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## Questions tabled on Monday 9 June 2025

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- T Indicates a topical oral question. Members are selected by ballot to ask a Topical Question.
- † Indicates a Question not included in the random selection process but accepted because the quota for that day had not been filled.
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### Questions for Answer on Tuesday 10 June

#### Questions for Written Answer

- 1 **Stuart Andrew** (Daventry): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, whether the Prime Minister has had discussions with the Commissioner for Public Appointments on the appointment of the Chair of the Independent Football Regulator.  
[Transferred] (57993)
- 2 **Stuart Andrew** (Daventry): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, whether (a) the Prime Minister and (b) his office had contact with the confirmed candidate (i) prior to and (ii) during the appointment process for the Chair of the Independent Football Regulator.  
[Transferred] (57994)
- 3N **Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Clapham and Brixton Hill): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what plans her Department has to provide sustainable funding for community-based support centres working with children and young adults (a) at risk of exclusion, (b) living in poverty and (c) experiencing poor mental health and wellbeing.  
[Transferred] (57703)
- 4 **Anna Gelderd** (South East Cornwall): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will set out the role (a) seagrasses and (b) marine nature-based solutions will have in his Department's net zero plans.  
[Transferred] (58134)
- 5N **Ben Lake** (Ceredigion Preseli): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether any of the regional transport infrastructure projects announced on 4 June 2025 will be classified as England and Wales projects.  
[Transferred] (57683)

- 6 **Aphra Brandreth** (Chester South and Eddisbury): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether she has considered taking entry-level doctor jobs off the shortage occupation skills list. [Transferred] (57891)
- 7N **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether she has made an assessment of the potential merits of introducing a deterrent to reduce the numbers of migrants arriving in small boats. (58356)
- 8 **Euan Stainbank** (Falkirk): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of changes to the Soft Drinks Industry Levy thresholds on business competitiveness. [Transferred] (58098)

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## Questions for Answer on Wednesday 11 June

### Questions for Written Answer

- 1 **Mr Peter Bedford** (Mid Leicestershire): To ask the Solicitor General, how many permanent civil servants had their contract of employment terminated as a result of poor performance in the (a) 2022-23, (b) 2023-24 and (c) 2024-25 financial years. (58452)
- 2 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Solicitor General, what steps she is taking to ensure that people who act in good faith to protect themselves or others from intruders are not prosecuted. (58412)
- 3 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Solicitor General, how many homeowners have been prosecuted for using force against individuals unlawfully present in their homes in the last 10 years. (58413)
- 4 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Solicitor General, what guidance the Crown Prosecution Service provides to prosecutors when considering whether to charge people who have used force in self-defence within their own home. (58414)
- 5 **James MacCleary** (Lewes): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, when he expects the sanitary and phytosanitary agreement referred to in the joint UK-EU statement of 19 May 2025 to come into effect. (58471)
- 6 **Dan Norris** (North East Somerset and Hanham): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether estates managed by the Government Property Agency took part in No Mow May. (58140)
- 7 **Ian Roome** (North Devon): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what assessment his Department has made of the potential implications for his policies of recommendation 2 of the report by NCVO and ACEVO entitled A new partnership. (58389)

- 8 **David Simmonds** (Ruislip, Northwood and Pinner): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether the Register of Ministers' Gifts and Hospitality includes gifts that have been (a) returned and (b) reimbursed to the original donor. (58282)
- 9 **Dan Aldridge** (Weston-super-Mare): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what recent assessment she has made of the potential impact of the Equality and Human Rights Commission's revised code of practice for services, public functions and associations on the tourism industry. (58415)
- 10 **Callum Anderson** (Buckingham and Bletchley): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what estimate his Department has made of the number of companies requiring additional funding to help scale-up. (58421)
- 11 **Callum Anderson** (Buckingham and Bletchley): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what assessment his Department has made of the potential impact of limited capital access on scale-up firms outside of (a) London and (b) the South East. (58422)
- 12 **Mr Peter Bedford** (Mid Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, To ask the Solicitor General, how many permanent civil servants in his Department had their contract of employment terminated as a result of poor performance in the (a) 2022-23, (b) 2023-24 and (c) 2024-25 financial years. (58453)
- 13 **Lizzi Collinge** (Morecambe and Lunesdale): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of extending regulations preventing existing customers from being charged higher premiums than new customers to include homecare insurance. (58491)
- 14 **Dr Beccy Cooper** (Worthing West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what steps he is taking to help small businesses to improve their capacity to deliver workplace health interventions. (58504)
- 15 **Dr Allison Gardner** (Stoke-on-Trent South): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of workplace disability adjustments for visually impaired employees. (58499)
- 16 **Ben Goldsborough** (South Norfolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether his Department plans to support community ownership of businesses. (58428)
- 17 **Ben Goldsborough** (South Norfolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what discussions his Department has had with the Department of Environment, Food and Rural Affairs on the potential merits of community ownership to businesses in rural areas. (58429)
- 18 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what assessment his Department has made of trends in the level of regulation on small and medium-sized enterprises since 2010. (58401)

