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# Questions tabled on Thursday 3 April 2025

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# Questions for Answer on Monday 7 April

## **Questions for Written Answer**

- Bell Ribeiro-Addy (Clapham and Brixton Hill): To ask the Solicitor General, with reference to the Crown Prosecution Service Joint Enterprise Pilot 2023: Data Analysis, published on 29 September 2023, what steps she plans to take to help tackle the ethnicity disproportionality outlined in that data. (44005)
- Bell Ribeiro-Addy (Clapham and Brixton Hill): To ask the Solicitor General, with reference to the Crown Prosecution Service Joint Enterprise Pilot 2023 whether the scheme is monitoring cases involving (a) Romani, (b) Roma and (c) Irish Travellers; and when will the scheme will issue its first report. (44006)
- Bell Ribeiro-Addy (Clapham and Brixton Hill): To ask the Solicitor General, with reference to the Crown Prosecution Service Joint Enterprise Pilot 2023, whether the CPS convened a scrutiny panel in January 2024 as planned that focused on joint enterprise cases where evidence of gang association was a feature. (44007)
- 4N Andrew Griffith (Arundel and South Downs): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, when the Prime Minister plans to respond to the letter of 25 February 2025 from the hon.

  Member for Arundel and South Downs. [Transferred] (43620)
- Mr Richard Holden (Basildon and Billericay): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, in what circumstances new public bodies do not have to meet the last resort test in the Approvals Process guidance for new Arm's Length Bodies. (44025)
- 6 **Mr Richard Holden** (Basildon and Billericay): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, pursuant to the Answer of 21 February 2025, to Question 30828 on 9 Downing Street: Media, and with reference to the Cabinet Office: spend data over £25,000 February

- 2025, published on 27 March 2025, whether the £122,086.70 entry for OCS UK&I Limited is the full cost of the No.9 media room refurbishment; and if he will publish the associated invoices.

  (44026)
- 7 **Mr Richard Holden** (Basildon and Billericay): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, if he will place in the Library a copy of the request from FDA for voluntary recognition of a trade union for special advisers. (44032)
- Helen Whately (Faversham and Mid Kent): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how many times the Public Sector Fraud Authority has applied to the county court for a recovery order for the assets of people found to have committed fraud in each of the last five years.

  (44008)
- 9 **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how many claimants were awarded compensation by the Infected Blood Compensation Authority by 31 March 2025. (43922)
- Mike Wood (Kingswinford and South Staffordshire): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, pursuant to the Answer of 1 April 2025 to Question 40914 on Prime Minister: Email, what his Department's policy is on how long emails that are (a) received by 10 Downing Street, (b) not explicitly placed on the official record keeping system and (c) stored on the Downing Street exchange server should be retained.

  [Transferred] (43463)
- Mike Wood (Kingswinford and South Staffordshire): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what the value is of the severance payment to the outgoing director of communications.

  [Transferred] (43464)
- Mike Wood (Kingswinford and South Staffordshire): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, pursuant to the Answer of 31 March 2025 to Question 39120 on 10 Downing Street: Repairs and Maintenance, what the budget is for the works; whether the works (a) required planning permission and (b) are structural; and what the nature of the repair works is other than to the external window frames. (43944)
- Mike Wood (Kingswinford and South Staffordshire): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, pursuant to the answer of 31 March 2025 to Question 40911 on Government Departments: Social Media, if he will make it his policy to update the guidance for (a) special advisers and (b) senior officials to define senior media executives as those from (i) X, (ii) Meta and (iii) Tiktok. (43945)
- Mike Wood (Kingswinford and South Staffordshire): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, pursuant to the Answer of 31 March 2025 to Question 40573 on Alex Chisholm, for what reasons the final advice from the Advisory Committee on Business Appointments, dated 30 October 2024, was not published before 12 March 2025. (43946)

- Mike Wood (Kingswinford and South Staffordshire): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet
  Office, pursuant to the Answer of 31 March 2025 to Question 40580 on Trade Union
  Officials: Facilities Agreements, whether he plans to revoke the The Trade Union
  (Facility Time Publication Requirements) Regulations 2017 following the passage of the
  Employment Rights Bill.
  (43948)
- Mike Wood (Kingswinford and South Staffordshire): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what the headcount of the civil service was in (a) June 2024 and (b) the latest period for which data is available. (43951)
- Mike Wood (Kingswinford and South Staffordshire): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, pursuant to the Answer of 28 March 2025 to Question 39577 on Civil Servants:

  Recruitment, if he will make an assessment of the potential impact of the succession select tool on external recruitment to senior civil service roles. (43954)
- Mike Wood (Kingswinford and South Staffordshire): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether his Department has issued guidance on (a) the (i) determination and (ii) authorisation of ex officio membership of pay review bodies, (b) whether people can sit on multiple pay review bodies and (c) other relevant matters on ex officio membership of pay review bodies.

  (43957)
- Mike Wood (Kingswinford and South Staffordshire): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether his Department has issued guidance to other Departments on reducing spending on leadership training. (43959)
- 20 **Mike Wood** (Kingswinford and South Staffordshire): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, if he will publish the (a) framework agreements and (b) memorandums of understanding between his Department and (i) the UK Statistics Authority and (ii) Office for National Statistics on (A) how Parliamentary Questions about those organisations should be answered and (B) other matters. (43962)
- 21 **Mike Wood** (Kingswinford and South Staffordshire): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether there is a framework agreement in place for the Infected Blood Compensation Authority. (43963)
- 22 **Mike Wood** (Kingswinford and South Staffordshire): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how many staff were signed off absent due to stress in his Department in the most recent week for which data is available. (43964)
- Mike Wood (Kingswinford and South Staffordshire): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how much his Department has spent on recruitment consultants for public appointments regulated by the Commissioner for Public Appointments since 4 July 2024;, and on which firms. (43965)
- 24 Paul Holmes (Hamble Valley): To ask the Member for Battersea, representing the Church Commissioners, what representations the Church Commissioners have received on the occupancy of the Bishop's Palace in Winchester. (44157)

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- 25 Sarah Champion (Rotherham): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether his Department plans to publish a timeline for the Fair Work Agency becoming fully operational. (43872)
- Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of the use of AI in his Department on security. (44022)
- 27 Chi Onwurah (Newcastle upon Tyne Central and West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of the repayment rate for newer medicines under the Voluntary Scheme for Branded Medicines Pricing, Access and Growth on the UK life sciences sector. (43867)
- 28 **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central and West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what assessment his Department has made of the potential impact of working night shifts on (a) health, (b) safety and (c) productivity. (43868)
- 29 **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central and West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what assessment his Department has made of the potential impact of working night shifts on the mental health of workers. (43869)
- 30 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what steps he is taking to help reduce the level of administration for companies applying for export licences. (43841)
- 31 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what steps he is taking to improve the export licence process. (43842)
- 32 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what steps he is taking to support export manufacturing. (43843)
- Alex Ballinger (Halesowen): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment she has made of the adequacy of the enforcement by the Gambling Commission of legislation on preventing unlicensed online gambling operators from being advertised by Premier League football clubs. (44171)
- 34 Ian Byrne (Liverpool West Derby): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what steps her Department is taking to ensure local authorities have sufficient funds for youth services.

  [Transferred] (43533)
- 35 **Ian Byrne** (Liverpool West Derby): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what recent assessment she has made of the adequacy of press regulation. (44134)
- 36 **Ian Byrne** (Liverpool West Derby): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, whether her Department plans to enhance press regulation. (44137)

- **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what steps her Department is taking to improve access to sports facilities for disabled people in (a) South Holland and the Deepings constituency and (b) Lincolnshire. (43821)
- **Andy MacNae** (Rossendale and Darwen): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of the listed events regime on levels of participation in grassroots sport. (44126)
- **Andy MacNae** (Rossendale and Darwen): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of changing viewing habits on the relevance of the Listed Events regime as a means of ensuring the wide and free availability of key national sporting moments. (44127)
- **Stuart Anderson** (South Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many breakfast club early adopters are in (a) rural and (b) urban areas. (43894)
- **Rachel Blake** (Cities of London and Westminster): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps her Department is taking to improve paediatric continence services for disabled children. (44179)
- **Ian Byrne** (Liverpool West Derby): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what recent assessment her Department has made of the adequacy of ventilation in schools in reducing the spread of airborne infections. (44119)
- **Ellie Chowns** (North Herefordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of the (a) Plan 5 student loan repayment threshold and (b) annual pay for someone on the minimum wage in a full-time job from 1 April 2025 on the net income of graduates with student loans. (44184)
- **Marsha De Cordova** (Battersea): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment she has made of the potential merits of including specific provision for blind and partially sighted young people in the National Careers Service. (43926)
- **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of the use of AI in her Department on security.

