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Questions tabled on Monday 18 November 2024

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- [R] Indicates that a relevant interest has been declared.
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Questions for Answer on Tuesday 19 November

Questions for Written Answer

- 1 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how many companies were (a) registered and (b) liquidated on each day in 2024.
[Transferred] (14543)
 - 2 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, (a) how many and (b) what value of grants were awarded to farmers for net zero projects in the last 12 months.
[Transferred] (14570)
 - 3 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many suspect interviews were conducted broken down by the language used in the interview in each police force in the last 12 months.
[Transferred] (14546)
 - 4 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many under-18's were investigated for non-crime hate incidents in each of the last five years.
[Transferred] (14558)
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Questions for Answer on Wednesday 20 November

Questions for Written Answer

- 1 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Solicitor General, what assessment she has made of the adequacy of the conviction rate for the offence of stalking; and if she will have discussions with the Secretary of State for Justice on increasing the maximum sentence for that offence.
(14611)

- 2 **Mr Richard Holden** (Basildon and Billericay): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, with reference to his letter to the Chair of the Senior Salaries Review Body, published on 30 September 2024, who the members of the Government Commercial Organisation Remuneration Committee are. (14704)
- 3 **Mr Richard Holden** (Basildon and Billericay): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, which public authorities hold information for the purposes of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 on (a) which (i) domestic and (ii) overseas flights for Prime Ministerial travel have been carbon offset and (b) whether Sustainable Aviation Fuel was used on those flights. (14705)
- 4 **Mr Richard Holden** (Basildon and Billericay): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, with reference to his Department's publication entitled Business Critical Models in the Cabinet Office, published on 31 October 2024, if he will publish his Department's Register of British Interests. (14711)
- 5 **Mr Richard Holden** (Basildon and Billericay): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, which competitions for appointments to Independent Honours Committees have been (a) terminated without appointment and (b) re-opened since 5 July 2024; and what the cost of those competitions was. (14712)
- 6 **Mr Richard Holden** (Basildon and Billericay): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what progress he has made on implementing the recommendations on secondments in his Department's report entitled A report by Nigel Boardman into the Development and Use of Supply Chain Finance (and associated schemes) related to Greensill Capital in Government: Recommendations and Suggestions, published on 21 July 2021. (14769)
- 7 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of establishing a department for government efficiency. (14714)
- 8 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, if he will make an estimate of the (a) total number and (b) cost to the public purse per Department of Government bonuses in each of the last 10 years. (14732)
- 9N **Liz Saville Roberts** (Dwyfor Meirionnydd): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what recent assessment he has made of the value for money of outsourced contracted services provided by (a) Capita, (b) Serco, (c) G4S and (d) Clearsprings. [Transferred] (14470)
- 10 **Mike Wood** (Kingswinford and South Staffordshire): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, if he will list the gifts and hospitality received by the Prime Minister since 5 July 2024 and subsequently repaid or returned, broken down by (a) the nature of each gift or hospitality donated, (b) value, (c) donor, (d) date accepted and (e) date returned or reimbursed. (14635)

- 11 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what support his Department is providing to businesses in Slough to increase levels of exports of (a) goods and (b) services. (14668)
- 12 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what steps his Department is taking to support local businesses in Slough High Street. (14669)
- 13 **Neil Duncan-Jordan** (Poole): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, with reference to paragraph 5.99 of the Autumn Budget 2024, published on 30 October, if he will publish a list of organisations that will be consulted over guest beers; and whether the Campaign for Pubs will be consulted. (14848)
- 14 **Neil O'Brien** (Harborough, Oadby and Wigston): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what steps he is taking to safeguard intellectual property for the UK following the collapse of Reaction Engines. (14666)
- 15 **Lee Anderson** (Ashfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of the decision to end the National Citizen Service on the number of (a) volunteering and (b) training opportunities available to young people. (14647)
- 16 **Lee Anderson** (Ashfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, for what reason she has decided to end the National Citizen Service. (14648)
- 17 **James Asser** (West Ham and Beckton): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what steps her Department is taking to help protect grassroots sports venues in London. (14861)
- 18 **Siân Berry** (Brighton Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, if she will publish a response to the recommendations of the report by the Press Recognition Panel entitled Press Intrusion and Regulation, published on 28 August 2024. (14872)
- 19 **Neil Duncan-Jordan** (Poole): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, whether her Department has plans to continue funding the UK Youth Parliament after March 2026. (14845)
- 20 **Mr James Frith** (Bury North): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, whether she plans to re-introduce the Young Audience Content Fund. (14661)
- 21 **Mr James Frith** (Bury North): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, whether she plans to reinstate the Music and Dance Scheme. (14662)

- 22 **Mr James Frith** (Bury North): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, if she will take steps to ensure that (a) the Independent Football Regulator plays an integral role in the process to settle the distribution deal and (b) the distribution deal must pass parameters set by the regulator. (14663)
- 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 impact of the increase in employers' National Insurance contributions on the charity sector. (14579)
- 24 **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 maintains standards relating to advertisements offering cash prizes in mobile gaming apps that may be used by children. (14739)
- 25 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, if her Department will launch an inquiry into social media harms for young people. (14880)
- 26 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment she has made of the potential implications for her policies of reports that the sport of shooting has not been selected for the 2026 Commonwealth Games. (14606)
- 27 **Alex Sobel** (Leeds Central and Headingley): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what proportion of revenue the Health Lottery has given to charity in each year since 2019. (14693)
- 28 **Alex Sobel** (Leeds Central and Headingley): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment her Department has made of the potential merits of reviewing the Health Lottery's licence to operate. (14694)
- 29 **Alex Sobel** (Leeds Central and Headingley): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what steps the Gambling Commission took in 2011 in response to the announcement of an inquiry into the Health Lottery. (14695)
- 30 **Alex Sobel** (Leeds Central and Headingley): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, whether she has made an assessment of whether the current Health Lottery licence holder meets the fit and proper person test. (14696)
- 31 **Lee Anderson** (Ashfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to her Department's statistics entitled Academic year 2023/24: Elective home education, published on 29 February 2024, if she will take steps to ensure that children remain in mainstream education rather than home education. (14649)
- 32 **Dr Scott Arthur** (Edinburgh South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment she has made of the causes of changes in the level of international student visa applications to UK universities in 2024. [R] (14843)

- 33 **Dr Scott Arthur** (Edinburgh South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of changes in the level of international student visa applications to UK universities in 2024 on the sector. [R] (14844)
- 34 **Liam Conlon** (Beckenham and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps her Department has taken to increase the availability of peer support groups in (a) Beckenham and Penge constituency and (b) other areas. (14794)
- 35 **Liam Conlon** (Beckenham and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps her Department is taking with local authorities to help support kinship carers in (a) Beckenham and Penge constituency and (b) other areas. (14795)
- 36 **Liam Conlon** (Beckenham and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what her planned timetable is for the introduction of the trial kinship carer allowance. (14796)
- 37 **Neil Duncan-Jordan** (Poole): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what her Department's policy is on the future of the SEND Change Programme. (14846)
- 38 **Marie Goldman** (Chelmsford): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if she will make an assessment of the potential impact of the (a) reduction to the National Insurance threshold and (b) costs for employing part-time (i) teaching assistants and (ii) school support staff on (A) special education providers and (B) local authorities' high needs budgets. (14763)
- 39 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many children in the care system are from non-UK citizenship families; and what the total cost to the public purse is of their care. (14736)
- 40 **Edward Morello** (West Dorset): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps she is taking to help reduce waiting times for SEND assessments by local authorities in rural areas with fewer staff. (14834)
- 41 **Edward Morello** (West Dorset): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if she will take steps to allocate more funding for SEND provision in rural areas. (14835)
- 42 **Edward Morello** (West Dorset): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps her Department is taking to help improve access to SEND services for children who need specific adaptations for their educational needs. (14836)
- 43 **Susan Murray** (Mid Dunbartonshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what plans she has to provide students with support in place of the Erasmus+ programme. (14799)
- 44 **Jack Rankin** (Windsor): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether she is aware of any situations in which SEND money is being used by schools for (a) non-SEND related facilities and (b) on non-SEND pupils. (14898)

