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Early Day Motions tabled on Monday 20 January 2025

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New EDMs

654 **50 years of St Bride's Primary School**

Tabled: **20/01/25** Signatories: **1**

Gordon McKee

That this House congratulates the pupils, staff and parents of St Bride's Primary School in Govanhill on its 50th anniversary; recognises the commitment of staff, who go above and beyond each day to inspire children and give them the tools necessary to succeed; and celebrates the cultural diversity of the pupil roll, with over 16 nationalities present and 22 languages spoken.

655 **Social housing in rural areas**

Tabled: **20/01/25** Signatories: **1**

Edward Morello

That this House recognises the importance of providing high-quality social housing to all residents, particularly in rural areas such as West Dorset; calls on the Government to ensure better minimum energy performance certificate standards and build quality for both existing and new social housing developments; notes that energy-efficient homes reduce environmental impact, lower energy bills, and alleviate financial burdens on low-income households; and urges the Government to prioritise policies that promote sustainable, energy-efficient, and

affordable housing as part of a broader strategy to address the housing crisis and combat climate change.

656 **Congratulations to Catch Fish and Chips, Giffnock**

Tabled: **20/01/25** Signatories: 1

Blair McDougall

That this House believes that nothing is better than good fish and chips; notes that Catch Fish and Chips in Giffnock have been recognised as one of the ten best fish and chip restaurants by the 2025 Fry Magazine awards; congratulates the owners and staff on this achievement; and looks forward to many more years where catch sell their delicious food to the people of Giffnock and wider East Renfrewshire.

657 **Bradford UK City of Culture**

Tabled: **20/01/25** Signatories: 1

Mr Gregory Campbell

That this House notes that January 2025 begins Bradford's year as UK City of Culture; recognises the many artistic and cultural events that take place to help promote each winner of the title since Londonderry became the first UK city to win the award in 2013; and expresses the hope that as the year progresses lessons from previous years can be learnt so that at the close of the year communities throughout the city see benefits that extend beyond the year itself.

658 **Sale of caged hens' eggs**

Tabled: **20/01/25** Signatories: 1

Adam Dance

That this House recognises the United Kingdom's long-standing leadership in animal welfare and its commitment to maintaining the highest standards in farming; celebrates the dedication and innovation of British farmers in producing high-quality food while improving animal welfare standards; acknowledges the significant public concern about the welfare of laying hens in caged systems and the evidence of improved health, welfare, and natural behaviours in cage-free systems; notes research showing that free-range eggs often provide better nutritional value for consumers; commends the ongoing efforts by farmers and retailers to transition to higher-welfare systems; further notes the steps taken by other countries to phase out caged systems and the growing demand for ethical and sustainable food production; and calls on the Government to work collaboratively with industry, farmers, and stakeholders to develop a clear and fair timeline for ending the sale of eggs from caged hens in the UK by 2030, ensuring a fair transition for producers, supporting investment in alternative systems, and maintaining the UK's position as a global leader in animal welfare.

659 Hospices and palliative careTabled: **20/01/25** Signatories: **1****Edward Morello**

That this House recognises the essential care provided by hospices and other palliative care providers, such as Weldmar Hospicecare and Julia's House in Dorset, including end-of-life support and specialist care for seriously ill children; notes with concern that only 8% of Julia's House's income comes from public funding and that Weldmar Hospicecare is forecasting a deficit of over £1 million; further notes that hospices alleviate significant pressure on the NHS; and calls on the Government to fix the postcode lottery in palliative care, and ensure all hospices are properly resourced under a fair funding deal, with specific consideration for children's hospices and those providing specialist care, to ensure they can continue to deliver vital services for vulnerable residents.

660 Support for SMEs in coastal and farming constituenciesTabled: **20/01/25** Signatories: **1****Edward Morello**

That this House acknowledges the detrimental impact of National Insurance contribution rises and higher business rates on small and medium enterprises (SMEs), particularly in coastal and farming constituencies like West Dorset; notes that these sectors are essential for tourism and seasonal employment but are disproportionately affected by these financial pressures; calls for fundamental reform of the business rates system to support small businesses and high streets while stopping the penalisation of productive investment; and further calls on the Government to take immediate action to alleviate the financial burden on SMEs before it forces closures that will devastate local economies.