  (44023)
- **Ben Maguire** (North Cornwall): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment her Department has made of the potential merits of requiring academy trusts to publish full budgets. (44128)
- **Ben Maguire** (North Cornwall): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of introducing a cap on the proportion of academy trust budgets that can be spent on senior leadership salaries. (44129)

- 48 Alex Mayer (Dunstable and Leighton Buzzard): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment her Department has made of the adequacy of exam marking for public qualifications. (44200)
- 49 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what recent estimate she has made of the number of secondary schools in debt. (44071)
- James McMurdock (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what recent estimate she has made of (a) the average class size in secondary schools and (b) the number of secondary school places available to young people in (i) England and (ii) Essex. (44073)
- James McMurdock (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of growing class sizes on (a) the academic attainment of students and (b) the quality of lessons. (44076)
- James McMurdock (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment she has made of the adequacy of the quality of (a) buildings and (b) facilities in state secondary schools in England. (44077)
- James McMurdock (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what support is available for secondary schools facing financial pressures that require (a) new facilities and (b) building repairs. (44079)
- James McMurdock (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what recent discussions her Department has had with secondary school teachers on the (a) attainment, (b) behaviour and (c) attendance of boys in schools in (i) England and (ii) Essex. (44081)
- James McMurdock (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what recent assessment she has made of the effectiveness of the education system for supporting the academic attainment of boys. (44086)
- Perran Moon (Camborne and Redruth): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what plans her Department has to promote training opportunities for (a) mineral processing, (b) metallurgical skills and (c) other critical minerals skills. (44168)
- Jo Platt (Leigh and Atherton): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps her Department is taking to help ensure that schools serving communities with higher levels of disadvantage are adequately supported to provide for the needs of SEND pupils. (43977)
- Jo Platt (Leigh and Atherton): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment her Department has made of the potential impact of increases in numbers of pupils with SEND on (a) budgets, (b) teacher workloads and (c) quality of provision for schools serving disadvantaged communities. (43978)

- Jo Platt (Leigh and Atherton): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment her Department has made of the potential impact of trends in levels of teacher shortages on SEND provision in schools serving communities with higher levels of disadvantage. (43979)
- 60 **Martin Rhodes** (Glasgow North): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what research her Department has conducted into improving accessibility for blind people in further education colleges. (44190)
- 61 **Jessica Toale** (Bournemouth West): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment her Department has made of the potential impact of visa policies on university finances. (44116)
- 62 **Jessica Toale** (Bournemouth West): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what progress her Department has made on developing a sustainable long-term financial model for higher education. (44117)
- Jessica Toale (Bournemouth West): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what discussions her Department has had with stakeholders in (a) higher education, (b)
  University and College Union, (c) Universities UK and (d) Bournemouth University on recent staffing reductions; and what steps she is taking to ensure that staff are adequately protected in accordance with employment laws.

  (44118)
- 64 **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 27 November 2024 to Question 15145 on Teachers: Workplace Pensions, what recent she has made on reducing the backlog of people waiting for cash equivalent transfer value details from teachers' pensions. (43907)
- 65 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether he has had discussions with the Secretary of State for Transport on the potential impact of constructing a western rail link to Heathrow airport on the Government's net zero targets. (44011)
- 66 **Perran Moon** (Camborne and Redruth): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether he plans to use the Warm Homes: Social Housing Fund to accelerate the roll out of Ground Source Heat Pumps and Shared Ground loops. (44087)
- 67N **Wendy Morton** (Aldridge-Brownhills): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, if he will make an estimate of the number of pensioners in receipt of meanstested benefits who are experiencing fuel poverty.

  [Transferred] (43066)
- 68 **Charlotte Nichols** (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether he plans to build any more gigawatt nuclear plants after Sizewell C. (44120)

- **Charlotte Nichols** (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how many successful applicants there will be to the Great British Nuclear small modular reactor selection process. (44121)
- **Charlotte Nichols** (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what assessment he has made of the effectiveness of the levelised cost of energy for communicating the true cost of energy production to consumers. (44122)
- **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what the evidential basis is for the solar Nationally Significant Infrastructure Project threshold of 100Mw. (44060)
- **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central and West): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether GB Energy has a role in decarbonising of preexisting housing stock. (43866)
- 73 Andrew Ranger (Wrexham): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what steps his Department is taking to support social mobility for people from (a) underrepresented and (b) disadvantaged groups in the green energy sector. [Transferred] (43532)
- Anna Sabine (Frome and East Somerset): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what steps he is taking to ensure adequate funding for the Great British Energy Community Fund to support all projects currently approved as of 3 April 2025. (44033)
- **Sadik Al-Hassan** (North Somerset): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what progress has been made on turning Wainwright's Coast to Coast route into a National Trail. (44094)
- 76 Bob Blackman (Harrow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment his Department has made of the potential impact of including school milk cartons in the Extended Producer Responsibility obligations on (α) Government and (b) school spending.
  [Transferred] (43447)
- **Bob Blackman** (Harrow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will meet with representatives of the school milk supply chain to discuss the classification of school milk as a household waste. [Transferred] (43448)
- **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 31 March 2025 to Question 41063 on Low Alcohol Drinks: Labelling and Marketing, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of amending labelling regulations on pubs. (43887)
- **Alex Mayer** (Dunstable and Leighton Buzzard): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent steps he has taken to reduce the number of deaths of dogs in greyhound racing. (44199)

- 80N **Wendy Morton** (Aldridge-Brownhills): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 25 March 2025 to Question 38604 on Sustainable Farming Incentive scheme, what assessment he has made of the potential implications for his policies of farmers whose applications were ready for submission but missed out due to the short notice about the scheme's closure. (43886)
- 81 **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 1 April 2025 to Question 41232 on Internal Drainage Boards: Cambridgeshire, from where is capital funding sourced to (a) repair and (b) replace pumping infrastructure. (44039)
- Jon Trickett (Normanton and Hemsworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment,
  Food and Rural Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 21 March 2025, to Question 38543 on
  Water Companies: Infrastructure, if he will publish his calculations on the savings by
  delivering the scheme through DPC. (43829)
- Jon Trickett (Normanton and Hemsworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment,
  Food and Rural Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 21 March 2025 to Question 38543 on
  Water Companies: Infrastructure, whether he has made an estimate of how much DPC
  schemes costs will increase household water bills. (43830)
- Caroline Voaden (South Devon): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what his policy is on the reinvestment of environmental (a) fines and (b) penalties collected from (i) water and (ii) sewerage companies since November 2023 through the Water Restoration Fund.
- Ian Byrne (Liverpool West Derby): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, if he will meet with organisations representing older people to discuss the potential impact of the transition to digital telecommunications infrastructure on (a) older and (b) vulnerable people.
- Marsha De Cordova (Battersea): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of bringing forward legislative proposals to enforce minimum Web Content Accessibility Guidelines version 2.1

  AA. (43908)
- 87 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Science,
  Innovation and Technology, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of the
  use of AI in his Department on security. (43881)
- Anneliese Midgley (Knowsley): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, what assessment his Department has made of the potential impact of generative artificial intelligence on employment in the creative industries. (44124)
- 89 John Milne (Horsham): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, if he will make £20 million available each year to fund research into alternatives for animal testing.
  [Transferred] (43743)

- 90 **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central and West): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, what assessment he has made of the effectiveness of the regional distribution of research and development funding. (43862)
- 91 **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central and West): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, what assessment he has made of the effectiveness of apprenticeships as pathways into (a) research and (b) innovation careers. (43863)
- 92 **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central and West): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, what discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues on commissioning research into the health and productivity impacts of working night shifts.

  (43864)
- 93 **Dr Ben Spencer** (Runnymede and Weybridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, whether he has had discussions with the Advanced Research and Invention Agency on their approach to the (a) coding and (b) processing of data relating to (i) biological sex and (ii) gender identity in research projects in the context of the Independent review of data, statistics and research on sex and gender, published on 19 March 2025.
- Dr Ben Spencer (Runnymede and Weybridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, whether he has had discussions with the Arts and Humanities Research Council on their approach to the (a) coding and (b) processing of data relating to (i) biological sex and (ii) gender identity in research projects in the context of the Independent review of data, statistics and research on sex and gender, published on 19 March 2025.
- Dr Ben Spencer (Runnymede and Weybridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, whether he has had discussions with the Economic and Social Research Council on their approach to the (a) coding and (b) processing of data relating to (i) biological sex and (ii) gender identity in research projects in the context of the Independent review of data, statistics and research on sex and gender, published on 19 March 2025.
- Dr Ben Spencer (Runnymede and Weybridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, whether he has had discussions with the Biotechnology and Biological Sciences Research Council on their approach to the (a) coding and (b) processing of data relating to (i) biological sex and (ii) gender identity in research projects in the context of the Independent review of data, statistics and research on sex and gender, published on 19 March 2025.
- 97 **Dr Ben Spencer** (Runnymede and Weybridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, whether he has had discussions with the Engineering and Physical Sciences Research Council on their approach to the (a) coding and (b) processing

- of data relating to (i) biological sex and (ii) gender identity in research projects in the context of the Independent review of data, statistics and research on sex and gender, published on 19 March 2025. (43915)
- Dr Ben Spencer (Runnymede and Weybridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Science,
  Innovation and Technology, whether he has had discussions with the Medical Research
  Council on their approach to the (a) coding and (b) processing of data relating to
  (i) biological sex and (ii) gender identity in research projects in the context of the
  Independent review of data, statistics and research on sex and gender, published on 19
  March 2025.

