 2022, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of the review of the current suite of available technology to detect drugs and mobile phones at HMP Parc. (25374)
- **Beth Winter** (Cynon Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, with reference to the Action Plan: HMP Parc following the July 2022 HM Inspectorate of Prisons report, published on 11 October 2022, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of the number of prisoners who are interviewed at the time of transfer and release in order to build intelligence at HMP Parc. (25375)
- **Beth Winter** (Cynon Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, with reference to the Action Plan: HMP Parc following the July 2022 HM Inspectorate of Prisons report, published on 11 October 2022, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of the recruitment to address shortfalls in health care staff at HMP Parc.
- **Beth Winter** (Cynon Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what discussions his Department has had with G4S on the number of reported (a) assaults, (b) serious assaults, (c) prisoner assaults, (d) serious prisoner assaults, (e) assaults on staff and (f) serious assaults on staff at HMP Parc in 2023. (25377)
- Beth Winter (Cynon Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what discussions his Department has had with G4S on trends in the (a) weight of drugs,
 (b) number of mobile phones and (c) number of SIM cards found in HMP Parc in 2023.
- **Beth Winter** (Cynon Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what discussions his Department has had with His Majesty's Inspectorate of Prisons on the number of reported (a) assaults, (b) serious assaults, (c) prisoner assaults, (d) serious prisoner assaults, (e) assaults on staff and (f) serious assaults on staff at HMP Parc in 2023.
- **Beth Winter** (Cynon Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what discussions his Department has had with Her Majesty's Inspectorate of Prisons On trends in the (a) weight of drugs, (b) number of mobile phones and (c) number of SIM cards found in HMP Parc in 2023.
- **Beth Winter** (Cynon Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many people of what grades worked at HMP Parc in each month of 2023. (25381)
- **Beth Winter** (Cynon Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many people of what grade (a) joined and (b) left the workforce at HMP Parc in each month of 2023. (25382)

- 238 **Beth Winter** (Cynon Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, when the next inspection by HM Inspectorate of Prisons of HMP Parc will occur. (25383)
- 239 **Beth Winter** (Cynon Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, whether he has had discussion with the Independent Monitoring Board at HMP Parc on the publication dates of the Annual reports for (a) 1 March 2022-31 March 2023 and (b) 1 March 2023-31 March 2024.
- 240 Andrew Bridgen (North West Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, which (a) plants, (b) trees and (c) seeds are not allowed to be sent to Northern Ireland from Great Britain as a result of the Windsor Framework.

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- 241 **Mr Ben Bradshaw** (Exeter): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how much has accrued to the Exchequer from money recovered by public bodies using powers under the Proceeds of Crime Act 2002 through (a) unspent asset recovery incentivisation scheme receipts and (b) receipts above the annual cap on Home Office receipts through the asset recovery incentivisation scheme in each financial year from 2017-18 to 2022-23.
- 242 Andrew Bridgen (North West Leicestershire): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will make an estimate of the total tax revenue lost due to the smuggling of (a) alcohol and (b) tobacco since 2010. (25223)
- 243N**Dr Neil Hudson** (Penrith and The Border): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps his Department is taking to support agricultural businesses to access finance from banks. (25390)
- 244N **Dr Neil Hudson** (Penrith and The Border): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps his Department is taking to help preserve access to banking on high streets. (25391)
- Emily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what the average waiting time was for individuals submitting an IHT400 form to HMRC between 1 January to 30 April 2024 to receive a unique code to enable them to apply for probate; and how many individuals have waited for (a) one to two, (b) two to three, (c) three to four, (d) four to five, (e) five to six and (e) more than 6 months since submitting their IHT400 form to receive the unique code from HMRC as of 8 May 2024.

Questions for Answer on Tuesday 14 May

- 1N Nadia Whittome (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what recent steps her Department has taken to help improve the educational attainment rate of Romani Gypsy, Roma and Irish traveller children. (25396)
- 2N Nadia Whittome (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many incidents of ethnicity-based bullying within schools were reported to her Department in the last 12 months; and what steps her Department is taking to help tackle such incidents. (25397)
- 3N Dame Angela Eagle (Wallasey): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps his Department is taking to help increase the uptake of Pension Credit in (a) Wallasey constituency, (b) Wirral, (c) the North West and (d) United Kingdom. (25171)
- 4N lan Byrne (Liverpool, West Derby): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps her Department is taking to reduce waiting times for cancer (a) diagnosis and (b) treatment in Merseyside. (25386)
- 5N lan Byrne (Liverpool, West Derby): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps her Department is taking to increase the proportion of people of people who are treated within 62 days of referral for cancer treatment.