- 45 **Nick Timothy** (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment she has made of the financial impact of her decision to close the trust capacity and most establishment and growth funds on schools planning to academise. (14807)
- 46 **James Wild** (North West Norfolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answers of 29 October to Question 11052 and of 8 November to Question 12117 on Free Schools, for what reason she has not provided the list requested. (14755)
- 47 **James Wild** (North West Norfolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what proportion of the £1 billion funding for Special Education Needs announced in the Budget she expects to be used (a) by local authorities to reduce deficits and (b) to improve support for pupils. (14758)
- 48 **Richard Burgon** (Leeds East): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what discussions his Department has had with international counterparts on setting a target in the Global Plastics Treaty for reducing plastic production that aligns with the UK's climate targets. (14659)
- 49 **Richard Burgon** (Leeds East): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, if he will make an estimate of the potential impact on greenhouse gas emissions of global adoption of the Bridge to Busan Declaration approach to the Global Plastics Treaty. (14660)
- 50 **Tracy Gilbert** (Edinburgh North and Leith): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether his Department plans to extend Contract for Difference terms in future allocation rounds. (14742)
- 51 **Tracy Gilbert** (Edinburgh North and Leith): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what assessment his Department has made of the potential impact of Transmission Network Use of System charges on the viability of potential renewable energy projects in Scotland. (14743)
- 52 **Tracy Gilbert** (Edinburgh North and Leith): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of reforming the Transmission Network Use of System charges. (14744)
- 53 **Tracy Gilbert** (Edinburgh North and Leith): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what steps his Department is taking to consult with stakeholders ahead of the Contract for Difference Allocation Round 7. (14745)
- 54 **Sarah Hall** (Warrington South): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether he has had discussions with representatives from the energy sector on extending the skills passport to people (a) working in the nuclear sector and (b) entering the nuclear sector from the offshore oil and gas sector. (14721)

- 55 **Tom Hayes** (Bournemouth East): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how much funding he plans to provide through Great British Energy for small modular reactors over the next 10 years. (14867)
- 56 **Tom Hayes** (Bournemouth East): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what steps his Department is taking to (a) identify sites for and (b) deliver small modular nuclear reactors in the South West. (14868)
- 57 **Wera Hobhouse** (Bath): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what proportion of funding from the public purse for Sizewell C has been (a) spent on and (b) committed to companies with headquarters in (i) the UK and (ii) what foreign countries. (14687)
- 58 **Satvir Kaur** (Southampton Test): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what steps he has taken to increase the number of solar panels on new housing developments. (14851)
- 59 **Satvir Kaur** (Southampton Test): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what steps he is taking to help increase access to electric car charging infrastructure for people living in (a) flats and (b) houses without driveways. (14852)
- 60 **Satvir Kaur** (Southampton Test): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether he is taking steps to (a) increase the number of and (b) expand existing community energy schemes. (14853)
- 61 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how many delegates the Government has sent to attend COP 29; and what the cost to the public purse is of the Government's involvement in COP 29. (14729)
- 62 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what the total number of (a) air miles (b) flights conducted by his Department's staff was in each of the last ten years. (14738)
- 63 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what assessment he has made of implications for his policies of the level of methane emissions in (a) 2010 and (b) 2024; and what steps he is taking to reduce those emissions to help the UK meet its 2030 net zero targets. (14608)
- 64 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether he has had discussions with the Secretary of State for Education on steps to increase awareness among young people of potential education and training opportunities in the renewable energy sector. (14609)
- 65 **Alison Taylor** (Paisley and Renfrewshire North): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether the locations of (a) the 80 essential and (b) all 88 network projects in the National Grid's transmission expansion plan have been identified. (14828)

- 66 **Richard Tice** (Boston and Skegness): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what steps his Department (a) is taking and (b) plans to take to ensure energy security during periods where renewable energy sources do not meet demand. (14783)
- 67 **Nick Timothy** (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how many ministerial cars are used by (a) him and (b) Ministers in his Department; and what is the model of those cars. (14814)
- 68 **Lee Anderson** (Ashfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he is taking to increase domestic fuel security, in the context of recent changes to the rules for Agricultural Property Relief. (14651)
- 69 **Mr Peter Bedford** (Mid Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, when he plans to publish guidance on the simpler recycling scheme for local authorities. (14892)
- 70 **Neil Duncan-Jordan** (Poole): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether his Department has made an assessment of the environmental impact of fast fashion. (14840)
- 71 **Dr Luke Evans** (Hinckley and Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 11 November 2024 to Question 12597 on Agriculture: Subsidies, what steps his Department is taking to consult (a) fruit and (b) vegetable growers on future financial aid schemes for the sector. (14691)
- 72 **Dr Luke Evans** (Hinckley and Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 11 November 2024 to Question 12597 on Agriculture: Subsidies, when he plans to make a decision on future financial aid schemes for the sector. (14817)
- 73 **Dr Luke Evans** (Hinckley and Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 11 November to Question 12597 on Agriculture: Subsidies, if he will (a) meet with UK fruit and vegetable growers and (b) provide a communication portal for the submission of views about future financial aid schemes for the sector. (14819)
- 74 **Sarah Gibson** (Chippenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of adopting World Health Organisation Air Standards. (14899)
- 75 **Damian Hinds** (East Hampshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the potential (a) merits, (b) risks and (c) cost to the public purse of the proposed water transfer and recycling project at the Havant Thicket Reservoir. (14595)

- 76 **Damian Hinds** (East Hampshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether he has made an assessment of potential impact of the proposed water transfer and recycling project at the Havant Thicket Reservoir on Hampshire's chalk streams. (14596)
- 77 **Damian Hinds** (East Hampshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent discussions he has had with the Water Commission on the proposed water transfer and recycling project at the Havant Thicket Reservoir. (14597)
- 78 **Damian Hinds** (East Hampshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether he has made an assessment of the potential relevance of international comparisons of the potential (a) merits, (b) risks and (c) costs of proposals for recycling waste water in (i) Havant Thicket and (ii) elsewhere. (14598)
- 79 **Damian Hinds** (East Hampshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what guidance his Department issues on criteria for approval of a water transfer and recycling project. (14599)
- 80 **Satvir Kaur** (Southampton Test): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he is taking to reduce agricultural run-off into rivers and streams. (14854)
- 81 **Satvir Kaur** (Southampton Test): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he is taking to reduce (a) agricultural and (b) horticultural pesticide use. (14855)
- 82 **Joe Morris** (Hexham): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the effectiveness of current payment schemes for upland farmers. (14718)
- 83 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of the implementation of sustainable drainage systems to reduce flood risk. (14613)
- 84 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether he has had discussions with Northern Ireland Water on water quality in Northern Ireland. (14614)
- 85 **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment his Department has made of the potential impact of flooding of agricultural land on UK food security. (14708)
- 86 **Richard Tice** (Boston and Skegness): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment his Department has made of the potential impact of the Autumn Budget 2024 on the (a) resilience of the agricultural supply chain and (b) ability of the sector to meet domestic food demand. (14773)