  (43916)
- **Dr Ben Spencer** (Runnymede and Weybridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, whether he has had discussions with the Natural Environment Research Council on their approach to the (a) coding and (b) processing of data relating to (i) biological sex and (ii) gender identity in research projects in the context of the Independent review of data, statistics and research on sex and gender, published on 19 March 2025.
- **Dr Ben Spencer** (Runnymede and Weybridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, whether he has had discussions with the Government Digital Service on their approach to the (a) coding and (b) processing of data relating to (i) biological sex and (ii) gender identity in research projects in the context of the Independent review of data, statistics and research on sex and gender, published on 19 March 2025.
- **Dr Ben Spencer** (Runnymede and Weybridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, whether he has had discussions with the Science and Technology Facilities Council on their approach to the (a) coding and (b) processing of data relating to (i) biological sex and (ii) gender identity in research projects in the context of the Independent review of data, statistics and research on sex and gender, published on 19 March 2025. (44097)
- **Dr Ben Spencer** (Runnymede and Weybridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, what recent discussions he has had with Innovate UK on their approach to coding and processing data relating to biological sex and gender identity in research projects following the Sullivan report since July 2024. (44098)
- **Dr Ben Spencer** (Runnymede and Weybridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, whether he has had discussions with Research England on their approach to the (a) coding and (b) processing of data relating to (i) biological sex and (ii) gender identity in research projects in the context of the Independent review of data, statistics and research on sex and gender, published on 19 March 2025. (44100)
- **Dr Ben Spencer** (Runnymede and Weybridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, whether he has had discussions with UK Research and Innovation on their approach to the (a) coding and (b) processing of data relating

- to (i) biological sex and (ii) gender identity in research projects in the context of the Independent review of data, statistics and research on sex and gender, published on 19 March 2025. (44101)
- 105 **Dr Ben Spencer** (Runnymede and Weybridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, whether he has had discussions with universities on their approach to the (a) coding and (b) processing of data relating to (i) biological sex and (ii) gender identity in research projects in the context of the Independent review of data, statistics and research on sex and gender, published on 19 March 2025. (44102)
- Mike Wood (Kingswinford and South Staffordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, whether he plans to publish a response to the Independent review of data, statistics and research on sex and gender, published on 19 March 2025; and whether he plans to issue guidance to Departments on implementing the recommendations in the report. (43942)
- Mike Wood (Kingswinford and South Staffordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, pursuant to the Answer of 3 March 2025 to Question 32047 on Space Debris, what the nature is of the regulatory reform that will help mitigate the risks from space debris. (43943)
- 108 **Carla Denyer** (Bristol Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues on the availability of (a) suitably skilled contractors (b) materials to allow local authorities to meet the 31 March 2027 deadline for investing City Region Sustainable Transport Settlements. (44063)
- 109 **Carla Denyer** (Bristol Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what her planned timetable is for publishing finalised City Region Sustainable Transport Settlements 2. (44065)
- 110 **Carla Denyer** (Bristol Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment she has made of the potential merits of combining City Region Sustainable Transport Settlements CRSTS 1 and 2. (44066)
- 111 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what discussions has she had with the Civil Aviation Authority on their role in delivering economic growth. (44009)
- Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether the Civil Aviation Authority has undertaken any recent work with (a) her Department, (b) Heathrow Airport, (c) Network Rail and (d) others to make progress on the construction of a Western Rail Link to Heathrow. (44010)
- 113 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether she has made a recent assessment of the potential impact of constructing a western rail link to Heathrow Airport on (a) railway capacity on the Great Western Mainline between Paddington and Iver, (b) passenger numbers at Paddington station and (c) car use. (44012)

- **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment they have made of the potential impact of the use of AI in their Department on security. (44016)
- **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many fast charging points for electric vehicles are operational in South Holland and The Deepings constituency. (43820)
- Sir John Hayes (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether she has had recent discussions with the Driver and Vehicle Standards

  Agency on delays in booking practical driving tests. (43822)
- Sir John Hayes (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps she is taking to tackle people fraudulently impersonating someone else at the practical part of the driving test. (43823)
- **Graham Leadbitter** (Moray West, Nairn and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether she considered making anenvironmental impact assessment on the decision to ban volumetric concrete mobile plants in 2028. (44034)
- **Graham Leadbitter** (Moray West, Nairn and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many meetings (a) she, (b) the Minister for Future of Roads and (c) her officials have had with (i) hon. Members and (ii) trade associations that contributed to the Government's review on Volumetric concrete mixers prior to announcing the findings of that review.
- **Graham Leadbitter** (Moray West, Nairn and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether she held discussions with the Secretary of State for Business and Trade prior to announcing changes to volumetric concrete mobile operating weights from 2028.

  (44036)
- Alex Mayer (Dunstable and Leighton Buzzard): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to her Department's guidance entitled Demand responsive transport: local authority toolkit, published on 13 April 2022, what assessment her Department has made of the effectiveness of Demand Responsive Transport (a) as feeder services to existing rail and bus services and (b) in general.
- **Jerome Mayhew** (Broadland and Fakenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much money has been spent on the Great British Rail Transition Team. (43937)
- **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps she is taking with Cabinet colleagues to provide sustainable funding to the British Transport Police. (43844)
- **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much the British Transport Police have spent on electric vehicles in each of the past 5 years. (43845)

- 125 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much the British Transport Police have spent on the implementation of infrastructure to accommodate electric police vehicles in each of the past 5 years. (43846)
- 126 **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 13 March 2025 to Question 35853 on Govia Thameslink Railway: Fares, if she will make an estimate of the first year in which rail fares will go down under Great British Railways. (44055)
- 127 **Dr Scott Arthur** (Edinburgh South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of her Department's Green Paper entitled Pathways to Work: Reforming Benefits and Support to Get Britain Working, published on 18 March 2025, on people with Parkinson's Disease. (44108)
- 128 Ian Byrne (Liverpool West Derby): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to the Pathways to Work: Reforming Benefits and Support to Get Britain Working Green Paper, CP 1297, published on 18 March 2025, what estimate her Department has made of the number of people who would lose entitlement to Personal Independence Payments by health (a) condition and (b) impairment. (44125)
- 129 **Marsha De Cordova** (Battersea): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment she has made of the potential merits of introducing sight loss training for (a) Access to Work advisors and (b) Jobcentre Plus staff. (43920)
- 130 Marsha De Cordova (Battersea): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment she has made of the potential merits of helping blind and partially sighted people by extending the Access to Work scheme to formal volunteering placements. (43924)
- 131 **Marsha De Cordova** (Battersea): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what estimate her Department has made of the number of Disability Confident scheme employers employing at least one disabled person. (43929)
- Catherine Fookes (Monmouthshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to her Pathways to work: Reforming Benefits and Support to Get Britain Working Green Paper, published in March 2025, what steps she is taking to (a) reduce levels of time taken to access Access to Work applications and (b) ensure that those levels of time do not prohibit people from taking up offers of employment. (44052)
- Richard Foord (Honiton and Sidmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether she has considered changes to the benefits system to reflect increases in costs for (a) building and contents insurance, (b) home maintenance, (c) boiler servicing and (d) other homeowner-related costs, in the context of those costs not usually applying to renters.

- 134N **Sir Julian Lewis** (New Forest East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to the Fifty-seventh Report of the Committee of Public Account of Session 2022-23 on AEA Technology Pension Case, HC 1005, published on 14 June 2023, which recommended redress for the AEA technology pensioners, and to Questions 329 and 330 of the oral evidence given by the Minister for Pensions to the Work and Pensions select committee on 10 January 2024, HC 144, in which the Minister accepted that (a) conclusion and (b) confirmed that Cabinet Office and DWP officials were in talks on how to ensure people have adequate means of address; what steps she is taking to implement such a redress scheme.
- Andy McDonald (Middlesbrough and Thornaby East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to her Department's publication entitled Reforming Benefits and Support to Get Britain Working Green Paper, published on 18 March 2025, what estimate she has made of the number of recipients of PIP who will lose that entitlement in (a) Middlesbrough and Thornaby East constituency, (b) Middlesbrough local authority area, (c) Tees Valley Combined Authority area and (d) the North East. (43873)
- Andy McDonald (Middlesbrough and Thornaby East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to her Department's publication entitled Pathways to Work: Reforming Benefits and Support to Get Britain Working Green Paper, published on 18 March 2025. what estimate she has made of the number of current recipients of Universal Credit health element affected by changes in Universal Credit health rates in (a) Middlesbrough & Thornaby East parliamentary constituency, (b) Middlesbrough local authority, (c) Tees Valley Combined Authority area and (d) the North East; and if she will make an estimate of future recipients of Universal Credit health element affected by changes in Universal Credit health rates in those areas.
- 137 **Andy McDonald** (Middlesbrough and Thornaby East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what estimate she has made of the aggregate financial value of the proposed reduced entitlements to the Personal Independent Payment for people in (a) Middlesbrough and Thornaby East constituency, (b) Middlesbrough Council, (c) Tees Valley Combined Authority area and (d) the North East. (43875)
- Andy McDonald (Middlesbrough and Thornaby East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what estimate she has made of the aggregate financial value of the proposed changes to Universal Credit health rates for people in (a) Middlesbrough and Thornaby East constituency, (b) Middlesbrough Council, (c) Tees Valley Combined Authority area and (d) the North East.
- 139 **Andy McDonald** (Middlesbrough and Thornaby East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what estimate she has made of the aggregate financial value of the proposed reduced entitlements to the Personal Independent Payment for people in each Parliamentary constituency. (43877)

- 140 Andy McDonald (Middlesbrough and Thornaby East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what estimate she has made of the aggregate financial value of the proposed changes to Universal Credit Health rates for people in each Parliamentary constituency. (43878)
- Andy McDonald (Middlesbrough and Thornaby East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to the policy paper entitled Spring Statement 2025 health and disability benefit reforms Impacts, published in March 2025, what estimate she has made of the number and proportion of additional people there will be in relative poverty in (a) Middlesbrough and Thornaby East constituency, (b) Middlesbrough Council, (c) Tees Valley Combined Authority area and (d) the North East. (43879)
- Andy McDonald (Middlesbrough and Thornaby East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to the policy paper entitled Spring Statement 2025 health and disability benefit reforms Impacts, published in March 2025, what estimate she has made of the number and proportion of additional people there will be in relative poverty in each Parliamentary constituency. (43880)
- Andy McDonald (Middlesbrough and Thornaby East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what estimate she has made of the number of people who will no longer qualify for Carer's Allowance following the proposed changes to entitlements to the Personal Independent Payment in (a) Middlesbrough and Thornaby East constituency, (b) Middlesbrough Council, (c) Tees Valley Combined Authority area and (d) the North East.