 (25387)
- 6N lan Byrne (Liverpool, West Derby): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps her Department is taking to increase the proportion of people who receive treatment for cancer within 31 days of a decision to begin that treatment.

 (25388)
- 7N **lan Byrne** (Liverpool, West Derby): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps her Department is taking to increase the proportion of people who are provided a cancer diagnosis within 28 days of their referral for testing. (25389)
- 8N Nadia Whittome (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if he will make an assessment of the potential impact of the commencement of detention operations undertaken by his Department following the passage of the Safety of Rwanda (Asylum and Immigration) Act 2024 on levels of contact with people whose asylum claims have been deemed inadmissible. (25398)
- 9N **Nadia Whittome** (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if he will make an assessment of the potential impact of detaining asylum seekers that have experienced torture on their mental health. (25399)
- 10N 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 RAF Shawbury since April 2022. (25345)

- 11N Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many callouts have been made for maintenance issues relating to (a) roofing, (b) loss of heating and hot water, (c) electrics, (d) pest control and (e) damp and mould from RAF Shawbury since April 2022. (25346)
- 12N Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many service personnel are based at RAF Shawbury as of 8 May 2024. (25347)
- 13N Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many armed forces career offices are there in (a) England, (b) Scotland, (c) Wales and (d) Northern Ireland. (25348)
- 14N Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much his Department has spent on armed forces career offices in the last five years. (25349)
- 15N **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if he will make an assessment of the level of availability of nitazenes in prisons. (25240)
- 16N **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, whether mandatory random drug testing in prisons includes testing for nitrazenes. (25241)
- 17N **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many (a) prison officers and (b) prison staff have been investigated for (i) drug smuggling and (ii) corruption at HMP Parc in each of the last four years. (25242)
- 18N **Jo Stevens** (Cardiff Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Wales, whether the Tata Steel / Port Talbot Transition Board has made a recent assessment of the potential impact of blast furnace closures on jobs in the supply chain. (25247)
- 19N **Jo Stevens** (Cardiff Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Wales, with reference to the Fifth Tata Steel / Port Talbot Transition Board Statement, published on 25 April 2024, if he will publish the local economic action plan. (25248)

Oral Questions to the Secretary of State for Justice

- 1 **Ms Marie Rimmer** (St Helens South and Whiston): What recent assessment he has made of the potential implications for his policies of the number of children being remanded to custody. (902785)
- 2 **Tonia Antoniazzi** (Gower): What steps his Department is taking to help ensure public confidence in the support provided to victims throughout the criminal justice process. (902786)
- Alan Brown (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): What recent assessment he has made of the effectiveness of proposed reforms to employment tribunal panels. (902787)

- 4 Alison Thewliss (Glasgow Central): If he will issue guidance to lawyers on the potential implications for the criminal justice process of the Safety of Rwanda (Asylum and Immigration) Act 2024. (902788)
- 5 **Jessica Morden** (Newport East): What recent assessment he has made of the welfare of prisoners at HMP Parc. (902789)
- 6 Lilian Greenwood (Nottingham South): What recent assessment he has made of the potential implications for his policies of reoffending rates among children and young people. (902790)
- 7 **Jerome Mayhew** (Broadland): What steps his Department is taking to reduce delays in judicial processes. (902791)
- 8 **Ian Lavery** (Wansbeck): What progress his Department has made on reducing the backlog of cases in the Crown Court. (902792)
- 9 **Beth Winter** (Cynon Valley): What assessment he has made of the potential implications for his policies of trends in the number of drugs found in prisons over the last five years. (902793)
- 10 **Gareth Thomas** (Harrow West): What steps his Department is taking to help ensure public confidence in the support provided to victims throughout the criminal justice process. (902794)
- 11 **Richard Graham** (Gloucester): If he will make a comparative assessment of the effectiveness of short custodial sentences and sentences served in the community.

