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Questions tabled on Monday 4 November 2024

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Questions for Answer on Tuesday 5 November

Questions for Written Answer

- 1 **John Glen** (Salisbury): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of issuing guidance on (a) accepting and (b) declaring (i) donations in kind, (ii) gifts and (iii) sponsorship of retail goods or services by commercial organisations by Ministers' partners. [Transferred] (12259)
- 2 **Mr Richard Holden** (Basildon and Billericay): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, with reference to the Prime Minister's speech of 6 July 2024 and to the Cabinet Office guidance entitled List of Cabinet Committees and their membership, updated on 21 October 2024, for what reason the Prime Minister is not chairing the Mission Delivery Boards. [Transferred] (12275)
- 3 **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how many workers aged above 16 years old are paid within 50p of the (a) National Minimum Wage and (b) National Living Wage in (i) Birmingham and (ii) the West Midlands. [Transferred] (12298)
- 4 **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what estimate he has made of the number of workers that will benefit from the increase to the (a) National Minimum Wage and (b) National Living Wage in Birmingham. [Transferred] (12299)
- 5 **Tom Morrison** (Cheadle): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether his Department has allocated funding towards the future of Cheadle Train Station. [Transferred] (12302)

- 6 **Matt Western** (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what discussions he has had with the Secretary of State for Transport on the Trade Remedies Authority's recent recommendation to remove anti-dumping measures on e-bikes from China and the potential impact on the UK cycle manufacturing industry. [Transferred] (12287)
- 7N **Helen Morgan** (North Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, when he expects to agree new phytosanitary arrangements with the EU for (a) agricultural and (b) horticultural businesses. [Transferred] (12152)
- 8 **David Smith** (North Northumberland): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if she will hold discussions with freight companies on the cost of transporting small vans across the Channel. [Transferred] (12308)
- 9 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, how many irregular migrants are in (a) social and (b) council housing. [Transferred] (12346)
- 10 **Jodie Gosling** (Nuneaton): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to paragraph 1.30 of the Autumn Budget 2024, published on 30 October 2024, HC 295, when she plans to publish a consultation on the proposed Infrastructure Strategy. [Transferred] (12288)
- 11 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what estimate her Department has made of the number of farmers who will be affected by the withdrawal of agricultural property relief in (a) Lincolnshire and (b) South Holland and the Deepings constituency. [Transferred] (12250)
- 12 **David Smith** (North Northumberland): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if she will take steps to simplify the (a) commodity code system, (b) requirements to weigh items and (c) other administrative requirements for businesses operating cross-border trade. [Transferred] (12307)

Questions for Answer on Wednesday 6 November

Questions for Written Answer

- 1 **Stuart Anderson** (South Shropshire): To ask the Solicitor General, what steps she is taking to help increase prosecution rates for rural crime. (12450)
- 2 **John Glen** (Salisbury): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, pursuant to the Answer of 31 October 2024 to Question 10967 on Government Departments: Disclosure of Information, if he will outline (a) potential changes to the scope, manner and frequency

of Ministerial reporting and (b) the extent to which those changes differ from the previous Government's commitments set out in his Department's policy paper entitled *Strengthening Ethics and Integrity in Central Government*, published in July 2023. (12388)

- 3 **John Glen** (Salisbury): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, with reference to table 5 of the *National Security and Investment Act 2021: Annual Report 2023-24*, published on 10 September 2024, for what reason each of the withdrawals from a called in acquisition withdrew; and whether he plans to ask companies to withdraw rather than proceeding with formal intervention. (12412)
- 4 **John Glen** (Salisbury): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, with reference to the *Civil Service Fast Stream Recruitment Data 2024* published on 27 September 2024, for what reason the diversity data is collected by gender rather than sex. (12413)
- 5 **John Glen** (Salisbury): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, with reference to the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster's letter to the Senior Salaries Review Body of 30 September 2024, whether public sector pay rises will be linked to productivity improvements in financial year 2025-26. (12414)
- 6 **John Glen** (Salisbury): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, with reference to his Cabinet Office's Government Procurement Card spend over £500 - July 2024, what the purpose was of the payments to (a) the Cookie Jar on 8 July 2024 and (b) Borgo Egnazia 6 on 17 July 2024. (12415)
- 7 **John Glen** (Salisbury): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, with reference to the answer of 15 January 2024, to Question 7805, on *Ministers: Members' Interests*, what the budget is for the development of the single platform for transparency data; and which organisation has been tasked with developing the platform. (12416)
- 8N **Mr Richard Holden** (Basildon and Billericay): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, for what reason the Prime Minister's new Envoy for the Nations and Regions did not attend the first meeting of the Council for the Nations and Regions. [Transferred] (12224)
- 9N **Mr Richard Holden** (Basildon and Billericay): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, with reference to the announcement on freeports in October 2024 at the Commonwealth visit, what processes are in place to coordinate policy announcements between Departments and the Prime Minister's office. (12483)
- 10 **Jake Richards** (Rother Valley): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how many Government services have moved to the GOV.UK One Login system; and what his planned timetable is for moving all Government services to this system. (12492)
- 11 **Lee Barron** (Corby and East Northamptonshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, if he will take steps to help protect British businesses in (a) the hobby sector and (b) other sectors from (i) TEMU and (ii) other cheap import companies. (12674)

- 12 **Fabian Hamilton** (Leeds North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, if he will make an assessment of the (a) effectiveness of and (b) implications for his policies of recent investor-state dispute settlements under the bilateral investment treaty with Colombia; and whether he plans to retain that treaty. (12382)
- 13 **Clive Jones** (Wokingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, for what reason his Department is pursuing a multilateral free trade agreement with the Gulf Cooperation Council rather than bilateral agreements with the member states. (12539)
- 14 **Clive Jones** (Wokingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what assessment his Department has made of the potential impact of a Free Trade Agreement with the Gulf Cooperation Council on human rights in member states of that council. (12540)
- 15 **Clive Jones** (Wokingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, if he will include dispute settlement mechanisms on (a) human rights and (b) labour into any Free Trade Agreement with the Gulf Cooperation Council. (12541)
- 16 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what information his Department holds on the number and proportion of businesses that do not accept cash; and if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of taking steps to require all businesses to accept cash. (12573)
- 17 **Alex Mayer** (Dunstable and Leighton Buzzard): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, pursuant to the answer of 28 October 2024 to Question 9980 on Products: Labelling, if his Department will make an estimate of the number of items of (a) furniture and (b) other products that have been tested on animals. (12533)
- 18 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, if he will make a comparative assessment of energy prices for steel production in (a) the UK, (b) China, (c) Germany and (d) the US. (12627)
- 19 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what steps he is taking to encourage international investment across the UK. (12386)
- 20 **Josh Simons** (Makerfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how much has been spent on the statutory element of Shared Parental Leave since its inception (a) in total and (b) by (i) geographical area and (ii) industry. (12565)
- 21 **Gareth Snell** (Stoke-on-Trent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, if he will take steps to widen the scope for exporters to (a) licence and (b) use Government-generated brand identities for food and drink products. (12441)
- 22 **Gareth Snell** (Stoke-on-Trent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what steps his Department is taking to promote UK-based food businesses to international markets. (12442)

