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# **Questions tabled on Tuesday 14 May 2024**

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## Questions for Answer on Wednesday 15 May

### **Questions for Written Answer**

- Damien Moore (Southport): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what recent progress his Department has made on implementing the recommendations of the Infected Blood Inquiry.

  [Transferred] (25947)
- 2 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what steps he is taking to ensure that British overseas territories nationals are security vetted to national standards. [Transferred] (25796)
- Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many children in care are moved more than 10 miles away due to a lack of appropriate local care options.

  [Transferred] (25989)
- Mike Amesbury (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, if she will make an estimate of the number of buildings in which insulation was installed through government-funded grant schemes in which remediation of that insulation is required.

  [Transferred] (25934)
- Damien Moore (Southport): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what recent steps her Department has taken to support (a) companies and (b) individuals in the development of fusion technology. [Transferred] (25945)
- John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, if she will list companies that are prohibited from providing equipment for 5G networks.

  [Transferred] (25766)

- 7 **Tim Farron** (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many shellfish waters were categorised into class (a) A, (b) B, (c), C and (d) below class C for E.coli concentration in each year between 2019 and 2024. [Transferred] (25819)
- 8 **Tim Farron** (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, which shellfish waters have been categorised as below class C/ prohibited for more than one year. [Transferred] (25820)
- 9 Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if he will implement a public health approach to preventing (a) violence and (b) sexual violence for (i) boys and (ii) men. [Transferred] (25880)
- 10 Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment he has made of the potential role of gender discrimination in violence and sexual violence against women and girls. [Transferred] (25885)
- 11 Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many charges have been brought against alleged perpetrators under the age of 18 for (a) rape and (b) serious sexual offences in each of the last five years (i) nationally and (ii) by police force area. [Transferred] (25994)
- 12 Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many convictions there have been for (a) rape and (b) serious sexual offences where the perpetrator was under the age of 18 in each of the last five years.

  [Transferred] (25995)
- Jim Shannon (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what estimate he has made of the number of arrests for online harassment in the last 12 months.

  [Transferred] (25855)
- Catherine West (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how much HM Prison and Probation Service has spent on rehabilitation programmes approved by the Correctional Services Advice and Accreditation Panel since December 2019.

  [Transferred] (25890)
- 15N Bell Ribeiro-Addy (Streatham): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, whether she has had discussions with employers on the (a) public reporting of ethnicity pay gaps and (b) inclusive early talent pipelines. [Transferred] (25712)

# Questions for Answer on Thursday 16 May

### **Questions for Written Answer**

Sir John Hayes (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how many and what proportion of (a) cars and (b) other vehicles used by his Department were made in Britain. (26041)

- 2 **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what the employment rate for veterans was in financial year (a) 2018-19, (b) 2021-22 and (c) 2022-23. (26039)
- 3 **Dr Thérèse Coffey** (Suffolk Coastal): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what steps her Department is taking to support small and medium-sized enterprises in Suffolk. (26131)
- 4 **Dr Thérèse Coffey** (Suffolk Coastal): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what steps her Department is taking to promote (a) international trade and (b) investment opportunities for businesses based in Suffolk. (26132)
- Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what steps her Department is taking to help mitigate the potential impact of high energy costs on the competitiveness of UK exports. (26199)
- Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what data her Department holds on trends in the volume of British food exports to Asia over the last five years; and what steps her Department is taking to help support growth in that sector. (26206)
- 7 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether her Department plans to take steps to support manufacturers with energy costs for the purpose of increasing export competitiveness. (26207)
- 8 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how many and what proportion of (a) cars and (b) other vehicles used by her Department were made in Britain. (26042)
- 9 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how much the Competition and Markets Authority has spent on external consultancies in each of the last five years. (26050)
- Dr Thérèse Coffey (Suffolk Coastal): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what the total value was of grant funding awarded from the Heritage High Street Fund to projects in (a) Suffolk Coastal constituency and (b) Suffolk since 2019.
- 11 **Dr Thérèse Coffey** (Suffolk Coastal): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what steps she is taking to help support the growth of creative industries in (a) Suffolk and (b) Suffolk Coastal constituency. (26136)
- Dame Caroline Dinenage (Gosport): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, with reference to her Department's publication entitled Government response to Online Advertising Programme consultation, updated on 25 July 2023, what assessment her Department has made of the adequacy of the evidence base for the (a) origin and (b) location of in-scope online advertising; and how that evidence will inform future policy decisions. (26125)

- 13 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how many and what proportion of (a) cars and (b) other vehicles used by her Department were made in Britain. (26043)
- Sir Peter Bottomley (Worthing West): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what funding her Department has allocated to support teachers of (a) maths and numeracy, (b) English and literacy, (c) science, (d) music, (e) history and (f) religious education through (i) subject knowledge enhancement courses for trainees, (ii) Oak National Academy Resources, (A) planned and (B) existing (iii) subject hubs, (iv) support for level 3 provision, (v) bursaries and (vi) other support for continuing professional development in each of the last five years. (26027)
- Dr Thérèse Coffey (Suffolk Coastal): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps she is taking to help increase childcare provision in (a) Suffolk Coastal constituency and (b) Suffolk. (26129)
- Dr Thérèse Coffey (Suffolk Coastal): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many teachers there were in Suffolk Coastal constituency in (a) 2019 and (b) 2024.
- 17 **Dr Thérèse Coffey** (Suffolk Coastal): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what recent assessment she has made of the adequacy of SEND provision in schools in (a) Suffolk and (b) Suffolk Coastal constituency. (26142)
- 18 **Paul Girvan** (South Antrim): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of bringing forward legislative proposals to ban the use of smartphones in schools. (26196)
- 19 **Robert Halfon** (Harlow): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what estimate her Department has made of the number of teachers that have received levelling up premium payments for school teachers since May 2022 by (a) region and (b) subject. (26122)
- 20 **Robert Halfon** (Harlow): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment her Department has made of the impact of the levelling up premium payments for school teachers on recruitment of teachers in shortage subjects. (26123)
- 21 **Robert Halfon** (Harlow): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of extending levelling up premium payments to teachers in training with initial teacher training providers in disadvantaged communities. (26124)
- 22 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many and what proportion of (a) cars and (b) other vehicles used by her Department were made in Britain. (26045)
- 23 Rachel Maclean (Redditch): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many (a) children and (b) adults required an SEND placement in each of the last 20 years. (26239)