- 87 **Richard Tice** (Boston and Skegness): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how many enforcement actions his Department has taken against foreign fishing vessels operating illegally in UK waters in each of the last five years. (14801)
- 88 **Sarah Champion** (Rotherham): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, if he will amend the Online Safety Act 2023 to include a statutory code of practice on gendered violence. (14637)
- 89 **Caroline Voaden** (South Devon): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, whether he has made a recent assessment of the potential merits of requiring all communications providers to issue automatic compensation for service outages. (14882)
- 90 **Lee Anderson** (Ashfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps her Department is taking to support local bus services in Ashfield constituency. (14650)
- 91 **Siân Berry** (Brighton Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what data she holds on the (a) age, (b) gender, (c) disability status and (d) other demographic make-up of users of micromobility services. (14884)
- 92 **Julia Buckley** (Shrewsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment she has made of the (a) adequacy of schemes offered by the Government to encourage more people to buy electric vehicles and (b) effectiveness of those schemes in helping the UK reach its net zero targets. (14749)
- 93 **Neil Duncan-Jordan** (Poole): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if she will ensure that any future review of the bus fare cap will take account of (a) young people and (b) low paid workers. (14849)
- 94 **Tom Hayes** (Bournemouth East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of creating a commuter pass similar to the Swiss Half Fare card that allows individuals to pay an upfront premium for a yearly pass and receive half price rail travel. (14765)
- 95 **Tom Hayes** (Bournemouth East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if she will take steps to cap the administration fee charged by third party train ticket websites. (14766)
- 96 **Tom Hayes** (Bournemouth East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if she will take legislative steps to limit the increase in the cost of single journey rail tickets relative to return tickets. (14767)
- 97 **Alex Mayer** (Dunstable and Leighton Buzzard): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether the Network Rail regions will be redrawn. (14733)
- 98 **Alex Mayer** (Dunstable and Leighton Buzzard): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether she has made an assessment of the potential merits of introducing a national standards for bus stops in England and Wales. (14734)

- 99 **Steve Race** (Exeter): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much funding his Department plans to provide for active travel infrastructure in each of the next three financial years. (14706)
- 100 **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether she has had discussions with Network Rail on accelerating the delivery of Access for All schemes. (14709)
- 101 **David Chadwick** (Brecon, Radnor and Cwm Tawe): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of moving Child Maintenance Service payment calculations to a monthly Universal Credit style system. (14887)
- 102 **Neil Duncan-Jordan** (Poole): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of assessing entitlement to benefits on individual income. (14841)
- 103 **Neil Duncan-Jordan** (Poole): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether her Department plans to review the customer relations services of the Child Maintenance Service. (14866)
- 104 **Alex Easton** (North Down): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if her Department will make an assessment of the potential merits of adding a photograph to National Insurance cards issued at the age of 16 to provide photographic identification. (14883)
- 105 **Richard Foord** (Honiton and Sidmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what criteria her Department uses to determine which Personal Independence Payment recipients need to have a regular work capability assessment. (14762)
- 106 **Claire Hazelgrove** (Filton and Bradley Stoke): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment she has made of the adequacy of Disability Living Allowance assessments. (14878)
- 107 **Claire Hazelgrove** (Filton and Bradley Stoke): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps she is taking to ensure that applicants' wellbeing is considered when undergoing an Access to Work assessment. (14879)
- 108 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many and what proportion of people who took an English for Speakers of Other Languages class claimed Universal Credit in the last 12 months; and what the cost to the public purse was of the provision of those classes in the same period. (14785)
- 109 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps she is taking to ensure the accessibility of PIP assessment centres for people with disabilities. (14607)

- 110 **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment her Department has made of the adequacy of the support available to pensioners (a) this winter and (b) in winter 2023/24. (14707)
- 111 **Richard Tice** (Boston and Skegness): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many and what proportion of Universal Credit claimants are not UK citizens. (14782)
- 112 **Josh Babarinde** (Eastbourne): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to reduce waiting times for children from Eastbourne constituency to access support from Sussex CAMHS. (14725)
- 113 **Richard Burgon** (Leeds East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment his Department has made of the potential impact of changes in the number of people working in the social care sector on services for people with disabilities; and what steps he is taking to help improve (a) pay, (b) training, (c) career progression opportunities and (d) other recruitment and retention measures in that sector. (14655)
- 114 **Richard Burgon** (Leeds East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the adequacy of career development and progression opportunities for the social care workforce supporting people with disabilities; and if he will take steps to increase (a) the pay scales of that workforce in line with a minimum of NHS band 3 and (b) other measures that support the (i) development and (ii) retention of that workforce. (14656)
- 115 **Richard Burgon** (Leeds East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans he has to support people with communication needs access (a) online appointment bookings and (b) other digital healthcare services. (14657)
- 116 **Lewis Cocking** (Broxbourne): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department plans to introduce mandatory dementia training for adult social care workers. [R] (14710)
- 117 **Liam Conlon** (Beckenham and Penge): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to (a) to raise awareness of (i) pregnancy and (ii) baby loss and (b) improve bereavement care for (A) mothers and (B) families impacted. (14797)
- 118 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment he has made of the effectiveness of the level of funding available for research into (a) Alzheimer's disease and (b) other forms of dementia. (14638)
- 119 **Neil Duncan-Jordan** (Poole): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the reasons for the increase in the number of children with Special Educational Needs. (14889)

- 120 **Gill Furniss** (Sheffield Brightside and Hillsborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans he has to publish the sixth stage of the Accessible Information Standard. (14676)
- 121 **Gill Furniss** (Sheffield Brightside and Hillsborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will take steps to revise the Accessible Information Standard to improve accessibility to healthcare for deaf people. (14677)
- 122 **Gill Furniss** (Sheffield Brightside and Hillsborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to improve the accessibility of healthcare (a) information and (b) communication for deaf patients using British Sign Language. (14678)
- 123 **Gill Furniss** (Sheffield Brightside and Hillsborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to help ensure greater accessibility to healthcare (a) information and (b) communication for people with sensory impairments. (14679)
- 124 **Gill Furniss** (Sheffield Brightside and Hillsborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure greater accessibility to healthcare for deaf people. (14680)
- 125 **Sarah Hall** (Warrington South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that NHS mental health services do not exclude anyone because of a neurological diagnosis. (14716)
- 126 **Sarah Hall** (Warrington South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that people with Huntington's disease have a named health professional who can coordinate their care. (14717)
- 127 **Sarah Hall** (Warrington South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what discussions (a) he and (b) his officials have had with the hospice and end of life care sector on future funding for the sector. (14720)
- 128 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an assessment of the impact of the increase in employers' National Insurance contributions on care homes. (14578)
- 129 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he plans to publish a review of the potential costs to the NHS of changes to the law on assisted dying. (14582)
- 130 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many irregular migrants have received a waiver from paying the immigration health surcharge in each year since 2017. (14585)

