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Questions tabled on Friday 14 March 2025

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Questions for Answer on Monday 17 March

Questions for Written Answer

- 1 **Zöe Franklin** (Guildford): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, for what reason eligibility dates for free childcare provision are set from 1 April rather than aligning with the tax year ending on 5 April; and if she will make an assessment of the potential impact of the eligibility date on families. [Transferred] (38303)
- 2 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how long a period of notice was given to stakeholders before the closure of SFI. (38462)
- 3 **Anna Gelderd** (South East Cornwall): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps she plans to take to improve the (a) infrastructure for and (b) accessibility of electric vehicle for users in South East Cornwall. [Transferred] (38317)
- 4 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will convene a stakeholder roundtable to help tackle the shortage of Pancreatic enzyme replacement therapy medication with (a) manufacturers, (b) patient advocacy groups and (c) other relevant stakeholders. (38463)
- 5 **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment has been made of the indirect impact of local government restructuring on the appointment and boundaries of the High Sheriffs. [Transferred] (38048)
- 6 **Luke Murphy** (Basingstoke): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment she has made of the impact of the introduction of low benefit-in-kind rates for electric vehicles on supply chain security since 2020-21. [Transferred] (38252)

- 7 **Luke Murphy** (Basingstoke): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of the introduction of low benefit-in-kind rates for electric vehicles on job creation since 2020-21. [Transferred] (38253)

Questions for Answer on Tuesday 18 March

Questions for Written Answer

- 1 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether his Department has banned the use of DeepSeek. (38348)
- 2 **Alex Ballinger** (Halesowen): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of adjusting the annual limits for VCT investee companies alongside inflation. (38505)
- 3 **Alex Ballinger** (Halesowen): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of changing the UK VCT rules on the age limit for qualifying companies in line with EU regulations. (38506)
- 4 **Graham Leadbitter** (Moray West, Nairn and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether he has made an assessment of the potential implications for his policies of continuing to permit UK (a) businesses, (b) investment firms and (c) trading entities to (i) invest, (ii) trade and (iii) import goods from and within illegal settlements in (A) Western Sahara, (B) Occupied Palestinian Territories and (C) occupied territories. (38511)
- 5 **Graham Leadbitter** (Moray West, Nairn and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, with reference to the International Court of Justice Advisory Opinion entitled Legal Consequences Arising From The Policies and Practices of Israel in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, Including East Jerusalem, published on 19 July 2024, if he will ban UK trade and investment with illegal settlements in (a) Western Sahara and (b) Occupied Palestinian Territory. (38512)
- 6N **Gareth Snell** (Stoke-on-Trent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, pursuant to the Answer of 13 March 2025 to Question 36726 on Energy Intensive Industries: Ceramics, whether he has undertaken a sectoral assessment. [Transferred] (38090)
- 7N **Gareth Snell** (Stoke-on-Trent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, pursuant to the Answer of 13 March 2025 to Question 36726, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of the eligibility criteria for accessing the British Energy Supercharge scheme for sectors that already qualify. [Transferred] (38092)
- 8 **Cameron Thomas** (Tewkesbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what steps his Department is taking to strengthen economic ties with Ukraine. (38527)

- 9 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, pursuant to the Answer of 12 March 2025 to Question 35024 on Overseas Trade: Russia, if the Department will publish the licenses issued on trade insurances by UK-based companies with a final destination of Russia. (38464)
- 10 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, if he will make an estimate of the potential impact of the EU General Product Safety Regulation on costs to UK businesses (a) before and (b) after the UK left the EU. (38466)
- 11 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, pursuant to the Answer of 7 February 2025 to Question 27704 on Russia: Shipping, if he will list the Russian shadow fleet vessels that have entered UK waters in the last 12 months. (38469)
- 12 **Cat Smith** (Lancaster and Wyre): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, if she will make it her policy to support (a) sports with higher levels of female participation, (b) tennis and (c) netball through the Multi-Sport Grassroots Facilities Programme. (38365)
- 13 **Alex Ballinger** (Halesowen): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether she plans to take steps to allow childminders to provide funded places to related children who do not live with them. (38504)
- 14 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what recent assessment she has made of the potential impact of school uniform costs on families in Lincolnshire. (38346)
- 15 **Alison Hume** (Scarborough and Whitby): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if she will hold discussions with Yorkshire Endeavour Academy Trust on the loss of heating and hot water at Airy Hill School. (38508)
- 16 **Dave Robertson** (Lichfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many and what proportion of (a) primary and (b) secondary schools are delivering two hours of PE a week. (38482)
- 17 **Dr Neil Shastri-Hurst** (Solihull West and Shirley): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 11 March 2025 to Question 35073 on Private Education: VAT, whether her Department has made an assessment of the potential impact of the additional independent school closures over the next three years on trends in the number of (a) teaching and (b) non-teaching staff job losses. (38492)
- 18 **Lisa Smart** (Hazel Grove): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what recent assessment her Department has made of the adequacy of (a) weekly minimum payments and (b) other financial support provided to foster carers. (38410)