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- 144 **Andy McDonald** (Middlesbrough and Thornaby East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what estimate she has made of the aggregate financial value of the loss of entitlement to Carer's Allowance following proposed changes to entitlement to the Personal Independent Payment for people in (a) Middlesbrough and Thornaby East constituency, (b) Middlesbrough Council, (c) Tees Valley Combined Authority area and (d) the North East. (43967)
- 145 **Andy McDonald** (Middlesbrough and Thornaby East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if she will make it her policy to provide hon. Members with an economic and fiscal outlook assessment by the Office for Budget Responsibility of the measures in the Pathways to Work Green Paper, published on 18 March 2025, before bringing forward legislative proposals on the measures. (43968)
- 146 **Andy McDonald** (Middlesbrough and Thornaby East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, pursuant to the Answer of 28 March to Question 39845 on Personal Independence Payments: Middlesbrough and Thornaby East, if she will publish that programme of analysis before bringing forward legislation. (43969)

- 147 **Andy McDonald** (Middlesbrough and Thornaby East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether she had discussions with disabled people's groups on the introduction of the requirement that claimants must score a minimum of four points in at least one daily living activity to be eligible for the daily living component of Personal Independence Payment. (43970)
- 148 **Andy McDonald** (Middlesbrough and Thornaby East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, pursuant to the Answer of 28 March 2025 to Question 39851 on Social Security Benefits: Disability, whether the collaboration committees will discuss new PIP qualification criteria. (43971)
- Andy McDonald (Middlesbrough and Thornaby East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, pursuant to the Answer of 28 March 2025 to Question 39848 on Universal Credit: Disability, if she will publish the wider review of the PIP assessment before bringing forward legislation. (43972)
- 150 **Iqbal Mohamed** (Dewsbury and Batley): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what estimate she has made as to the additional number of benefits recipients who will be subject to eligibility verification notices under the Public Authorities (Fraud, Error and Recovery) Bill as a result of her welfare reforms. [Transferred] (43663)
- Perran Moon (Camborne and Redruth): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what plans she has for the provision of further information on the additional premium provided to claimants for the planned Universal Credit health element for the most severe, life-long health conditions. (44169)
- Perran Moon (Camborne and Redruth): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether she plans to consult with stakeholders on the potential (a) duration and (b) level of support available in relation to her Department's proposals for unemployment insurance. (44170)
- 153 **Alex Sobel** (Leeds Central and Headingley): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if her Department will provide guidance to customer service teams to ensure that written responses are available upon request. (43938)
- Stuart Anderson (South Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of the capacity of the National Health Service in helping local authorities to improve the social care sector. (43895)
- 155N **Edward Argar** (Melton and Syston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what percentage of NHS England's staff were clinically qualified as of 1 March 2025.

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- Siân Berry (Brighton Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 28 March 2025 to Question 40020 on Chronic Fatigue Syndrome:

  Health Services, whether he has had discussions with the British Association of Clinicians in ME/CFS on the myalgic encephalomyelitis/chronic fatigue syndrome delivery plan; and whether that plan will establish more NHS specialist ME/CFS services. (44182)
- 157 **Jess Brown-Fuller** (Chichester): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what progress he has made on increasing the availability of (a) methylphenidate and (b) pancreatic enzyme replacement therapy. (44145)
- 158 **Ian Byrne** (Liverpool West Derby): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department is taking steps to provide redress to patients affected by pelvic mesh implants.

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- Care, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of independent pharmacy closures on (a) local GP capacity, (b) hospital capacity, (c) the healthcare needs of the local community and (d) local pharmacists in need of employment. (44174)
- 160 **Dr Luke Evans** (Hinckley and Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the Spring Statement 2025, whether the abolition of NHS England will be entirely funded by the £150 million included in the transformation fund.

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- Dr Luke Evans (Hinckley and Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to maintain (a) transparency and (b) accountability in NHS operations after the abolition of NHS England. (43994)
- 162 **Dr Luke Evans** (Hinckley and Bosworth): 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 the (a) roles and (b) responsibilities of regional NHS bodies. (43995)
- 163 **Dr Luke Evans** (Hinckley and Bosworth): 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 patient outcomes. (43996)
- Dr Luke Evans (Hinckley and Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to manage the integration of NHS England's IT systems into his Department. (43997)
- 165 **Dr Luke Evans** (Hinckley and Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what consultation he undertook prior to the decision to abolish NHS England.

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- **Dr Luke Evans** (Hinckley and Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how the abolition of NHS England will impact the management of (a) national and (b) regional NHS budgets. (43999)
- **Dr Luke Evans** (Hinckley and Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to (a) monitor and (b) evaluate the potential impact of the abolition of NHS England on healthcare delivery. (44000)
- **Dr Luke Evans** (Hinckley and Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department plans to take to communicate changes in relation to the abolition of NHS England to the (a) public and (b) NHS staff. (44001)
- Dr Luke Evans (Hinckley and Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department plans to take to manage existing (a) litigation and (b) other disputes involving NHS England after its abolition. (44002)
- **Dr Luke Evans** (Hinckley and Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many staff will form the leadership team to coordinate the transfer of NHS England into his Department. (44003)
- **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking following hospital discharge to ensure the adequate provision of rehabilitation for patients with head injuries. (43817)
- **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to publish his Department's brain injury strategy.

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- **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure that brain injury survivors have access to community-based specialist neurorehabilitation services. (43825)
- **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will take steps to reduce the time taken by doctors to issue medical certificates giving the cause of death following a death in hospital. (43827)
- **Liz Jarvis** (Eastleigh): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he plans to increase the provision of pacemakers and implanted defibrillators. (44198)
- Perran Moon (Camborne and Redruth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of Car-Hill formula for funding to GPs in Camborne, Redruth and Hayle. (44095)
- **Perran Moon** (Camborne and Redruth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of improving the funding of and support for NHS dentistry services in rural areas. (44096)

- 178 **Perran Moon** (Camborne and Redruth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether NHS 10-year health plan for England will include dentistry services. (44099)
- 179 **Perran Moon** (Camborne and Redruth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate he has made of the number of adults with eating disorders that are waiting for treatment from community mental health services; and what steps he is taking to reduce waiting times. (44163)
- 180 **Perran Moon** (Camborne and Redruth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to improve services for women with eating disorders.

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- Perran Moon (Camborne and Redruth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make a comparative assessment between trends in levels of people hospitalised due to eating disorders in (a) England and (b) other European nations in 2024.
- Susan Murray (Mid Dunbartonshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 4 March 2025 to Question 35462 on Pancreatic Enzyme Replacement Therapy shortages, what the (a) dates and (b) attendees were of meetings held with (i) clinicians, (ii) patient advocacy groups, (iii) affected charities, and (iv) manufacturers of pancreatic enzyme replacement therapy to discuss (A) shortages and (B) steps to increase supply.
- Susan Murray (Mid Dunbartonshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 4 March 2025 to Question 35462 on Pancreatic Enzyme Replacement Therapy shortages, if he will publish the volume of unlicensed pancreatic enzyme replacement therapy stock imported since 1 January 2024. (44156)
- 184 **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 2 April 2025 to Question 41611 on Hospitals: Renewable Energy, what sites comprise the NHS acute estate. (44056)
- 185 **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 2 April 2025 to Question 41611 on Hospitals: Renewable Energy, what projects comprise the estimated increase in renewable power capacity in the NHS.

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- Manuela Perteghella (Stratford-on-Avon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether her Department has made an assessment of the potential impact of fixed recoverable costs on (a) birth injury cases, (b) mental health-related negligence claims and (c) claims involving elderly care.

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- 187 **Manuela Perteghella** (Stratford-on-Avon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps her Department is taking to review the proposed fixed recoverable costs scheme for clinical negligence claims. (44196)

- 188 Manuela Perteghella (Stratford-on-Avon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he plans to consult stakeholders on the potential impact of fixed recoverable costs on access to justice for vulnerable patients impacted by clinical negligence. (44197)
- **Dr Al Pinkerton** (Surrey Heath): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to support individuals suffering with dementia in Surrey Heath constituency. (44161)
- **Dr Al Pinkerton** (Surrey Heath): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of dementia care in Surrey Heath constituency. (44162)
- 191 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to reduce the cost of wholesale medications bought by the National Health Service. (43838)
- **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to support people with Sickle Cell Anaemia. (43839)
- **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to support the retention of social workers in the NHS.