- 23 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of providing funding for the Spalding Flower Parade. (12366)
- 24 **Mr Richard Holden** (Basildon and Billericay): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what steps she is taking to support grassroots music venues. (12517)
- 25 **Alex Mayer** (Dunstable and Leighton Buzzard): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what steps her Department is taking to help ensure that the Advertising Standards Authority upholds standards in relation to pre-watershed online gambling adverts in mobile gaming apps that may be used by children. (12525)
- 26 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of introducing an alternative funding scheme to the BBC licence fee. (12630)
- 27 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what recent assessment she has made of the affordability of the BBC licence fee for people on lower incomes; and if she will make an assessment of the potential steps she can take to increase the affordability of the licence fee for those people. (12631)
- 28 **Dame Harriett Baldwin** (West Worcestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what reforms she is considering to the eligibility rules for free school transport. (12410)
- 29 **Tracy Gilbert** (Edinburgh North and Leith): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether she has made an assessment of the potential impact of VAT on private schools on children with special educational needs in Scotland. (12534)
- 30 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps her Department is taking to support early speech and language interventions in (a) South Holland and the Deepings constituency and (b) Lincolnshire. (12364)
- 31 **Alex Mayer** (Dunstable and Leighton Buzzard): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether her Department plans to add education on diversity to school curriculums. (12528)
- 32 **Alex Mayer** (Dunstable and Leighton Buzzard): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much funding his Department made available for school transport for children with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities in academic years (a) 2020-21, (b) 2021-22, (c) 2022-23, (d) 2023-24 and (e) 2024-25. (12532)
- 33 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether her Department has made an assessment of the potential implications for national security of the proportion of funding for universities from China. (12628)

- 34 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what recent steps her Department has taken to provide rehabilitation support to children who have lived in care who are (a) in police custody and (b) serving custodial sentences. (12635)
- 35 **Joe Morris** (Hexham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many children requiring SEND support did not attend school in each council ward in Northumberland in each of the last five academic years. (12591)
- 36 **Dan Tomlinson** (Chipping Barnet): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if she will create alternative qualification pathways for students with Education, Health and Care Plans to support their access to further education. (12672)
- 37 **Andrew Bowie** (West Aberdeenshire and Kincardine): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what steps his Department is taking to incorporate the judgement in UKSC 2022/0064 into the decision-making process for oil and gas licences. (12465)
- 38 **Andrew Bowie** (West Aberdeenshire and Kincardine): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what estimate his Department has made of the number of pending (a) oil and (b) gas licence applications delayed due to the judgement in UKSC 2022/0064. (12466)
- 39 **Andrew Bowie** (West Aberdeenshire and Kincardine): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how many (a) oil and (b) gas licence applications made under the 33rd licensing round are yet to be determined. (12467)
- 40 **Andrew Bowie** (West Aberdeenshire and Kincardine): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, when his Department expects the North Sea Transition Authority to publish decisions on the remaining (a) oil and (b) gas licence applications made under the 33rd licensing round. (12468)
- 41 **Andrew Bowie** (West Aberdeenshire and Kincardine): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what assessment his Department has made of the potential impact of the judgement in UKSC 2022/0064 on the remaining (a) oil and (b) gas licence applications made under the 33rd licensing round. (12469)
- 42 **Fabian Hamilton** (Leeds North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether he is taking steps to support Property Linked Finance to help homeowners to install (a) domestic renewables and (b) energy efficiency measures. (12383)
- 43 **Alex Mayer** (Dunstable and Leighton Buzzard): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, if he will make it his policy to include food systems as a priority within Nationally Determined Contributions. (12527)

- 44 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what support his Department provides for (a) wind and (b) solar power in the Overseas Territories. (12404)
- 45 **Dr Beccy Cooper** (Worthing West): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to ensure super trawlers report marine mammal by-catch to the Marine Management Organisation. (12670)
- 46 **Dr Luke Evans** (Hinckley and Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to tackle puppy smuggling. (12593)
- 47 **Dr Luke Evans** (Hinckley and Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether his Department plans to extend the Fresh Fruit and Vegetables Aid Scheme after 2025. (12597)
- 48 **Tim Farron** (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, with reference to paragraph 2.51 of the Autumn Budget 2024, published on 30 October, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential impact of changes to Agricultural Property Relief on family farms. (12409)
- 49 **Tracy Gilbert** (Edinburgh North and Leith): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether he plans to make wildlife crimes notifiable. (12535)
- 50 **Uma Kumaran** (Stratford and Bow): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 16 September 2024 to Question 4786 on Per- and Polyfluorinated Alkyl Substances, what his planned timetable is for considering measures to restrict per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances. (12646)
- 51 **Alex Mayer** (Dunstable and Leighton Buzzard): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps her Department is taking to (a) regulate and (b) monitor (i) MBR Acres and (ii) other breeding facilities to ensure compliance with animal welfare standards. (12522)
- 52 **Alex Mayer** (Dunstable and Leighton Buzzard): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, with reference to paragraph 2.3.2 of the report of the Strategic Dialogue on the Future of EU Agriculture, published on 4 September 2024, what assessment he has made of the potential implications for his policies of the recommendation that on trade rules the Commission should ensure (a) coherence between EU animal welfare standards and (b) that the EU livestock production model and EU Animal Welfare legislation are not undermined. (12526)
- 53 **Alex Mayer** (Dunstable and Leighton Buzzard): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what plans his Department has for the (a) protection and (b) conservation of hedgehogs following the change to their conservation status on the International Union for Conservation of Nature's Red List. (12529)

- 54 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he is taking to support food producers from (a) Essex and (b) the UK to increase exports. (12624)
- 55 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what meetings (a) he and (b) other Ministers in his Department have had with animal welfare charities to discuss (i) puppy and cat smuggling and (ii) a ban of electronic shock collars for dogs since 5 July 2024. (12373)
- 56 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of salmon stocks in the last 12 months. (12423)
- 57 **Gareth Snell** (Stoke-on-Trent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent assessment his Department has made of the potential impact of introducing the proposed extended producer responsibility scheme on the cost to consumers of (a) essential food products and (b) other packaged goods. (12438)
- 58 **Gareth Snell** (Stoke-on-Trent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the potential impact of the extended producer responsibility scheme on (a) creating a circular economy for recycled materials and (b) ensuring businesses can acquire the recycled content placed on the market. (12439)
- 59 **Gareth Snell** (Stoke-on-Trent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the potential implications for his policies of the delay to the implementation of the European Union Deforestation Regulation; and what his planned timetable is for the UK Deforestation Regulation. (12443)
- 60 **Gareth Snell** (Stoke-on-Trent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether he plans to align the (a) scope and (b) implementation of the UK Deforestation Regulation (UKDR) with the European Union Deforestation Regulation; and when he will publish the (i) scope and (ii) timeline for UKDR compliance. (12444)
- 61 **Ayoub Khan** (Birmingham Perry Barr): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, how much funding his Department plans to provide for research into musculoskeletal treatments in each of the next five years. (12616)
- 62 **Alex Mayer** (Dunstable and Leighton Buzzard): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, if his Department will bring forward legislative proposals to strengthen the duties of online marketplaces to protect consumers. (12523)
- 63 **Alex Mayer** (Dunstable and Leighton Buzzard): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, if his Department will introduce an enforceable liability provision in legislation to ensure that consumers can seek redress for defective products bought via online marketplaces. (12524)