- 19 **Lisa Smart** (Hazel Grove): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps her Department is taking to support care leavers after the age of 21 to help ensure that they have stable living arrangements. (38411)
- 20 **Lisa Smart** (Hazel Grove): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether her Department has considered alternative models for the (a) oversight and (b) registration of foster carers; and if she will make an assessment of the potential impact of alternative models on the adequacy of (i) safeguarding and (ii) consistency. (38412)
- 21 **Lisa Smart** (Hazel Grove): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether her Department has considered broadening the range of foster care representative bodies it engages with on policy development. (38413)
- 22 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment her Department has made of the potential impact of mandatory SATs on pupil wellbeing and teacher workload; and whether her Department has considered adopting moderated teacher assessments as an alternative. (38470)
- 23 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps her Department is taking to reduce teaching to the test in primary schools to improve pupils' (a) engagement and (b) learning outcomes. (38471)
- 24 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what research her Department has conducted on the effectiveness of lighter-touch testing compared to mandatory SATs in assessing pupil progress. (38472)
- 25 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps her Department is taking to improve the (a) accuracy and (b) breadth of school performance indicators to ensure they reflect (i) pupil wellbeing and (ii) teacher satisfaction alongside academic outcomes. (38473)
- 26 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment her Department has made of the potential merits of including (a) pupil wellbeing and (b) staff retention data in school performance tables. (38474)
- 27 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether her Department has made an assessment of the impact of Ofsted inspections on teacher (a) wellbeing and (b) retention in the past five years. (38475)
- 28 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps her Department is taking to ensure Ofsted inspections place greater emphasis on (a) pupil wellbeing, (b) creative subjects and (c) social development. (38476)
- 29 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether her Department has considered replacing Ofsted with a new HM Inspector of Schools with a (a) revised inspection framework and (b) assessments of (i) staff and (ii) pupil wellbeing. (38477)

- 30 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps her Department is taking to ensure that independent schools are subject to the same inspection standards as state-funded schools. (38478)
- 31 **Yuan Yang** (Earley and Woodley): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what recent assessment she has made of the adequacy of the (a) pay and (b) other conditions of teaching assistants in schools. (38509)
- 32 **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what percentage of the capacity of the Eaton Socon sub-station will be used by the proposed new town at Tempsford. (38439)
- 33 **Lisa Smart** (Hazel Grove): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what discussions his Department has had with Ofgem on improving oversight of energy suppliers' billing practices to help prevent inaccurate estimated billing after actual meter readings have been submitted. (38405)
- 34 **Lisa Smart** (Hazel Grove): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether his Department has had recent discussions with the Energy Ombudsman on (a) trends in the number of billing inaccuracies and (b) the impact of billing inaccuracies on customers. (38406)
- 35 **Sarah Champion** (Rotherham): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of operating a carding system to (a) warn and (b) sanction states which (i) export seafood to the UK and (ii) do not cooperate with efforts to tackle illegal, unreported and unregulated fishing. (38358)
- 36 **Dr Luke Evans** (Hinckley and Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent discussions he has had with (a) the police, (b) local authorities and (c) animal welfare groups on preventing dog on dog attacks. (38385)
- 37 **Dr Luke Evans** (Hinckley and Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 20 December 2024 to Question 19399 Dangerous Dogs, what steps he is taking to help improve the (a) collection and (b) recording of data on dog attacks; and what recent discussions he has had with (a) the police and (b) local authorities on those steps. (38386)
- 38 **Dr Luke Evans** (Hinckley and Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent discussions he has had with (a) the police and (b) local authorities on the (i) effectiveness of current legislation and (ii) adequacy of resources to help encourage responsible dog ownership in public areas. (38387)
- 39 **Dr Luke Evans** (Hinckley and Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether he has made a recent assessment of the adequacy of (a) the training, (b) registration and (c) regulation of (i) dog trainers and (ii) dog behaviourists. (38388)