- 24 Rachel Maclean (Redditch): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what the average cost was to educate (a) a child and (b) an adult with SEN in each of the last 20 years. (26240)
- Rachel Maclean (Redditch): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much was spent on (a) education places and (b) home to school transport for SEND (i) children and (ii) adults by local authority in 2023. (26241)
- Rachel Maclean (Redditch): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, for what conditions (a) children and (b) adults were assessed for (i) special educational needs and (ii) an education, health and care plan in each of the last 20 years. (26242)
- 27 **Rachel Maclean** (Redditch): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what the ages were of (a) children and (b) adults assessed for (i) special educational needs and (ii) an education, health and care plan in each of the last 10 years. (26243)
- Rachel Maclean (Redditch): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many
  (a) school, (b) alternative provision and (c) other places for (i) children and (ii)
  adults with (A) SEND and (B) an EHCP there were in each of the last 20 years. (26244)
- 29 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps her Department is taking to help tackle cyber-attacks on schools. (26090)
- Jim Shannon (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps her Department is taking to help provide mental health support in schools for young people suffering from eating disorders. (26163)
- 31N **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether she has made an assessment of the potential merits of prohibiting property management companies from charging commercial energy rates to domestic users in multiple-dwelling developments. [Transferred] (25894)
- 32 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how many and what proportion of (a) cars and (b) other vehicles used by her Department were made in Britain. (26044)
- 33 **Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, pursuant to the Answer of 14 May 2024 to Question 25469 on Mineworkers' Pension Scheme, how many recipients are in each region of the UK.

  (26121)
- 34 **Dr Thérèse Coffey** (Suffolk Coastal): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much funding his Department has allocated to the farming sector in Suffolk Coastal constituency since 2022, broken down by (a) funding type and (b) recipient. (26133)
- 35 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent steps his Department has taken to (a) improve recycling infrastructure and (b) reduce plastic waste exports. (26208)

- 36 Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if she will take steps to help ensure that ultra-processed foods are easily identifiable to consumers. (26286)
- 37 **Henry Smith** (Crawley): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he is taking to end the use of cages in farming. (26114)
- Henry Smith (Crawley): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he is taking to help support the transition to (a) humane and (b) sustainable livestock farming. (26115)
- Mike Amesbury (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of bringing forward legislative proposals to extend protections under schedule 8 of the Building Safety Act 2023 to leaseholders irrespective of when service charge demands were issued.
- Mike Amesbury (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how many independent audits his Department commissioned under the Developer Self Remediation Terms in relation to building assessments from April 2023 to April 2024. (26224)
- Mike Amesbury (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of publishing monthly data on the number of independent audits conducted on buildings under the developer self-remediation scheme. (26225)
- 42 **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps his Department can take in the event that a building assessment under the developer self-remediation scheme fails to pass an independent audit on more than one occasion. (26226)
- 43 **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what data his Department holds on the number of buildings under the developer remediation scheme that were (a) transferred out of Government funding schemes and (b) had not started works on site by 30 April 2024.
- Mike Amesbury (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up,
  Housing and Communities, on how many occasions he has used his powers to call
  in new planning proposals by developers on the basis of their lack of progress in
  remediating fire safety defects in legacy buildings. (26228)
- Mike Amesbury (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, pursuant to the Answer of 2 April 2024 to Question 21335 on Flats: Fire Prevention, whether Jetty Court in Tower Hamlets is a relevant building under the developer remediation contract. (26229)

- Mike Amesbury (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what information his Department holds on the number and proportion of buildings over 11 metres requiring non-cladding remediation works where the building owner meets (a) the Developer Test (b) the Contribution Condition.
- 47 **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, with reference to the Housing Minister's open letter to mortgage lenders on building safety of 12 January 2022, what information his Department holds on the number of lenders that have waived the annual 1% premium for shared owners who sublet. (26231)
- Mike Amesbury (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, with reference to his open letter to registered providers on shared ownership and building safety of 19 December 2023, what information his Department holds on the number of providers that have made the details of (a) all relevant policies, (b) subletting and (c) selling and buyback terms available on their websites.
- 49 **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of classing building insurance as a relevant cost that leaseholders can seek to recover through a remediation contribution order. (26233)
- Mike Amesbury (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, with reference to his Department's Building Safety Remediation: monthly data release, updated on 18 April 2024, whether any buildings have made new applications to the Waking Watch Replacement Fund since 25 May 2023.
- Mike Amesbury (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, with reference to his Department's press release, Government wins landmark case against freeholder owned by multibillion pound railway pension fund, published on 9 May 2024, what the (a) legal and (b) administration costs to the public purse were in the five successful Remediation Orders to date.
- Mike Amesbury (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, with reference to his Department's press release, Government wins landmark case against freeholder owned by multibillion pound railway pension fund, published on 9 May 2024, if he will make an estimate of the number of non-qualifying leaseholders impacted by the five successful Remediation Orders. (26236)
- Mike Amesbury (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities how many and what proportion of full-time equivalent roles in his Department related to the Building Safety Programme on (a) 30 April 2023 and (b) 30 April 2024. (26237)

- Dr Thérèse Coffey (Suffolk Coastal): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether he has made a recent estimate of the number of unoccupied dwellings in (a) Suffolk and (b) Suffolk Coastal constituency. (26143)
- 55 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how many and what proportion of (a) cars and (b) other vehicles used by his Department were made in Britain. (26048)
- Rachel Maclean (Redditch): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up,
  Housing and Communities, what assessment he has made of the potential merits
  of introducing regulations on the non-disclosure of event fees in the leases of
  specialist housing for older people. (26245)
- 57 Charlotte Nichols (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, if he will publish a timetable for the reintroduction of the Parking Code of Practice. (26287)
- Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up,
  Housing and Communities, whether his Department plans to take steps to help
  local authorities in Greater London tackle the illegal use of e-scooters. (26086)
- 59 **Sir Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps his Department is taking to help quantify the (a) economic and (b) social value of faith groups to the UK. (26028)
- Sir John Hayes (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, how many and what proportion of (a) cars and (b) other vehicles used by her Department were made in Britain. (26049)
- Or Thérèse Coffey (Suffolk Coastal): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what information his Department holds on the amount that local authorities have spent on repairing potholes in (a) Suffolk and (b) Suffolk Coastal constituency in the latest period for which data is available. (26137)
- Julian Knight (Solihull): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if his
  Department will make an assessment of the potential impact of the use of (a)
  speed bumps and (b) chicanes on air quality. (26177)
- Damien Moore (Southport): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps his Department plans to take to increase public awareness of the potential impact of changes in the (a) responsibilities and (b) role of Great British Rail on journey times.
- Damien Moore (Southport): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of requiring local authorities to undertake local consultations before allocating funding through his Department's active travel schemes. (26250)

- Sarah Owen (Luton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to the Seafarers in the UK shipping industry: 2023 statistics, published on 22 February 2024, what (a) estimate he has made of the average pay for and (b) assessment he has made of the average roster pattern worked by non-EEA Ratings employed on ships owned by members of the UK Chamber of Shipping. (26283)
- lan Paisley (North Antrim): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many zero-emission buses had been ordered through the Zero Emission Bus Regional Areas (a) 1 and (b) 2 schemes as of 14 May 2024; and how many zero-emission buses are expected to be ordered through both schemes by the end of this Parliament.
- 67 Ian Paisley (North Antrim): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps his Department is taking to encourage local authorities to buy new zero-emission buses through the Zero Emission Bus Regional Area schemes. (26159)
- lan Paisley (North Antrim): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many and what proportion of the buses funded through Zero Emission Bus Regional Areas (a) 1 and (b) 2 schemes are (i) UK and (ii) non-UK-made, broken down by country of origin; and how much Zero Emission Bus Regional Areas funding has been spent on UK-made zero-emission buses as of 14 May 2024. (26160)
- Martyn Day (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of (a) creating a team in his Department that specifically supports bereaved benefit claimants and (b) providing training to all staff in his Department on bereavement support.