- 64 **Stuart Andrew** (Daventry): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether she plans to extend the lease on the Motorway Service Area at Watford Gap. (12390)
- 65 **Stuart Andrew** (Daventry): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps her Department is taking to resolve the status of lease renewals of Motorway Service Areas. (12391)
- 66 **Stuart Andrew** (Daventry): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what discussions her Department has had with Motorway Service Area operators on the renewal of leases for those areas. (12392)
- 67 **Dr Luke Evans** (Hinckley and Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answers of 10 September 2024 to Questions 3805 and 3806 on Electric Vehicles: Charging Points, if she will hold discussions with (a) public and (b) private bodies on taking steps to ensure that new charging points offer guaranteed high speed chargers for electric vehicles. (12445)
- 68 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 29 October 2024 to Question 10405 on Driving Licences: Foreign Nationals, if she will hold discussions with the Driver and Vehicle Licensing Agency on the potential merits of recording statistics on the nationality of newly qualified driving licence holders. (12358)
- 69 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what progress she has made on supporting pothole repairs in South Holland and the Deepings constituency. (12365)
- 70 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps she is taking to help reduce congestion on roads in (a) South Holland and the Deepings constituency and (b) Lincolnshire. (12367)
- 71 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many road accidents there were in (a) South Holland and the Deepings constituency and (b) Lincolnshire in the most recent period for which data is available. (12384)
- 72 **Pippa Heylings** (South Cambridgeshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what plans her Department has to continue funding for the Access for All programme. (12546)
- 73 **Terry Jermy** (South West Norfolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if her Department will dual the A47 from Tilney to East Winch. (12675)
- 74 **Alex Mayer** (Dunstable and Leighton Buzzard): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if her Department will make an estimate of the cost of closing roads during flooding in (a) Bedfordshire and (b) nationally in September. (12530)

- 75 **Alex Mayer** (Dunstable and Leighton Buzzard): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, when she plans to publish the final evaluation report on the £2 fare cap commissioned by her Department from Frontier Economics and SYSTRA. (12531)
- 76 **Alex McIntyre** (Gloucester): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment she has made of the adequacy of the condition of local roads. (12662)
- 77 **Dr Kieran Mullan** (Bexhill and Battle): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent estimate she has made of the total cost to the public purse of extending HS2 from Old Oak Common to Euston Station. (12579)
- 78 **Jake Richards** (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what progress she has made on introduction of digital drivers licences. (12490)
- 79 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps her Department is taking to help repair potholes in Romford constituency. (12374)
- 80 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of requiring cyclists to (a) display number plates and (b) hold valid insurance. (12376)
- 81 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps her Department is taking to help reduce waiting times for practical driving tests in (a) Greater London and (b) Essex. (12377)
- 82 **David Chadwick** (Brecon, Radnor and Cwm Tawe): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether her Department has undertaken an evaluation of the Mid-life MOT initiative. (12655)
- 83 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, on what date her Department sent letters to people eligible for Pension Credit to inform them that they must apply for Pension Credit to continue receiving winter fuel payments. (12478)
- 84 **Steve Darling** (Torbay): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if she will review support for parents who will not be entitled to Neonatal Care Leave and Pay because they (a) are self-employed and (b) have another ineligible employment status. (12607)
- 85 **Mr Richard Holden** (Basildon and Billericay): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of freezing state pensions on British citizens living overseas. (12518)
- 86 **Ayoub Khan** (Birmingham Perry Barr): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether the Connect to Work scheme will include provisions to support people living with arthritis to remain in employment. (12617)

- 87 **Ayoub Khan** (Birmingham Perry Barr): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether the new Get Britain Working Trailblazers will help support people with musculoskeletal conditions to remain in employment. (12618)
- 88 **Alex McIntyre** (Gloucester): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what estimate she has made of the average increase in the State Pension in each of the next five years. (12656)
- 89 **Alex McIntyre** (Gloucester): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of the extension of the Household Support Fund in 2025-26 on low-income households in Gloucester. (12657)
- 90 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps her Department is taking to encourage employers to hire people with disabilities. (12375)
- 91 **Jo White** (Bassetlaw): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many people are in receipt of the Mineworkers Pension Scheme in each constituency. (12551)
- 92 **Yuan Yang** (Earley and Woodley): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to the Autumn Budget 2024, published on 30 October 2024, HC 295, how many people claim benefits that were uprated at the Budget in (a) Earley and Woodley constituency, (b) each region and (c) the UK. (12680)
- 93 **Olivia Bailey** (Reading West and Mid Berkshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many people are waiting for an appointment with a Memory Assessment Service for a dementia assessment in Reading West and Mid Berkshire constituency as of 4 November 2024. (12677)
- 94 **Olivia Bailey** (Reading West and Mid Berkshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the average waiting time for a dementia assessment is in Reading West and Mid Berkshire constituency. (12678)
- 95 **Olivia Bailey** (Reading West and Mid Berkshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what proportion of people living with dementia in Reading West and Mid Berkshire constituency received a (a) care plan review and (b) new care plan in financial year 2023/24. (12679)
- 96 **Mrs Elsie Blundell** (Heywood and Middleton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will take steps to provide funding for respite care for people with disabilities away from their care setting. (12576)
- 97 **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has made an assessment of the potential health benefits of magnesium supplements. (12434)

- 98 **Dr Beccy Cooper** (Worthing West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of requiring NHS Trusts to amalgamate patient data across primary care. (12610)
- 99 **Dr Beccy Cooper** (Worthing West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he plans to provide additional support for those living with (a) arthritis and (b) musculoskeletal conditions. (12647)
- 100 **Dr Beccy Cooper** (Worthing West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he plans to provide additional funding to (a) community musculoskeletal services and (b) physiotherapy. (12648)
- 101 **Dr Beccy Cooper** (Worthing West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the impact of surgical hubs on waiting times for (a) trauma and (b) orthopaedic treatment. (12649)
- 102 **Dr Beccy Cooper** (Worthing West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to paragraph 2.71 of the Autumn Budget 2024, published on 30 October, how many new surgical hubs will focus solely on orthopaedic procedures. (12650)
- 103 **Steve Darling** (Torbay): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent discussions his Department has had with NICE on reducing the time taken for patients to access treatment for very rare diseases in cases when there is uncertainty on the (a) incidence and (b) prevalence of the disease. (12498)
- 104 **Alex Easton** (North Down): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that people with ADHD receive the level of support set out in the guidelines by the National Institute for Health and Care Excellence entitled Attention deficit hyperactivity disorder: diagnosis and management, published on 14 March 2018. (12663)
- 105 **Mary Glendon** (Newcastle upon Tyne East and Wallsend): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if his Department will take steps to improve the communication of the real-time availability of ADHD medications in pharmacies to patients. (12405)
- 106 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will set up a cross-departmental working group to discuss how to increase the fertility rate. (12362)
- 107 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an estimate of the waiting times for (a) assessments for and (b) diagnoses of autism in (i) adults and (ii) children in (A) South Holland and the Deepings constituency and (B) Lincolnshire. (12363)
- 108 **Clive Jones** (Wokingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make it his policy to ensure that people with triple negative breast cancer have access to a clinical nurse specialist at the point of diagnosis. (12587)