- 40 **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of expanding the Forest of Marston Vale community forest to the south. (38445)
- 41 **Cameron Thomas** (Tewkesbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of the closure of the Sustainable Farming Incentive on micro dairy farms. (38529)
- 42 **Mr Lee Dillon** (Newbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, what assessment his Department has made of the potential impact of inadequate infrastructure near army barracks on local communities' ability to install smart meters. (38523)
- 43 **Mr Lee Dillon** (Newbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, whether his Department plans to work with energy suppliers to improve energy infrastructure in the South of England to enable communities near army bases to install smart meters. (38524)
- 44 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 13 March to Question 36781 on Refuges: Public Transport, what progress she has made on plans she has to explore targeted options for affordable bus travel for (a) women and (b) children residing women's refuges; and whether there is a mechanism available for hon. Members and stakeholders to submit ideas for improvements. (38384)
- 45 **Mr Lee Dillon** (Newbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps she is taking to improve road safety for horses and horse riders. (38521)
- 46 **Sorcha Eastwood** (Lagan Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether her Department has made recent progress on setting a date for the second meeting of the Motor Insurance Taskforce. (38479)
- 47 **Lincoln Jopp** (Spelthorne): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 7 March 2025 to Question 35580, how far does a person have to travel to a driving test centre for it to be considered accessible. (38525)
- 48 **Alex Mayer** (Dunstable and Leighton Buzzard): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to the English Devolution White Paper, published on 16 December 2024, what assessment her Department has made of the potential impact of shared transport responsibilities by (a) strategic authorities and (b) local authorities on planning for street works. (38484)
- 49 **Mark Swards** (Leeds South West and Morley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether she has made an assessment of the potential merits of implementing stronger regulation for e-bikes, including full registration and insurance requirements. (38485)

- 50 **Lisa Smart** (Hazel Grove): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether her Department plans to introduce safeguards to help tackle (a) errors and (b) delayed updates by the Driver and Vehicle Licensing Agency in (i) cases where initial penalty charge notices are issued and (ii) other cases. (38414)
- 51 **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps she is taking to improve road infrastructure in Fylde constituency. (38421)
- 52 **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent assessment she has made of the potential impact of the Bus Services Bill on passengers with disabilities in (a) Fylde constituency and (b) Lancashire. (38422)
- 53 **Sir Gavin Williamson** (Stone, Great Wyrley and Penkridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many properties are owned by HS2 Ltd. in the village of Hopton in Staffordshire. (38355)
- 54 **Sir Gavin Williamson** (Stone, Great Wyrley and Penkridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if she will set out her (a) plans and (b) timetable for the disposing of properties owned by HS2 Ltd. following the cancellation of HS2 Phase 2a and 2b. (38356)
- 55 **Liz Jarvis** (Eastleigh): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment she has made of the adequacy of the 1.7% increase in benefits that are linked to inflation from April 2025 for disabled people receiving a state pension. (38401)
- 56 **Clive Jones** (Wokingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, pursuant to the Answer of 11 November 2024 to Question 12286 on Pension Credit: Uptake, whether her Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of reducing the complexity of the Pension Credit application form. (38495)
- 57 **Josh Babarinde** (Eastbourne): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to help raise awareness of (a) endometriosis and (b) other women's health issues; and what steps he is taking to help (i) reduce waiting times for diagnosis, (ii) increase access to treatment and (iii) improve treatment of chronic symptoms. (38426)
- 58 **Josh Babarinde** (Eastbourne): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to (a) improve early diagnosis and (b) access to effective treatments for people with brain tumours. (38427)
- 59N **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhese** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment his Department has made of the adequacy of the personal expenses allowance for residents of care homes. [Transferred] (38103)
- 60N **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhese** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment she has made of the adequacy of the criteria used to determine the amount allocated for the Personal Expenses Allowance for residents in care homes. [Transferred] (38104)

- 61 **Mr Lee Dillon** (Newbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans his Department has to increase treatment options for individuals with chronic UTIs. (38520)
- 62 **Mr Lee Dillon** (Newbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to reduce mental health treatment waiting lists in line with those for physical health treatments. (38522)
- 63 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate he has made of the potential impact of abolishing NHS England on savings to the public purse. (38347)
- 64 **Sally Jameson** (Doncaster Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of ensuring that a permanent access agreement is reached for Brineura as a treatment for patients with neuronal ceroid lipofuscinosis type 2 (CLN2). (38486)
- 65 **Sally Jameson** (Doncaster Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will hold discussions with relevant stakeholders on providing access to Brineura for patients with neuronal ceroid lipofuscinosis type 2 (CLN2). (38487)
- 66 **Clive Jones** (Wokingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment he has made of the potential merits of reforming integrated care boards. [R] (38496)
- 67 **Clive Jones** (Wokingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what independent bodies are part of NHS England. [R] (38497)
- 68 **Clive Jones** (Wokingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an assessment of the potential impact of the abolition of NHS England on the coordination of screening programmes. [R] (38498)
- 69 **Clive Jones** (Wokingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what NHS England's functions are; and which (a) existing and (b) new Government bodies will take those functions on. [R] (38499)
- 70 **Clive Jones** (Wokingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an assessment of the potential impact of the abolition of NHS England on the timing of the publication of the NHS 10-year plan. [R] (38500)
- 71 **Clive Jones** (Wokingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department plans to take steps through the national cancer plan to help prepare for innovations in (a) diagnostics and (b) treatments. [R] (38501)
- 72 **Clive Jones** (Wokingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department plans to introduce accountability mechanisms through the national cancer plan. [R] (38502)