  (26180)
- 70 Vicky Foxcroft (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what the average wait time is between an individual submitting an Access to Work application and receiving initial contact from his Department. (26181)
- 71 **George Galloway** (Rochdale): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of removing the two-child limit for benefits. (26074)
- Rachel Maclean (Redditch): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether he has had discussions with the National Statistics Authority on the use of the term bad nerves as a reason for (a) economic inactivity and (b) long term sickness absence.
- 73 **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, pursuant to the Answer of 20 March to Question 18351 on Universal Support: Veterans, how many veterans used the Universal Support programme in 2022-23. (26034)

(26130)

- 74 **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, pursuant to the Answer of 20 March 2024 to Question 18350 on Jobcentres: Armed Forces, in which garrison towns the armed forces champions are located. (26035)
- 75 **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, pursuant to the Answer of 20 March 2024 to Question 18350 on Jobcentres: Armed Forces, how many veterans were supported into employment by Armed Forces Champions in the 2022-2023 financial year. (26036)
- 76 **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, pursuant to the Answer of 20 March 2024 to Question 18350 on Jobcentres: Armed Forces, how many veterans have been supported into employment by Armed Forces Champions in 2024. (26037)
- 77 **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many and what proportion of the Armed Forces Champions have previously served in the military. (26038)
- 78 Christina Rees (Neath): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many Carer's Allowance overpayments relating to earnings conditions were made to people living in Wales in each of the last three financial years. (26185)
- 79 Christina Rees (Neath): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many Carer's Allowance overpayments to people living in Wales there were for the value of (a) £0.01 to £500, (b) £500.01 to £1,000, (c) £1,000.01 to £5,000, (d) £5,000.01 to £20,000 and (e) more than £20,000 in financial years (i) 2021-22, (ii) 2022-23 and (iii) 2023-24.
- 80 Christina Rees (Neath): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many recipients of Carer's Allowance in Wales also had another income in financial year 2023-4. (26187)
- Jim Shannon (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many PIP applications have been disallowed in the last 12 months. (26162)
- 82 **Dr Thérèse Coffey** (Suffolk Coastal): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment she has made of the adequacy of the availability of NHS provision for the diagnosis and treatment of ADHD in Suffolk.

Dr Thérèse Coffey (Suffolk Coastal): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many additional NHS dental appointments have been made available for patients as a result of the Dental Recovery Plan in Suffolk Coastal constituency. (26140)

84 **Dr Thérèse Coffey** (Suffolk Coastal): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps her Department is taking to reduce ambulance waiting times in (a) Suffolk and (b) Suffolk Coastal constituency. (26141)

- 65 Gill Furniss (Sheffield, Brightside and Hillsborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps her Department is taking to ensure that NHS medical staff are made aware of a patient's personalised care plan. (26189)
- 66 Gill Furniss (Sheffield, Brightside and Hillsborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps her Department has taken to improve awareness of sickle cell disease among healthcare professionals. (26190)
- 87 **Tom Hunt** (Ipswich): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what her steps her Department is taking to improve early diagnosis rates for prostate cancer prior to the TRANSFORM trial findings. (26279)
- 88N Rachael Maskell (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if she will make an assessment of the prevalence of the use of child labour in the production of nicotine products. [Transferred] (25874)
- 89 Damien Moore (Southport): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps her Department (a) is taking and (b) plans to take to help (i) facilitate and (ii) increase the voluntary uptake of the shingles vaccine by people aged 66 to 69 (A) in Southport and (B) across the UK. (26248)
- 90 Damien Moore (Southport): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether she has made an assessment of the potential merits of appointing a National Clinical Director within NHS England for coeliac disease. (26249)
- 91 Taiwo Owatemi (Coventry North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of providing guidance to health professionals on (a) advice and (b) other support for parents of unborn babies with (i) intersex conditions and (ii) other variations in sex characteristics.
- 92 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps her Department is taking to increase the vaccination rates for whooping cough. (26088)
- 93 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps her Department is taking to increase vaccination rates for whooping cough. (26089)
- 94 **Dean Russell** (Watford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, which part of NHS England has accountability for coeliac disease diagnoses. (26290)
- Sarah Champion (Rotherham): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, what steps his Department is taking to help ensure that overseas development aid to (a) Sudan,
   (b) Ethiopia and (c) other East African countries reaches (i) local and (ii) national non-governmental (A) youth, (B) women-led and (C) faith-based organisations. (26170)

- Daisy Cooper (St Albans): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, whether he has had discussions with his French counterpart on the potential merits of ensuring British passport holders have an exit stamp added to their passport each time they leave the Schengen area. (26278)
- 97 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, what estimate his Department has made of the number of women and children killed in Gaza since the beginning of the Israel-Hamas war. (26209)
- Jonathan Gullis (Stoke-on-Trent North): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, if he will make an assessment of the potential implications for his policies of the reported remarks by President Erdogan on 21 March 2024. (26291)
- 99 Jonathan Gullis (Stoke-on-Trent North): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, what support his Department is providing to partners in Israel to help tackle online disinformation campaigns. (26292)
- 100 Daniel Kawczynski (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, what recent assessment his Department has made of the treatment of Kurds in Turkey. (26097)
- 101 Daniel Kawczynski (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, what steps his Department (a) has taken and (b) plans to take to raise concerns with the government of Turkey over the treatment of its Kurdish population. (26098)
- 102 **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, what discussions officials in his Department have had with their counterparts in Turkey on improving relations with the Kurdish population in that country. (26099)
- 103 Daniel Kawczynski (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, what assessment his Department has made of the potential implications for its policies of Turkey's military activity in Syria and Iraq. (26100)
- 104 Andrew Percy (Brigg and Goole): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, whether he plans to take steps in response to reports of alleged anti-semitic language used by the Palestinian Authority Minister of Religious Affairs and Endowments Mohammad Mustafa Najem in 2002. (26111)
- 105 **Andrew Percy** (Brigg and Goole): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, what steps he is taking to support Israeli military operations against Hamas. (26112)
- 106 **Ms Anum Qaisar** (Airdrie and Shotts): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, whether he has had discussions with his Israeli counterpart on the status of unrecognised villages in the (a) Naqab and (b) Negev region of southern Israel. (26298)
- 107 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, whether he has had discussions with his Pakistani counterpart on religious minorities being subjected to bonded labour in that country. (26299)