- 109 **Clive Jones** (Wokingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that there are sufficient breast cancer clinical nurse specialists. (12588)
- 110 **Clive Jones** (Wokingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make it his policy to test people diagnosed with triple negative breast cancer for the BRCA gene mutation. (12589)
- 111 **Clive Jones** (Wokingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make it his policy to ensure that people diagnosed with (a) triple negative breast cancer and (b) the BRCA gene mutation are offered genetic counselling. (12590)
- 112 **Satvir Kaur** (Southampton Test): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to support social workers. (12668)
- 113 **Alicia Kearns** (Rutland and Stamford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to increase uptake of early screening interventions for chronic kidney disease. (12566)
- 114 **Alicia Kearns** (Rutland and Stamford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure that patient (a) experience and (b) voice is reflected in the NHS 10-year plan. (12568)
- 115 **Ayoub Khan** (Birmingham Perry Barr): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the Autumn Budget 2024, published on 30 October 2024, HC 295, how much and what proportion of the additional funding for the NHS will be spent on support for people with (a) arthritis and (b) other musculoskeletal conditions. (12612)
- 116 **Ayoub Khan** (Birmingham Perry Barr): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the Autumn Budget 2024, published on 30 October 2024, HC 295, how much and what proportion of the additional funding for the NHS will be spent on (a) physiotherapy and (b) other community services for people with musculoskeletal conditions. (12613)
- 117 **Ayoub Khan** (Birmingham Perry Barr): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment he has made of the potential impact of surgical hubs on waiting times for (a) trauma and (b) orthopaedic treatment. (12614)
- 118 **Ayoub Khan** (Birmingham Perry Barr): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the Autumn Budget 2024, published on 30 October 2024, HC 295, whether any of the new surgical hubs will focus solely on orthopaedic procedures. (12615)
- 119 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many social care staff (a) were dismissed and (b) resigned due to mandatory Covid-19 vaccination regulations. (12550)

- 120 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what information his Department holds on (a) the number of GP appointments available and (b) excess demand for those appointments in each of the last five years. (12562)
- 121 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what information his Department holds on complaints about GPs of which nationality in each of the last five years. (12563)
- 122 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many complaints there were about to the standard of English of (a) GPs, (b) consultants and (c) other health care professionals in the NHS in each of the last ten years. (12564)
- 123 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many (a) attendances at accident and emergency departments and (b) emergency admissions there were for dentistry-related issues in each of the last ten years. (12572)
- 124 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will help ensure that smoking cessation is offered as an opt-out, co-located service for lung screening appointments. (12436)
- 125 **John McDonnell** (Hayes and Harlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how codes are created for the SNOMED CT classification system in primary care. (12357)
- 126 **John McDonnell** (Hayes and Harlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will ensure that a code is created for myalgic encephalomyelitis in the SNOMED CT classification system in primary care. (12359)
- 127 **Kevin McKenna** (Sittingbourne and Sheppey): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the £10 million allocated to the MHRA in March 2023, what progress has been made on accelerating routes for bringing innovative medical products developed onto the market. (12654)
- 128 **Abtisam Mohamed** (Sheffield Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to reduce waiting times for the (a) diagnosis and (b) treatment of cancer in (i) teenagers and (ii) young adults. (12543)
- 129 **Abtisam Mohamed** (Sheffield Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that the priorities of (a) children and (b) young people with cancer are included in the ten-year plan. (12544)
- 130 **Layla Moran** (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what information his Department holds on companies involved in supplying PPE which was subsequently marked as do not supply due to being unsuitable for use in the NHS. (12461)

- 131 **Layla Moran** (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the cost to the public purse is of storing PPE unsuitable for NHS use; and which companies are contracted to provide such storage services. (12462)
- 132 **Layla Moran** (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much unusable PPE has been disposed of since November 2023. (12463)
- 133 **Charlotte Nichols** (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what level of indemnity is required for each NHS job category. (12586)
- 134 **Joe Robertson** (Isle of Wight East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will hold discussions with the National Institute for Health and Care Excellence on the potential merits of considering the potential impact of new treatments on caregivers when determining the cost-effectiveness of those treatments. (12651)
- 135 **Joe Robertson** (Isle of Wight East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has had recent discussions with (a) NHS England, (b) the National Institute for Health and Care Excellence and (c) the Medicines and Healthcare products Regulatory Agency on access for patients to licensed treatments for Alzheimer's disease. (12652)
- 136 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of vorasdenib for treatment of low-grade gliomas. (12370)
- 137 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether the MHRA is considering the approval of vorasidenib for the treatment of low grade gliomas. (12371)
- 138 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what funding he is providing for people with brain tumours in financial year 2024/25. (12372)
- 139 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the joint sex and age-at-death distribution was for Covid-19 deaths in 2020 in England that were subject to inquest and have since been registered with ONS for which the interval from date of death to date of registration as a Covid-19 death was (a) one year or less, (b) one to two years and (c) more than two years. (12380)
- 140 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what discussions he has had with his Northern Irish counterpart on funding for hospices. (12421)
- 141 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will provide additional funding for prostate cancer (a) care and (b) research. (12422)
- 142 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many people were on waiting lists for colonoscopies in each year between 2020 and 2024 by trust. (12425)

- 143 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much was spent to (a) outsource and (b) insource additional resource to manage colonoscopy procedures in each of the last five years by trust. (12426)
- 144 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department plans to reform colonoscopy services. (12427)
- 145 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many medical technologies were (a) piloted in the NHS in (i) 2023 and (ii) 2024, (b) supported after successful pilots in those years and (c) adopted at scale in the last year. (12428)
- 146 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to prevent the spread of Mpox. (12429)
- 147 **Gareth Snell** (Stoke-on-Trent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department is taking steps with the food and drink industry to help tackle (a) poor diets and (b) obesity. (12440)
- 148 **Chris Ward** (Brighton Kemptown and Peacehaven): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what progress he has made on the development of a clinical policy relating to the use of abiraterone acetate as a first-line treatment for men with locally advanced high-risk prostate cancer; and when he expects to take a decision. (12664)
- 149 **Jo White** (Bassetlaw): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, which integrated care boards have reimbursed dental practices for up to 110% of General Dental Services contracts. (12553)
- 150 **Mohammad Yasin** (Bedford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what progress his Department has made on delivering specialist mental health professionals in every school. (12471)
- 151 **Sir Iain Duncan Smith** (Chingford and Woodford Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to Huawei's press article entitled, Safe Mauritius, the Inspiration for Heaven, published in October 2018, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of the security provisions within Mauritius' telecommunications system; and if he will make an assessment of the potential implications for his policies of those provisions on the use of the telecommunications system by his Department's officials. (12356)
- 152 **Chris Law** (Dundee Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the potential implications for his policies of the UK's obligation under Article 1 of the Genocide Convention to prevent genocide in Gaza. (12458)

- 153 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how much aid his Department has provided to China in the last five years. (12626)
- 154 **Abtisam Mohamed** (Sheffield Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he has had recent discussions with F-35 programme partners on the risk of components supplied to Israel being used to commit violations of international law. (12598)
- 155 **Abtisam Mohamed** (Sheffield Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he takes to ensure joint defence projects are compatible with the UK's (a) arms export control system and (b) international obligations. (12600)
- 156 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking to ensure that no fishing boats operate within the British Indian Ocean Territory Marine Protected Area. (12399)
- 157 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to help ensure a sustainable approach to fishing in the Overseas Territories. (12400)
- 158 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the potential implications for his policies of levels of crime in the Turks and Caicos islands. (12401)
- 159 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what information his Department holds on how many citizens of (a) Haiti and (b) the Dominican Republic are resident in Turks and Caicos. (12402)
- 160 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how many cases of gun crime were reported in the Turks and Caicos Islands in each of the last five years. (12403)
- 161 **Nick Timothy** (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he made of the potential implications for his policies of Iran's (a) compliance with United Nations Security Council resolutions, (b) attempts to develop its military nuclear programme, and (c) deployment of missiles against civilian targets in Israel before the vote in the UN General Assembly on draft decision A/C.1/79/L.32 on missiles. (12561)
- 162 **Dr Luke Evans** (Hinckley and Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to support the long-term funding of Leicestershire Police. (12594)