- 19 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of introducing a one-in, two-out approach to new business regulations; and if he will make an assessment of the potential impact of that approach on (a) innovation and (b) growth. (58402)
- 20 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what recent discussions he has had with business organisations on the impact of regulatory compliance costs on (a) profitability and (b) competitiveness. (58403)
- 21 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether he plans to simplify workplace health and safety requirements for small businesses while maintaining essential protections for workers. (58405)
- 22 **Alex Mayer** (Dunstable and Leighton Buzzard): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether he has made an estimate of the number of live lobsters being (a) posted and (b) couriered in 2024. (58391)
- 23 **Connor Naismith** (Crewe and Nantwich): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what assessment he has made of the potential role of (a) railways and (b) rail freight in supporting the forthcoming industrial strategy. (58530)
- 24 **Tristan Osborne** (Chatham and Aylesford): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what assessment his Department has made of the potential impact of (a) pricing structures imposed by large pub companies on tenant landlords and (b) restrictions on purchasing alcohol from independent breweries on the long term sustainability of community pubs. (58446)
- 25 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of US tariffs on the UK aerospace sector. (58217)
- 26 **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of allowing tenanted pubs in England and Wales to purchase beer directly from small producers. (58328)
- 27 **Cameron Thomas** (Tewkesbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what recent assessment he has made of the adequacy of the (a) availability and (b) accessibility of banking hubs in Gloucestershire. (58526)
- 28 **Stuart Anderson** (South Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what support is available for community sports organisations to help modernise (a) running tracks and (b) other facilities. (58264)
- 29 **Mr Peter Bedford** (Mid Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how many permanent civil servants in her Department had their contract of employment terminated as a result of poor performance in the (a) 2022-23, (b) 2023-24 and (c) 2024-25 financial years. (58454)

- 30 **Sir Oliver Dowden** (Hertsmere): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what recent discussions her Department has had with the BBC board on impartiality in news coverage of the conflict in Israel and Gaza. (58242)
- 31 **Ian Roome** (North Devon): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of implementing the recommendation on the right of charities to hold Government to account within the forthcoming Civil Society Covenant framework set out on page 20 of the report by NCVO and ACEVO entitled A New Relationship, published in May 2025. (58390)
- 32 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what steps she is taking to incentivise local film makers to produce television in their own parts of the UK. (58213)
- 33 **Alex Sobel** (Leeds Central and Headingley): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, whether her Department is taking steps with the Fundraising Regulator to help ensure compliance by social fundraising platforms with its guidance on the prominence of a zero fee or tip option. (58259)
- 34 **Alex Sobel** (Leeds Central and Headingley): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, whether she has had recent discussions with the Fundraising Regulator on the transparency of tipping sliders on online fundraising platforms. (58260)
- 35 **Alex Sobel** (Leeds Central and Headingley): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, if she will take steps to require that tipping sliders on online fundraising platforms can be dragged to zero. (58261)
- 36 **Steve Barclay** (North East Cambridgeshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what funding is available from her Department for repairs to the heating system at Meadowgate Academy. (58207)
- 37 **Mr Peter Bedford** (Mid Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many permanent civil servants in her Department had their contract of employment terminated as a result of poor performance in the (a) 2022-23, (b) 2023-24 and (c) 2024-25 financial years. (58455)
- 38 **Phil Brickell** (Bolton West): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, when the changes to the Growth and Skills Levy allocation requirements will come into effect. (58385)
- 39 **Phil Brickell** (Bolton West): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what forms of approved training will be covered by Growth and Skills levy funds, in the context of the changes made in April 2025. (58386)
- 40 **Ian Byrne** (Liverpool West Derby): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if she will make the eligibility criteria for the holiday activities and food programme the same as that for free school meals. (58281)

- 41 **Ellie Chowns** (North Herefordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps she plans to take to monitor compliance with the updated school food standards; and what support she plans to provide to schools that are not currently meeting those standards. (58540)
- 42 **Dr Beccy Cooper** (Worthing West): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how revised school food standards will align with (a) wider Government strategies on health and (b) the 10-Year Plan for Health. (58507)
- 43 **Mr Will Forster** (Woking): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment her Department has made of the potential implications for her policies of the finding from Surrey County Council's 2024 Parents' Voices Matter survey that 20% of children with special educational needs do not receive (a) an Education, Health and Care Plan and (b) any form of SEN support. (58493)
- 44 **Dr Allison Gardner** (Stoke-on-Trent South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether she has made an assessment of the potential merits of auto-enrolling eligible children on to free school meals in Stoke-on-Trent South constituency. (58496)
- 45 **Sarah Gibson** (Chippenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment her Department has made of the potential impact of using degree classification as an eligibility criterion for teacher training bursaries in shortage subjects. (58473)
- 46 **Sarah Gibson** (Chippenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether the completion of a Subject Knowledge Enhancement course is considered as part of the eligibility criteria for postgraduate teacher training bursaries. (58474)
- 47 **Sarah Gibson** (Chippenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether her Department has made an assessment of the regional distribution of ineligible applicants for teacher training bursaries based on degree classification; and how many ineligible applicants there were in Wiltshire in each of the last five years. (58475)
- 48 **John Glen** (Salisbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what data her Department holds on the average amount of funding allocated per child awarded via the Adoption and Special Guardianship Support Fund in the (a) 2023-24 and (b) 2024-25 financial years. (58201)
- 49 **John Glen** (Salisbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what the (a) allocated Departmental budget, (b) amount of overspend, (c) amount of surrendered funds not used by local authorities and (d) amount of surrendered funds repurposed for other applications for the adoption and special guardianship support fund was in (i) 2023-24 and (ii) 2024-25. (58202)