- 108 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, what recent discussions he has had with his Chinese counterpart on freedom of religion in Tibet. (26300)
- 109 **Sammy Wilson** (East Antrim): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, what his Department's advice is on direct air travel to (a) Kosovo, (b) Taiwan, (c) Northern Cyprus and (d) other non-UN member states. (26101)
- 110 **Sammy Wilson** (East Antrim): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, pursuant to the Answer of 28 November 2023 to Question 3452 on Cyprus: Land Mines, what progress the Government has made on encouraging the Greek Cypriot administration to join efforts to de-mine the island of Cyprus. (26102)
- 111 Sammy Wilson (East Antrim): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, if he will make representations to his Greek counterpart on the removal of military personnel from Southern Cyprus. (26103)
- 112 Sarah Champion (Rotherham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many individuals were arrested in connection with suspected (a) live streamed online child sexual abuse and (b) exploitative behaviour in (i) 2020, (ii) 2021, (iii) 2022 and (iv) 2023; and if he will list the nationality of suspected overseas victims.
- 113 **Dr Thérèse Coffey** (Suffolk Coastal): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps he is taking to help tackle anti-social behaviour in (a) Suffolk Coastal constituency and (b) Suffolk. (26138)
- 114 **Dr Thérèse Coffey** (Suffolk Coastal): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps he is taking to reduce shoplifting in Suffolk. (26139)
- 115 **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many young people have been (a) allocated to a local authority and (b) have yet to be relocated under the National Transfer Scheme. (26151)
- 116 Alex Cunningham (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many and what proportion of children who have been allocated a transfer to a local authority through the National Transfer Scheme have been refused by that local authority. (26152)
- 117 Alex Cunningham (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many and what proportion of children have refused their (a) first and (b) second move on the National Transfer Scheme; and what guidance his Department issues on refusals by children to move through the National Transfer Scheme.
- 118 Alex Cunningham (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether his Department has issued guidance on the time period within which young people should be (a) referred to the National Transfer Scheme and (b) moved to the receiving local authority. (26154)

- **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what mental health support is available to police officers in England; and what steps her Department takes to make police officers aware of that support. (26200)
- **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what mental health support is available to police officers; and how that support is promoted to officers. (26201)
- **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of (a) collecting and (b) publishing data on the number and proportion of police officers taking sick leave who have been diagnosed with a mental health condition. (26202)
- **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps he is taking to help ensure the adequacy of mental health support for staff in police forces. (26203)
- **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps he is taking to help ensure the adequacy of wellbeing support for (a) officers and (b) other staff in police forces. (26204)
- **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what his planned timetable is for the commencement of 24/7 mental health crisis support line for police forces staff. (26205)
- **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many and what proportion of (a) cases of extradition related to fraud and (b) convictions related to fraud have been successfully completed in each of the last five years. (26210)
- **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many and what proportion of (a) cars and (b) other vehicles used by his Department were made in Britain. (26047)
- **Damien Moore** (Southport): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps his Department is taking to help tackle (a) antisocial behaviour and (b) other (i) dangerous and (ii) illicit acts caused by illegal drug cultivation.
- **Neil O'Brien** (Harborough): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many (a) work and (b) family visas were issued to people aged (i) between (A) 18 and 24, (B) 25 and 34, (C) 35 and 44, (D) 45 and 54 and (E) 55 and 64 and (ii) 65 and over in each year since 2010. (26253)
- 129 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether his Department is taking steps to help the London Fire Brigade tackle electrical vehicle fires. (26087)

- 130 Andrew Bridgen (North West Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether his Department has contracted Fujitsu to (a) supply the (i) system or (ii) software for and (b) deliver any other aspect of veterans ID cards. (26164)
- 131 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps his Department are taking to ensure there are sufficient translators available to assist operation Interflex. (26211)
- 132 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many and what proportion of (a) cars and (b) other vehicles used by his Department were made in Britain. (26046)
- John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many programme milestones the Ajax programme has (a) passed and (b) missed since January 2023. (26057)
- 134 John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what recent estimate he has made of when Ajax will have (a) initial and (b) full operating capability. (26058)
- 135 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much the Department has spent on the Ajax programme as of 14 May 2024.

  (26061)
- 136 John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what his Department's policy is on the deployment of (a) Royal Navy and (b) Royal Fleet Auxiliary ships without a full crew. (26062)
- 137 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many (a) Royal Navy and (b) Royal Fleet Auxiliary ships have been deployed without a full crew since 2010. (26063)
- 138 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what is the minimum number of crew with which each (a) Royal Navy and (b)
  Royal Fleet Auxiliary ship can be deployed. (26064)
- 139 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many MOD Police officers have been recruited in each year since 2010; and what his Department's recruitment target for such officers was for each of those years.

  (26065)
- 140 John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the workforce numbers were for the Ministry of Defence Police in each year since 2010.
  (26066)
- John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the annual funding in cash terms has been for MOD police in each year since 2010. (26067)

- 142 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the (a) mean, (b) median and (c) modal pay for MOD Police officers was in each year since 2010. (26068)
- 143 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many UK munition sites the MOD Police provide security for. (26069)
- 144 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what plans he has for the role of MOD Police in providing security services for UK munitions sites in each year until 2030. (26070)
- John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the (a) recruitment target and (b) workforce intake was for the (i) Army Reserves, (ii) Maritime Reserves and (iii) Royal Marines Reserves in financial year 2023-24.
- John Healey (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the (a) recruitment target (b) workforce intake was for full-time (i) British Army, (ii) Royal Navy and (iii) Royal Marines personnel in financial year 2023-24. (26072)
- 147 **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, when he plans to respond to Questions 22907 and 22908 tabled by the Rt hon. Member for North Durham. (26085)
- 148 Ian Paisley (North Antrim): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether his Department is supporting Nigerian armed forces in training their personnel to protect (a) religious minorities and (b) other vulnerable groups. (26157)
- 149 **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 HMNB Portsmouth since April 2022. (26259)
- 150 **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 HMS Nelson since April 2022. (26260)
- 151 **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 Britannia Royal Naval College since April 2022. (26261)
- 152 **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 Marchwood Military Port since April 2022. (26262)
- 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 Defence Equipment and Support Gosport since April 2022. (26263)

- 154 Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many callouts have been made to HMNB Portsmouth 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. (26264)
- Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many callouts have been made to HMS Nelson 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. (26265)
- Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many callouts have been made to Britannia Royal Naval College 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. (26266)
- Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many callouts have been made to Marchwood Military Port 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. (26267)
- 158 Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many callouts have been made to Defence Equipment and Support Gosport 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. (26268)
- 159 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many service personnel are based at HMNB Portsmouth. (26269)
- 160 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many service personnel are based at HMS Nelson. (26270)
- 161 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many service personnel are based at Britannia Royal Naval College.