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- **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will publish his Department's impact assessment on closing NHS England. (44051)
- **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an assessment of the potential impact of closing NHS England on integrated care boards. (44053)
- **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of the provisions outlined in his Department's press release entitled Crack teams get patients off waiting lists at twice the speed, published on 16 March 2025, on people in Bedfordshire. (44054)
- **Robin Swann** (South Antrim): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether the abolition of NHS England will impact the (a) role and (b) structure of the Getting It Right First Time programme. (44160)
- **Jessica Toale** (Bournemouth West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what data his Department holds on the number of people who were diagnosed with HIV/AIDS in (a) Bournemouth and (b) South West England for each of the past five years.

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- **Jessica Toale** (Bournemouth West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what progress his Department has made on ending new HIV transmissions by 2030.

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- **Jessica Toale** (Bournemouth West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to reduce HIV/AIDS transmission in (a)

  Bournemouth West constituency, (b) the South West and (c) areas with high prevalence of HIV.
- **Laurence Turner** (Birmingham Northfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of prescribing medical cannabis to treat Charcot-Marie-Tooth Syndrome. (44130)
- **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department is taking steps to simplify the process for clinicians seeking approval to use phage therapy. (44131)
- **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he plans to make an assessment of the (a) adequacy of the requirement for UK-produced phages to be manufactured under good manufacturing practice and (b) potential impact of this requirement on patient access to treatment. (44132)
- 204 Martin Wrigley (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the potential impact of the level of imports of phage products on national security; and whether he is taking steps to help develop UK-based manufacturing capabilities. (44133)
- **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will bring forward legislative proposals to introduce a magistral phage model to allow UK phages to be produced without requiring GMP licensing. (44136)
- 206 Martin Wrigley (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make a comparative assessment of the effectiveness of phage therapy regulatory frameworks in (a) Belgium, (b) Canada, (c) France, (d) the US and (e) Australia; whether he plans to adopt similar measures in the UK; and if he will make an assessment of the potential impact of doing so on patient access. (44138)
- **Mr James Cleverly** (Braintree): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how much Official Development Assistance was allocated to UNICEF in each of the last five financial years. (43947)
- **Mr James Cleverly** (Braintree): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how much Official Development Assistance was allocated to the World Food Programme in each of the last five financial years. (43949)

- **Mr James Cleverly** (Braintree): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how much Official Development Assistance was allocated to the United Nations Relief and Works Agency in each of the last five financial years. (43950)
- **Mr James Cleverly** (Braintree): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of changes in Official Development Assistance funding on UNICEF programmes supported by the UK.

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- **Mr James Cleverly** (Braintree): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of reductions in Official Development Assistance on the humanitarian response capability of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency. (43953)
- **Mr James Cleverly** (Braintree): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of reductions in Official Development Assistance on UNICEF's ability to deliver services to vulnerable children. (43955)
- **Mr James Cleverly** (Braintree): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of reductions in Official Development Assistance on the operations of the World Food Programme. (43956)
- **Mr James Cleverly** (Braintree): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of reductions in Official Development Assistance on UK strategic interests in the Middle East.

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- **Mr James Cleverly** (Braintree): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the impact of Official Development Assistance provided to Jordan on regional stability. (43960)
- **Mr James Cleverly** (Braintree): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to monitor the effectiveness of Official Development Assistance provided to the United Nations Relief and Works Agency. (43961)
- **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
  Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment they have made of the
  potential impact of the use of AI in their Department on security. (44015)
- 218 Liz Jarvis (Eastleigh): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking to monitor the safety and well-being of family members of individuals who worked with the UK Government in Afghanistan prior to Taliban rule.
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- 219 **Brian Mathew** (Melksham and Devizes): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
  Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to his Department's press release
  entitled Ministerial roundtable on water security, 13 March 2025: outcome statement,
  published on 14 March 2025, what steps his Department is taking to fulfil those outcomes
  in the next 12 months.

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- 220 James Naish (Rushcliffe): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he has made representations to his counterpart in Nicaragua on the suppression of (a) human rights and (b) religious freedoms in that country.
  (44069)
- Priti Patel (Witham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he has made a formal request to the US to support the costs of the proposed lease for the military base at Diego Garcia. (43855)
- Priti Patel (Witham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what formal response he has received from the US on the proposed treaty with Mauritius. (43856)
- Priti Patel (Witham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether any marine areas will be covered within the lease of the base on Diego Garcia. (43857)
- Priti Patel (Witham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he has made an assessment of the potential implications for his policies of military (a) operations and (b) drills conducted by China near Taiwan.
  (43858)
- Priti Patel (Witham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what discussions he has had with his Chinese counterpart on that country's military (a) operations and (b) drills near Taiwan since July 2024. (43859)
- Priti Patel (Witham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 24 March 2025 to Question 38981 on China: Foreign Influence Registration Scheme, whether his Department has received representations from China on (a) the Foreign Influence Registration Scheme and (b) that country being included in the enhanced tier.
- 227 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he has met with the Human Rights Council of the United Nations to discuss the reappointment of UN Special Rapporteur Francesca Albanese. (43833)
- 228 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if he will make an assessment of the effectiveness of the work of the UN Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Palestinian Territories.

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- **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he has made recent representations to the United Nations on UN Special Rapporteur Francesca Albanese. (43835)
- 230 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 24 October 2024 to Question 9120 on Francesca Albanese, whether (a) Ministers and (b) officials in his Department have (i) met and (ii) had discussions with UN Special Rapporteur Francesca Albanese since 24 October 2024.
- 231 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he has made recent representations to the United Nations on statements by UN Special Rapporteur Francesca Albanese on (a) Israel and (b) the causes of the 7 October attacks.
- **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he plans to support the development of phage therapy solutions for low-to-middle-income countries. (44139)
- **Sir Christopher Chope** (Christchurch): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether the Government pays the RNLI in connection with Channel crossings by asylum seekers. (43811)
- **Mr James Cleverly** (Braintree): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to reduce small boat crossings. (43909)
- **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment they have made of the potential impact of the use of AI in their Department on security. (44013)
- **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of the use of AI in her Department on security. (44021)
- **Anna Dixon** (Shipley): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what guidance her Department plans to provide to (a) fairs, (b) parades and (c) other local community events on the supply and administration of first aid under Martyn's Law. (44192)
- **Anna Dixon** (Shipley): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what specific first aid equipment will be required under Martyn's Law for venues and events; and whether there will be different requirements based on venue size and risk level. (44193)
- **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will publish all (a) correspondence and (b) internal assessments on the decision not to proceed with a full public inquiry into grooming gangs. (44180)

- **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will consider the findings of privately funded independent inquiries into grooming gang activity and associated institutional failures. (44181)
- **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will offer (a) safeguarding and (b) witness protection support to (i) victims and (ii) whistleblowers that give evidence to the hon. Member for Great Yarmouth's private inquiry into grooming gangs. (44183)
- **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what (a) mental health and (b) trauma support services are available to survivors of grooming gangs who participate in non-statutory inquiries. (44187)
- **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will meet with the hon. Member for Great Yarmouth to discuss his private inquiry into grooming gangs. (44188)
- **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if her Department will provide a liaison contact to assist with the hon. Member for Great Yarmouth's inquiry into grooming gangs. (44189)
- **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether her Department will make an assessment of the potential merits of providing anonymised (a) data and (b) reports to support the hon. Member for Great Yarmouth's inquiry into grooming gangs. (44191)
- **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will instruct relevant Departmental officials to engage with the hon. Member for Great Yarmouth's inquiry into grooming gangs. (44194)
- Wendy Morton (Aldridge-Brownhills): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home
   Department, pursuant to the Answer of 20 March 2025 to Question 38594 on
   Neighbourhood Policing: Finance, what estimate she has made of funding available to
   frontline policing in 2025-26.
- Jake Richards (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department,
   how many people (a) claim asylum and (b) receive leave to remain based solely on Article
   8 of the European Convention on Human Rights. (44146)
- **James Cartlidge** (South Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether he plans to end bursary schemes in the (a) Army, (b) RAF, (c) Royal Navy and (d) Royal Marines. (43930)
- **James Cartlidge** (South Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to the Answer of 24 March 2025 to Question 39042 on Helicopters: Finance, if he will make an estimate of the budget across front line commands for (a) 2024-25 and (b) 2025-26. (43931)

- 251 James Cartlidge (South Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to the Answer of 24 March 2025 to Question 38649 on Unmanned Air Systems: Procurement, if he will provide a date. (43932)
- 252 James Cartlidge (South Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to the Answer of 25 March 2025 to Question 39917 on Unmanned Air Systems: Procurement, which other platforms were procured through an Urgent Capability Requirement since 5 July 2024. (43933)
- 253 **James Cartlidge** (South Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to the Answer of 25 March 2025 to Question 39047 on Armed Forces Covenant, if he will provide a summary of the meeting of 19 March 2025. (43934)
- 254 **James Cartlidge** (South Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to the Answer of 26 March 2025 to Question 39045 on Armed Forces Covenant: Business, what the requirements are to pass the Covenant Test. (43935)
- 255 **James Cartlidge** (South Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to the Answer of 27 March 2025 to Question 39502 on Armed Forces: Childcare, which defence sites provide opportunities for local childcare. (43936)
- 256 **James Cartlidge** (South Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the staffing requirements are for the National Armaments Director Group. (43974)
- 257 **James Cartlidge** (South Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether the National Armaments Director Group will have a governing board. (43975)
- 258 James Cartlidge (South Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to his Written Statement dated 1 April 2025 on Defence Reform, HCWS573, whether the National Armaments Director Group will have an advisory board. (43976)
- 259 **James Cartlidge** (South Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to his Written Ministerial Statement of 1 April 2025 on Defence Reform, HCWS 573, whether he plans to (a) abolish, (b) absorb and (c) resubordinate Defence Equipment and Support in the context of the creation of the National Armaments Director Group. (43986)
- 260 James Cartlidge (South Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to his Written Ministerial Statement of 1 April 2025 on Defence Reform, HCWS573, whether the creation of the National Armaments Director Group result in the (a) abolition, (b) absorption and (c) resubordinating of Defence Infrastructure Organisation. (43987)
- 261 James Cartlidge (South Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to his Written Ministerial Statement of 1 April 2025 on Defence Reform, HCWS573, whether the creation of the National Armaments Director Group result in the (a) abolition, (b) absorption and (c) resubordinating of Defence Science and Technology Laboratory. (43988)

- 262 James Cartlidge (South Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to his Written Ministerial Statement of 1 April 2025 on Defence Reform, HCWS573, whether creation of the National Armaments Director Group result in the (a) abolition, (b) absorption and (c) resubordinating absorption of Defence Digital. (43989)
- 263 James Cartlidge (South Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to his Written Ministerial Statement of 1 April 2025 on Defence Reform, HCWS573, whether the creation of the National Armaments Director Group result in the (a) abolition, (b) absorption and (c) resubordinating of parts of Defence Support. (43990)
- **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what assessment they have made of the potential impact of the use of AI in their Department on security.