- 163 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many police officers are employed in neighbourhood policing in Lincolnshire. (12368)
- 164 **Kim Johnson** (Liverpool Riverside): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether her Department has made an equalities impact assessment on the transition from Biometric Resident Permits to eVisas. (12514)
- 165 **Kim Johnson** (Liverpool Riverside): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether her Department has made a human rights impact assessment of the transition from Biometric Resident Permits to eVisas. (12515)
- 166 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many irregular migrants entered the UK in each of the last five years, broken down by vehicle type. (12489)
- 167 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the answer of 1 November 2024 to Question 11117 on Crime: Undocumented Migrants, what information her Department holds on the number of crimes committed by undocumented migrants. (12491)
- 168 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what her department's policy is on (a) engines, (b) boats and (c) life jackets recovered from irregular migrant arrivals; and what the cost to the public purse was of the (i) storage of, (ii) destruction of and (iii) other process applied to such equipment in each year since 2018. (12570)
- 169 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many irregular migrants have crossed the Channel by (a) age and (b) sex in each year since 2018. (12574)
- 170 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether irregular migrants housed in hotels have access to (a) pool, (b) gym and (c) other hotel facilities. (12575)
- 171 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, the locations of how many irregular migrants processed by the authorities and believed to be in the UK are unknown to her Department. (12585)
- 172 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what the Government's policy is on checking the immigration status of individuals during the process of arrest to prosecution. (12592)
- 173 **Alex Mayer** (Dunstable and Leighton Buzzard): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what recent steps her Department has taken to protect the welfare of beagles bred for sale to animal testing facilities. (12519)

- 174 **Alex Mayer** (Dunstable and Leighton Buzzard): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what estimate she has made of the number of beagles being bred for use in laboratory experiments in the UK. (12520)
- 175 **Alex Mayer** (Dunstable and Leighton Buzzard): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what estimate she has made of number of beagles needed for use in laboratory experiments in the UK. (12521)
- 176 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many and what proportion of attempted deportations of foreign national offenders by her Department have been successfully challenged on Article 8 ECHR grounds in each of the last ten years. (12622)
- 177 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to help prevent the provision of large dinghies to people smuggling gangs. (12623)
- 178 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will take steps to ensure that student visas are not used solely to gain residence in the UK. (12625)
- 179 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what proportion of the Overseas Development Assistance budget was spent on accommodating asylum seekers in the UK in the most recent year for which figures are available. (12629)
- 180 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many foreign national offenders of which nationality were deported in each of the last five years. (12632)
- 181 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many people who arrived in the UK by small boats are (a) male and (b) female. (12633)
- 182 **Chris Murray** (Edinburgh East and Musselburgh): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many study visas were issued to students studying at Scottish universities in 2023. (12499)
- 183 **Chris Murray** (Edinburgh East and Musselburgh): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many study visas were issued to students studying at Scottish universities in 2022. (12500)
- 184 **Chris Murray** (Edinburgh East and Musselburgh): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many study visas were issued to students studying at Scottish universities in 2021. (12501)

- 185 **Chris Murray** (Edinburgh East and Musselburgh): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many work visas were issued for jobs in Scottish workplaces in 2023. (12502)
- 186 **Chris Murray** (Edinburgh East and Musselburgh): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many work visas were issued for jobs in Scottish workplaces in Scotland in 2022. (12503)
- 187 **Chris Murray** (Edinburgh East and Musselburgh): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many work visas were issued for jobs in Scottish workplaces in 2021. (12504)
- 188 **Chris Murray** (Edinburgh East and Musselburgh): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many family visas were issued where the sponsoring (a) spouse or partner, (b) fiancé, fiancée or proposed civil partner, (c) child, (d) parent and (c) relative providing long-term care was resident in Scotland in 2023. (12505)
- 189 **Chris Murray** (Edinburgh East and Musselburgh): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many family visas were issued where the sponsoring (a) spouse or partner, (b) fiancé, fiancée or proposed civil partner, (c) child, (d) parent and (c) relative providing long-term care was resident in Scotland in 2022. (12506)
- 190 **Chris Murray** (Edinburgh East and Musselburgh): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many family visas were issued where the sponsoring (a) spouse or partner, (b) fiancé, fiancée or proposed civil partner, (c) child, (d) parent and (c) relative providing long-term care was resident in Scotland in 2021. (12507)
- 191 **Chris Murray** (Edinburgh East and Musselburgh): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many grants of refugee status were made to asylum seekers whose place of residence was Scotland in 2023; and in what type of accommodation they were housed at the time of grant. (12508)
- 192 **Chris Murray** (Edinburgh East and Musselburgh): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many grants of refugee status were made to asylum seekers whose place of residence was Scotland in 2022; and in what type of accommodation they were housed at the time of grant. (12509)
- 193 **Chris Murray** (Edinburgh East and Musselburgh): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many grants of refugee status were made to asylum seekers whose place of residence was Scotland in 2021; and in what type of accommodation they were housed at the time of grant. (12510)
- 194 **Chris Murray** (Edinburgh East and Musselburgh): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many grants of indefinite leave to remain were made to people in the UK on other visa routes whose place of residence was Scotland at the time of grant in 2023; and on what visa statuses they were at the time of grant. (12511)

- 195 **Chris Murray** (Edinburgh East and Musselburgh): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many grants of indefinite leave to remain were made to people in the UK on other visa routes whose place of residence was Scotland at the time of grant in 2022; and on what visa statuses they were at the time of grant. (12512)
- 196 **Chris Murray** (Edinburgh East and Musselburgh): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many grants of indefinite leave to remain were made to people in the UK on other visa routes whose place of residence was Scotland at the time of grant in 2021; and on what visa statuses they were at the time of grant. (12513)
- 197 **Chris Murray** (Edinburgh East and Musselburgh): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many grants of UK citizenship were made to people resident in Scotland in 2023. (12640)
- 198 **Chris Murray** (Edinburgh East and Musselburgh): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many grants of UK citizenship were made to people resident in Scotland in 2022. (12641)
- 199 **Chris Murray** (Edinburgh East and Musselburgh): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many grants of UK citizenship were made to people resident in Scotland in 2021. (12642)
- 200 **Chris Murray** (Edinburgh East and Musselburgh): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many EU migrants transferred from pre-settled status to settled status and were resident in Scotland in 2023. (12643)
- 201 **Chris Murray** (Edinburgh East and Musselburgh): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many EU migrants (a) transferred from pre-settled status to settled status and (b) were resident in Scotland in 2022. (12644)
- 202 **Lisa Smart** (Hazel Grove): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to help improve the (a) accuracy and (b) reliability of personal immigration status information generated by the Government View and Prove system; and what safeguards her Department plans to introduce to avoid system failures. (12488)
- 203 **Rebecca Smith** (South West Devon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking with Cabinet colleagues to help ensure that victims of rural crime in areas with poor (a) phone and (b) internet coverage are able to report those crimes promptly. (12611)
- 204 **Will Stone** (Swindon North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of dropping the salary requirement for people on visas employed by the Government. (12608)