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- 162 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many service personnel are based at Marchwood Military Port. (26272)
- 163 Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many service personnel are based at Defence Equipment and Support Gosport. (26273)
- 164 Caroline Lucas (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, with reference to the report by HM Inspectorate of Prisons entitled Report on an announced inspection of HMP Lewes by HM Chief Inspector of Prisons 5–16 February 2024, published on 14 May 2024, what discussions he has had on conditions in HMP Lewes in the last six months; when did these discussions take place; and what estimate he has made of the amount of investment required to tackle rising levels of (a) violence, (b) self-harm, (c) drug misuse, (d) ageing infrastructure and (e) staffing shortfalls at the prison.

165 Caroline Lucas (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many prisoners in HMP Lewes were (a) released as street homeless and (b) released and recalled (i) once and (ii) multiple times in each of the last six months.

(26110)

- 166 Damien Moore (Southport): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, whether his Department is taking steps through the criminal justice system to support small businesses affected by criminal damage. (26251)
- 167 Neil O'Brien (Harborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, when he plans to respond to Questions 3012, 3013, 3020, 3022, 3028, 3030, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3036, 3037, 3038, 3040, 3041 and 3043, tabled on 21 November 2023. (26254)
- 168 Jim Shannon (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if he will make an assessment of trends in the number of convictions for violence against women in the last 12 months. (26161)
- 169 Alex Sobel (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what steps he is taking to reduce the backlog in processing probate applications. (26217)
- 170 Alex Sobel (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what the average processing time was for probate applications in the past 12 months. (26218)
- 171 George Galloway (Rochdale): To ask the hon. Member for Lancaster and Fleetwood, representing the Speaker's Committee on the Electoral Commission, pursuant to the Answer of 13 May 2024 to Question 25444 on Political Parties: Registration, if she will ask the Commission to make an assessment of the consistency of those rules with the approval of a description on a ballot paper of the Liberal Party that includes reference to Steve Radford's candidate. (26073)
- 172 Dan Carden (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to the Money and Health Policy Institute report entitled Debts and Despair, published in December 2023, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of instructing the Financial Conduct Authority to place limits on how often creditors can contact people in debt. (26213)
- 173 Steve McCabe (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many employers received national insurance relief as a result of employing veterans in financial year 2022-23. (26040)
- 174 **Sir Jacob Rees-Mogg** (North East Somerset): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will take steps to require Ascot Lloyd to pay the amount of compensation to customers recommended by the Financial Ombudsman Service. (26144)
- 175 Sir Jacob Rees-Mogg (North East Somerset): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will make an assessment of the adequacy of the powers of the Financial Ombudsman Service to require companies to pay compensation to customers. (26145)

176 **Taiwo Owatemi** (Coventry North West): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, when she plans to publish her response to her Department's call for evidence on Variations in sex characteristics, which closed on 28 March 2019. (26284)

### Questions for Answer on Friday 17 May

### **Questions for Written Answer**

- 1N Sarah Olney (Richmond Park): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how much his Department has spent on matters relating to common sense at the instruction of the Minister without portfolio within the Cabinet Office since her appointment. (26193)
- 2N Helen Hayes (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, if she will take steps to help strengthen (a) the quality of service targets in the universal service obligation and (b) the effectiveness of Ofcom's enforcement of those targets by Royal Mail. (26183)
- 3N Liz Saville Roberts (Dwyfor Meirionnydd): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of devolving (a) the Post Office in Wales and (b) her Departmental powers to Wales.

  (26184)
- 4N George Galloway (Rochdale): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of the reduction in the level of real-terms funding since 2010 on schools in Rochdale constituency; and if she will make it her policy to increase the level of real-term funding for schools in Rochdale constituency to 2010 levels. (26075)
- 5N Andrew Bridgen (North West Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, if she will update her Department's policy paper entitled Geo-engineering: the Government's view, published on 4 May 2020. (26165)
- 6N Dave Doogan (Angus): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, pursuant to the Answer of 30 April 2024 to Question 23797 on Renewable Energy: Finance, what approximate capacity her Department expects to be successful for the Contracts for Difference AR6. (26275)
- 7N Dave Doogan (Angus): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, pursuant to the Answer of 13 May 2024 to Question 25350 on Rolls-Royce SMR: Government Assistance, if she will make an assessment of the potential impact of the decision by Rolls Royce not to pursue plans for a heavy pressure vessel plant in Deeside on the return on capital; and how much and what proportion of the grant has been allocated to Rolls Royce. (26277)

- 8N Grahame Morris (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what the average cost of fees is for a recipient of a pension through the Mineworkers' Pension Scheme. (26118)
- 9N **Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how many former miners are not yet eligible to receive their mineworkers' pension. (26119)
- 10N **Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, pursuant to the Answer of 14 May 2024 to Question 25469, how many of the (a) former miners and (b) widows of former miners receiving a Mineworkers' Pension Scheme pension are aged (i) over 90, (ii) 80 to 89, (iii) 70 to 79, (iv) 60 to 69, (v) below 60 years of age.
- 11N **Stella Creasy** (Walthamstow): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether his Department plans to make an estimate of the (a) number and (b) proportion of consignments transiting through Control Points that average more than two inspections a day between 19:00 and 07:00 hours. (26127)
- 12N **Stella Creasy** (Walthamstow): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what is the projected spend by a) central and b) local government on Animal and Plant Health Authority inspectors in 2024-25. (26128)
- 13N **Virginia Crosbie** (Ynys Môn): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he is taking to ensure (a) clear and (b) transparent labelling of genetically modified foods. (26295)
- 14N **Virginia Crosbie** (Ynys Môn): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he is taking to ensure traceability in the food chain for foods that contain genetically modified ingredients. (26296)
- 15N Virginia Crosbie (Ynys Môn): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, (i) what assessment he has made of the potential risks to public health of GMO foods being placed in the UK food chain and (ii) whether he has had discussions with corporations involved in the manufacture of GMO foods about indemnities for future harms, should they occur and be proven to be linked to GMO foods, and (iii) what the current annual budget is for the Genetic Modification Inspectorate (GMI) and whether the Government has plans to increase funding for the GMI if there is an increase in plantings of experimental GMO crops, following the Genetically Modified Organisms (Deliberate Release) (Amendment) (England) Regulations 2022.
- 16N **Gill Furniss** (Sheffield, Brightside and Hillsborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what his planned timetable is for bringing forward legislative proposals to ban the use of electronic shock collars on (a) cats and (b) dogs. (26188)

- 17N **Tim Loughton** (East Worthing and Shoreham): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what date the Hand Gathering (Restrictions and Permitting) Bylaw 2021 will be approved. (26026)
- 18N **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, if he will take steps to ensure that (a) tenants and (b) leaseholders are not adversely financially impacted by communal heating schemes.