- 131 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many irregular migrants have received a refund for paying the immigration health surcharge since 2017. (14586)
- 132 **Tom Hayes** (Bournemouth East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department plans to restore the Government's Sexwise website. (14764)
- 133 **Tom Hayes** (Bournemouth East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will have discussions with nursing organisations on the nurse registration fee requirement under article 9 of the Nursing and Midwifery Order 2001. (14874)
- 134 **Wera Hobhouse** (Bath): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of changes to National Insurance contributions in the Autumn Budget 2024 on (a) social care and (b) NHS services. (14688)
- 135 **Adam Jogee** (Newcastle-under-Lyme): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of a 21-day diagnosis-to-treatment pathway for people with pancreatic cancer. (14719)
- 136 **Kim Johnson** (Liverpool Riverside): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent correspondence he has received from David Hare, Chief Executive of the Independent Healthcare Providers Network. (14713)
- 137 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many private provider contracts have been commissioned by the NHS to treat irregular migrants each of the last ten years; and what the cost to the public purse was of those contracts. (14728)
- 138 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what data his Department holds on the number of NHS patients who have received (a) translation and (b) interpretation services in each of the last 10 years. (14781)
- 139 **James MacCleary** (Lewes): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to (a) prevent heart disease and stroke, (b) prioritise timely NHS heart care and (c) accelerate research into future treatments and cures. (14839)
- 140 **Ms Julie Minns** (Carlisle): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential implications for his policies of the clinical trial at Mount Sinai Health System, New York, published on 2 October 2024, on treating invasive bladder cancer which avoids removal of the bladder. (14793)
- 141 **Mr Toby Perkins** (Chesterfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will take steps to implement a heart disease action plan. (14602)
- 142 **Joe Robertson** (Isle of Wight East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will take steps to ensure that medical treatment is only provided in appropriate medical settings. (14832)

- 143 **Mark Swards** (Leeds South West and Morley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to support people diagnosed with Ehlers-Danlos syndrome. (14715)
- 144 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has had discussions with the Department of Health in Northern Ireland on improving health outcomes for people on waiting lists for the treatment of endometriosis. (14610)
- 145 **Josh Simons** (Makerfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of support for people who experience migraines; and whether he plans to provide additional support. (14784)
- 146 **Cat Smith** (Lancaster and Wyre): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to announce (a) allocations of public health grants to local authorities and (b) the length of the funding cycle; and if he will take steps to ensure that local authorities have adequate notice of public health grants. (14641)
- 147 **Cat Smith** (Lancaster and Wyre): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to announce (a) whether Drug Strategy funding for drug and alcohol treatment providers will be renewed and at what levels and (b) the length of the funding cycle; and if he will take steps to ensure that local authorities have adequate notice of alcohol and drug treatment funding. (14642)
- 148 **Cat Smith** (Lancaster and Wyre): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he plans to announce the future funding for drug and alcohol treatment provision as part of the Drugs Strategy in time for services to avoid commencing redundancy consultations; and if he will change future treatment funding announcement cycles to give local authorities more time to (a) plan and (b) commission such services. (14643)
- 149 **Richard Tice** (Boston and Skegness): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much and what proportion of NHS funding was spent on (a) administration and (b) patient care in the latest period for which data is available. (14786)
- 150 **Richard Tice** (Boston and Skegness): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many and what proportion of NHS staff are (a) qualified healthcare professionals and (b) administrative staff. (14787)
- 151 **Richard Tice** (Boston and Skegness): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the cost to the public purse was of (a) training and (b) otherwise integrating NHS staff recruited from abroad in the last 12 months. (14788)
- 152 **Nick Timothy** (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 13 November 2024 to Question 12788 on Menopause: Health Services, when the curriculum was introduced; and whether any additional training is provided to GPs after qualifying. (14813)

- 153 **Freddie van Mierlo** (Henley and Thame): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what progress he has made on dementia care in his plans for social care workforce reform; and if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of making dementia training mandatory for adult social care workers as a part of that reform. (14891)
- 154 **Ms Diane Abbott** (Hackney North and Stoke Newington): 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 United Nations Report of the Independent International Commission of Inquiry on the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem, and Israel, published on 10 October 2024. (14577)
- 155 **Phil Brickell** (Bolton West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if he will make an assessment of the potential impact of the meeting between the Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State for the Indo-Pacific and Hong Kong's Convenor of the Executive Council on the human rights situation in Hong Kong. (14702)
- 156 **Ms Stella Creasy** (Walthamstow): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what progress his Department has made on securing the release of Alaa Abd El-Fattah. (14622)
- 157 **Ms Stella Creasy** (Walthamstow): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps the Government plans to take to respond to the Egyptian Government's refusal to (a) release and (b) recognise the British nationality of Alaa Abd El-Fattah. (14623)
- 158N **Alicia Kearns** (Rutland and Stamford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether the Prime Minister made representations to his Azeri counterpart on the case of Gubad Ibadoghlu during his recent visit to Baku. [Transferred] (14478)
- 159 **Chris Law** (Dundee Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, when his Department received the report of the United Nations General Assembly Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices Affecting the Human Rights of the Palestinian People and Other Arabs of the Occupied Territories (A/79/363), and whether he had made an assessment of the potential implication for his policies of that report before his oral statement on the Middle East of 28 October 2024, Official Report, columns 545-547. (14617)
- 160 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent representations he has made to his Saudi counterpart on the (a) policy and (b) scale of capital punishment in that country. (14665)
- 161 **Blair McDougall** (East Renfrewshire): 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 United Nations Working Group on Arbitrary Detention Opinion No. 34/2024 on Jimmy Lai published on 26 September 2024. (14726)

- 162 **Blair McDougall** (East Renfrewshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether his Department's China audit will engage with Hong Kong BNO status holders that live in the UK. (14727)
- 163 **Ms Marie Rimmer** (St Helens South and Whiston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether the Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State (Indo-Pacific) made representations on the non-recognition of the BNO passport by (a) China and (b) Hong Kong during her recent visit to Hong Kong. (14639)
- 164 **Tim Roca** (Macclesfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment his Department has made of the adequacy of the financial situation of the British Council. (14865)
- 165 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent discussions has he had with counterparts in Malaysia about reports of persecution of (a) Shia and (b) Ahmadiyya Muslims in that country. (14620)
- 166 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of targeted sanctions against violators of freedom of religion or belief in Iran. (14621)
- 167 **Richard Tice** (Boston and Skegness): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what (a) diplomatic and (b) operational steps his Department has taken to help secure the release of (i) Emily Damari and (ii) other hostages held by Hamas in the last three months; how many (A) instances of direct engagement and (B) negotiations involving UK officials have taken place in this period; and what measurable outcomes he can provide to demonstrate progress in this area. (14791)
- 168 **Mr Peter Bedford** (Mid Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many Albanian nationals have been deported in 2024; and whether any individuals deported in 2024 have since re-entered the UK. (14893)
- 169 **Ellie Chowns** (North Herefordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of the disbanding of Multi-Agency Assurance Panels on independent assurance of National Referral Mechanism decisions in the review of negative Conclusive Grounds decisions by the Single Competent Authority and Immigration Enforcement Competent Authority to identify victims of modern slavery; and if she will make it her policy to reinstate a MAAP assurance process that (a) tests consistency of decision-making and (b) protects the individual concerned. (14885)
- 170 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she has taken to work with stakeholders in the Fire and Rescue services to establish national standards. (14690)