- 73 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment he has made of the adequacy of waiting times for (a) appointments and (b) scans following a referral from a GP. (38530)
- 74 **Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 5 March 2025 to Question 31856 on Buprenorphine, if he will hold discussions with Cabinet colleagues on the potential merits of ensuring Buvidal is made available on release from prison to all people who have received Buvidal whilst in prison. (38350)
- 75 **Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what data his Department holds on the availability of Buvidal, broken down by region. (38353)
- 76 **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 11 March 2025 to Question 36426 on General Practitioners, how the additional 6,716,007 appointments were created. (38428)
- 77 **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 11 March 2025 to Question 35425 on General Practitioners: Finance, whether data other than the (a) Standardised Limited Long-Standing Illness and (b) Standardised Mortality Ratio is used to calculate the formula; how unavoidable costs based on geographical area are calculated; what the additional costs are of delivering services in rural areas; and how those additional costs are calculated. (38429)
- 78 **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many NHS staff have been prosecuted in relation to clinical negligence each year between 2019 and 2024. (38436)
- 79 **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 11 March 2025 to Question 35836 on NHS: Negligence, what the breakdown of categorisation for Obstetrics Clinical Negligence Claims between financial years (a) 2019-20 and (b) 2023-24 was for claimants by (i) amount paid out, (ii) ethnicity and (iii) age. (38441)
- 80 **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer 11 March 2025 to Question 35836 on NHS: Negligence, how many instances of Obstetrics Clinical Negligence between financial years (a) 2019-20 and (b) 2023-24 resulted in the death of (i) the mother, (ii) the child or children and (iii) both. (38442)
- 81 **Dr Neil Shastri-Hurst** (Solihull West and Shirley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of delays in accessing givinostat through the Early Access Programme on boys and young men living with Duchenne muscular dystrophy in the UK. (38493)

- 82 **Dr Neil Shastri-Hurst** (Solihull West and Shirley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what discussions his Department has had with (a) NHS England and (b) ITF Pharma UK to ensure that NHS Trusts have the necessary resources and guidance to take part in the Early Access Programme for givinostat. (38494)
- 83 **Lisa Smart** (Hazel Grove): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if his Department will take steps to support people who have reported (a) long-term health and (b) personal impacts due to being prescribed Diethylstilbestrol (DES) between 1950 and 1980. (38407)
- 84 **Rebecca Smith** (South West Devon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if his Department will take steps to provide funding for the Pharmacy First scheme after March 2025. (38515)
- 85 **Rebecca Smith** (South West Devon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent progress he has made on the national rollout of digital NHS health checks across England; and when he expects that rollout to be completed. (38516)
- 86 **Rebecca Smith** (South West Devon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of engaging the pharmacy sector to help deliver digital NHS health checks. (38517)
- 87 **Cameron Thomas** (Tewkesbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to reduce ambulance waiting times in (a) the South West of England and (b) Gloucestershire. (38528)
- 88 **Chris Webb** (Blackpool South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the report by the Competition and Markets Authority entitled Infant formula and follow-on formula market study, published on 14 February 2025, what steps his Department plans to take to ensure infant formula manufacturers provide (a) clear, (b) accurate and (c) impartial information on the nutritional sufficiency of all infant formula products on product labelling. (38397)
- 89 **Chris Webb** (Blackpool South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the report by the Competition and Markets Authority entitled Infant formula and follow-on formula market study, published on 14 February 2025, what steps his Department is taking to (a) restrict the use of non-verifiable messages and (b) ensure that only specified and prescribed information or categories of information are permitted on the labelling for (i) infant formula and (ii) follow-on formula. (38398)
- 90 **Sorcha Eastwood** (Lagan Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking with his international counterparts to help support a transitional justice process in Syria. (38480)
- 91 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking to protect Christians from persecution in (a) Rwanda and (b) the Democratic Republic of Congo. (38345)