 (902795)
- 12 **Jeff Smith** (Manchester, Withington): What progress his Department has made on delivering 20,000 new prison places. (902796)
- Wera Hobhouse (Bath): Whether he has had recent discussions with Cabinet colleagues on the use of non-disclosure agreements in sexual assault, harassment and misconduct cases. (902797)
- 14 **Bob Blackman** (Harrow East): What steps he is taking to reduce reoffending. (902798)
- 15 Mary Robinson (Cheadle): What steps he is taking to increase prison capacity. (902799)
- 16 Sarah Dyke (Somerton and Frome): If he will make an assessment of the adequacy of support available to jurors who have been adversely affected by sitting on a jury.

 (902800)
- 17 **Steven Bonnar** (Coatbridge, Chryston and Bellshill): What recent assessment his Department has made of the adequacy of legal aid provision for immigration cases. (902801)
- 18 **Kate Kniveton** (Burton): What steps his Department is taking to help support the wellbeing of children in the family justice system. (902802)
- 19 **Sir Edward Leigh** (Gainsborough): What steps his Department is taking to support the victims of crime. (902803)

20	Mrs Paulette Hamilton (Birmingham, Erdingto	n): What steps he is taking to tackle
	violence in the youth estate.	(902804)

- 21 **Christian Wakeford** (Bury South): What steps he has taken to reduce reoffending. (902805)
- 22 **Mr Alistair Carmichael** (Orkney and Shetland): What recent assessment he has made of the potential implications for his policies of the case backlog in the criminal and civil courts. (902806)
- 23 **Mohammad Yasin** (Bedford): What progress he has made on implementing the recommendations of the National Audit Office report on the Government's management of legal aid. (902807)
- 24 Caroline Nokes (Romsey and Southampton North): What steps he is taking to prevent domestic abuse perpetrators from using the justice system to extend control over victims. (902808)
- Wendy Morton (Aldridge-Brownhills): What steps his Department is taking to support the victims of crime. (902809)

Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Justice

T1	Mr Virendra Sharma (Ealing, Southall): If he will make a statement on his departmental responsibilities.	(902810)
T2	Rachel Hopkins (Luton South):	(902811)
T3	Judith Cummins (Bradford South):	(902812)
T4	Elliot Colburn (Carshalton and Wallington):	(902813)
T5	Theresa Villiers (Chipping Barnet):	(902814)
T6	Mohammad Yasin (Bedford):	(902815)
T7	Bambos Charalambous (Enfield, Southgate):	(902816)
T8	Sarah Dyke (Somerton and Frome):	(902817)
Т9	Rob Butler (Aylesbury):	(902818)
T10	James Gray (North Wiltshire):	(902819)

Questions for Answer on Wednesday 15 May

- 1N Sir Stephen Timms (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, when she last held discussions with the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs on the sale of arms to Israel. (25137)
- 2N **Sir Chris Bryant** (Rhondda): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, how many premises were able to access a gigabit-capable broadband connection in each constituency in the period between March 2019 and March 2024. (25182)
- 3N **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether he has had recent discussions with (a) South Gloucestershire Council and (b)

 National Highways on the delivery of M4 junction 18A. (25186)
- 4N Marsha De Cordova (Battersea): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of devolving employment support services to (a) London boroughs and (b) the Mayor of London.

 (25327)
- 5N Marsha De Cordova (Battersea): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what estimate he has made of trends in the level of youth unemployment (a) in London and (b) per London borough in each of the last 12 months.

 (25328)
- 6N Marsha De Cordova (Battersea): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps he is taking to support (a) young disabled Londoners and (b) young black Londoners into employment. (25329)
- 7N **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of plans to reform the fit note process on people with mental ill health. (25187)
- 8N **Kate Osborne** (Jarrow): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps her Department is taking to ensure that people who require enzyme replacement therapy receive that medication in a timely manner. (25370)
- 9N Kate Osborne (Jarrow): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether she has had recent discussions with pharmaceutical companies on ensuring adequate supplies of (a) enzyme replacement therapy and (b) other related medications. (25371)
- 10N **Sir Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, pursuant to the Answer of 7 May 2024 to Question 24566 on UNRWA: Finance, when he plans to complete his careful consideration of Catherine Colonna's final report, UNRWA's response and the ongoing UN Office for Internal Oversight Services investigation. (25138)