  (44014)
- **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of the use of AI in his Department on security.

  (44020)
- **Graeme Downie** (Dunfermline and Dollar): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what support he provides for people with long term health conditions trying to access discounts on water charges when the supply is provided on behalf of his Department. (44159)
- **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, for what reason the criteria used by the Atomic Weapons Establishment to decide which documents are published from the Merlin database has changed. (43816)
- **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the Ofsted ratings are of each armed forces apprenticeship programme. (44143)
- 269 Ben Obese-Jecty (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the Ofsted ratings are of each establishment providing care and welfare of armed forces initial training. (44144)
- **Siân Berry** (Brighton Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, with reference to the press release entitled £2 billion new investment to support biggest boost in social and affordable housebuilding in a generation, published on 25 March 2025, how many and what proportion of these homes will be for social rent for people experiencing homelessness. (44123)
- **Rachel Gilmour** (Tiverton and Minehead): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
  Communities and Local Government, what assessment she has made of the potential
  impact of the change in banks' policies on block management accounts on people who
  own apartment buildings. (44037)
- **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether she has had recent discussions with local authorities on improving processing times for death certificates. (43826)

- **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, how many people had to wait longer than 10 days for a death certificate to be issued following the death of a family member since 2019.
- **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
  Communities and Local Government, pursuant to the Answer of 18 March 2025 to
  Question 36686, on MHCLG: Industrial Disputes, what the disputed issue is between her
  Department and the PCS trade union relating to that industrial action. (43882)
- **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
  Communities and Local Government, pursuant to the Answer of 31 March 2025 to Question
  40195 on Levelling Up Fund, how much has been allocated in (a) capital and (b) resource
  funding to the Levelling Up Fund for 2025-26; and whether those planned allocations have
  changed since 4 July 2024.

  (43888)
- **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
  Communities and Local Government, pursuant to the Answer of 28 March 2025 to
  Question 39867 on Ministry of Housing, Communities and Local Government: Electronic
  Purchasing Card Solution, if she will publish all expenditure on those cards since 4 July
  2024. (43889)
- **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,

  Communities and Local Government, what assessment she has made of the potential

  impact of equal pay claims on the financial viability of councils. (43890)
- **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
  Communities and Local Government, what assessment her Department has made of the
  potential impact of reductions to the collection of household rubbish on the prevalence of
  (a) vermin, (b) odours and (c) insects. (43891)
- **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
  Communities and Local Government, whether (a) authorised and (b) unauthorised
  traveller pitches count towards housing targets. (43896)
- **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,

  Communities and Local Government, whether any Muslim organisations are not eligible to
  submit bids to the Combatting Hate Against Muslims fund. (43897)
- **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,

  Communities and Local Government, how much (a) capital and (b) resource funding she
  plans to allocate to Investment Zones in each of the next four financial years. (43898)
- **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,

  Communities and Local Government, whether she plans to give additional powers to local
  authorities to tackle unauthorised traveller (a) development and (b) encampments. (43899)

- 283 **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, pursuant to the Answer of 27 March 2025 to Question 39870 on Freeports: Finance, what the budgeted (a) capital and (b) resource funding is for freeports in 2025-26. (43900)
- Kevin Hollinrake (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
  Communities and Local Government, with reference to her Department's publication
  entitled Combatting Hate Against Muslims fund: prospectus, published on 2 April
  2025, whether groups that disagree with the Government's new working definition on
  Islamophobia will be eligible to receive funding.

  (43901)
- 285 **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, pursuant to the Answer of 27 March 2025 to Question 39802 on Regulator of Social Housing: Translation Services, whether her Department has made an estimate of the cost to the public purse of translation into foreign languages by local authorities. (43902)
- 286 **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
  Communities and Local Government, with reference to the entry for Casas Y Palacios
  in the publication entitled MHCLG: spending over £500, January 2025, updated on 27
  February 2025, what event she attended. (43903)
- 287 **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,

  Communities and Local Government, what assessment she has made of the potential

  impact of local government restructuring on the Local Government Pension Scheme. (43904)
- 288 **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
  Communities and Local Government, whether council tax referendum provisions will be
  applied to new (a) town and (b) parish councils established in new unitary areas. (43905)
- 289 **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
  Communities and Local Government, with reference to the transparency data entitled
  MHCLG: spending over £500, February 2025, published on 31 March 2025, which Ministers
  used the ministerial private car service provided by Little's Chauffeur Drive; where this
  service was provided; and whether her Department considered using the Government Car
  Service.
- 290 **Iqbal Mohamed** (Dewsbury and Batley): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
  Communities and Local Government, what (a) grants and (b) other sources of funding are
  available for the repair of sports centres with Reinforced Autoclaved Aerated Concrete.

  [Transferred] (43719)
- Wendy Morton (Aldridge-Brownhills): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
  Communities and Local Government, pursuant to the Answer of 24 March to Question
  38609 on Local Government Pension Scheme, what her planned timeline is for the
  announcement of reforms as part of the Chancellor's Pensions Review. (43885)

- 292 Dr Al Pinkerton (Surrey Heath): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment her Department has made of the potential impact of non-qualifying leaseholder status on the ability of impacted leaseholders to sell their properties in buildings that have undergone remediation under the Building Safety Act 2022. (44080)
- 293 **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
  Communities and Local Government, pursuant to the Answer of 20 March 2025 to
  Question 37781 on Voting Rights: Young People, whether her Department plans to instruct
  the Boundary Commissions to perform an early boundary review of Parliamentary
  Constituencies to ensure electoral equality at the General Election 2029 with the addition
  of voters aged 16 and 17.

  (44045)
- 294 **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
  Communities and Local Government, if she will make an estimate of the number of Parish,
  Town and Community Councils which will pay additional employers' National Insurance in
  2025-26. (44046)
- 295 **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
  Communities and Local Government, with reference to her Department's publication
  entitled Employer National Insurance Contributions Grant Explanatory Note, published
  on 3 February 2025, which councils were invited to submit their estimates of 2023-24
  expenditure.

  [R] (44047)
- 296 **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing,
  Communities and Local Government, pursuant to the Answer of 24 March to Question
  38446 on Environmental Delivery Plans, whether Natural England will be required to pay
  for ongoing maintenance of conservation projects. (44048)
- 297 **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, with reference to the press release entitled £2 billion new investment to support biggest boost in social and affordable housebuilding in a generation, published on 25 March 2025, where the houses will be located. [R] (44049)
- 298 **John Whitby** (Derbyshire Dales): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, pursuant to the Answer of 14 March 2025 to Question 36119 on Homes for Ukraine Scheme: Children, whether those safeguards will be in place for the duration of the Homes for Ukraine scheme. (44041)
- Lewis Cocking (Broxbourne): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, whether her
   Department has a target for the removal of foreign national offenders from prisons. (44030)
- 300 **Tracy Gilbert** (Edinburgh North and Leith): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if she will remove corporate crown immunity from the Scottish Prison Service. (44043)

- 301 Alison Griffiths (Bognor Regis and Littlehampton): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what recent representations she has received from legal professional bodies on the performance of employment tribunals. (44113)
- **Alison Griffiths** (Bognor Regis and Littlehampton): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what funding has been allocated to the employment tribunal system in each of the last three financial years; and what proportion of that funding has been spent on digital case management systems.