- 205 **Stuart Anderson** (South Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps his Department is taking to tackle homelessness among veteran communities in rural areas. (12448)
- 206 **Patricia Ferguson** (Glasgow West): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps he takes to trace the end user of UK components delivered to the F35 programme. (12578)
- 207 **Patricia Ferguson** (Glasgow West): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps he takes to ensure UK components supplied to the F 35 programme can be subjected to (a) a product recall and (b) an air accident investigation process . (12580)
- 208 **Angus MacDonald** (Inverness, Skye and West Ross-shire): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if his Department will introduce a medal for (a) seriously injured and (b) medically retired service personnel. (12645)
- 209 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps his Department is taking to increase value for money in procurement. (12636)
- 210 **Abtisam Mohamed** (Sheffield Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps he takes to trace the end-user of UK components delivered to the F-35 programme. (12599)
- 211 **Sarah Hall** (Warrington South): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what information her Department holds on the number of Assets of Community Value (a) listed by each local authority and (b) rejected by each local authority in the last three years. (12558)
- 212 **Sarah Hall** (Warrington South): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what information her Department holds on the number of assets that were bought by community groups through the Community Right to Bid process since its introduction. (12559)
- 213 **Sarah Hall** (Warrington South): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of setting national (a) standards and (b) timescales for repairs to social housing. (12596)
- 214 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps she is taking to ensure that elections are accessible to (a) blind and (b) partially sighted people. (12369)
- 215 **Alex McIntyre** (Gloucester): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps she is taking to help tackle overcrowding in social housing in (a) Gloucester and (b) England. (12661)

- 216 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what recent assessment she has made of the potential impact of freeports on the economy. (12634)
- 217 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps her Department is taking to help reduce delays to cladding remediation works. (12378)
- 218 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of requiring all local authorities to provide drivers with the option of paying for parking by cash. (12379)
- 219 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps she is taking to support existing neighbourhood watch organisations. (12381)
- 220 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, how much funding her Department has provided to neighbourhood watch organisations in each of the last five years. (12398)
- 221 **Mr James Frith** (Bury North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, whether she plans to reform Imprisonment for Public Protection sentences. (12474)
- 222 **Mr James Frith** (Bury North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what steps her Department is taking to provide adequate mental health support for prisoners serving IPP sentences. (12475)
- 223 **Mr James Frith** (Bury North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what steps her Department takes to support the reintegration of released prisoners. (12476)
- 224 **Mr James Frith** (Bury North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what steps her Department takes to ensure that recall decisions are (a) fair and (b) proportionate to public safety concerns. (12477)
- 225 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many people were prosecuted for TV licence evasion in England in (a) 2022, (b) 2023 and (c) 2024. (12637)
- 226 **Alex Easton** (North Down): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, what data his Department holds on the number of lorries turned away at Northern Ireland ports for carrying cargo incorrectly listed on their manifests. (12673)
- 227 **John Glen** (Salisbury): To ask the Prime Minister, whether he has plans to reduce the use of non-scheduled flights by Ministers. (12387)

- 228 **David Chadwick** (Brecon, Radnor and Cwm Tawe): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many businesses in Wales will benefit from changes to employment allowance. (12653)
- 229 **Sir Geoffrey Clifton-Brown** (North Cotswolds): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if she will take steps to ensure that the rise in employer National Insurance contributions does not apply to hospices. (12360)
- 230 **Sir Geoffrey Clifton-Brown** (North Cotswolds): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if she will take steps to ensure that the rise in employer National Insurance contributions does not apply to general practices. (12361)
- 231 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if she will make an assessment of the adequacy of the compensation provided to Equitable Life investors via the Equitable Life payment scheme. (12481)
- 232 **Tim Farron** (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to the Autumn Budget 2024, published on 30 October 2024, HC 295, what estimate her Department has made of the number of farms that will no longer be eligible for agricultural property relief. (12406)
- 233 **Tim Farron** (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many meetings Ministers in her Department have had with farming stakeholders on changes to Agricultural Property Relief in the last four months. (12407)
- 234 **Tim Farron** (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether she has had discussions with the Environment, Food and Rural Affairs Select Committee on the potential impact of changes to Agricultural Property Relief. (12408)
- 235 **Peter Fortune** (Bromley and Biggin Hill): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if she will make an estimate of the number of first-time buyers in London that may be subject to stamp duty from April 2025, in the context of proposed changes to the rate of stamp duty relief. (12583)
- 236 **Peter Fortune** (Bromley and Biggin Hill): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if she will make an estimate of the total revenue her Department expects to receive from property purchases in London following proposed changes to the rate of stamp duty relief. (12584)
- 237 **John Glen** (Salisbury): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to paragraph 2.51 of the Autumn Budget 2024, HC 295, published on 30 October 2024, what her Department's policy is on the application of inheritance tax to (a) unused pension funds and (b) death benefits in relation to the (i) Ministerial and (ii) Civil Service Alpha pension schemes after April 2027. (12389)

- 238 **Claire Hanna** (Belfast South and Mid Down): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what Barnett Consequential have been calculated for the Northern Ireland Executive following the recent announcement of additional rates support for (a) retail, (b) hospitality and (c) leisure in the Autumn Budget 2024. (12605)
- 239 **Damian Hinds** (East Hampshire): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if she will make an estimate of the potential impact of the costs of (a) VAT, (b) employers' National Insurance contributions, (c) employer contributions to the Teachers' Pension Scheme and (d) business rates for independent schools on the number of children educated in the (i) independent and (ii) state sectors. (12393)
- 240 **Clive Jones** (Wokingham): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of leaving the European (a) Union, (b) Customs Union and (c) Single Market on (i) imports and (ii) exports. (12538)
- 241 **Ben Maguire** (North Cornwall): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to paragraph 2.44 of the Autumn Budget 2024, published on 30 October 2024, HC295, what the (a) territorial extent and (b) timetable is for the consultation on encouraging small brewers to retain and expand their access to UK pubs. (12658)
- 242 **Sarah Olney** (Richmond Park): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many staff in the Office for Value for Money have a salary over £100,000. (12454)
- 243 **Sarah Olney** (Richmond Park): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what estimate her Department has made of the potential impact of the Office for Value for Money on Government expenditure in each of the next three financial years. (12455)
- 244 **Sarah Olney** (Richmond Park): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether her Department has set a target for the impact of the Office for Value for Money on Government expenditure in each of the next three financial years. (12456)
- 245 **Alison Taylor** (Paisley and Renfrewshire North): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of changes to employer National Insurance contribution rates on third sector organisations; and whether she plans to take steps with Cabinet colleagues to provide additional funding to charities to support them with these costs. (12571)
- 246 **Freddie van Mierlo** (Henley and Thame): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps he is taking with HMRC to help ensure taxpayers receive prompt responses to queries. (12671)
- 247 **John Glen** (Salisbury): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, with reference to Recommendation 3 of the report entitled An inspection into activism and impartiality in policing, published by His Majesty's Inspectorate of Constabulary and Fire and Rescue Services on 10 September 2024, what plans the Government Equalities Office has to (a) update the Public Sector Equality Duty guidance for public authorities and (b) make recommendations for legislative amendments to the Equality Act 2010. (12417)

- 248 **Kim Johnson** (Liverpool Riverside): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, whether she has made an assessment of the potential implications for her policies of surveys undertaken by the Food Foundation Food entitled Food insecurity tracking, published in July 2024, on a potential link between ethnicity and food insecurity. (12482)
- 249 **Alex McIntyre** (Gloucester): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, what steps she is taking with Cabinet colleagues to help tackle violence against women and girls. (12659)
- 250 **Alex McIntyre** (Gloucester): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, what discussions she has had with Cabinet colleagues on the effectiveness of legislation in preventing hate crime offences against LGBT+ people in Gloucester constituency. (12660)