661 Wassailing in SomersetTabled: **20/01/25** Signatories: **1****Sarah Dyke**

That this House celebrates the tradition of wassailing, a pagan ceremony deeply rooted in Somerset's cultural heritage; notes that this Anglo-Saxon and Celtic custom involves blessing orchards to ensure a fruitful apple harvest for the year ahead; recognises that this tradition, which typically takes place on Old Twelfth Night, 17 January, involves singing, chanting, beating pots and pans and pouring cider or apple juice around the base of the largest or oldest tree in the orchard in the hope of warding off evil spirits to ensure a bountiful crop, before sharing a traditional wassail drink of cider blended with honey and spices; highlights the cultural and communal significance of wassailing in Somerset in bringing communities together; celebrates

the importance of support for traditional cider producers, using British homegrown apples to create premium natural cider, superior in quality to sugar-laden cider made with concentrate, which circumvents the governments stipulation that cider must contain a minimum of 35% juice; acknowledges that the product's ability to evade government legislation is a leading reason why so many traditional orchards have been felled; calls on the government to strengthen their support for local orchards in Somerset and across the country to secure fair prices throughout the supply chain; and recognises the need to give the Grocery Code Adjudicator more powers to protect consumers and producers from unfair prices.

662 Royal Society for the Protection of Birds Big Garden Birdwatch 2025

Tabled: **20/01/25** Signatories: **1**

Jim Shannon

That this House notes the Royal Society for the Protection of Birds (RSPB) annual Big Garden Birdwatch 2025; highlights that across the UK, 600,000 people took part in Big Garden Birdwatch 2024, counting an incredible 9.7 million birds; further notes that house sparrows took the top spot, but counts of these birds are down by 60% compared to the first birdwatch in 1979; underlines that we have lost 38 million birds from UK skies in the last 60 years; further highlights that there are 342,587 people already signed up and that this is a fantastic opportunity to get involved in nature; and thanks the RSPB for all they do and encourages everyone to consider taking part in this years Birdwatch 2025.

663 Cervical Cancer Prevention Week 2025

Tabled: **20/01/25** Signatories: **1**

Jim Shannon

That this House notes Cervical Cancer Prevention Week 2025, which takes place from 20 to 26 January; highlights that cervical screening is not easy for many, but screening is estimated to save 5,000 lives a year across the UK; underlines that this week is a chance to support and empower individuals to take control of their health, and that it is also a time to advocate for better access to resources and education around cervical health; further notes by working together as a community, people can break down stigmas, encourage conversations and make cervical cancer awareness and cancer prevention a priority; thanks the wonderful NHS for all they do to support women through cervical cancer prevention; and calls on the Government to support calls to review and lessen the age for commencement of cervical screening.

664 Congratulations to President TrumpTabled: **20/01/25** Signatories: **2****Jim Allister**
Richard Tice

That this House congratulates Donald Trump on his inauguration as 47th President of the United States of America; and looks forward to the leader of the free world defending national sovereignty and borders and insisting that the EU's colonial control of the trade and economic laws of Northern Ireland is ended before any trade deal is negotiated with the United Kingdom.

665 100th anniversary of the Rotary Club of FalkirkTabled: **20/01/25** Signatories: **1****Euan Stainbank**

That this House congratulates the Rotary Club of Falkirk on its 100th anniversary of service to the local community; recognises the club's longstanding commitment to charitable initiatives, civic engagement, and community development since its establishment in 1924; notes the installation of a wishing well in the Howgate Shopping Centre as part of its centenary celebrations, with proceeds supporting charitable causes; acknowledges the club's historical contributions, including the provision of the Floral Clock in Dollar Park and restoration work on the Steeple; and wishes the Rotary Club of Falkirk continued success in its mission of service above self for many years to come.