- 50 **John Glen** (Salisbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what estimate her Department has made of the market cost of therapeutic support interventions delivered via the Adoption and Special Guardianship Support Fund, and what assessment her Department has made of the adequacy of the new reduced Fair Access Limit of £3000 per application to cover the support required, based on those costs. (58203)
- 51 **John Glen** (Salisbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what information her Department holds on the market costs of specialist assessments given under the Adoption and Special Guardianship Support Fund; and whether applicants applying for an assessment of need will also receive therapy under that fund. (58204)
- 52 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many students from overseas have come from countries where there are travel restrictions for people with security clearance by country of origin. (58141)
- 53 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether her Department has made an assessment of the potential contribution of school food procurement to the resilience of the (a) fruit and (b) vegetable supply chain. (58151)
- 54 **Liz Jarvis** (Eastleigh): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of establishing a national dyslexia strategy. (58298)
- 55 **Liz Jarvis** (Eastleigh): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of not awarding marks for spelling, punctuation and grammar for exams in subjects other than English. (58299)
- 56 **Connor Naismith** (Crewe and Nantwich): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether the children of parents who have relocated to the UK are able to obtain funding to enrol at UK universities. (58450)
- 57 **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many schools that initially applied for the breakfast clubs pilot scheme subsequently withdrew from that scheme. (58347)
- 58 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps she has taken with (a) headteachers, (b) local authorities to reduce (a) mould and (b) damp in educational buildings. (58177)
- 59 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps she is taking to help reduce youth unemployment. (58178)
- 60 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps she is taking to improve the (a) availability and (b) quality of careers advice in secondary schools. (58179)



- 61 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps she is taking to help reduce instances of peer-on-peer physical violence in state secondary schools. (58180)
- 62 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps she has taken with relevant authorities to improve safeguarding policies in state secondary schools. (58181)
- 63 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps she has taken with relevant authorities to improve safeguarding policies in state primary schools. (58182)
- 64 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps she has taken with relevant authorities to reduce instances of peer-on-peer physical violence in state primary schools. (58183)
- 65 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps she has taken to support (a) parents and (b) children with home-schooling in (i) England and (ii) Romford constituency. (58184)
- 66 **Dr Roz Savage** (South Cotswolds): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether the updated school food standards will include measures to increase the intake of UK-grown (a) fruit, (b) vegetables and (c) pulses in school meals. (58501)
- 67 **Tulip Siddiq** (Hampstead and Highgate): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether her Department plans to make an assessment of the potential merits of statutory codification of the duty of care to students in higher education. (58247)
- 68 **Gareth Snell** (Stoke-on-Trent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many apprenticeship starts at level 7 there were in the academic years (a) 2023-24 and (b) 2024-25 for individuals aged 16-21. (58254)
- 69 **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment her Department has made of the potential impact of child poverty on educational attainment in Fylde constituency. (58332)
- 70 **Ian Sollom** (St Neots and Mid Cambridgeshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of providing funding to incentivise collaboration between universities, colleges and schools; and if she will make an assessment of the potential impact of doing so on levels of participation in tertiary education. (58354)
- 71 **Stuart Anderson** (South Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what steps he is taking to support vulnerable households with energy costs in off-grid communities. (58266)



- 72 **Mr Peter Bedford** (Mid Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how many permanent civil servants in his Department had their contract of employment terminated as a result of poor performance in the (a) 2022-23, (b) 2023-24 and (c) 2024-25 financial years. (58456)
- 73 **Carla Denyer** (Bristol Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, with reference to the UK's 2035 Nationally Determined Contribution emissions reduction target under the Paris Agreement, what his emissions reduction target is in each year between 2025 and 2035. (58368)
- 74 **Richard Fuller** (North Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what assessment he has made of the capacity of the National Grid to provide (a) timely and (b) adequate connections in the context of estimated trends in the level of adoption of rooftop solar installations on commercial properties. (58191)
- 75 **Richard Fuller** (North Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what assessment his Department has made of the feasibility of installing a grid connection corridor along the A1 and A421 to enable commercial warehouses in that area to connect rooftop solar installations to the National Grid. (58192)
- 76 **Mr Richard Holden** (Basildon and Billericay): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how many times he has taken a domestic flight for official travel purposes; which locations he has travelled to; and what the cost was for those flights. (58273)
- 77 **Helen Maguire** (Epsom and Ewell): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what steps he is taking to ensure that households on heat network schemes have access to the same consumer protections as people on standard tariffs. (58519)
- 78 **Dan Norris** (North East Somerset and Hanham): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of providing funding for projects to generate geothermal energy from former coal mines that have been flooded. (58137)
- 79 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what progress he has made on expanding the use of solar power at train stations. (58218)
- 80 **Sadik Al-Hassan** (North Somerset): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to consult the (a) medical technology sector, (b) Department of Health and Social Care and (c) Medicines and Healthcare products Regulatory Agency when developing environmental policies. (58531)
- 81 **Lorraine Beavers** (Blackpool North and Fleetwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether he has made an assessment of the potential (a) implications for his policies of the recent tax introduced in France on industrial emissions of per- and polyfluorinated alkyl substances into the environment and (b) merits of introducing similar measures in the UK. (58487)