- 171 **Tracy Gilbert** (Edinburgh North and Leith): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to support migrant victims of domestic abuse. (14759)
- 172 **Tracy Gilbert** (Edinburgh North and Leith): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether her Department plans to continue to fund the Support for Migrant Victims Scheme beyond March 2025. (14760)
- 173 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether she has had recent discussions with her Vietnamese counterpart on illegal immigration into the UK. (14580)
- 174 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether she has had recent discussions with her Turkish counterpart on illegal immigration into the UK. (14581)
- 175 **Julia Lopez** (Hornchurch and Upminster): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many new hotels she has awarded contracts to for housing asylum seekers since 4 July 2024. (14681)
- 176 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many repeat deportations there were in each of the last ten years. (14737)
- 177 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many deportations have been prevented through use of the European Convention on Human Rights in each of the last 10 years. (14746)
- 178 **Neil O'Brien** (Harborough, Oadby and Wigston): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many people were served with a notice of liability to remove in each year since 2004. (14670)
- 179 **Richard Tice** (Boston and Skegness): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many individuals have been granted indefinite leave to remain in each of the last five years, broken down by (a) visa category and (b) country of origin. (14770)
- 180 **Richard Tice** (Boston and Skegness): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many individuals have been granted indefinite leave to remain in each of the last five years, broken down by the individual's (a) occupation and (b) employment sector. (14771)
- 181 **Richard Tice** (Boston and Skegness): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much was spent on (a) housing and (b) supporting individuals who entered the United Kingdom illegally in each of the last five years. (14776)

- 182 **Richard Tice** (Boston and Skegness): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will take steps to ensure that illegal entrants to the United Kingdom are (a) detained and (b) promptly removed; and how many and what proportion of those illegal entrants have been (i) detained and (ii) removed in each of the last five years. (14779)
- 183 **Richard Tice** (Boston and Skegness): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what data her Department holds on the staff time taken to (a) record and (b) investigate (i) non-crime hate incidents and (ii) suspected criminal offences in each of the last five years; what the cost of that work was; and what proportion of total (A) spending and (B) staff time was spent on such work. (14789)
- 184 **Richard Tice** (Boston and Skegness): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many police officers have surrendered firearms licences in the last 12 months; and what data her Department holds on the reasons recorded for those surrenders. (14790)
- 185 **Nick Timothy** (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the answer of 14 November 2024 to Question 12771 on Home Office: Hope not Hate, what information her Department holds on (a) the name of, (b) the purpose of and (c) other organisations invited to the stakeholder forums that officials attended with Hope not Hate. (14748)
- 186 **Nick Timothy** (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what contracts have been agreed with private companies to provide healthcare for asylum seekers and refugees since 5 July 2024. (14805)
- 187 **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central and West): To ask the hon. Member for Blaenau Gwent and Rhymney, representing the House of Commons Commission, what progress the Commission has made in making AI technology available to help hon. members in their constituency work. (14618)
- 188 **Nick Timothy** (West Suffolk): To ask the Leader of the House, pursuant to her Answer in Business Questions of 17 October 2024, Official Report, column 1000, whether she has asked the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care to come to the House with an update on the Cass review. (14804)
- 189 **Mr Peter Bedford** (Mid Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps he is taking with the Secretary of State for Education to recruit young people into the armed forces. (14894)
- 190 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether British servicemen at UK nuclear weapons tests had their blood counts monitored after the programme had concluded. (14583)
- 191 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will make it his policy to support a one-year special tribunal for nuclear test veterans, in the context of their access to (a) medical records and (b) compensation. (14584)

- 192 **Claire Hazelgrove** (Filton and Bradley Stoke): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will make an assessment of the potential impact of the procurement of the A400M Atlas Aircraft on (a) national security, (b) the number of skilled jobs in the defence sector in (i) Filton and Bradley Stoke constituency and (ii) England and (c) economic growth. (14877)
- 193 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what estimate his Department has made of the number of homeless veterans. (14735)
- 194 **Neil O'Brien** (Harborough, Oadby and Wigston): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what assessment he has made of the impact of the collapse of Reaction Engines Ltd on the UK Hypersonic Air Vehicle programme. (14667)
- 195 **Julia Buckley** (Shrewsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of granting a presumptive right to install electric vehicle chargers at their own cost to people living in rented accommodation. (14750)
- 196 **Richard Burgon** (Leeds East): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether her Department is taking steps to help ensure that people working in the social care sector have access to social and affordable housing in proximity of their place of work and community networks; and what plans she has to increase the supply of affordable housing stock in areas of high demand. (14658)
- 197 **Neil Duncan-Jordan** (Poole): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps she is taking to provide financial support to local authorities for SEND provision after March 2026. (14895)
- 198 **Amanda Hack** (North West Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what recent steps her Department has taken to reduce backlogs of cases before the Planning Inspectorate. (14754)
- 199 **James MacCleary** (Lewes): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, if she will support investment in (a) community-led developments and (b) co-housing. (14838)
- 200 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what her planned timetable is for changes to the exceptional financial support framework for local authorities. (14875)
- 201 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, if she will make an assessment of levels of local authority compliance with her Department's Homelessness code of guidance for local authorities, published on 22 February 2018, in each of the last five years. (14876)

- 202 **Neil O'Brien** (Harborough, Oadby and Wigston): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether she plans to amend the National Planning Policy Framework to allow almshouse charities that are not registered providers to receive Section 106 funds for the provision of affordable housing. (14671)
- 203 **Rebecca Smith** (South West Devon): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment she has made of the implications for her Department's policies of the recommendations in the report entitled Homes for All published by the Church of England and the Nationwide Foundation in April 2024. (14900)
- 204 **Freddie van Mierlo** (Henley and Thame): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of increasing protections for (a) the Chilterns national landscape and (b) other national landscapes under the national planning policy framework. (14870)
- 205 **Luke Akehurst** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what assessment she has made of the adequacy of legal aid provision in cases relating to disputes in the benefits system. (14768)
- 206 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many and what proportion of convictions for child sex offences did not result in a custodial sentence in in each of the last ten years. (14730)
- 207 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many individuals per nationality were convicted of child sex offences in each of the last ten years. (14731)
- 208 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many individuals with Application Registration Cards were (a) arrested and (b) convicted in the last 12 months. (14761)
- 209 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many convictions for burglary there were in the last 12 months. (14612)
- 210 **Freddie van Mierlo** (Henley and Thame): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what recent assessment she has made of the adequacy of the implementation of restorative justice in the criminal justice system. (14862)
- 211 **Caroline Voaden** (South Devon): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what steps she is taking to help ensure that victims of domestic abuse are supported through the family courts system. (14829)
- 212 **Caroline Voaden** (South Devon): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what steps her Department is taking to help ensure children's wishes are considered by the Family Court during a hearing. (14830)