  (44114)
- **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if she will conduct a review into the effectiveness of the Sentencing Council. (43818)
- **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many people were convicted of taking control over the home of another person to use it for criminal activity in each of the last five years. (43819)
- **Ayoub Khan** (Birmingham Perry Barr): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, whether his Department is providing suicide prevention training to (a) all and (b) newly recruited (i) prison and (ii) probation staff. (44185)
- **Ayoub Khan** (Birmingham Perry Barr): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many and what proportion of (a) prison and (b) probation staff have undertaken suicide prevention training. (44186)
- **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, with reference to the Review of the Taking Control of Goods (Fees), published on 17 July 2023, when she plans to (a) (i) consult on the proposals and (ii) bring forward the legislative proposals outlined in that review and (b) bring forward legislative proposals to increase the fixed fees for High Court and non-High Court Fees. (43847)
- **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, with reference to the Answer of 23 September 2022 to Question 51944 on Enforcement Conduct Board, if she will make it her policy review the legal status of the Enforcement Conduct Board within two years of its operation. (43848)
- 309 Andrew Rosindell (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if she will make her policy that local authorities that employ an internal team of certificated enforcement agents to collect fees under the (a) Taking Control of Goods Regulations 2014 and (b)
  Taking Control of Goods (Fees) Regulations 2014 must be accredited by the Enforcement Conduct Board.
- **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Right hon. Member for Kenilworth and Southam, representing the Speaker's Committee on the Electoral Commission, what guidance the Electoral Commission has provided on whether a linked donation which a Parliamentary candidate benefits from but given to a national political party during the 2024 general election short campaign, must be declared in the candidate's Representation of the People Act return. (43883)

- David Chadwick (Brecon, Radnor and Cwm Tawe): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to the Secretary of State for Transport's Oral Statement of 24 March 2025 on Road Maintenance, whether she has made an estimate of the Barnett consequential funding for Wales of the additional £500 million highway maintenance funding.

  (44028)
- 312 Marsha De Cordova (Battersea): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if she will hold discussions with Cabinet colleagues on the potential merits of including information on the Access to Work scheme in correspondence from HMRC to employers. (43927)
- 313 **Dr Luke Evans** (Hinckley and Bosworth): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to her Oral Statement of 26 March 2025 on the Spring Statement, Official Report, column 945, what proportion of the £150 million included in the transformation fund will be spent on the abolition of NHS England. (43893)
- Anna Gelderd (South East Cornwall): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether her Department has done modelling on the value of damage done by UK imports of commodities from deforested land.

  (44103)
- Anna Gelderd (South East Cornwall): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of deforestation in the Amazon rainforest on the UK economy.

  (44104)
- 316 **Kanishka Narayan** (Vale of Glamorgan): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps she is taking to support the allocation of a greater share of defined contribution pension capital into UK productive assets, in the context of the Mansion House reforms.

  [Transferred] (43512)
- 317 **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to her oral statement on Spring Statement of 26 March 2025, Official Report, Column 952, what the evidential basis is that households will be on average more than £500 a year better off under this Government; and if she will publish the comparison of RHDI for each financial year of this parliament.
- 318 **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, pursuant to the Answer of 3 April 2025 to Question 41608 on Civil Service: Redundancy, which Departments will contribute additional funding for employee exit schemes; and how much each Department plans to contribute. (44142)
- 319 **Euan Stainbank** (Falkirk): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what estimate she has made of the cost to the public purse of reducing the headline rate of Digital Services Tax by the end of this Parliament. (44091)

- 320 **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, pursuant to the Answer of 13 February 2025 to Question 29188 on Agriculture and Business:

  Inheritance Tax, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of reviewing her Department's data collection methods to enable the collection of data on the number of estates containing woodlands impacted in the 2026-27 financial year. (44050)
- 321 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, pursuant to the Answer of 1 April 2025 to Question 42193 on Digital Technology: Taxation, what recent discussions he has had with his G20 counterparts on the taxation of the digital economy.

  [Transferred] (43645)
- 322 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether she plans to provide funding to develop small-batch GMP phage manufacturing in the UK. (44135)
- 323 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of introducing a phage impact bond that is similar to previous social impact bonds. (44141)
- 324 **Marsha De Cordova** (Battersea): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, if she will make an assessment with Cabinet colleagues of the potential merits of assessing employers' compliance with the (a) recruitment and (b) employment of disabled people duties of the Equality Act 2010. (43928)
- 325 **Andrew Ranger** (Wrexham): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, what steps he is taking with Cabinet colleagues to help improve social mobility. [Transferred] (43522)

# Questions for Answer on Tuesday 8 April

## **Questions for Written Answer**

- 1N **Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Clapham and Brixton Hill): To ask the Solicitor General, what legal advice he has sought on the UK's military assistance to the US in Yemen. (43913)
- 2N **Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Clapham and Brixton Hill): To ask the Solicitor General, with reference to the Crown Prosecution Service (CPS) Joint Enterprise Pilot 2023, whether the CPS has updated its case management system to flag joint enterprise cases for detailed manual assessment. (44004)
- 3N **Monica Harding** (Esher and Walton): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, when the Prime Minister last had discussions with his Israeli counterpart on the humanitarian situation in (a) Gaza and (b) the West Bank. (44105)

- 4N **Sir Christopher Chope** (Christchurch): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, if he will make it his policy to take British Steel into temporary public ownership (a) before the remaining blast furnaces are closed down and (b) until the future of virgin steel production in the UK is assured. (43813)
- 5N **Sir Christopher Chope** (Christchurch): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, if he will remove tariffs on the import of motor vehicles from the United States. (43814)
- 6N **Dr Marie Tidball** (Penistone and Stocksbridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what steps he is taking to ensure patients affected by Essure sterilisation devices manufactured over 10 years ago can claim financial compensation. (44152)
- 7N **Dr Marie Tidball** (Penistone and Stocksbridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what steps he is taking to ensure patients affected by Essure products receive financial compensation. (44153)
- 8N Freddie van Mierlo (Henley and Thame): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, pursuant to the Answer of 26 March 2025 to Question 40119 on Members:

  Correspondence, whether she has made an assessment of the potential impact of a reduction in access to UK's National Trails on the work of (a) VisitBritain and (b)

  VisitEngland. (44078)
- 9N **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 3 December 2024 to Question 16368 on Schools: Buildings, how many and what proportion of the schools with reinforced autoclaved aerated concrete had it permanently removed by 3 April 2025. (43980)
- 10N **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much funding her Department has provided through the Adoption and Special Guardianship Support Fund in each years since 2015; and how many individual children have accessed support through the Fund in each year since 2015. (44024)
- 11N **Perran Moon** (Camborne and Redruth): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of shared ground loops qualifying as an Innovative Measure under point 6 of eligibility requirements in the Energy Company Obligation 4 Scheme. (44092)
- 12N **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central and West): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what steps he is taking to encourage the connection of residential developments to district heating schemes. (43865)
- 13N **Joe Robertson** (Isle of Wight East): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, pursuant to the Answer of 28 March 2025 to Question 40054 on Great British Energy: Logos, what the internal costs were for the redesign of the Great British Energy logo.

  (44029)

- 14N **Freddie van Mierlo** (Henley and Thame): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what steps he is taking to ensure sufficient energy supply to meet demand in the next 10 years. (44072)
- 15N **Adam Dance** (Yeovil): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what discussions he has had with farmers in (a) Yeovil constituency and (b) south Somerset on the closure of the Sustainable Farming Initiative. (44111)
- 16N **Freddie van Mierlo** (Henley and Thame): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether he has made a recent assessment of the potential merits of bringing forward regulations on the composition of bread marketed as sourdough. (44074)
- 17N **Freddie van Mierlo** (Henley and Thame): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he is taking to support British bakeries. (44075)
- 18N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, whether he has made an assessment of the potential impact of the Data (Use and Access) Bill on the development of artificial intelligence models. (43832)
- 19N **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, how much was allocated to Three Rs funding in the 2024-25 financial year; and how much he plans to allocate in the 2025-26 financial year. (44068)
- 20N **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central and West): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, how Innovate UK supports (a) start-ups and (b) scale-ups in meeting the requirements of potential investors. (43861)
- 21N **Mary Kelly Foy** (City of Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment her Department has made of the potential merits of reforming the regulation of cross-border taxi hiring. (43941)
- 22N **Mr Paul Kohler** (Wimbledon): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether she will publish a response to her Department's consultation entitled, Design standards for accessible railway stations: a code of practice, published on 23 August 2023. (44059)
- 23N **Richard Burgon** (Leeds East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what proportion of current Personal Independence Payments recipients do not meet four points on a single descriptor on the daily living activities assessment criteria. (43921)
- 24N **Richard Burgon** (Leeds East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what estimate her Department has made of the proportion of Personal Independence Payment recipients who use that payment to fund social care. (43923)
- 25N Richard Burgon (Leeds East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many Personal Independence Payment claimants there are in each (a) constituency and (b) local authority area. (43973)

- 26N **Helen Whately** (Faversham and Mid Kent): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many times her Department has used section 71 and section 71ZE of the Social Security Administration Act 1992 to recover assets from people found to have committed fraud in each of the last five years. (43925)
- 27N **Edward Argar** (Melton and Syston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many full time equivalent staff were employed by NHS England as of 1 March 2025.

  (43991)
- 28N **Edward Argar** (Melton and Syston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, from what date Baroness Casey is contracted to start work on the social care commission.