666 King Charles's visit to Sauchie Community GroupTabled: **20/01/25** Signatories: **1****Brian Leishman**

That this House congratulates Sauchie Community Group and the wider Clackmannanshire community for their outstanding efforts in hosting His Majesty King Charles III during his surprise visit to Sauchie as part of his trip to Clackmannanshire; notes the significance of this visit in recognising the invaluable contributions of local organisations such as the multi-award-winning Sauchie Community Group, the Cowden Japanese Garden, and the Wee County Veterans; commends the work of these groups in supporting community cohesion, volunteering, and the welfare of ex-armed forces personnel; acknowledges the role of Provost Donald Balsillie, Nikki Bridle, and Lord Lieutenant Johnny Stewart in welcoming His Majesty and arranging a memorable event; applauds the dedication of local volunteers and organisers for their continued commitment to improving the lives of residents in Clackmannanshire; believes that it is the dedication and resilience of ordinary citizens that drives positive change in communities across the UK; and calls for continued support and investment in local grassroots organisations to ensure their crucial work is sustained and celebrated.

667 Heart of the Game charity match raises funds for mental healthTabled: **20/01/25** Signatories: **1****Brian Leishman**

That this House congratulates Kieren Mooney, a lifelong Alloa Athletic fan, on the success of the Heart of the Game charity football match, which raised £6,600 for the Scottish Action for Mental Health (SAMH); notes that the event not only provided an entertaining 6-4 match but, more importantly, served as a platform to promote discussions around mental health, break down stigmas, and encourage openness; recognises the efforts of all participants, including organisers and players, who shared their personal experiences to inspire conversations about mental health; commends Scott MacDonald, founder of the Bands for Brothers initiative, for partnering with the event to further raise awareness and support for men's mental health; and urges communities across the UK to support similar grassroots initiatives that address mental health, promote dialogue, and provide vital funding for organisations like SAMH.

668 Garforth Town AFC and grassroots community footballTabled: **20/01/25** Signatories: **1****Richard Burgon**

That this House celebrates the work of volunteers at Garforth Town AFC, nicknamed the miners, at the Bannister Prentice Community Stadium; notes the positive impact that they make in ensuring this wonderful community football club keeps going, growing and thriving; sends condolences to the friends and family of Dennis Sanderson who recently passed away at the age of 93 and was the epitome of volunteering at a non league club; congratulates club officials and volunteers past and present who have shaped the club's 60 year journey from its 1964 formation as the Miners Arms pub team to their present standing in the Northern Premier League First Division East via honours including the Wilkinson Sword Trophy, the NCEL Division 1 Championship and winning the NCEL Premier Division Play Off; further notes the impressive attendances at home games and committed travelling support at away matches; further celebrates the infectious enthusiasm and hard work of general manager Sam Whitley, the committed and energetic stewardship of club chairs Craig Bannister and Andy Hey and dedication of honorary president Steve Hayle; recognises all those who contribute to the club including through working on social media, ticket sales, marshalling parking, the raffle and in the bar and food stall; notes their important role in hosting Leeds United Women's home games; believes Garforth Town AFC shows the special value of grassroots community football; and wishes manager Paul Marshall, his team and all the players every success for the rest of the season.

Added Names

Below are EDMs tabled in the last two weeks to which names have been added. Only the first 6 names and any new names are included.

599 England men's cricket team's upcoming fixture against AfghanistanTabled: **6/01/25** Signatories: **46**

Tonia Antoniazzi
Jim Shannon
Wendy Chamberlain
Sarah Dyke
Tracy Gilbert
Patricia Ferguson

Tom Gordon

That this House expresses profound concern regarding the England men's cricket team's upcoming Champions Trophy fixture against Afghanistan; understands that this fixture will take place in the context of the banning of female participation in sport by the Taliban in Afghanistan; pays tribute to the Afghanistan women's cricket team who are currently in exile as a result of this ban; acknowledges that this ban is a reflection of the wider erasure of women from daily activities in Afghanistan; recognises that this ban is in direct contravention of International Cricket Council rules that require all test nations to support and fund women's cricket; and strongly urges the ECB to consider a boycott of this upcoming fixture.