- 213 **Melanie Ward** (Cowdenbeath and Kirkcaldy): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what the average processing time for the Criminal Injury Compensation Scheme was in each of the last five years. (14842)
- 214 **Dr Al Pinkerton** (Surrey Heath): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, what discussions he has had with the (a) Secretary of State for Health and Social Care and (b) Northern Ireland Executive on access to a UK-wide compensation scheme for victims of fetal valproate syndrome in Northern Ireland. (14888)
- 215 **Mike Wood** (Kingswinford and South Staffordshire): To ask the Prime Minister, whether (a) he, (b) his special advisers and (c) officials in his Department met with representatives of Tiktok between 5 July and 7 October 2024. (14636)
- 216 **John Lamont** (Berwickshire, Roxburgh and Selkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Scotland, how often the Scottish Seafood Industry Action Group has met since 5 July 2024. (14682)
- 217 **John Lamont** (Berwickshire, Roxburgh and Selkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Scotland, when the Scottish Seafood Industry Action Group will next meet. (14683)
- 218 **John Lamont** (Berwickshire, Roxburgh and Selkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Scotland, what discussions he has with the Scottish Government on funding of the feasibility study for the Borders Railway extension. (14684)
- 219 **John Lamont** (Berwickshire, Roxburgh and Selkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Scotland, what discussions he has had with the Secretary of State for Transport on funding of the feasibility study for the extension of the Borders Railway. (14685)
- 220 **John Lamont** (Berwickshire, Roxburgh and Selkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Scotland, what discussions his officials have had with Scottish Borders Council on funding of the feasibility study for the extension of the Borders Railway. (14686)
- 221 **Mike Amesbury** (Runcorn and Helsby): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, for what reason Agricultural Property Relief will be reduced by 50% for farms worth more than £1 million. (14640)
- 222 **Julia Buckley** (Shrewsbury): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if she will make an assessment of the potential (a) impact of green levies on electricity bills on electric vehicle drivers who charge their vehicles at home and (b) merits of imposing green levies on gas only. (14751)
- 223 **Ian Byrne** (Liverpool West Derby): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of ending the Sovereign Grant and redirecting those funds to help tackle increases in the cost-of-living for low income households. (14798)

- 224 **John Glen** (Salisbury): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if she will make an estimate of the number of estates that will be eligible to pay inheritance tax for each year till 2028. (14600)
- 225 **John Glen** (Salisbury): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if she will reimburse women's domestic violence refugees from the higher cost of employers national insurance contributions. (14601)
- 226 **John Glen** (Salisbury): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, pursuant to the answer of 11 November 2024 to Question 12552 on Employers' Contributions: Hospices, what definition of the public sector her Department plans to use to decide whether to allocate funding for the cost of higher National Insurance; and how funding will be allocated to devolved public bodies in (a) Wales, (b) Scotland and (c) Northern Ireland. (14624)
- 227 **John Glen** (Salisbury): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, pursuant to the Answer of 11 November 2024 to Question 12457 on Music Venues: Business Rates, what the cost of Retail, Hospitality and Leisure business rate relief in 2024-25. (14625)
- 228 **John Glen** (Salisbury): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, pursuant to the Answer of 11 November 2024 to Question 12848, on Employers' Contributions: GP's, what (a) assessment she has made of the impact of changes to National Insurance contributions on social care providers and (b) estimate she has made of how much and what proportion of local authorities' social care budgets will be spent on increases to social care costs. (14626)
- 229 **John Glen** (Salisbury): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to the published correspondence from the Office for Budget Responsibility of 27 October 2024 to the Shadow Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will place in the Library a copy of the advice provided by the Cabinet Office to the Office for Budget Responsibility. (14628)
- 230 **John Glen** (Salisbury): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, pursuant to the Answer of 4 October 2024 to Question 4696 on Government Department: Cost Effectiveness, if she will list each efficiency saving and its value for the (a) 2024-25 and (b) 2025-26 financial years. (14629)
- 231 **John Glen** (Salisbury): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, pursuant to the Answer of 22 October 2024 to Question 8130 on Public Sector: Pay, what the gross cost was of the pay mandates for rail staff. (14630)
- 232 **John Glen** (Salisbury): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, pursuant to the Answer of 22 October 2024 to Question 8130 on Public Sector: Pay, what the gross cost was of the doctors pay deal. (14631)
- 233 **Marie Goldman** (Chelmsford): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if she will make an assessment of the potential impact of proposed changes to alcohol duty on the wine industry. (14800)

- 234 **Wera Hobhouse** (Bath): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of changes made to National Insurance contributions at the Autumn Budget 2024 on not-for-profit social care providers. (14689)
- 235 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what estimate she has made of the number of farms that will be affected by changes to agricultural property relief in Essex in each of the next five years. (14881)
- 236 **Alex Sobel** (Leeds Central and Headingley): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if she will request that the Gambling Commission provide an overview of where (a) the Health Lottery and (b) other large scale lotteries have not fulfilled their social responsibility duties; and if she will take steps as a result of this overview. (14697)
- 237 **Richard Tice** (Boston and Skegness): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment her Department has made of the potential impact of the Autumn Budget 2024 on the (a) profitability and (b) sustainability of farming businesses. (14772)
- 238 **Nick Timothy** (West Suffolk): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment she has made of the impact of increasing employer's National Insurance contributions on charities in (a) the East of England, and (b) the rest of the UK. (14806)
- 239 **Freddie van Mierlo** (Henley and Thame): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of proposed business property relief changes on small family businesses. (14860)
- 240 **Melanie Ward** (Cowdenbeath and Kirkcaldy): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps she is taking to (a) review and (b) consult on the rate of statutory sick pay in the Spring 2025 Spending Review. (14837)

Questions for Answer on Thursday 21 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 21 October 2024 to Question 8125 on Government Departments: Staff, if he will publish an updated organogram for his Department on data.gov.uk. (14901)
- 2N **Mr Richard Holden** (Basildon and Billericay): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, with reference to the Answer of 15 June 2023 to Question 188973 on Civil Servants: Secondment, whether he has taken steps to increase the data available. (14703)

- 3N **Liam Byrne** (Birmingham Hodge Hill and Solihull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, on how many occasions the Export Controls Joint Unit has initiated a Change in Circumstances Review assessment since January 2020; and what the destination country was in each case. (14592)
- 4N **Neil Coyle** (Bermondsey and Old Southwark): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of introducing grants to enable small and medium-sized film and TV production companies to attend trade fairs. (14616)
- 5N **Andrew Griffith** (Arundel and South Downs): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, pursuant to the answer of 14 November 2024 to Question 13639 on Crawford Falconer, whether he plans to recruit a new Second Permanent Secretary and Chief Trade Negotiation Adviser. (14818)
- 6N **Andrew Griffith** (Arundel and South Downs): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how many officials from his Department travelled to Baku to (a) attend and (b) support COP29 in the last 3 months. (14820)
- 7N **Andrew Griffith** (Arundel and South Downs): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how many items of ministerial correspondence received by his Department have not received a reply within 14 days of receipt in the last three months. (14821)
- 8N **Andrew Griffith** (Arundel and South Downs): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how many officials in his Department worked from home for more than one day a week on average over the month to 30 October 2024. (14823)
- 9N **Dr Ben Spencer** (Runnymede and Weybridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of the Post Office board. (14809)
- 10N **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what plans she has to extend the Listed Places of Worship Grants scheme beyond March 2025. (14701)
- 11N **Neil O'Brien** (Harborough, Oadby and Wigston): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, when her Department plans to make an announcement on the future of the Listed Place of Worship Grant Scheme. (14664)
- 12N **Dr Danny Chambers** (Winchester): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to paragraph 3.46 of the Autumn Budget 2024, published on 30 October, how she plans to distribute the £300 million for further education in England. (14831)
- 13N **Neil Duncan-Jordan** (Poole): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what the criteria were for award of the contract for Research on the operation and impact of Safety Valve agreements on children, young people and their families. (14847)