- 82 **Lorraine Beavers** (Blackpool North and Fleetwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of potential merits of recovering the costs of treating chemical pollutants in (a) drinking water, (b) wastewater and (c) high risk sites in England from the producers of those substances. (58488)
- 83 **Mr Peter Bedford** (Mid Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how many permanent civil servants in his Department had their contract of employment terminated as a result of poor performance in the (a) 2022-23, (b) 2023-24 and (c) 2024-25 financial years. (58457)
- 84 **Sarah Gibson** (Chippenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how many applications have been received under the 2025 round of animal health and welfare grants; and what proportion of these applications have been approved in Wiltshire. (58477)
- 85 **Sarah Gibson** (Chippenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to ensure timely reporting of suspected animal cruelty incidents to the Animal and Plant Health Agency; and whether guidance is issued to (a) industry and (b) the public on how and when to report. (58478)
- 86 **Sarah Gibson** (Chippenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what the average time taken is between suspected incidents of animal cruelty and the receipt of those reports by the Animal and Plant Health Agency in the last 12 months. (58479)
- 87 **Sarah Gibson** (Chippenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent estimate his Department has made of the proportion of sows in the UK kept in farrowing crates in each of the last five years. (58480)
- 88 **Sarah Gibson** (Chippenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether his Department plans to launch a public consultation on the future use of farrowing crates in the UK. (58481)
- 89 **Sarah Gibson** (Chippenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what funding his Department provides to support pig farmers in transitioning away from farrowing crates to free-farrowing systems. (58482)
- 90 **Sarah Gibson** (Chippenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent assessment his Department has made of long-term water supply resilience in (a) the South West of England and (b) Wiltshire. (58527)
- 91 **Mr Richard Holden** (Basildon and Billericay): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether he has had recent discussions with his counterparts in the (a) Scottish, (b) Welsh and (c) Northern Irish governments on the potential merits of extending licensing requirements to include (i) animal welfare establishments and (ii) rehoming organisations. (58275)

- 92 **Mr Richard Holden** (Basildon and Billericay): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will make an estimate of the number of rehoming (a) organisations and (b) centres that are operating (i) with and (ii) without a licence. (58276)
- 93 **Mr Richard Holden** (Basildon and Billericay): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will publish his Department's style guide for answering written Parliamentary questions; and if he will publish (a) the style guide that was in use on and (b) any other style guide used since 3 July 2024. (58277)
- 94 **Liz Jarvis** (Eastleigh): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he is taking to protect blue carbon ecosystems. (58300)
- 95 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what plans his Department has to review (a) agricultural and (b) environmental regulation for (i) food producers and (ii) small farmers. (58404)
- 96 **Helen Maguire** (Epsom and Ewell): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential impact of sewage spills on biodiversity in rivers in Surrey. (58517)
- 97 **Helen Maguire** (Epsom and Ewell): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent discussions he has had with Ofwat on (a) the financial viability of water companies and (b) protections for consumers in the event of insolvency. (58518)
- 98 **Manuela Perteghella** (Stratford-on-Avon): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether his Department plans to allocate additional funding to upgrade sewage infrastructure in (a) rural and (b) suburban communities impacted by frequent overflows. (58384)
- 99 **Shivani Raja** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to help tackle potential abuse of the Extended Producer Responsibility exemption threshold; and whether he has made an assessment of the impact of the £2 million turnover exemption on fair competition. (58310)
- 100 **Shivani Raja** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, when his Department plans to publish the final pricing and billing rates for the Extended Producer Responsibility scheme. (58311)
- 101 **Shivani Raja** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the financial impact of being required to apply Extended Producer Responsibility charges retrospectively in the absence of published official rates for relevant material streams on businesses. (58312)

- 102 **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what metrics his Department uses to assess the effectiveness of routine avian influenza surveillance systems in detecting early outbreaks of H5N1. (58323)
- 103 **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to provide (a) support and (b) resources for (i) small-scale and (ii) backyard bird keepers to help ensure their compliance with avian influenza surveillance and biosecurity measures. (58324)
- 104 **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to help improve communication with (a) bird keepers and (b) the public during avian influenza outbreaks. (58325)
- 105 **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 9 June 2025 to Question 54984 to Government Departments: Catering, whether he has made an assessment of the merits of (a) an annual report and (b) a public tracking system to provide transparency on how much local produce is being procured from (i) Lancashire and (ii) other regions by public sector bodies. (58335)
- 106 **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 9 June 2025 to Question 54984 to Government Departments: Catering, what steps he is taking to provide (a) specific support schemes and (b) funding opportunities to farmers in Fylde and Lancashire to help them meet procurement standards. (58336)
- 107 **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether he will make an assessment of the potential impact of changes to the designation of National Landscapes on nature recovery in Mid Bedfordshire. (58357)
- 108 **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will make an assessment of the potential impact of National Landscape status on (a) planning and (b) development of that land. (58358)
- 109 **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will make it his policy to expand the Chilterns National Landscape area to cover the whole of the Chilterns Character Area in Bedfordshire. (58359)
- 110 **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will make an assessment of the trends in capital investment in the farming sector ahead of the implementation of reforms to agricultural property relief and business property relief. (58360)

- 111 **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, with reference to the press release entitled EA steps up dry weather prep after driest spring start since 1956, published on 7 May 2025, whether he has made an assessment of the potential impact of the proposed Bedford-Milton Keynes Waterway Park on managing drought in the East of England. (58361)
- 112 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps the Department is taking to implement the due diligence on forest risk commodities provisions in the Environment Act 2021. (58373)
- 113 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether the Government plans to bring forward secondary legislation to establish a due diligence regime for forest risk commodities ahead of COP30. (58374)
- 114 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the potential environmental impact of levels of UK consumption of (a) palm oil, (b) soy, (c) beef and (d) cocoa on global deforestation rates. (58375)
- 115 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of setting high-risk thresholds and monitoring requirements to ensure an effective due diligence for forest risk commodities regime. (58376)
- 116 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether he plans to (a) review and (b) strengthen deforestation-related regulations after their initial implementation under the Environment Act 2021. (58377)
- 117 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether his Department has made an assessment of the effectiveness of voluntary corporate commitments in preventing deforestation in UK supply chains. (58378)
- 118 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he is taking to ensure UK food supply chains do not (a) contribute to the destruction of high-biodiversity forests and (b) undermine international food security. (58379)
- 119 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what his planned timetable is for enacting the due diligence regulations of the Environment Act 2021, in the context of UK efforts to tackle deforestation. (58380)
- 120 **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, what information his Department holds on the proportion of 6G mast hardware that is expected to be produced in the UK; and what steps his Department is taking to support UK-based 6G mast hardware manufacturers. (58321)