(26302)

- 19N Mike Amesbury (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, with reference to his Department's publication entitled Building Safety Remediation: monthly data release March 2024, published on 18 April 2024, how many of the 170 buildings that have been assessed as eligible under the Cladding Safety Scheme were (a) invited to the pilot scheme and (b) applied since the fund opened in July 2023. (26219)
- 20N Mike Amesbury (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, with reference to his Department's publication entitled Building Safety Remediation: monthly data release March 2024, published on 18 April 2024, for what reason the number of buildings assessed and found to require remediation has decreased compared to the quarterly report for (a) Crest Nicholson and (b) McCarthy and Stone.
- 21N Mike Amesbury (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up,
  Housing and Communities, with reference to his Department's publication
  entitled Building Safety Remediation: monthly data release March 2024,
  published on 18 April 2024, whether his Department has made an assessment of
  the adequacy of the pace of building assessments conducted by (a) Bellway, (b)
  Crest Nicholson and (c) Taylor Wimpey.
- 22N **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, with reference to his Department's Building Safety Remediation: monthly data release, updated on 18 April 2024, for what reason London Square Development (Holdings) Limited has no start dates planned for the remediation of its buildings. (26222)
- 23N Caroline Nokes (Romsey and Southampton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, with reference to the Government response to the Women and Equalities Committee's ninth report of Session 2017-19, Tackling inequalities faced by Gypsy, Roma and Traveller communities, HC 2411, published on 2 July 2019, what progress the Government has made on developing a cross-Government strategy to improve outcomes for Gypsy, Roma and Traveller communities. (26126)
- 24N **Sir Charles Walker** (Broxbourne): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, if he will make an assessment of the implications for his policies of potential conflicts of interest in circumstances where the board members of deposit protection schemes are also landlords who choose to lodge

- deposits with the same scheme; and if he will make it his policy to require landlords to lodge deposits with deposit protection schemes with which they have no governance involvement. (26094)
- 25N **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, with reference to the press notice entitled PM announces turning point in European security as UK set to increase defence spending to 2.5% by 2030, published on 23 April 2024, whether the 5% of the defence budget to be committed to research and development will be counted as science spend; and which Department will be responsible for that expenditure. (26155)
- 26N Colleen Fletcher (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many pensioners in (a) Coventry North East constituency, (b) Coventry, (c) the West Midlands and (d) England (i) receive the basic state pension, (ii) receive pension credit and (iii) are eligible for pension credit but do not claim it; and what steps his Department is taking to ensure that all pensioners receive their full entitlement to pension credit.
- 27N **Peter Grant** (Glenrothes): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many and what proportion of cases in which domestic abuse was disclosed were referred by the Child Maintenance Service to an Advanced Customer Support Senior Leader in (a) 2021, (b) 2022 and (c) 2023. (26178)
- 28N **Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, when the Industrial Injuries Advisory Council started to investigate neurodegenerative diseases in professional sportspeople. (26117)
- 29N **Hywel Williams** (Arfon): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of expanding the use of e-mail to communicate with his Department's customers. (26076)
- 30N **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many people have died while in the care of community mental health teams in the last 12 months; and if she will make an assessment of the implications for her policies of this data. (26301)
- 31N **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when she plans to announce the pay award for NHS workers for 2024-25. (26212)
- 32N **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment her Department has made of the potential impact of the salary threshold for visas for social workers on the recruitment of social workers from overseas. (26146)
- 33N Colleen Fletcher (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent estimate she has made of the number of people in (a) Coventry North East constituency, (b) Coventry, (c) the West Midlands and (d) England who have unmet care needs; and what steps her Department is taking to ensure those care needs are met. (26174)

- 34N **Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many people have been waiting for more than 12 months for (a) knee and (b) hip replacement surgery. (26116)
- 35N **Sir Charles Walker** (Broxbourne): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if she will hold discussions with Royal Mail on the potential merits of treating NHS letters as first class post, in the context of possible reforms to the second class delivery service. (26093)
- 36N **Fiona Bruce** (Congleton): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, if he will hold discussions with his Nigerian counterpart on the effectiveness of the Safe Schools Initiative for supporting the education of (a) girls, (b) religious minorities and (c) other children in conflict-affected areas of northern Nigeria. (26113)
- 37N Wayne David (Caerphilly): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, whether he has had discussions with his counterpart in Egypt on the detention of Tawfik Ghanem.

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- 38N Anna McMorrin (Cardiff North): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, whether he has had recent discussions with the Governor of the United States Virgin Islands on the disappearance of Sarm Heslop. (26195)
- 39N **Mr Virendra Sharma** (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, what funding his Department provided for (a) core, (b) non-core and (c) other funding for (i) the UN Population Fund, (ii) the World Health Organisation, (iii) the UN International Children's Emergency Fund, (iv) the Joint UN Programme on HIV and AIDS, (v) the International Planned Parenthood Federation, (vi) Women and Children First UK, (vii) the Global Fund to Fight AIDS, TB and Malaria and (viii) the UN Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women in (A) 2021, (B) 2022 and (C) 2023.
- 40N **Mr Virendra Sharma** (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, if he will publish details of his Department's bilateral expenditure that has directly targeted tackling HIV and AIDS in (a) 2021, (b) 2022 and (c) 2023. (26105)
- 41N **Mr Virendra Sharma** (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, if he will publish a list of his Department's expenditure directly targeting reproductive health under input sector codes (a) 13010, (b) 13021/22, (c) 13030 and (d) 13081 in (i) 2021, (ii) 2022 and (iii) 2023.
- 42N **Mr Virendra Sharma** (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, how much and what proportion of total Government official development assistance was allocated to sexual and reproductive health and rights in (a) 2021, (b) 2022 and (c) 2023.
- 43N **Dr Philippa Whitford** (Central Ayrshire): To ask the Deputy Foreign Secretary, whether he plans to make representations to the European Union on Germany's use of the Schengen Information System to prevent British national, Dr Ghassan

Abu Sittah, from entering the Schengen area; and if he will make an assessment of the potential impact of that action on (a) Dr Ghassan Abu Sittah's and (b) other British-Palestinians' freedom of expression. (26176)

44N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what progress his Department has made on the (a) implementation and (b) operation of the Foreign Influence Registration Scheme.

(26078)

- 45N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether he is taking steps to monitor activities at Confucius Institutes. (26079)
- 46N Dan Carden (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if he will make an assessment of the implications for his policies of the report by the Bureau of Investigative Journalism entitled Thousands of care workers risk deportation after employers breach rules, published on 11 May 2024.