- 14N **Laura Trott** (Sevenoaks): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether increased costs from employer national insurance contributions will be taken into account in the childcare funding formula. (14644)
- 15N **Laura Trott** (Sevenoaks): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many pupils have an (a) education, health and care plan and (b) a named school in each (i) region, (ii) local authority and (iii) constituency. (14645)
- 16N **Laura Trott** (Sevenoaks): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps her Department is taking to ensure mobile phones are not a distraction in (a) primary and (b) secondary schools. (14646)
- 17N **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 help improve the (a) health and (b) welfare of farm animals. (14675)
- 18N **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what definition of farm his Department used to estimate the number of farms affected by changes to agricultural property relief. (14824)
- 19N **Manuela Perteghella** (Stratford-on-Avon): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the (a) costs and (b) impact of the Border Target Operating Model on Environmental Horticulture businesses. (14722)
- 20N **Dr Ben Spencer** (Runnymede and Weybridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what discussions he has had with Ofwat on the potential impact of proposed changes to employers National Insurance contributions on the financial resilience of water companies. (14792)
- 21N **Dr Ben Spencer** (Runnymede and Weybridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether he plans to regulate professional dog walkers. (14802)
- 22N **David Davis** (Goole and Pocklington): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, with reference to the Answer of 14 May 2024 to Question 24976 on Artificial Intelligence: Government Departments, what recent estimate he has made of when phase one Departments will publish their first Algorithmic Transparency Recording Standard (ATRS) records on the ATRS hub. (14587)
- 23N **David Davis** (Goole and Pocklington): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, with reference to the report entitled Securing meaningful transparency of public sector use of AI: Comparative approaches across five jurisdictions, published by the Public Law Project in October 2024, whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of putting public sector compliance with the Algorithmic Transparency Recording Standard on a statutory footing. (14588)

- 24N **David Davis** (Goole and Pocklington): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, with reference to the report entitled Securing meaningful transparency of public sector use of AI: Comparative approaches across five jurisdictions, published by the Public Law Project in October 2024, whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of introducing a requirement on public bodies to notify individuals when a decision has been taken about them that was (a) made and (b) supported by (i) AI, (ii) an algorithmic and (iii) automated tool. (14589)
- 25N **David Davis** (Goole and Pocklington): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, with reference to the report entitled Securing meaningful transparency of public sector use of AI: Comparative approaches across five jurisdictions, published by the Public Law Project in October 2024, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of introducing a requirement on public bodies, when a decision has been taken about an individual that was (a) made and (b) supported by (i) AI, (ii) an algorithmic and (iii) automated tool, to proactively provide an explanation of (A) how and (B) why the decision was reached. (14605)
- 26N **Dr Simon Opher** (Stroud): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of introducing further regulations on X to tackle the spread the of (a) disinformation and (b) misinformation. (14757)
- 27N **Greg Smith** (Mid Buckinghamshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, if he will have discussions with the Advertising Standards Authority on the mis-advertising of part-copper broadband. (14700)
- 28N **Dr Danny Chambers** (Winchester): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether she plans to change the level of train fares on South Western Railways when it is taken into public ownership. (14850)
- 29N **Helen Morgan** (North Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if her Department will publish the criteria used to decide the bus service improvement plan funding allocations for 2025-26. (14810)
- 30N **Helen Morgan** (North Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether her Department made an assessment of Shropshire Council's Bus Service Improvement Plan before deciding the authority's 2025-26 funding. (14815)
- 31N **Helen Morgan** (North Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether her Department took into account the scale of the reduction in bus miles in each authority area over the past five years when allocating Bus Service Improvement Plan funding for 2025-26. (14816)
- 32N **Dr Simon Opher** (Stroud): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment she has made of the effectiveness of the Cycle to Work Scheme in improving cycle ownership among people on low incomes. (14753)

- 33N **Laurence Turner** (Birmingham Northfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many live bus service registrations there were in (a) Birmingham and (b) the West Midlands in (i) 2009-10 and (ii) 2023-24. (14896)
- 34N **Richard Burgon** (Leeds East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to the Written Statement of 8 October 2024 on DWP Fraud, Error and Debt Bill, HCWS114, what estimate her Department has made of the proportion of the £1.6 billion saved over the next five year period will be due to tackling (a) fraud, (b) error and (c) debt in each of the next five years. (14653)
- 35N **Richard Burgon** (Leeds East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what estimate her Department has made of the total amount lost to personal independence payment (a) fraud and (b) over-payment in financial year (a) 2023-24 and (b) 2024-25. (14654)
- 36N **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what recent estimate she has made of the average time taken to respond to hon. Members correspondence to her Department. (14674)
- 37N **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the average waiting time is for an ADHD Assessment in (a) Slough constituency and (b) the South East. (14698)
- 38N **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent steps he has taken to reduce the waiting time for ADHD assessments. (14699)
- 39N **Jim Dickson** (Dartford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to improve access to NHS dentistry in Dartford constituency. (14863)
- 40N **Monica Harding** (Esher and Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he plans to take to improve the (a) performance of and (b) patient experience at the GP practices in the bottom 5% of the 2024 GP Patient Survey. (14856)
- 41N **Monica Harding** (Esher and Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the average per-patient funding for GP practices was in (a) England and (b) NHS Surrey Heartlands in 2023-4. (14857)
- 42N **Monica Harding** (Esher and Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the average GP practice patient list is; what the largest patient list was at a GP practice in 2023-4; and what assessment his Department has made of the potential impact of GP list sizes on patient (a) experience and (b) outcomes. (14858)
- 43N **Leigh Ingham** (Stafford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an assessment of the potential impact of changes to (a) funding and (b) National Insurance contributions at the Autumn Budget 2024 on hospices. (14897)

- 44N **Dr Simon Opher** (Stroud): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential health benefits of improving access to cycles for people on low incomes. (14752)
- 45N **Nick Timothy** (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 31 October 2024 to Question 10237 on Gender Identity Services for Children and Young People Independent Review, when he plans to update the House on further developments. (14803)
- 46N **Liam Byrne** (Birmingham Hodge Hill and Solihull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, when his Department's International Humanitarian Law Compliance Assessment Process Cell made its most recent assessment of Israel's compliance with International Humanitarian Law. (14591)
- 47N **Ruth Jones** (Newport West and Islwyn): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether his Department is taking steps to help secure the release of Ahmadiyya Muslims detained under blasphemy laws in Pakistan. (14672)
- 48N **Ruth Jones** (Newport West and Islwyn): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if he will have discussions with international organisations on potential steps to support Ahmadiyya Muslims in Pakistan. (14673)
- 49N **Shaun Davies** (Telford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what her planned timetable is for the introduction of Respect Orders. (14741)
- 50N **Dame Caroline Dinenage** (Gosport): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what estimate she has made of the headcount of the Security Industry Agency in each financial year between 2024-25 and 2028-29. (14590)
- 51N **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many (a) enforced, (b) voluntary and (c) port returns have taken place each month since July 2024. (14822)
- 52N **Nick Timothy** (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether criminal charges (a) have been made and (b) convictions have been secured against Sri Lankan nationals on Diego Garcia by BIOT authorities. (14747)
- 53N **Liam Byrne** (Birmingham Hodge Hill and Solihull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what progress his Department has made on commissioning a new Defence Industrial Strategy. (14593)
- 54N **Liam Byrne** (Birmingham Hodge Hill and Solihull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps his Department plans to take to meet the NATO defence industrial capacity expansion pledge; and how this will be incorporated into developing the new Defence Industrial Strategy. (14594)