- 121 **Ian Sollom** (St Neots and Mid Cambridgeshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, with reference to the White paper entitled Restoring Control over the Immigration System, published in May 2025, whether she plans to take steps to help support small and medium-sized research and development businesses to recruit the best scientific talent from other countries. (58355)
- 122 **Mr Peter Bedford** (Mid Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many permanent civil servants in her Department had their contract of employment terminated as a result of poor performance in the (a) 2022-23, (b) 2023-24 and (c) 2024-25 financial years. (58458)
- 123 **Jess Brown-Fuller** (Chichester): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps she is taking to reduce driving test waiting times in rural areas. (58494)
- 124 **Jess Brown-Fuller** (Chichester): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps her Department is taking to increase the number of available driving tests in Chichester constituency. (58495)
- 125 **Jess Brown-Fuller** (Chichester): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what plans she has to increase the proportion of her Department's spending on active travel infrastructure. (58520)
- 126 **Dame Caroline Dinenage** (Gosport): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether she has made an assessment of the potential implications for her policies of the recommendations of the Safer Streets for All report by Living Streets and the Bikeability Trust, published on 19 May 2025. (58198)
- 127 **Dame Caroline Dinenage** (Gosport): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether she plans to consider the recommendations of the Safer Streets for All report by Living Streets and the Bikeability Trust, published on 19 May 2025, in the Road Safety Strategy. (58199)
- 128 **Dame Caroline Dinenage** (Gosport): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if she will respond to the recommendations of the Safer Streets for All report by Living Streets and the Bikeability Trust, published on 19 May 2025. (58200)
- 129 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many cars have been seized for illegal tinted windows in the last ten years. (58147)
- 130 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many people have been prosecuted for driving with illegal tinted windows in the last ten years. (58148)
- 131 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many people have been prosecuted for driving with excessively bright lights in the last ten years. (58149)



- 132 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many people have been prosecuted for driving with excessively noisy exhausts in the last ten years. (58150)
- 133 **Tom Hayes** (Bournemouth East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to page 14 of the report by Britain Remade entitled Back on Track: How To Build New Trams in The UK and Get Britain Moving, published in August 2024, what assessment she has made creating a speciality delivery unit responsible for (a) trams, (b) metro and (c) light rail within her Department's public transport and local group. (58433)
- 134 **Tom Hayes** (Bournemouth East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to the findings on page 14 of the report by Britain Remade entitled Back on Track: How to Build New Trams in the UK and Get Britain Moving, published in August 2024, whether she has considered the proposals to create a national tram standard modelled after the German common standards (a) VDV Blue Books and (b) BOStrab. (58434)
- 135 **Tom Hayes** (Bournemouth East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference page 15 of Britain Remade's report entitled Back on Track: How To Build New Trams in The UK and Get Britain Moving, published in August 2024, whether she plans to devolve the Transport and Works Act 1992 approval process to allow regional mayors to sign off on new projects. (58435)
- 136 **Tom Hayes** (Bournemouth East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if she will make an assessment of the potential implications for her policies of the findings on p.18 of the report by Britain Remade entitled Back on Track: How To Build New Trams in The UK and Get Britain Moving, published in August 2024, on updating the Highway Authorities and Utilities Committee code of practice. (58436)
- 137 **Tom Hayes** (Bournemouth East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to page 18 of the report by Britain Remade entitled Back on Track: How To Build New Trams in The UK and Get Britain Moving, published in August 2024, on updating the Highway Authorities and Utilities Committee code of practice, what assessment she has made of the potential merits of adopting a nationwide waiver specific for utilities left in place on tram routes for Section 82 of the New Roads and Street Works Act 1991. (58437)
- 138 **Tom Hayes** (Bournemouth East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to page 18 of the report by Britain Remade entitled Back on Track: How To Build New Trams in The UK and Get Britain Moving, published in August 2024, on updating the Highway Authorities and Utilities Committee code of practice, what assessment she has made of the potential merits of updating the Streets Works (Sharing of Costs of Works) Regulation 2000 to rebalance the cost of diverting utilities from tram projects to utility companies. (58438)