  (43993)
- 29N **Alison Bennett** (Mid Sussex): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many of the new surgical hubs will be focused solely on orthopaedic procedures. (44082)
- 30N **Alison Bennett** (Mid Sussex): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he is taking steps to provide mental health support for people waiting for joint replacement surgery. (44083)
- 31N **Alison Bennett** (Mid Sussex): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure people who need joint replacement surgery are able to access treatment where they live. (44084)
- 32N **Alison Bennett** (Mid Sussex): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department plans to publish an implementation plan alongside the Elective Reform Plan. (44085)
- 33N **Sir Christopher Chope** (Christchurch): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many patients at the Great Western Hospital in Swindon died from hospital acquired pneumonia in (a) December 2024, (b) January 2025 and (c) February 2025. (43812)
- 34N **Sir Christopher Chope** (Christchurch): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to his oral contribution in response to the hon. Member for Christchurch of 25 March 2025, Official Report, column 773, whether he has received an update from the Dorset Integrated Care Board about the Burton Branch Surgery application. (43815)
- 35N **Helen Morgan** (North Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has issued guidance to hospital trusts on reducing waiting lists for elective care through demand management. (44112)
- 36N **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 2 April 2025 to Question 42329 on General Practitioners: Finance, if he will list the (a) job roles and (b) areas of specialism used to compile salary data; and what those salaries were in (i) 2000-01 and ii) 2024-25. (44058)

- 37N **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what proportion of funding for the 2025-26 general practice contract in England will be allocated to the general practice nursing workforce. (43851)
- 38N **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate his Department has made of the proportion of general practice staff that received the 2024 pay increase in full. (43852)
- 39N **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate his Department has made of the proportion of female staff working in general practice not receiving the 2024 pay increase in full. (43853)
- 40N **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what discussions his Department plans to have with general practice nursing staff on the development of the general practice contract for 2026-27. (43854)
- 41N **Dr Marie Tidball** (Penistone and Stocksbridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to publish a response to the Hughes Report, published on 7 February 2024. (44149)
- 42N **Dr Marie Tidball** (Penistone and Stocksbridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he plans to establish a redress scheme for people harmed by sodium valproate. (44151)
- 43N **Monica Harding** (Esher and Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,

  Commonwealth and Development Affairs, when he last had discussions with his Israeli

  counterpart on the situation in (a) Gaza and (b) the West Bank. (44106)
- 44N **Monica Harding** (Esher and Walton): 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 reports of the cessation of the notification and coordination
  systems for aid workers moving through Gaza. (44107)
- 45N **Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Clapham and Brixton Hill): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what funding the UK has provided to support social programmes benefiting cocoa farming communities in Ghana in the last five years.

  (43917)
- 46N **Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Clapham and Brixton Hill): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
  Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what initiatives the Government is supporting to
  strengthen cultural ties between the UK and Ghana. (43918)
- 47N **Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Clapham and Brixton Hill): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign,
  Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether his Department is taking steps to
  promote educational exchanges between the UK and Ghana. (43919)

- 48N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether she has made an assessment of the potential implications for her policies of police use of live facial recognition technology. (43831)
- 49N **Sir Christopher Chope** (Christchurch): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether it is her Department's policy to fund the cost of driving lessons for (a) asylum seekers and (b) other immigrants. (43810)
- 50N **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many children from (a) Guinea-Bissau and (b) Portugal have been referred to the national referral mechanism in each year since its start. (44064)
- 51N **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many children were referred to the national referral mechanism in Huntingdon constituency in each year since its start. (44067)
- 52N **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if he could publish the full list of sites that could be inspected by the Animals in Science Regulations Unit; on what dates did (a) announced and (b) unannounced audits by the Unit take place at those locations; and what was the outcome of each of the inspections.

  (44147)
- 53N **Sarah Owen** (Luton North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to reduce the number of young people recalled to prison due to landlord refusal to install home monitoring equipment. (43939)
- 54N **James Cartlidge** (South Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of US tariffs on (a) current, (b) pending and (c) future contracts held by his Department. (43981)
- 55N **James Cartlidge** (South Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what assessment he has made of the impact of US tariffs on defence exports. (43982)
- 56N **James Cartlidge** (South Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to his Written Ministerial Statement of 1 April 2025 on Defence Reform, whether he plans to publish the Defence Industrial Strategy (a) before or (b) after the creation of the National Armaments Director Group. (43983)
- 57N **James Cartlidge** (South Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to his Written Ministerial Statement of 1 April 2025 on Defence Reform, HCWS 573, whether he plans to publish the Defence Industrial Strategy before the post of National Armaments Director has been filled. (43984)
- 58N **James Cartlidge** (South Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to his Written Ministerial Statement of 1 April 2025 on Defence Reform, HCWS 573, whether the Military Strategic Headquarters will have its own secretariat. (43985)

- 59N **Steve Darling** (Torbay): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, when she plans to reply to correspondence from the hon. Member for Torbay on local government reorganisation of 17 January 2025; and if she will meet with the hon.

  Member for Torbay to discuss this issue. (44062)
- 60N **Ben Lake** (Ceredigion Preseli): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, with reference to the Chancellor of the Exchequer's official Spring Statement of 26 March 2025, whether the 1.3million homes to be built will be built in the UK or in England. (43892)
- 61N **John Milne** (Horsham): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if the Minister of State for Courts and Justice will meet with the hon. Member for Horsham to discuss the Child Trust Fund campaign. (44038)
- 62N **Sarah Owen** (Luton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what steps her Department is taking to improve access to topical medication for prisoners. (43940)
- 63N **Joe Robertson** (Isle of Wight East): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of the time taken for coroner inquests on the issuing of Prevention of Future Death reports. (44031)
- 64N **Dr Marie Tidball** (Penistone and Stocksbridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, whether she plans to publish a response her Department's report entitled, Assessing risk of harm to children and parents in private law children published in June 2020. (44154)
- 65N **James Cartlidge** (South Suffolk): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether he plans to extend the National Insurance contributions holiday for businesses that employ veterans after April 2026. [Transferred] (43555)
- 66N **Tracy Gilbert** (Edinburgh North and Leith): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of tariffs applied by the US Government on (a) jobs and (b) exports in (i) Edinburgh North and Leith constituency and (ii) Scotland.

  (44042)
- 67N Laurence Turner (Birmingham Northfield): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, pursuant to the Answer of 3 April 2025 to Question 42342 on Railways: Public Expenditure, if her Department will make the calculations for each of the last five years for which figures are available. (44140)
- 68N **Freddie van Mierlo** (Henley and Thame): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment she has made of the potential merits of extending the Household Support Fund after March 2026. (44070)

## Questions for Answer on Wednesday 9 April

### **Questions for Written Answer**

IN **Joe Robertson** (Isle of Wight East): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, with reference to his Department's guidance entitled Simpler recycling: workplace recycling in England, published on 29 November 2024, whether offices are now required to rinse or wash empty food containers and bottles to place in recyclable waste.

(44040)

## Questions for Answer on Tuesday 22 April

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

- 1N **Alison Griffiths** (Bognor Regis and Littlehampton): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, on what dates (a) he and (b) Ministers in his Department have met with their United States counterparts since 5 November 2024. (44115)
- 2N **Perran Moon** (Camborne and Redruth): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment she has made of the adequacy of funding for children with SEND in rural areas. (44093)
- 3N **Perran Moon** (Camborne and Redruth): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of exempting Ground Source Heat Pumps from blowout prevention permitting requirements in Mining Remediation Authority Areas. (44090)
- 4N **Andy Slaughter** (Hammersmith and Chiswick): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, with reference to paragraph 3.54 the Office for Budget Responsibility's publication entitled Economic and fiscal outlook, published in March 2025, if he will publish the assessments referenced. (43850)
- 5N Imran Hussain (Bradford East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment her Department has made of the potential impact of the proposed disability benefit reforms on people with (a) post-traumatic stress disorder, (b) bipolar disorder, (c) severe depression and (b) other mental health conditions; and what steps she is taking to ensure that entitlement to support will reflect the level of need. (44017)
- 6N Imran Hussain (Bradford East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps her Department is taking to help reduce the proportion of Personal Independence Payment decisions that are overturned on appeal; and what recent assessment she has made of the accuracy of initial Personal Independence Payment assessments. (44018)

- 7N Imran Hussain (Bradford East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what recent estimate she has made of the number of eligible pensioners not claiming Pension Credit; and what steps her Department is taking to increase take-up, in the context of Winter Fuel Payment eligibility. (44019)
- 8N **Kim Johnson** (Liverpool Riverside): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether expedited post-legislative scrutiny of the Public Order Act 2023 will be independent of Government; and whether she plans to publish the outcomes of that scrutiny. (44164)
- 9N **Kim Johnson** (Liverpool Riverside): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she plans to take to enable post-legislative scrutiny by civil society of the Public Order Act 2023. (44172)
- 10N **Kim Johnson** (Liverpool Riverside): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home
  Department, what her Department's timetable is for the post-legislative scrutiny of the
  Public Order Act 2023. (44173)
- 11N **Kim Johnson** (Liverpool Riverside): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether her Department's planned post-legislative scrutiny of the Police, Crime, Sentencing and Courts Act 2022 will be carried out independently; and if she will make it her policy to publish the outcomes of that review. (44175)

## Questions for Answer on Wednesday 23 April

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

- 1N **Mr Richard Holden** (Basildon and Billericay): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, pursuant to the Answer of 22 October 2024 to Question 8801 on Equality Act 2010, whether those plans include a public consultation with each public authority in legal scope of the new duty; and whether the New Burdens principle applies to local authority bodies subject to the new duty. (44027)
- 2N **Mary Glindon** (Newcastle upon Tyne East and Wallsend): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has had discussions with the National Institute for Health and Social Care on providing guidance on the adoption of selective internal radiation therapy for patients with neuroendocrine tumours. (43870)
- 3N Mary Glindon (Newcastle upon Tyne East and Wallsend): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of changes to (a) Personal Independence Payment, (b) Universal Credit and (c) Carers' Allowance on (i) adult social service capacity and (ii) housing demand.

(43871)

4N **Alicia Kearns** (Rutland and Stamford): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what plans her Department has to review the use of automatism as a legal defence. (44110)