Questions for Answer on Monday 11 November

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Mr Richard Holden** (Basildon and Billericay): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, pursuant to the Answer of 31 July 2024 to Question 1207 on Ministers: Media and the Answer of 15 October 2024 to Question 7434 on Political Parties: Donors, whether his Department has issued guidance to Departments on what constitutes a senior media figure for the purposes of publishing that data. (12487)
- 2N **Llinos Medi** (Ynys Môn): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, if she will invite representatives of the cruise industry to join the Tourism Industry Council. (12609)
- 3N **Alex Sobel** (Leeds Central and Headingley): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, with reference to the Autumn Budget 2024, published on 30 October 2024, HC 295, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of changes to business rates relief on grassroots music venues. (12457)
- 4N **Alistair Strathern** (Hitchin): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, whether she has made a recent assessment of the potential merits of reviewing the Communications Ombudsman's powers to increase the accountability of telecommunications providers. (12567)
- 5N **Andrew Cooper** (Mid Cheshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what capital funding her Department has allocated to schools in (a) Mid Cheshire constituency, (b) Cheshire and (c) England in each of the last 10 years. (12581)
- 6N **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what the timeline is for the increase in the number of attendance mentors for schools. (12418)

- 7N **Mary Kelly Foy** (City of Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps her Department is taking to help ensure that new investment in further education contributes to (a) improving staff conditions and (b) closing pay gaps between college and school teachers. (12433)
- 8N **Kim Johnson** (Liverpool Riverside): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 25 October 2024 to Question 9795 on Pupil Referral Units, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of recording the number of children registered at Pupil Referral Units who have previously been excluded from school. (12494)
- 9N **Kim Johnson** (Liverpool Riverside): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 25 October 2024 to Question 9795 on Pupil Referral Units, if her Department will undertake a manual audit of all children registered at Pupil Referral Units since 1 November 2023 to see how many have previously been excluded from school. (12495)
- 10N **Kim Johnson** (Liverpool Riverside): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answers of 14 October to Questions 7569 on Special Educational Needs and 7570 on Pupil Referral Units, how many and what proportion of children who attended Special Educational Needs schools were then registered at Pupil Referral Units in each of the last ten years, broken down by (a) sex/gender, (b) ethnicity, (c) free school meal status and (d) region. (12496)
- 11N **Kim Johnson** (Liverpool Riverside): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 14 October 2024 to Question 7596 on Special Educational Needs, how many and what proportion of children who had been excluded from school were then registered at special schools by (a) sex/gender, (b) ethnicity, (c) free school meal status and (d) region in each of the last 10 years. (12497)
- 12N **Samantha Niblett** (South Derbyshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment she has made of the adequacy of the provision of language support for refugee children in school whose first language is not English. (12604)
- 13N **Mark Garnier** (Wyre Forest): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how many fax machines are in use by the National Energy System Operator; and whether his Department plans to provide funding to digitalise the energy grid. (12394)
- 14N **Mark Garnier** (Wyre Forest): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether he has made an estimate of the number of unfinanced energy projects in the queue to be connected to the power grid. (12395)
- 15N **Mark Garnier** (Wyre Forest): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether he has had discussions with the National Energy System Operator on pylon presumption. (12396)
- 16N **Alicia Kearns** (Rutland and Stamford): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether the Solar Taskforce plans to take steps to (a) assess the prevalence of and (b) tackle the use of Uyghur forced labour in solar supply chains. (12595)

- 17N **Dr Ben Spencer** (Runnymede and Weybridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will make an assessment of the potential impact of changes in employers' National Insurance contributions on Thames Water's (a) financial viability and (b) infrastructure investment plan. (12554)
- 18N **Patrick Spencer** (Central Suffolk and North Ipswich): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment his Department has made of the (a) likelihood of an African Swine Fever outbreak in the UK and (b) economic impact of such an outbreak. (12665)
- 19N **Patrick Spencer** (Central Suffolk and North Ipswich): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, with reference to his Department's guidance entitled African swine fever: how to spot and report the disease, updated on 27 September 2024, whether he plans to ban all personal imports of (a) pork and (b) pork products. (12666)
- 20N **Patrick Spencer** (Central Suffolk and North Ipswich): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, with reference to his Department's press release entitled Immediate measures to step up safeguards against African swine fever from Europe, published on 26 September 2024, to help prevent an outbreak of African Swine Fever in the UK, whether additional funding has been allocated to (a) Border Force and (b) Port Health Authorities to help implement the measures. (12667)
- 21N **Patrick Spencer** (Central Suffolk and North Ipswich): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment his Department has made of the effectiveness of the new Border Target Operating Model (a) generally and (b) at tackling the illegal import of products of animal origin. (12669)
- 22N **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, whether his Department is taking steps with private mobile network operators to improve (a) mobile phone signal and (b) 5G coverage in London. (12431)
- 23N **Samantha Niblett** (South Derbyshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, what discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues on support for the digitisation of the NHS. (12601)
- 24N **Samantha Niblett** (South Derbyshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, what steps he is taking to help ensure benefits of technological development are felt by all demographics. (12603)
- 25N **Mr Paul Kohler** (Wimbledon): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to the report entitled £2 bus fare cap evaluation: interim report, published on 17 May 2023, if her Department will publish the final report. (12676)
- 26N **Dr Ben Spencer** (Runnymede and Weybridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if she ask the Office of Road and Rail to undertake enforcement action against National Highways over ongoing disruption in the (a) Painshill roundabout and (b) local area due to the M25/A3 works. (12557)

- 27N **Laurence Turner** (Birmingham Northfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what estimate she has made of the cost to the public purse of capping single bus fares at £3 in 2025. (12516)
- 28N **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps she is taking to ensure timely responses to Pension Credit applications. (12424)
- 29N **Alison Hume** (Scarborough and Whitby): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many people were in receipt of (a) income-related Employment and Support Allowance, (b) income-based Jobseeker's Allowance, (c) Income Support, (d) Pension Credit and (e) Universal Credit in (i) Scarborough and Whitby constituency and (b) North Yorkshire on 4 November 2024. (12638)
- 30N **Luke Akehurst** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will take steps with local partners to ensure the availability of (a) parenting and (b) other programmes to improve the mental health of (i) infants, (ii) children and (iii) young people mental health. (12536)
- 31N **Mr Clive Betts** (Sheffield South East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the Autumn Budget 2024, published on 30 October 2024, HC 295, what extra funding he plans to provide for public health. (12385)
- 32N **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent steps he has taken to meet the target for 85% of cancer patients to be treated within 62 days of referral. (12419)
- 33N **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of the progress of research on treatments for (a) Alzheimer's and (b) dementia. (12420)
- 34N **Dr Neil Hudson** (Epping Forest): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to encourage GPs to proactively discuss (a) prostate cancer risk and (b) the option to have a prostate-specific antigen test with (i) Black men aged 45 and over and (ii) men aged 45 and over with a family history of prostate cancer. (12577)
- 35N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he plans to (a) maintain and (b) increase funding for local authority smoking cessation services; and if he will take steps to raise public awareness of those services. (12435)
- 36N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of introducing a 10-year national cancer plan. (12437)