602 Postural Tachycardia SyndromeTabled: **7/01/25** Signatories: **10**

Cat Smith [R]
Rachael Maskell
Jim Shannon
Mary Kelly Foy
Claire Hanna
Wendy Chamberlain

Siân Berry

That this House notes that Postural Tachycardia Syndrome (PoTS) is an autonomic nervous system abnormality which causes chronic illness and significant disability, often in young people, in some cases leaving people bed ridden; further notes that the average time from first presentation of symptoms to diagnosis is seven years; also notes that while there is currently no cure for PoTS, studies indicate that 90% of affected people improve with medically guided treatments and lifestyle changes but awareness of the condition is still low and there are few specialist services in many regions of the UK and no care pathways for patients anywhere in the UK; and believes that this indicates a need for increased support offered to those who suffer from PoTS.

604 HousingTabled: **8/01/25** Signatories: **13**

Gideon Amos
Calum Miller [R]
Jess Brown-Fuller
Dr Roz Savage
Susan Murray
Vikki Slade

Victoria Collins

That this house notes with concern the ongoing housing crisis; recognises that the Empty Homes Network and Local Government Association has reported a 10% increase in long term empty homes; understands the detrimental impact these empty homes have on this crisis; notes that consenting the development of thousands of green fields will not solve the housing crisis; and instead calls for the Government to ensure that developers build genuinely affordable homes for local people in line with the Liberal Democrat commitment to create 150,000 new social homes a year; calls for second homes to be prevented from sitting empty through higher council taxes and planning controls; and urges the Ministry for Housing, Communities and Local Government to support the provision of new homes by providing Local Authorities with the funding and powers required to bring residential housing back into use and invest in a new generation of rent to own homes for young and excluded renters to get into home ownership.

611 Import and sale of real furTabled: **8/01/25** Signatories: **49**

Ruth Jones
Irene Campbell
Sarah Edwards
Will Stone
Adrian Ramsay
Wera Hobhouse

Ian Sollom

Ian Byrne

That this House urges the Government to ban the import and sale of real fur; notes that the UK has banned the main methods of fur production, namely leg-hold trapping and fur farming, due to their cruelty; believes that it is hypocritical to allow the import and sale of real fur; further notes that real fur is rejected by the public, many fashion houses and retailers, and that the sale of fur has been banned in California; and further believes that a fur ban is a natural extension of the existing import bans on cat and dog fur and commercial seal fur products, and that a comprehensive fur ban will help maintain the UK as a global leader in the promotion of animal welfare.

621 Possible sanctions on Bidzina IvanishviliTabled: **13/01/25** Signatories: **20**

James MacCleary
Jim Shannon
Wendy Chamberlain
Wera Hobhouse
Helen Maguire
David Chadwick

Cameron Thomas

That this House expresses deep concern at the suspension of Georgia's EU accession process and the increasing use of excessive force against peaceful protesters; condemns the role of Bidzina Ivanishvili in undermining democracy and facilitating Russian influence in Georgia; notes the United States has imposed sanctions on Ivanishvili and calls on the UK Government to do the same to demonstrate a firm stance against democratic backsliding; urges a review of the UK's strategic partnership with Georgia and closer coordination with EU partners to counter Russian interference; and reaffirms support for the Georgian people's democratic aspirations.

622 Sexual harassment in the workplaceTabled: **13/01/25** Signatories: **34**

Dawn Butler
Jim Shannon
Mary Kelly Foy
Neil Duncan-Jordan
Jon Trickett
Kate Osborne

Siân Berry

That this House is seriously concerned about the continued incidence of alleged sexual harassment in workplaces across the UK; notes that 700 current or former employees of McDonald's UK alone are bringing legal action against the company alleging they were subject to sexual harassment, alongside other discrimination, homophobia, and racism claims; understands that 90 per cent of the complainants were employed on zero hours contracts, indicating that instances of abuse are more likely to occur given the power imbalances between managers and often young and more vulnerable workers on casualised terms and conditions; supports legislative proposals in the Employment Rights Bill to strengthen legal duties of protection on employers; welcomes the launch by the Workers Policy Project of the End Not Defend Sexual Harassment campaign, to ensure that the issue is also taken seriously within the regulatory framework governing safety in the workplace, and to strengthen workers and trade union rights; and calls for an integrated and properly-resourced approach between the Equalities and Human Rights Commission, Health and Safety Executive and the new Fair Work Agency in order to stamp out sexual harassment at work for good.