- 92 **Graham Leadbitter** (Moray West, Nairn and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if he will make an assessment of the potential implications for his policies of the Occupied Territories Bill proceeding through the Irish Parliament; and whether he plans to bring forward similar legislation to ban trade with illegal settlements. (38513)
- 93 **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to his Department's policy paper entitled Global Clean Power Alliance: finance mission statement, published on 20 November 2024, what progress he has made on the finance mission. (38438)
- 94 **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 14 March to Question 36204 on James Scott Rhys Anderson, what discussions he has had with (a) the Russian ambassador to the UK and (b) senior Russian officials on the imprisonment of James Anderson. (38443)
- 95 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 10 March 2025 to Question 34422 on Overseas Trade: Russia; if his Department will ban UK-Russian imports and exports that are not directly linked to (a) humanitarian organisations and (b) UK and Russian embassies. (38467)
- 96 **Sarah Champion** (Rotherham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 28 February 2025 to Question 30996, what powers the Ministers from the Department for Education have been delegated in relation to implementing IICSA. (38357)
- 97 **Carolyn Harris** (Neath and Swansea East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many victims of modern slavery were granted temporary leave to remain under section 65 of the Nationality and Borders Act 2022 for (a) assisting a person in their recovery from any physical or psychological harm arising from the relevant exploitation, (b) enabling a person to seek compensation in respect of the relevant exploitation and (c) enabling a person to co-operate with a public authority in connection with an investigation or criminal proceedings in respect of the relevant exploitation in (i) 2023 and (ii) 2024. (38376)
- 98 **Andy McDonald** (Middlesbrough and Thornaby East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether it is her Department's policy that an application for family relocation may be pursued under the Afghan civilian resettlement scheme criteria where the Home Office did not (a) retain the content of and (b) process an earlier application. (38359)
- 99 **Andy McDonald** (Middlesbrough and Thornaby East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps are available to applicants to the Afghan civilian resettlement scheme who have evidence of biometric data taken for application where the Home Office (a) did not retain the content of and (b) process an earlier application. (38360)

- 100 **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 13 March 2025 to Question 35843 on Marshall Bioresources: Audit, what the outcome was of the unannounced audit by the Animals in Science Regulation Unit of Marshall BioResources in April 2024. (38430)
- 101 **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 13 March 2025 to Question 35843 on Marshall Bioresources: Audit, on what dates did (a) announced and (b) unannounced audits by the Animals in Science Regulation Unit of Marshall BioResources take place between 2016 and 2025 inclusive. (38431)
- 102 **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when the National Violence Disorder Programme became operational. (38433)
- 103 **Lisa Smart** (Hazel Grove): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what information her Department holds on the number of contacts that UK Fire and Rescue Services have had with (a) people experiencing suicidal ideation and (b) where a suicide is in progress; and if she will publish this data by each UK Fire and Rescue Service. (38415)
- 104 **Mr Calvin Bailey** (Leyton and Wanstead): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to the Ministry of Defence's Sex Offending Strategy, published in July 2022, whether he plans to review the current rules on the reporting of sexual offences within the Armed Forces; and whether he plans to change policy to allow certain categories of sexual offences to be reported to civilian police forces. (38402)
- 105 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether his Department has banned the use of DeepSeek. (38349)
- 106 **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to question 36205, whether the Dreadnought-class submarine programme will use the Trident 2 D5 missile. (38432)
- 107 **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what proportion of food supplied to armed forces personnel is sourced from British farms. (38434)
- 108 **Dr Neil Shastri-Hurst** (Solihull West and Shirley): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what estimate he has made of the number of additional service personnel who will be recruited to the (a) Royal Navy, (b) British Army, (c) Royal Air Force in the 2027-28 financial year, in the context of increases in defence spending. (38488)
- 109 **Dr Neil Shastri-Hurst** (Solihull West and Shirley): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many additional (a) tanks and (b) armoured vehicles are expected to be operational in 2027-28, in the context of increases in defence spending. (38489)

- 110 **Dr Neil Shastri-Hurst** (Solihull West and Shirley): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many full-time regular personnel were serving with the Royal Army Medical Corps on 14 March 2025; and if he will make an estimate of the number of full-time regular personnel who will be serving in the (a) 2025-26, (b) 2026-27 and (c) 20270-28 financial years. (38490)
- 111 **Dr Neil Shastri-Hurst** (Solihull West and Shirley): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many of the 24 Archer artillery systems ordered in 2019 were operationally ready on 14 March 2025. (38491)
- 112 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to the Answer of 10 March 2025 to Question 35451 on USA: Defence, what information his Department holds on (a) spending on the procurement of defence-related (i) items and (ii) services from the US and (b) projected defence spending on US (A) goods, (B) services and (C) land rents in the next five years. (38468)
- 113 **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, how many and what proportion of her Department's (a) staff and (b) outsourced contractors are paid (i) below, (ii) at and (iii) above the London Living Wage. (38366)
- 114 **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, with reference to paragraph 97 of the National Planning Policy Framework, last updated on 7 February 2025, whether her Department categorises (a) Greggs, (b) Pret a Manager and (c) Subway as a fast food outlet. (38367)
- 115 **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether she has had discussions with the London Fire Brigade on (a) the issuance of advice to Transport for London on flammable material in sub-surface stations and (b) book exchanges in London Underground Tube stations. (38368)
- 116 **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether measures included in Environmental Delivery Plans are funded through (a) her Department or (b) income from the Nature Restoration Fund. (38369)
- 117 **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, with reference to the Answer of 10 March 2025 to Question HL5013 Islam, what is the Government's working definition of Islamism as it relates to (a) extremism, (b) violence or (c). terrorism. (38370)
- 118 **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether she consulted with external organisations on the content of the Planning and Infrastructure Bill before it was published. (38371)