(26214)

- 47N **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many young people have been referred onto the National Transfer Scheme in each of the last three months. (26147)
- 48N **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many unaccompanied asylum-seeking children arrived in Kent in each of the last three months. (26148)
- 49N **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many young people have been referred by Kent County Council to the National Transfer Scheme in each of the last three months. (26149)
- 50N **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many young people are awaiting allocation to a transfer to an authority under the National Transfer Scheme. (26150)
- 51N Dan Jarvis (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to the Minister for Legal Migration and the Border's Oral Statement of 8 May 2024 on Passport e-Gates Network Outage, Official Report, column 592, if he will publish a report of the investigations into the failure of passport e-gates on 7 May 2024.
- 52N **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps his Department is taking to ensure the adequacy of security at passport e-gates. (26167)
- 53N **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if he will commission a report on the potential impact of AI on (a) democracy and (b) elections. (26168)

- 54N Clive Lewis (Norwich South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home

  Department, what recent estimate he has made of when the report of the independent review of political violence and disruption will be published. (26182)
- 55N **Jess Phillips** (Birmingham, Yardley): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many and what proportion of visas have been granted to the non-British dependents of (a) British Israelis and (b) British Palestinians that have been repatriated since 7 October 2023. (26172)
- 56N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to the Japan-UK Reciprocal Access Agreement, signed on 11 January 2023, whether he plans to deploy armed forces to the South China Sea in proximity to Taiwan. (26081)
- 57N **Dave Doogan** (Angus): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the cost to the public purse of HMS Argyll's refit and LIFEX upkeep programme has been since 2022. (26276)
- 58N **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many programme milestones the Ajax programme has missed since 2010. (26056)
- 59N **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what recent estimate he has made of when Ajax will have completed its reliability growth trials. (26059)
- 60N **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, when his Department last made a payment to General Dynamics Land Systems UK in relation to the Ajax programme. (26060)
- 61N **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much funding has (a) been committed to and (b) been spent on the Multi-Role Support Ship programme. (26082)
- 62N **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what his expected timetable is for when the first Multi-Role Support Ship vessel will enter service. (26083)
- 63N **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what average number of crew will be required per Multi-Role Support Ship. (26084)
- 64N **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether his Department shared intelligence on the location of British hostage Nadav Popplewell in Gaza with the IDF. (26280)
- 65N **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what assessment he has made of the potential implications for his policies of the claim by Hamas that British hostage Nadav Popplewell has died as a result of an IDF airstrike.

66N **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether an RAF Shadow R1 plane landed at Nevatim air base in Israel on 13 February 2024.

(26282)

- 67N Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many service personnel are based at Meggido Lines as of May 2024.

  (26255)
- 68N **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many service personnel were based at Richmondshire Lines as of May 2024. (26256)
- 69N **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many service personnel were based at Catterick Town as of May 2024.
- 70N **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many service personnel are based at Peronne Lines as of 14 May 2024.
- 71N Luke Pollard (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many callouts were made to (a) single living accommodation and (b) Service Family Accommodation properties for maintenance issues in (i) England, (ii) Scotland, (iii) Wales and (iv) Northern Ireland in each year between 2017 and 2022.
- 72N Holly Lynch (Halifax): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, whether he is taking steps to help ensure that county court judgments (CCJs) against rogue traders are enforced; and what enforcement steps can be taken if such a CCJ cannot be delivered.
- 73N Matt Rodda (Reading East): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, pursuant to the Answer of 13 May 2024 to Question 25013 on Ministry of Justice: ICT, for what reason his Department considers publishing the latest available figures on the number of red-rated systems it holds a security risk, in the context of the publication of the Central Digital & Data Office's guidance entitled, Guidance on the Legacy IT Risk Assessment Framework on 29 September 2023. (26215)
- 74N **Nick Smith** (Blaenau Gwent): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many
  (a) knives and (b) other similar weapons were taken off prisoners at HMP Parc in
  the last six months. (26108)
- 75N Emily Thornberry (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, pursuant to the Answer of 13 May 2024 to Question 25190 on Ministry of Justice: Ipsos MORI, what the deliverables are for contract reference 398437/1351727 contained in Annex F of that contract. (26096)

- 76N **Sir Charles Walker** (Broxbourne): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, pursuant to the Answer of 7 March 2024 to Question 16213 on Probate, what recent progress his Department has made on reducing waiting times in relation to probate grants. (26095)
- 77N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, if he will hold discussions with (a) the Chancellor of the Exchequer and (b) other Cabinet colleagues on duty-free shopping in Northern Ireland airports when travelling to and from destinations in the EU. (26080)
- 78N **Brendan O'Hara** (Argyll and Bute): To ask the Secretary of State for Scotland, with reference to the Scotlish Government's request for a section 104 Order under the Scotland Act 1998 in consequence of the Civil Partnership (Scotland) Act 2020, if he will permit the Scotlish Government to legislate accordingly. (26173)
- 79N **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to the Spring Budget 2024, whether the £2.5bn in military support for Ukraine in 2024 will be drawn from the Treasury reserves. (26054)
- 80N **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to the press release of 23 April 2024 entitled PM call with President Zelenskyy of Ukraine: 23 April 2024, whether the £500 million for Ukraine in 2024 will be drawn from the Treasury reserves. (26055)
- 81N Paul Howell (Sedgefield): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what estimate he has made of the (a) number of people who will financially benefit from the National Insurance reduction announced in the Spring Budget 2024 and (b) average (i) financial gain from that reduction and (ii) cumulative financial gain from reductions to National Insurance announced in the Autumn Statement 2023 and Spring Budget 2024, by region.
- 82N Paul Howell (Sedgefield): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what estimate he has made of the (a) number of people who financially benefited from the National Insurance reduction announced in the Autumn Statement 2023 and (b) average financial gain from that reduction. (26294)

# Questions for Answer on Monday 20 May

#### **Questions for Written Answer**

1N Sarah Olney (Richmond Park): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how many civil servants are working on matters relating to common sense at the instruction of the Minister without portfolio within the Cabinet Office. (26194)

- 2N Alicia Kearns (Rutland and Melton): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether he has made an assessment of the potential implications for her policies of the decision by the United States to impose a 50% tariff on Chinese made solar cells. (26288)
- 3N Layla Moran (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether it remains his Department's policy to end the criminalisation of rough sleeping. (26216)
- 4N **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many and what proportion of patients diagnosed with borderline personality disorder have died while an inpatient at a mental health hospital in each year since 2010. (26191)
- 5N **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many and what proportion of patients diagnosed with borderline personality disorder have died within four weeks of being discharged from a mental health hospital in each year since 2010. (26192)
- 6N Alicia Kearns (Rutland and Melton): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of introducing a 50% tariff on Chinese-made solar cells in the context of US tariff policy. (26289)

### **Oral Questions to the Secretary of State for Defence**

- 1 **Jerome Mayhew** (Broadland): What steps he is taking to increase the competitiveness of the UK's defence sector. (902893)
- 2 **Mr Philip Hollobone** (Kettering): What progress his Department has made on the delivery of the UK Defence Drone Strategy. (902894)
- 3 Chris Stephens (Glasgow South West): What recent assessment his Department has made of trends in the level of harassment and bullying cases in the armed forces.