628 Review of the Windsor FrameworkTabled: **13/01/25** Signatories: **5**

Jim Allister
Jim Shannon
Mr Gregory Campbell
Gavin Robinson
Carla Lockhart

That this House, in circumstances where the Protocol/Windsor Framework was imposed on Northern Ireland without cross-community consent and its operation for another four years was likewise secured without the need cross-community consent, because of the resulting inequity, finds it incongruous that the terms of reference for Lord Murphy's review of the operation of the Windsor Framework seeks cross-community consent for any proposed changes.

633 Right to protest outside the BBCTabled: **13/01/25** Signatories: **41**

John McDonnell
Ian Byrne
Jeremy Corbyn
Grahame Morris
Brian Leishman
Brendan O'Hara

Mary Kelly Foy

That this House is alarmed by attempts by the Metropolitan Police to prevent an agreed march for Palestine from protesting at the BBC on 18 January 2025; notes the route for the march was confirmed with the police nearly two months ago and as agreed with them was publicly announced on 30 November 2024; believes that the BBC is rightly accountable to the public and that police powers should not be used to shield it from democratic scrutiny; rejects the Metropolitan Police's claim the march could cause disruption to a nearby synagogue noting that the nearest synagogue to the BBC is not even on the march route; further notes that the Metropolitan Police themselves have acknowledged that there has not been a single incident of any threat to a synagogue attached to any of the previous marches for Palestine, and that thousands of Jewish people have been joining the protests, many of them part of an organised Jewish bloc; notes that since these restrictions were announced nearly 200 MPs, trade union and civil society leaders and groups including Amnesty International UK and Liberty, Holocaust survivors and their descendants, lawyers, journalists and prominent cultural figures as well as over 700 members of the British Jewish community have spoken out in support of the right to protest; and, therefore, calls on the Government to urge the Metropolitan Police to drop these repressive restrictions and allow the planned protest to take place at the BBC.

634 Public inquiry into Birmingham pub bombingsTabled: **13/01/25** Signatories: **7**

Ayoub Khan
Jim Shannon
Iqbal Mohamed
Shockat Adam
Gavin Robinson
Jeremy Corbyn

Manuela Perteghella

That this House continues to mourn the tragic events of the Birmingham pub bombings, which occurred on 21 November 1974, resulting in the deaths of 21 people and causing injuries to 220 individuals; regrets deeply the hardship and miscarriage of justice suffered by the Birmingham Six, who endured wrongful imprisonment for over 16 years before their eventual acquittal; further regrets the lack of closure for both victims and their loved ones in the 50 years that have elapsed since this grievous incident; acknowledges the urgent need to deliver justice to the true perpetrators of this brutal attack and to provide closure to those harmed both by the attack itself and by the flawed criminal proceedings that followed; and urges the Government to initiate a statutory public inquiry into the Birmingham pub bombings, to ensure that those affected may finally receive the answers and accountability to which they have long been entitled.

636 Interstitial Lung DiseaseTabled: **14/01/25** Signatories: **8**

Jim Shannon
Mr Gregory Campbell
Tristan Osborne
Gavin Robinson
John McDonnell
Ellie Chowns

Siân Berry

That this House recognises the urgent need to improve the experience of people with Interstitial Lung Disease (ILD) and Pulmonary Fibrosis, a progressive and life-limiting lung disease affecting over 70,000 people in the UK; acknowledges the impact of the disease on patients, their families, and caregivers, including significant physical, emotional, and financial burdens; notes the current variation in access to timely diagnosis, specialist care, and support services, which can result in inequities in patient outcomes; welcomes the ILD Care Pathway developed by OneVoiceILD, supported by Action for Pulmonary Fibrosis, which is designed to free up overstretched capacity in specialist ILD centres to allow for faster expert diagnosis of ILD, and help ensure better quality care closer to patients' homes; and calls on the Government

to work with NHS England, devolved health services, healthcare professionals, and patient organisations to urgently implement the ILD Care Pathway.