- 119 **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, pursuant to the Answer of 7 March 2025 to Question 34282 on MHCLG: Cost Effectiveness, if she will itemise the individual efficiency savings made on communications in the 2024-25 financial year. (38372)
- 120 **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, pursuant to the Answer of 7 March 2025 to Question 34282 MHCLG: Cost Effectiveness, what estimate she has made of the cost to the public purse of her Department's use of consultants in the 2024-25 financial year. (38373)
- 121 **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, if she will make it her policy to re-introduce the Economic Activity of Public Bodies (Overseas Matters) Bill. (38374)
- 122 **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, if she will hold discussions with (a) the Parliamentary Parties Panel, (b) usual channels and (c) Privy Council on political finance reform before publishing her proposals on that matter. (38375)
- 123 **Joe Morris** (Hexham): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether her Department has had recent discussions with relevant stakeholders on the extension of the Rough Sleeping Initiative. (38423)
- 124 **Joe Morris** (Hexham): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether her Department has had recent discussions with relevant stakeholders on the extension of the Rough Sleeping Initiative in the North East. (38424)
- 125 **Dave Robertson** (Lichfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what recent assessment her Department has made of the effectiveness of the obligation on (a) sellers, (b) estate agents and (c) solicitors to ensure that property is transferred to buyers in home sales in a clean and tidy state. (38481)
- 126 **Lisa Smart** (Hazel Grove): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps her Department is taking to support disabled people living in private rented accommodation to secure adaptations to make their homes (a) safe and (b) suitable for their needs. (38408)
- 127 **Euan Stainbank** (Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether her Department is working with the Scottish Government to ensure similar progress on compulsory purchase order powers to accelerate the delivery of affordable housing, in the context of recent proposals to enhance these powers for councils in England and Wales. (38459)

- 128 **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, with reference to clause 49(7)(b) of the Planning and Infrastructure Bill, who will be responsible the ongoing maintenance of conservation projects implemented through environmental delivery plans at the end of the specified period. (38446)
- 129 **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, with reference to clause 49(7)(b) of the Planning and Infrastructure Bill, what would happen to projects not completed as part of the environmental delivery plan at the end of the specified period. (38447)
- 130 **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, with reference to clause 49(7)(b) of the Planning and Infrastructure Bill, what would happen to funds provided by developers towards environmental delivery plans that are unspent at the conclusion of the environmental delivery plan period. (38448)
- 131 **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, with reference to clause 49(7)(b) of the Planning and Infrastructure Bill, whether environmental delivery plans would be (a) replaced and (b) lapse at the end of the specified period. (38449)
- 132 **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, with reference to clause 49(7)(b) of the Planning and Infrastructure Bill, whether development would be considered on a first-come-first-served basis up to the maximum amount specified. (38450)
- 133 **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, with reference to paragraph 49.5 of the Planning and Infrastructure Bill, whether development will be permitted beyond the maximum amount specified by Environmental Delivery Plans. (38451)
- 134 **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, if she will make an assessment on the potential impact of Environmental Delivery Plans on levels of access to nature. (38452)
- 135 **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether Environmental Delivery Plans will support the development of (a) community forests and (b) the forest of Marston Vale. (38453)
- 136 **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether Natural England will be expected to consult Internal Drainage Boards in the preparation of Environmental Delivery Plans. (38454)
- 137 **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether Environmental Delivery Plans will support the use of nature-based solutions to tackle flooding. (38455)