- 139 **Tom Hayes** (Bournemouth East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to page 19 of the report by Britain Remade entitled Back on Track: How To Build New Trams in The UK and Get Britain Moving, published in August 2024, on updating the Highway Authorities and Utilities Committee code of practice, what steps her Department is taking to (a) study and (b) implement cheaper shallower trackbeds. (58439)
- 140 **Clive Jones** (Wokingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 9 June 2025 to Question 55867 on Rolling stock, what her timetable is for making an estimate of the potential impact of the time taken to introduce Class 701 rolling stock on the Waterloo-Reading line on costs to the public purse. (58430)
- 141 **Alex Mayer** (Dunstable and Leighton Buzzard): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to her Department's guidance entitled Setting up a bus franchising scheme: December 2024, published in December 2024, whether a local transport authority is permitted to use surplus revenue generated from a micro-franchised area to fund supported bus services outside the boundaries of that micro-franchised area. (58392)
- 142 **Navendu Mishra** (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if her Department will make an assessment of the adequacy of the availability of driving tests in Stockport. (58271)
- 143 **Perran Moon** (Camborne and Redruth): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment she has made of the potential merits of including electricity in the Renewable Transport Fuel Obligation scheme. (58431)
- 144 **Connor Naismith** (Crewe and Nantwich): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment she has made of the potential merits of electrifying rail routes. (58528)
- 145 **Dan Norris** (North East Somerset and Hanham): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps her Department is taking to support access to public transport for care leavers. (58138)
- 146 **Dan Norris** (North East Somerset and Hanham): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment her Department has made of the potential implications for its policies of the report by the Urban Mobility Partnership entitled Community Bus Partnerships: A proposition to deliver improved local bus services, published on 20 May 2025. (58139)
- 147 **Mr Joshua Reynolds** (Maidenhead): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether she has made an assessment of the potential impact of guidance from the Highway Authority and Utilities Committee that utilities beneath tram tracks must be diverted under the New Roads and Street Works Act 1991 on the cost of light rail schemes; and whether her Department is taking steps to (a) review the cost-allocation model for utility diversions and (b) review the requirement to move utilities in this way. (58476)

- 148 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps she has taken to work with relevant authorities to reduce fatalities involving young drivers in (a) England and (b) Romford constituency. (58170)
- 149 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps she has taken to work with the devolved Administrations to increase transport connectivity between the four Home Nations. (58171)
- 150 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps she has taken to work with relevant authorities to improve the safety of domestic air travel. (58172)
- 151 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps she has taken to work with relevant authorities to reduce drug or alcohol linked fatalities on roads in (a) England and (b) Romford constituency. (58173)
- 152 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether her Department plans to mandate that learner drivers have practiced driving on motorways prior to taking a driving test. (58174)
- 153 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether her Department plans to mandate a defined minimum learning period before learner drivers can take their test. (58175)
- 154 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether her Department plans to lower the drink drive limit in England. (58176)
- 155 **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 5 June 2025 to Question 55229 on Electric Bicycles: Sales, if she will take steps with Cabinet colleagues to implement a cross-Government strategy on tackling illegally modified electric bikes. (58322)
- 156 **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if she will make an assessment of the potential impact of the new NaFRA flood zone data, published on 25 March 2025 on plans for an East West Rail station at Tempsford. (58362)
- 157 **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 30 April 2025 to Question 46979 on Railways, what steps she plans to take to ensure that Great British Railways will have a relentless focus on passengers. (58363)
- 158 **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 30 April 2025 to Question 46979 on Railways, what steps she plans to take to ensure that Great British Railways provides a more efficient system for passengers. (58364)

- 159 **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 30 April 2025 to Question 46979 on Railways, what steps she plans to take to ensure that Great British Railways provides a more reliable system for passengers. (58365)
- 160 **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if she will make an assessment of the potential impact of long waiting times for driving tests on social and economic mobility of young people in (a) Mid Bedfordshire and (b) other rural areas. (58366)
- 161 **Blake Stephenson** (Mid Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer to Question 49562 on Railways, if she will publish the rail demand scenarios for Thameslink she has modelled. (58367)
- 162 **Cameron Thomas** (Tewkesbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent assessment her Department has made of the adequacy of the availability of wheelchair accessible taxis in (a) rural areas and (b) Gloucestershire. (58522)
- 163 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of abolishing peak time pricing on rail fares to and from Devon. (58371)
- 164 **Mr Peter Bedford** (Mid Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many permanent civil servants in his Department had their contract of employment terminated as a result of poor performance in the (a) 2022-23, (b) 2023-24 and (c) 2024-25 financial years. (58459)
- 165 **Mr Jonathan Brash** (Hartlepool): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what proportion of PIP recipients are in employment in Hartlepool. (58303)
- 166 **Dr Allison Gardner** (Stoke-on-Trent South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether she has made an assessment of the potential impact of changes to (a) PIP eligibility and (b) the Daily Living component on claimants in Stoke-on-Trent South constituency. (58497)
- 167 **Dr Allison Gardner** (Stoke-on-Trent South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what progress her Department has made on (a) preventing discrimination in (i) agencies and (ii) small recruiters when hiring disabled applicants and (b) monitoring employers' compliance with the Equal Opportunities Act. (58498)
- 168 **Chris Hinchliff** (North East Hertfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many overseas voters from North East Hertfordshire constituency are impacted by frozen British Pensions; and whether she is taking steps to help tackle this. (58449)

- 169 **Liz Jarvis** (Eastleigh): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to the Green Paper entitled Pathways to Work: Reforming Benefits and Support to Get Britain, published on 5 June 2025, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of her Department's proposed changes to disability benefits on people with multiple sclerosis. (58296)
- 170 **Alicia Kearns** (Rutland and Stamford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether she has made an assessment of the potential merits of appointing a Commissioner for Old People in England. (58270)
- 171 **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what criteria the Health and Safety Executive uses to designate a location as a Control of Major Accident Hazard site. (58345)
- 172 **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, which body designates a location as a Control of Major Accident Hazard site. (58346)
- 173 **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether her Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of using of AI to support its processes for means testing for the winter fuel payment. (58326)
- 174 **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps her Department is taking to provide financial support to help reduce levels of child poverty in (a) (i) rural and (ii) coastal constituencies and (b) Fylde constituency. (58330)
- 175 **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of making an additional payment to people who (a) will qualify for the Winter Fuel Payment in 2025 and (b) did not qualify for that payment in 2024. (58334)
- 176 **Stuart Anderson** (South Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to improve access to healthcare facilities in rural areas. (58265)
- 177 **Mr Peter Bedford** (Mid Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many permanent civil servants in his Department had their contract of employment terminated as a result of poor performance in the (a) 2022-23, (b) 2023-24 and (c) 2024-25 financial years. (58460)
- 178 **Siân Berry** (Brighton Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what proportion of eligible families were in receipt of Healthy Start in Brighton Pavilion constituency on 9 June 2025. (58543)
- 179 **Bob Blackman** (Harrow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans his Department has to improve survival rates for bowel cancer. (58195)