640 Female football cards and consumer products

Tabled: **14/01/25** Signatories: **11**

Helen Maguire
Jim Shannon
Mr Will Forster
Zöe Franklin
Steff Aquarone
Martin Wrigley

Siân Berry

That this House acknowledges the significant progress made in women's football and the increased visibility of female players at both national and grassroots levels; notes with concern the lack of availability of birthday and greeting cards celebrating female footballers; believes that the underrepresentation of female athletes in such products undermines efforts to promote gender equality in sports; calls on greeting card manufacturers and retailers to expand their ranges to include more options featuring female football players; and encourages greater representation of women's sports across all forms of media and consumer products to inspire the next generation of female athletes.

641 Open Doors 2025

Tabled: **15/01/25** Signatories: **3**

Mr Gregory Campbell
Jim Shannon
Tom Gordon

That this House notes the launch of the Open Doors World Watch List 2025 on Wednesday 15 January 2025, which assists in helping to highlight areas worldwide where Christians continue to be persecuted and where many face the most extreme oppression, threats and on many occasions death; and calls on the Government to increase support to all those working to end such persecution across the world.

642 Linda Norgrove Foundation wins Voluntary Sector Partnership AwardTabled: **15/01/25** Signatories: **8****Wendy Chamberlain****Jim Shannon****Helen Maguire****Dr Roz Savage****Patricia Ferguson****Adam Dance**

Steve Darling

Jeremy Corbyn

That this House congratulates the Linda Norgrove Foundation on winning the Voluntary Sector Partnership Award at the Scottish Public Service Awards; commends their collaboration with the UK and Scottish Governments in order to resettle 19 Afghan female medical students; notes that the students were forced to give up studying medicine after the Taliban took control of Afghanistan and forced women to leave universities; recognises the incredible hard work that the Linda Norgrove Foundation put in to helping the students come to Scotland to finish their studies; and wishes them all the best for their studies and futures ahead.

646 US trade and impact assessmentsTabled: **16/01/25** Signatories: **12****Ed Davey****Helen Maguire****Adam Dance****Ian Roome****Steff Aquarone****Wera Hobhouse**

Steve Darling

Anna Sabine

Tom Morrison

Jess Brown-Fuller

Helen Morgan

Tom Gordon

That an humble Address be presented to His Majesty, that he will be graciously pleased to give directions that there be deposited in the Library of the House of Commons all impact assessments which His Majesty's Government has made regarding the impact of potential US tariffs on the UK economy.

647 William Buchanan's contribution to FalkirkTabled: **16/01/25** Signatories: **2****Euan Stainbank****Mary Kelly Foy**

That this House commends William Buchanan for over 35 years of bringing festive cheer to Bonnybridge and Falkirk, starting with carol singing on a tractor and later continuing at Hopepark Sheltered Housing Complex; recognises the dedication of his family who have upheld

this tradition, dressing as elves to visit residents each Christmas morning; notes the comfort this brings, particularly to those with little other human contact on Christmas Day; and pays tribute to William's commitment to his community, ensuring no one is forgotten during the festive season.

648 Highland hospital transport

Tabled: **16/01/25** Signatories: **4**

Jamie Stone

Helen Maguire

Adam Dance

Helen Morgan

That this House recognises the inequality in access to healthcare faced by residents in the far north of Scotland; acknowledges that thousands of people are struggling to reach Raigmore Hospital in Inverness due to inadequate hospital transport schemes; notes that residents of Caithness have to travel up to 100 miles for necessary medical treatments; highlights that public transport is not always viable and taxis are not always affordable; further recognises that this is deterring people from settling in the Highlands; and calls on the Government to recognise this issue and raise it with the Scottish Government.