- 37N **Dr Ben Spencer** (Runnymede and Weybridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to paragraph 2.40 of the Autumn Budget 2024, published on 30 October, whether he has made an estimate of the number of GP practices which will close as a result of increased Employer National Insurance contributions. (12555)
- 38N **Dr Ben Spencer** (Runnymede and Weybridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to paragraph 2.40 of the Autumn Budget 2024, published on 30 October, what discussions he has had with health and care charities on the potential impact of increased National Insurance contributions on their ability to (a) support and (b) provide NHS care. (12556)
- 39N **Dr Ben Spencer** (Runnymede and Weybridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has made an assessment of the potential impact of raising employer's National Insurance Contributions on (a) trends in the level of recruitment and (b) the provision of care in the social care sector. (12582)
- 40N **Laurence Turner** (Birmingham Northfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 31 October 2024 to Question 11046 on General Practitioners: Finance, when he plans to determine the overall GP contract investment in the 2025-26 financial year. (12560)
- 41N **Freddie van Mierlo** (Henley and Thame): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to respond to the letter of 22 July 2024 from the hon. member for Henley and Thame about step down beds at Chiltern Court, Henley on Thames. (12620)
- 42N **Andy Slaughter** (Hammersmith and Chiswick): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent representations he has made to his counterparts in (a) Kuwait, (b) Qatar and (c) Bahrain on their obligations under the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights; and what steps he is taking to support participative democracy in those countries. (12411)
- 43N **Nick Timothy** (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what information his Department holds on whether any Sri Lankan nationals on Diego Garcia hold criminal records. (12549)
- 44N **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many surrender bins there were during the knife amnesty between 26 August 2024 and 23 September 2024. (12464)
- 45N **Samantha Niblett** (South Derbyshire): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the adequacy of the safety of (a) women and (b) children online in light of the use of AI in the creation of indecent images; and what discussions she has had with cabinet colleagues on this issue. (12602)
- 46N **Dr Simon Opher** (Stroud): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will make it her policy to amend the Sexual Offences Act 2003 to classify driving instructors as a position of trust. (12493)

- 47N **Nick Timothy** (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will make an estimate of the number and proportion of Sri Lankan nationals located on Diego Garcia that will be eligible to claim asylum in the UK. (12545)
- 48N **Nick Timothy** (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many asylum claims of Sri Lankan nationals located on Diego Garcia are being considered by her Department. (12547)
- 49N **Nick Timothy** (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what discussions the Government has had with the Government of Mauritius in relation to Sri Lankan nationals located on Diego Garcia. (12548)
- 50N **Helen Maguire** (Epsom and Ewell): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if his Department will make an estimate of planned defence spending in the next two years as a share of GDP using NATO's definition of defence expenditure. (12619)
- 51N **Brendan O'Hara** (Argyll, Bute and South Lochaber): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what discussions he has had with his Israeli counterpart on ensuring that any information gathered by unarmed RAF surveillance flights over Gaza can be used solely in relation to locating Israeli hostages. (12446)
- 52N **Brendan O'Hara** (Argyll, Bute and South Lochaber): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether his Department has established a process for the (a) assessment and (b) retention of evidence gathered by unarmed RAF surveillance flights over Gaza. (12447)
- 53N **Brendan O'Hara** (Argyll, Bute and South Lochaber): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps his Department is taking to implement a mechanism to ensure that intelligence information shared with the Israeli government is used within the boundaries of international humanitarian law, and what discussions he has had with his Israeli counterpart on ensuring that any information provided is used in compliance with international humanitarian law. (12449)
- 54N **Mr Richard Holden** (Basildon and Billericay): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if she will bring forward legislative proposals to put the Code of Practice for Victims of Crime in England and Wales on a statutory basis. (12569)
- 55N **Karl Turner** (Kingston upon Hull East): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what the contractual penalties are for the late transfer of prisoners to court; and at what point the penalty starts if a prisoner is transferred late to court. (12397)
- 56N **Alex Burghart** (Brentwood and Ongar): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, with reference to paragraph 4.140 of the Autumn Budget 2024, published on 30 October 2024, HC 295, how much has been allocated to the Finucane inquiry. (12472)
- 57N **Alex Burghart** (Brentwood and Ongar): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, when he plans to publish the terms of reference of the Finucane inquiry. (12473)

- 58N **Andrew Cooper** (Mid Cheshire): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, when her Department plans to set out details of the independent Loan Charge Review. (12606)
- 59N **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to the Autumn Budget 2024, published on 30 October 2024, HC 295, whether the Departmental settlements include funding for public sector employers for the cost of increases to employer National Insurance contributions. (12451)
- 60N **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether she plans to provide additional funding to local authorities for the cost of increases to employer National Insurance contributions. (12452)
- 61N **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what estimate she has made of forecast revenue from changes to Agricultural Property Relief in each financial year from 2024-25 to 2029-30. (12453)
- 62N **Dr Luke Evans** (Hinckley and Bosworth): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to paragraph 2.40 of the Autumn Budget 2024, published on 30 October, what recent discussions she has had with the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care on the potential impact of changes to National Insurance contributions on (a) hospices, (b) GPs and (c) care homes. (12552)
- 63N **Alison Hume** (Scarborough and Whitby): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many people of state pension age were in receipt of (a) Working and (b) Child Tax Credit in (a) Scarborough and Whitby constituency and (b) North Yorkshire on 4 November 2024. (12639)
- 64N **Clive Jones** (Wokingham): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of leaving the European (a) Union, (b) Customs Union and (c) Single Market on food prices. (12537)
- 65N **Ben Lake** (Ceredigion Preseli): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to paragraph 3.19 of Autumn Budget 2024, HC 295, published on 30 October 2024, what amount of consequential funding the Welsh Government will receive from the money allocated to local roads maintenance in England in 2025-26; and what comparability factor was used to calculate this level of consequentials. (12470)
- 66N **Ben Lake** (Ceredigion Preseli): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to the Autumn Budget 2024, published on 30 October 2024, HC 295, what assessment has she made of the potential impact of changes to (a) inheritance tax, (b) agricultural property relief and (c) business property relief on the number of agricultural tenancies in Wales. (12479)

- 67N **Ben Lake** (Ceredigion Preseli): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to the Autumn Budget 2024, published on 30 October 2024, HC 295, what estimate she has made of the number of owners of working farms in Wales by (a) marital and (b) residency status who will be liable to pay inheritance tax following changes to (i) inheritance tax, (ii) agricultural property relief and (iii) business property relief. (12480)
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Questions for Answer on Tuesday 12 November

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Dr Simon Opher** (Stroud): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps has her Department is taking with the Teacher's Pension Scheme to reduce the time taken to provide pension valuations for teachers undergoing divorce proceedings. (12542)
- 2N **Laura Kyrke-Smith** (Aylesbury): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to ensure decisions on whether to grant Indefinite Leave to Remain under Appendix VDA are made (a) correctly and (b) with reference to appropriate evidence. (12621)
- 3N **James Cartlidge** (South Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to the guidance entitled Appointment of AUKUS Adviser and report: Terms of Reference, published on 29 August 2024, whether Sir Stephen Lovegrove reported his findings on AUKUS before the end of October 2024. (12459)
- 4N **James Cartlidge** (South Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to the guidance entitled Appointment of AUKUS Adviser and report: Terms of Reference, published on 29 August 2024, when he plans to publish Sir Stephen Lovegrove's report on AUKUS. (12460)
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Questions for Answer on Wednesday 13 November

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Liz Saville Roberts** (Dwyfor Meirionnydd): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many people were released and later recalled to prison under the (a) End of Custody Supervised Licence, (b) Home Detention Curfew , and (c) SDS40 scheme (i) since the scheme was implemented and (ii) in the most recent period for which data is available. (12430)

- 2N **Liz Saville Roberts** (Dwyfor Meirionnydd): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many people released under the End of Custody Supervised Licence scheme have been (a) recalled, (b) released homeless, (c) died under supervision and (d) committed a serious further offence (i) since the scheme was first implemented, and (ii) in the most recent period for which data is available. (12432)