- 138 **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether any measures within the Planning and Infrastructure Bill relate to (a) flooding and (b) sustainable drainage. (38456)
- 139 **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what estimate she has made of the number of hectares of forestry land that will be made available for energy generation, in the context of the Planning and Infrastructure Bill. (38457)
- 140 **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether she plans to provide guidance to forestry authorities on prioritising energy generation in the context of the Planning and Infrastructure Bill. (38458)
- 141 **Steve Darling** (Torbay): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many defendants were (a) prosecuted and (b) found guilty of offences under each relevant section of (i) the Protection of Badgers Act 1992, (ii) the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981, (iii) the Deer Act 1991, (iv) the Wild Mammals (Protection) Act 1996 and (v) the Hunting Act 2004 in each year since 2019. (38404)
- 142 **Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if she will hold discussions with the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care on the availability of Buvidal for people released from prison. (38351)
- 143 **Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, whether she has had discussions with the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care on the potential merits of ringfencing funding for Buvidal for people released from prison. (38352)
- 144 **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what proportion of food supplied to the prison estate is sourced from British farms. (38435)
- 145 **David Chadwick** (Brecon, Radnor and Cwm Tawe): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps she plans to take to ensure there is regular and reliable economic growth data published for the nations and regions of the UK, in the context of the ONS decision to end its regional Quarterly Country and Regional Gross Domestic Product in July 2023. (38514)
- 146 **Sir Iain Duncan Smith** (Chingford and Woodford Green): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, pursuant to the Answer of 14 March to Question 36039 on Foreign Relations: China, on what dates these meetings were held. (38340)
- 147 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many businesses in South Holland and the Deepings constituency applied to use the Enterprise Investment Scheme in each of the last ten years. (38343)

- 148 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what proportion of Enterprise Investment Scheme funding was provided to companies in Lincolnshire in each of the last ten years. (38344)
- 149 **Connor Naismith** (Crewe and Nantwich): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether her Department plans to review the overseas scale rates. (38510)
- 150 **Lisa Smart** (Hazel Grove): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, pursuant to the Answer of 18 December 2024 to Question 20062 on Bank Services: Direct Debits, what steps her Department is taking to ensure that organisations receiving payments via Direct Debit are held accountable when they do not (a) verify that Direct Debit instructions have been properly authorised by the payment account holder and (b) provide advance notice of the (i) amount and (ii) collection date for each Direct Debit payment, except where an alternative arrangement has been explicitly agreed. (38409)
- 151 **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if she will make it her policy to publish an impact assessment on the impact of the increase in class one employer National Insurance contributions on the charity sector within the first six months of the introduction of that change. (38444)
- 152 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, pursuant to the Answer of 12 March 2025 to Question 35862 on Beer: Excise Duties, if she will make an assessment of the potential implications for her policies of variations in (a) beer and (b) other alcohol taxation policy in the (i) UK and (ii) Europe. (38465)

Questions for Answer on Wednesday 19 March

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Dr Simon Opher** (Stroud): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, if she will hold discussions with stakeholders from the comedy industry on Government support for that industry. (38399)
- 2N **Neil O'Brien** (Harborough, Oadby and Wigston): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much and what proportion of (a) primary and (b) secondary schools' expenditure was on staff in each of the last three years. (38378)
- 3N **Andrew George** (St Ives): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, when he plans to conclude the Environmental Improvement Plan rapid review. (38341)
- 4N **Robbie Moore** (Keighley and Ilkley): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether his Department made projections on the number of Sustainable Farming Incentive applications it would receive in financial year 2024-25. (38391)

- 5N **Robbie Moore** (Keighley and Ilkley): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what comparative assessment he has made of the potential impact of closing the Sustainable Farming Initiative in England on farmers in (a) England, (b) Wales, (c) Scotland and (d) Northern Ireland. (38392)
- 6N **Sojan Joseph** (Ashford): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent assessment she has made of the potential merits of extending the hours at which English National Concessionary Travel Scheme bus passes can be used in (a) Kent and (b) England. (38507)
- 7N **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps she is taking with Cabinet colleagues to help support people to use electric vehicles in Fylde constituency. (38419)
- 8N **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps she is taking to help reduce the cost of rail services in Fylde constituency. (38420)
- 9N **Laurence Turner** (Birmingham Northfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, when Transport Focus last published minutes of meetings of its Board. (38503)
- 10N **Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Clapham and Brixton Hill): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what financial penalties have been imposed on G4S for failing to meet key performance indicators on officer deployment or site availability in the last twelve months. (38383)
- 11N **Sir Christopher Chope** (Christchurch): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when the application by the South Coast Medical Group for the establishment of a surgery in Burton as a Branch of The Grove Surgery was made; and when a decision will be given. (38342)
- 12N **Steve Darling** (Torbay): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 13 March 2025 to Question 36169 on Health Services, what tests (a) his Department and (b) NHS England require before a substantial planned service change. (38403)
- 13N **Dr Luke Evans** (Hinckley and Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate he has made of the cost to the public purse of the abolition of NHS England. (38389)
- 14N **Dr Luke Evans** (Hinckley and Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the cost to the public purse is of the redundancy package for staff being made redundant from NHS England. (38390)
- 15N **Llinos Medi** (Ynys Môn): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of the abolition of NHS England on cross-border healthcare. (38425)