649 First Step to Stand: women's participation in local politics in Falkirk

Tabled: **17/01/25** Signatories: **3**

Euan Stainbank

Mary Kelly Foy

Jim Shannon

That this House commends Councillor Siobhan Paterson for organising the First Step to Stand workshop in Falkirk on Sunday 2 February at Falkirk Trinity Church between 1pm and 3pm, aimed at encouraging more women to engage in local democracy; recognises the importance of empowering women to stand for elected office and contribute to their communities; notes the workshop's role in providing inspiration, practical advice, and a supportive network for aspiring female councillors; and applauds Falkirk Council's commitment to fostering greater female representation in politics.

650 Parks PoliceTabled: **17/01/25** Signatories: **6****Sarah Olney****Adam Dance****Jess Brown-Fuller****Helen Maguire****Munira Wilson****Jim Shannon**

That this House recognises the excellent work that the Parks Police undertakes to minimise levels of crime in parks across London; notes the important role they play in tackling anti-social behaviour in open spaces; acknowledges their expertise in their domain; understands park users' appreciation of their presence in assisting with policing matters; and urges the Home Office to provide the Metropolitan Police with sufficient funding to ensure that cuts to the Parks Police division are not on the table.

651 British companies and the transportation of Russian liquefied natural gasTabled: **17/01/25** Signatories: **2****Chris Law****Jim Shannon**

That this House stands with the people of Ukraine against the illegal invasion and occupation of their country by Russia; believes that sanctions on Russian exports and, in particular, Russian-produced fossil fuels, are necessary to help reduce the ability of Russia to fund its ongoing invasion; welcomes that the UK Government has prohibited the importation of Russian liquefied natural gas (LNG) into the UK; notes with concern, however, that British companies continue to be involved in the transport and sale of Russian LNG from Russia to other countries; further notes with extreme concern that it has been reported that Glasgow-based corporation Seapeak Maritime Glasgow Ltd own and operate six tankers transporting Russian LNG and at least 12 tankers transporting Russian gas through the Arctic Ocean have protection and indemnity insurance provided by UK-based insurers, including North of England P&I Association, Standard P&I Club per Charles Taylor & Co, and UK P&I Club; believes that companies involved in the sale and exportation of Russian LNG should not be eligible for Government assistance, financial or otherwise; and calls on the UK Government to close current loop-holes that allow British-based companies to transport Russian LNG despite previous sanctions.

652 Consultation on Work Capability AssessmentTabled: **17/01/25** Signatories: **7**

John McDonnell
Ayoub Khan
Mary Kelly Foy
Jeremy Corbyn
Neil Duncan-Jordan
Jim Shannon

Ian Lavery

That this House notes the High Court judgement ruling that the last Government's consultation on changes to the criteria for the Work Capability Assessment was unlawful; and calls upon the new Government to ensure that any proposals to reform the Work Capability Assessment are undertaken by a process of co-production with disabled people and the organisations, groups and campaigning bodies representing disabled people including Disabled People Against Cuts (DPAC) and on the basic principle advocated by disabled people of "nothing about us, without us."

653 Blue MondayTabled: **17/01/25** Signatories: **19**

Anna Sabine
Ian Roome
Steff Aquarone
Wera Hobhouse
Caroline Voaden
Cameron Thomas

Steve Darling
 Rachel Gilmour
 Dr Danny Chambers
 Helen Maguire
 Vikki Slade

Martin Wrigley
 Luke Taylor
 Jess Brown-Fuller
 Helen Morgan

Adam Dance
 Tom Morrison
 Ben Maguire
 Jim Shannon

That this House recognises Blue Monday and that January can be a particularly difficult month for those struggling with their mental health and wellbeing; commemorates the work of charities such as Samaritans for all their hard work around the year and around the clock in supporting vulnerable people and for their initiative 'Brew Monday' which encourages people to reach out to and speak to those they care about; laments that young people in the UK have higher mental health needs than ever; and acknowledges the need for a mental health professional in every primary and secondary school, mental health hubs in the community and regular mental health check-ups.