- 180 **Bob Blackman** (Harrow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he plans to take to reduce the number of people with lower gastrointestinal cancers waiting beyond 62 days from urgent referral for their first definitive treatment. (58196)
- 181 **Bob Blackman** (Harrow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many babies were born with conditions not picked up during screening tests in each of the last ten years for which data is available. (58197)
- 182 **Ellie Chowns** (North Herefordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what proportion of eligible families were in receipt of Healthy Start in North Herefordshire constituency on 9 June 2025. (58542)
- 183 **Chris Coghlan** (Dorking and Horley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what oversight exists to (a) monitor and (b) audit legal expenditure by NHS Trusts in Employment Tribunal cases. (58427)
- 184 **Dr Beccy Cooper** (Worthing West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues on the health impact of high street regeneration. (58506)
- 185 **Dr Beccy Cooper** (Worthing West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many and what proportion of eligible families receive Healthy Start in Worthing West constituency. (58508)
- 186 **Dr Beccy Cooper** (Worthing West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how the 10 year plan for the NHS will ensure that the NHS shifts from sickness to prevention. (58510)
- 187 **Paul Davies** (Colne Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department plans to take to support colonoscopy services following the extension of the Bowel Cancer Screening Programme to include people aged 50-74. (58485)
- 188 **Paul Davies** (Colne Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department plans to take to encourage uptake of the Bowel Cancer Screening Programme to people aged 50 following the reduction of age eligibility. (58486)
- 189 **Carla Denyer** (Bristol Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what proportion of eligible families were in receipt of Healthy Start in Bristol Central constituency on 9 June 2025. (58369)
- 190 **Clive Efford** (Eltham and Chislehurst): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to help ensure the (a) oversight and (b) regulation of (i) specialist pharmacies and (ii) aseptic services within hospitals. (58135)

- 191 **Mr Will Forster** (Woking): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps is his Department taking to reduce inequalities in uptake of the Respiratory Syncytial Virus maternal vaccination programme by (a) region, (b) ethnicity and (c) socioeconomic background. (58492)
- 192 **Sarah Gibson** (Chippenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of increasing the minimum unit of dental activity value to £35; and if he will make an assessment of the potential impact of doing so on incentivising dentists to stay in the NHS while a new dental contract is being developed. (58538)
- 193 **Tracy Gilbert** (Edinburgh North and Leith): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate his Department has made of the number of people waiting to sit a Dental Overseas Registration Examination. (58420)
- 194 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans his Department has to improve access to paediatric eye care services in Lincolnshire. (58142)
- 195 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much funding he has allocated for additional dental appointments since 5 July 2024. (58154)
- 196 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether it remains his Department's policy to introduce mobile dental vans in areas of need. (58155)
- 197 **Claire Hughes** (Bangor Aberconwy): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent discussions his Department has had with the Welsh Government on making baby loss certificates available in Wales. (58381)
- 198 **Liz Jarvis** (Eastleigh): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to help increase public awareness of (a) frailty of and (b) fall prevention among people aged 65 and over. (58297)
- 199 **Liz Jarvis** (Eastleigh): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to help improve the (a) recruitment and (b) retention of staff in the NHS cancer workforce. (58301)
- 200 **Liz Jarvis** (Eastleigh): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans he has to include (a) community equipment services and (b) the timely provision of community care equipment in the NHS 10-Year Plan. (58302)
- 201 **Dr Caroline Johnson** (Sleaford and North Hykeham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to his Written Ministerial Statement of 22 May 2025 on NHS Workforce, HCWS663, which areas of spending have been reduced in order to fund these pay uplifts. (58546)



- 202 **Dr Caroline Johnson** (Sleaford and North Hykeham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has had recent discussions with the Secretary of State for Defence on taking steps to keep the NHS data of serving military personnel confidential. (58253)
- 203 **Kim Leadbeater** (Spen Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if his Department will have discussions with the Nursing and Midwifery Council on streamlining the registration process for nurses who are registered with the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Ireland but obtained their initial qualifications outside of the EEA. (58287)
- 204 **Ben Maguire** (North Cornwall): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the challenges in the recruitment of (a) General Practitioners and (b) GP nurses in (i) North Cornwall constituency and (ii) rural areas. (58472)
- 205 **Helen Maguire** (Epsom and Ewell): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential impact of community care staffing levels on hospital bed occupancy levels in Surrey. (58516)
- 206 **Kevin McKenna** (Sittingbourne and Sheppey): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what safeguards his Department has put in place to protect patients being transported to hospital by private patient transport companies on behalf of local NHS integrated care boards. (58469)
- 207 **Frank McNally** (Coatbridge and Bellshill): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what his Department's timetable is for responding to the joint report of the Law Commissions of England and Wales and Scotland entitled Building families through surrogacy: a new law, published on 28 March 2023. (58419)
- 208 **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 9 June 2025 to Question 56675 on Hinchingsbrooke Hospital: Roads, what support the New Hospital Programme team in his Department has given to the North West Anglia NHS Foundation Trust in relation to that Trust's discussions with Cambridgeshire Constabulary on the potential acquisition of land for a new access road. (58348)
- 209 **Manuela Perteghella** (Stratford-on-Avon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to hold (a) NHS and (b) water providers to account for hospital sewage leaks. (58382)
- 210 **Manuela Perteghella** (Stratford-on-Avon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what funding he is allocating to repair NHS estates in Warwickshire. (58383)
- 211 **Shivani Raja** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, How much (a) NHS England and (b) NHS Trusts spent on postage in the 2024–25 financial year; and what steps he is taking to help reduce these costs. (58309)