- 16N **Robbie Moore** (Keighley and Ilkley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has made an assessment of the potential impact of the abolition of NHS England on the timeframe for rebuilding of Airedale Hospital as part of the Hospital Rebuilding Programme. (38393)
- 17N **Helen Morgan** (North Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he plans to ask ICBs to reduce running costs by half. (38394)
- 18N **Helen Morgan** (North Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what proportion of savings from cuts to NHS England and ICB running costs will be directed to (a) primary care, (b) secondary care and (c) social care. (38395)
- 19N **Helen Morgan** (North Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what proportion of savings from changes to (a) NHS England and (b) Integrated care boards running costs will go the consolidated fund. (38396)
- 20N **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 11 March 2025 to Question 35836 on NHS: Negligence, how many separate instances of clinical negligence in England where NHS Resolution paid damages were there in each financial year since 2019-20, broken down by speciality. (38437)
- 21N **Ian Roome** (North Devon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will publish the detailed results of each hospital's funding bid scoring against the Multi Factorial Review of the New Hospital Programme. (38483)
- 22N **Cat Smith** (Lancaster and Wyre): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking with Cabinet colleagues to support women with epilepsy. [Transferred] (903269)
- 23N **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, which areas of gastroenterology he plans to prioritise in the Elective Care Reform Programme. (38416)
- 24N **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what his planned timeline is for implementing gastroenterology reforms through the Elective Care Reform Programme; and how he plans to monitor progress. (38417)
- 25N **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans NHS England has to consult with patient organisations on gastroenterology reform in the Elective Care Reform Programme; and how he plans to include patients in decision-making. (38418)
- 26N **Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Clapham and Brixton Hill): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of waiting 12 months before being allowed to apply for a right to work on asylum seekers. (38379)

- 27N **Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Clapham and Brixton Hill): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if her Department will make an assessment of the potential impact of the no recourse to public funds policy on people with long-term (a) conditions and (b) disabilities. (38380)
- 28N **Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Clapham and Brixton Hill): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to prevent people seeking asylum from becoming (a) destitute and (b) in poverty. (38381)
- 29N **Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Clapham and Brixton Hill): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether she has made an assessment of the potential impact of restrictions on right to work on the health and safety of people seeking asylum. (38382)
- 30N **Dame Caroline Dinenage** (Gosport): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether he plans to establish an MPs' hotline for the Defence Business Services. (38354)
- 31N **David Taylor** (Hemel Hempstead): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if she will hold discussions with the Parole Board on the potential impact of the release of James Hurley on PC Frank Mason's family. (38526)
- 32N **Ben Lake** (Ceredigion Preseli): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment has she made of the potential impact of the Government's plans to abolish NHS England on the future amounts of health related consequential funding that the Welsh Government will receive under the Barnett formula. (38377)

Questions for Answer on Thursday 20 March

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Noah Law** (St Austell and Newquay): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what consideration he has given to allow British International Investment to borrow from the financial markets to support the expansion of its international development goals. (38518)
- 2N **Noah Law** (St Austell and Newquay): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of asking British International Investment to produce a critical minerals strategy that (a) strengthens the UK's supply chains and (b) supports its development goals. (38519)
- 3N **Kirsty Blackman** (Aberdeen North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 14 March 2025 to Question 36658 on Home Office: Training, how many people have acted as mentors in the last 12 months. (38361)

- 4N **Kirsty Blackman** (Aberdeen North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 14 March 2025 to Question 36658 on Home Office: Training, how many people have been mentored in the last 12 months. (38362)
- 5N **Kirsty Blackman** (Aberdeen North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 13 March 2025 to Question 36656 on Refugees, whether any statelessness determination applications have been granted since 5 July 2024. (38363)
- 6N **Kirsty Blackman** (Aberdeen North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 13 March 2025 to Question 36656 on Refugees, whether any statelessness determination applications have been refused since 5 July 2024. (38364)
- 7N **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to the Answer of 13 March 2025 to Question 35848 on Armed Forces: Protective Clothing, if he will list (a) all types of current in-service ear defence and (b) their NATO Stock Number issued to service personnel in (i) Royal Navy, excluding Royal Marines, (ii) British Army, (iii) Royal Air Force and (iv) Royal Marines. (38440)
- 8N **Dr Simon Opher** (Stroud): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, pursuant to the Answer of 13 March 2025 to Question 36815 on Community Development and Housing: Gloucestershire, if he will list the amount of funding allocated for each project. (38400)