- 55N **Helen Maguire** (Epsom and Ewell): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will make an assessment of the effectiveness of NATO's readiness, in the context of potential changes in policy from the incoming United States administration. (14886)
- 56N **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the new operational establishment is for a heavy mechanised infantry battalion. (14825)
- 57N **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much has been allocated from his Department's budget to the Commonwealth War Graves Commission for (a) 2023/24, (b) 2024/25 and (c) 2025/26. (14827)
- 58N **Tom Hayes** (Bournemouth East): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, with reference to page 58 of the Autumn Budget 2024, HC 295, what plans she has to include (a) parish and (b) town councils in (i) consultations and (ii) subsequent work by her Department on moving towards simpler administrative structures for local areas and if she will make an assessment of the adequacy of her Department's consultation with such councils on those plans as of 18 November 2024. (14871)
- 59N **Dr Simon Opher** (Stroud): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, if she will set out her timeline for the implementation of the Leasehold and Freehold Reform Act 2024. (14756)
- 60N **Neil O'Brien** (Harborough, Oadby and Wigston): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, pursuant to the Answer of 11 November 2024 to Question 12200 on Reoffenders: Foreign Nationals, if she will publish a breakdown of the offences committed by reoffending foreign nationals by main offence group. (14652)
- 61N **Mike Wood** (Kingswinford and South Staffordshire): To ask the Prime Minister, pursuant to the Answer of 14 October 2024 to Question 6071 on Prime Minister: Correspondence, if he will publish his response. (14632)
- 62N **Mike Wood** (Kingswinford and South Staffordshire): To ask the Prime Minister, pursuant to the Answer of 11 October 2024 to Question 5577 on Chequers: Official Visits, how many external guests have visited Chequers since 5 July 2024. (14633)
- 63N **Mike Wood** (Kingswinford and South Staffordshire): To ask the Prime Minister, whether the new Ethics and Integrity Commission will be established on a statutory basis. (14634)
- 64N **Neil Coyle** (Bermondsey and Old Southwark): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of broadening the definition of research and development activities that qualify for tax relief to include research and development undertaken by creative industries. (14615)
- 65N **Andrew Griffith** (Arundel and South Downs): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, pursuant to the Answer of 14 November 2024 to Question 13640 on Hospitality Industry and Retail Trade: Business Rates, when she plans to (a) begin and (b) complete the revaluation that is to produce the referenced revaluation outcomes. (14826)

- 66N **Mike Martin** (Tunbridge Wells): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what estimate she has made of the potential impact of disguised employment practices in the hair and beauty sector on (a) VAT and (b) National Insurance revenue. (14890)
- 67N **Sarah Owen** (Luton North): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps she is taking to support first time buyers with stamp duty. (14692)
- 68N **Sir Desmond Swayne** (New Forest West): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps she is taking to enable private schools to register for VAT. (14576)

Questions for Answer on Monday 25 November

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Ian Sollom** (St Neots and Mid Cambridgeshire): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, with reference to the policy paper entitled Infected Blood Compensation Scheme overview: Living infected persons, published on 23 August 2024, when he plans to publish further evidence requirements for people infected with Hepatitis C after 1991. (14774)
- 2N **Ian Sollom** (St Neots and Mid Cambridgeshire): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether Infected Blood compensation payments to affected (a) siblings, (b) children and (c) parents of deceased infected people will be given the same priority as those to living infected people. (14775)
- 3N **Ian Sollom** (St Neots and Mid Cambridgeshire): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, if he will ensure that affected (a) siblings, (b) children and (c) parents of deceased infected people receive the same Infected Blood compensation payments as affected partners of deceased people. (14777)
- 4N **Ian Sollom** (St Neots and Mid Cambridgeshire): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, if he will take steps to ensure that information on the Infected Blood Compensation Scheme Summary gov.uk webpage remains (a) readily available, (b) accessible to the public and (c) up to date. (14778)
- 5N **Ian Sollom** (St Neots and Mid Cambridgeshire): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, if he will ensure that Infected Blood compensation payments to the estates of deceased infected people are the same as those for living infected people. (14780)
- 6N **Mr Toby Perkins** (Chesterfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much funding her Department provides to the educating organisation as an annual per pupil rate for an A Level student studying at (a) school, (b) sixth form college and (c) further education college. (14603)

- 7N **Mr Toby Perkins** (Chesterfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment she has made of the effectiveness of the requirement for students studying Level 2 FE college courses to also study Maths and English GCSE if they have not already achieved that standard prior to enrolling on that course. (14604)
- 8N **Tom Hayes** (Bournemouth East): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether his Department has set a target for the for the share of power to be provided by (a) small modular reactors and (b) other nuclear power by 2035. (14869)
- 9N **Josh Newbury** (Cannock Chase): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of a mandatory charge for single-use coffee cups. (14740)
- 10N **Sarah Bool** (South Northamptonshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of introducing legislative proposals to recognise development of diabetes (a) care and (b) management for drivers with group 2 licences. (14859)
- 11N **Shaun Davies** (Telford): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if she will publish the performance of Transport for Wales trains from Aberystwyth to Birmingham International via Telford in both directions; and what steps she plans to take to help improve performance. (14724)
- 12N **Samantha Niblett** (South Derbyshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps she is taking to improve access to public transport in rural communities in (a) Derbyshire and (b) the UK. (14812)
- 13N **Tom Hayes** (Bournemouth East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment has he made of the adequacy of the NHS continuing healthcare programme. (14864)
- 14N **Tom Hayes** (Bournemouth East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of amending article 9 of the Nursing and Midwifery Order 2001 to abolish the registration fee requirement. (14873)
- 15N **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what his Department's policy is on legalising medicinal cannabis. (14627)
- 16N **Samantha Niblett** (South Derbyshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking to support the people of Ukraine through (a) medical and (b) educational aid. (14811)
- 17N **Mr James Cleverly** (Braintree): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether she plans to shut down the asylum reception centre at the former RAF Wethersfield. (14619)

- 18N **Shaun Davies** (Telford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the capacity of fire and rescue services in England to respond to flooding. [Transferred] (14493)
- 19N **Shaun Davies** (Telford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether she has made an assessment of the potential merits of introducing a statutory duty on fire and rescue services in England to respond to major flooding events. [Transferred] (14494)
- 20N **Samantha Niblett** (South Derbyshire): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what plans she has to further support (a) Ukrainian refugees and (b) those who are hosting Ukrainian refugees in (i) Derbyshire and (ii) the East Midlands. (14808)
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Questions for Answer on Friday 29 November

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Manuela Perteghella** (Stratford-on-Avon): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will make an assessment of the adequacy of (a) levels of risk and (b) rates of checks on plants at the UK border. (14723)