  (902895)
- 4 Matt Hancock (West Suffolk): What steps he is taking with Cabinet colleagues to help detect biosecurity threats. (902896)
- 5 **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): Whether he plans to review the UK and Israel military cooperation agreement 2020. (902897)
- 6 **Simon Baynes** (Clwyd South): What assessment he has made of the impact of the planned rise in defence spending on the UK's military capabilities. (902898)
- 7 **Helen Morgan** (North Shropshire): What the budget is for the maintenance of service accommodation for financial year 2024-25. (902899)
- 8 **Joanna Cherry** (Edinburgh South West): What assessment he has made of the adequacy of the UK's defensive capacity in the North Sea. (902900)

- 9 Andrew Bridgen (North West Leicestershire): What recent assessment he has made of the adequacy of the UK's military support for Israel. (902901)
- **Bob Blackman** (Harrow East): Whether he has made an assessment of the adequacy of military resources allocated by the UK to Operation Shader to help deter Iranian attacks. (902902)
- **Gill Furniss** (Sheffield, Brightside and Hillsborough): What steps he is taking to help support the delivery of aid to the Middle East. (902903)
- **Mrs Paulette Hamilton** (Birmingham, Erdington): What steps he is taking to ensure that the UK meets its NATO obligations. (902904)
- 13 Owen Thompson (Midlothian): What recent estimate he has made of the cost to the public purse of Trident renewal. (902905)
- **Greg Smith** (Buckingham): What assessment he has made of the impact of the planned rise in defence spending on the UK's military capabilities. (902906)
- **Selaine Saxby** (North Devon): What steps he is taking to improve service family accommodation.

(902907)

- **Theresa Villiers** (Chipping Barnet): What steps he is taking to ensure that the armed forces are adequately equipped to tackle security threats. (902908)
- **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): What recent assessment he has made of the level of risk posed by hostile cyber activity to the UK's security. (902909)
- **Henry Smith** (Crawley): What recent assessment he has made of the security of the UK's military bases and service personnel in the Middle East. (902910)
- 19 James Daly (Bury North): What steps he plans to take to ensure efficient use of increased defence funding. (902911)
- **Sarah Atherton** (Wrexham): What steps his Department is taking to ensure DragonFire's effective operational readiness. (902912)
- **Mr Virendra Sharma** (Ealing, Southall): What steps he is taking to ensure that the UK meets its NATO obligations. (902913)
- **Sarah Edwards** (Tamworth): What recent assessment he has made of the adequacy of service accommodation for armed forces personnel. (902914)
- **Peter Grant** (Glenrothes): What assessment he has made of the adequacy of the security of the UK's military supply chain. (902915)
- 24 Andrew Gwynne (Denton and Reddish): What steps he is taking to help support the delivery of aid to the Middle East. (902916)
- **Rachel Hopkins** (Luton South): What recent assessment he has made of the adequacy of service accommodation for armed forces personnel. (902917)

### Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Defence

T1	Mr Philip Hollobone (Kettering): If he will make a statement on his departmental responsibilities.	(902918)
T2	Ruth Cadbury (Brentford and Isleworth):	(902919)
T3	Paul Howell (Sedgefield):	(902920)
T4	Grahame Morris (Easington):	(902921)
T5	Virginia Crosbie (Ynys Môn):	(902922)
T6	Mr Mark Francois (Rayleigh and Wickford):	(902923)
T7	Bob Blackman (Harrow East):	(902924)
T8	George Galloway (Rochdale):	(902925)
Т9	Mr Barry Sheerman (Huddersfield):	(902926)
T10	Alistair Strathern (Mid Bedfordshire):	(902927)

### Questions for Answer on Tuesday 21 May

### **Questions for Written Answer**

- 1N **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what steps her Department is taking to support the automotive industry's transition to electric vehicles in the West Midlands. (26029)
- 2N Julie Elliott (Sunderland Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 14 May to Question 24911 on Buildings, what was the (a) location and (b) operating body of each building. (26156)
- 3N **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many veterans in garrison towns claimed Carer's Allowance in 2022-23.
- 4N **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, pursuant to the Answer of 15 April 2024, to Question 19769, on Carers' Allowance: Veterans, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of recording whether Carers' Allowance claimants are veterans. (26031)
- 5N **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, pursuant to the Answer of 25 March 2024 to Question 19525 on Pension Credit: Veterans, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of recording whether Pension Credit claimants (a) are and (b) have been members of the armed forces. (26032)

- 6N **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, pursuant to the Answer of 20 March to Question 18351 on Universal Support: Veterans, what assessment he has made of the effectiveness of the Universal Support programme in supporting veterans. (26033)
- 7N Marsha De Cordova (Battersea): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if he will take steps to support Palestinian families seeking reunification with relatives from Gaza. (26252)
- 8N **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if he will take steps to strengthen sanctions for those who breach conditions of a licence to conduct animal experiments for scientific research. (26091)
- 9N Kerry McCarthy (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to the corporate report entitled Animals in Science Regulation Unit annual report 2022, published on 25 April 2024, if he will make an assessment of the reasons for which there were an increase in incidents involving failure to provide adequate care for animals. (26092)
- 10N **Sarah Champion** (Rotherham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will make an estimate of the number of veterans that have (a) died and (b) committed suicide whilst awaiting a final settlement of a claim to the Armed Forces

  Compensation Scheme since 2019. (26171)
- 11N Christine Jardine (Edinburgh West): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps his Department is taking to (a) ensure the safety and (b) mitigate potential risks posed by the decommissioning of nuclear submarines at Rosyth Royal Dockyard for surrounding residential areas. (26197)
- 12N Christine Jardine (Edinburgh West): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether changes to taxation arrangements of furnished holiday lets will apply to purpose-built holiday lodges on sites designated for leisure and tourism purposes.

  (26198)

Questions for Answer on Wednesday 22 May

### **Questions for Written Answer**

1N Sir David Davis (Haltemprice and Howden): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of the Government's proposed welfare bank surveillance powers on the right to privacy.

(26053)

- 2N **Sir David Davis** (Haltemprice and Howden): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many newborns died at the Countess of Chester hospital's neonatal unit in (a) 2013, (b) 2014, (c) 2015, (d) 2016, (e) 2017 and 2018, broken down by month. (26051)
- 3N **Sir David Davis** (Haltemprice and Howden): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many newborns died at the Countess of Chester hospital's maternity unit in (a) 2013, (b) 2014, (c) 2015, (d) 2016, (e) 2017 and (f) 2018, broken down by month.