- 212 **Shivani Raja** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to support (a) hidden and (b) unpaid carers from ethnic minority communities; and whether he has made an assessment of support needs in Leicester East constituency. (58313)
- 213 **Shivani Raja** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to improve NHS (a) engagement with and (b) leadership responsiveness to small community-led carer networks. (58314)
- 214 **Shivani Raja** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to (a) identify and (b) support (i) hidden and (ii) unpaid family carers who (A) are and (B) are not engaged with formal care systems. (58315)
- 215 **Shivani Raja** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department is taking steps to ensure that family carers are meaningfully involved in the (a) planning and (b) decision-making processes of local integrated care systems. (58316)
- 216 **Adrian Ramsay** (Waveney Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what proportion of eligible families were in receipt of Healthy Start in Waveney Valley constituency on 9 June 2025. (58544)
- 217 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what research his Department has undertaken on potential links between dementia and depression. (58216)
- 218 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to ensure equal access to healthcare treatments in each English region. (58219)
- 219 **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what guidance the Health Security Agency has issued on the potential impact of 6G masts on health. (58318)
- 220 **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to help tackle health inequalities impacting children in poverty in Fylde constituency. (58331)
- 221 **Cameron Thomas** (Tewkesbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department is taking steps to (a) improve training on dementia care and (b) financially support family carers. (58523)
- 222 **Cameron Thomas** (Tewkesbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent steps his Department has taken to help recognise (a) the skills of phlebotomists and (b) their contribution to the NHS. (58524)

- 223 **Cameron Thomas** (Tewkesbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent steps he has taken to support unpaid carers. (58525)
- 224 **Dr Scott Arthur** (Edinburgh South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he holds evidence on the use of F-35 jets to breach international law in Gaza. (58442)
- 225 **Dr Scott Arthur** (Edinburgh South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he has had discussions with allies involved in the F-35 programme on Israel's use of F-35 jets in Gaza. (58443)
- 226 **Dr Scott Arthur** (Edinburgh South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether international allies have raised concerns with him on the use of UK made F-35 parts in Gaza. (58444)
- 227 **Dr Scott Arthur** (Edinburgh South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he permits the export of F-35 components which are only compatible with the F-35I variant of the aircraft. (58445)
- 228 **Mr Peter Bedford** (Mid Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how many permanent civil servants in his Department had their contract of employment terminated as a result of poor performance in the (a) 2022-23, (b) 2023-24 and (c) 2024-25 financial years. (58461)
- 229 **Chris Bloore** (Redditch): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what estimate he has made of the proportion of aid from the UK destined for Gaza that has reached its intended recipients. (58370)
- 230 **Sir Oliver Dowden** (Hertsmere): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent discussions he has had with the United Nations on UNRWA neutrality. (58240)
- 231 **Sir Oliver Dowden** (Hertsmere): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, when he last met the Israeli ambassador to the UK; and what he discussed. (58241)
- 232 **Fabian Hamilton** (Leeds North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what diplomatic steps his Department is taking to help tackle the impact of the recruitment of children by armed groups on (a) the humanitarian situation and (b) human rights in Colombia. (58159)
- 233 **Fabian Hamilton** (Leeds North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what diplomatic steps his Department is taking to help support at-risk human rights defenders in (a) Mexico and (b) the El Bajío community in Sonora. (58160)

- 234 **Claire Hanna** (Belfast South and Mid Down): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if he will publish the Shawcross report into compensation for UK victims of Gaddafi-sponsored IRA terrorism. (58280)
- 235 **Mark Pritchard** (The Wrekin): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, when he plans to announce the reopening of the UK's embassy in Syria. (58190)
- 236 **Adrian Ramsay** (Waveney Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what the UK's priorities are for this year's meeting of the Conservation of Antarctic Marine Living Resources. (58514)
- 237 **Adrian Ramsay** (Waveney Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of securing new Marine Protected Areas around Antarctica. (58515)
- 238 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what representations he has made to his Pakistani counterpart on the case of Junaid Hafeez. (58220)
- 239 **James Asser** (West Ham and Beckton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to her Department's White Paper entitled Restoring control over the immigration system, published on 12 May 2025, whether the proposed extension of the qualifying period for indefinite leave to remain to ten years will apply retrospectively for Skilled Worker Visa holders residing in the UK. (58441)
- 240 **Catherine Atkinson** (Derby North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what discussions she has had with the Secretary of State for (a) Health and Social Care and (b) Justice on the potential impact of (i) court backlogs, (ii) waiting lists for NHS services and (iii) levels of access to therapeutic support on levels of demand for local non-statutory victim support services. (58393)
- 241 **Mr Peter Bedford** (Mid Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many permanent civil servants in her Department had their contract of employment terminated as a result of poor performance in the (a) 2022-23, (b) 2023-24 and (c) 2024-25 financial years. (58463)
- 242 **Maureen Burke** (Glasgow North East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the potential merits of extending the application window for international students to apply for a Graduate visa in the event of their university exam results being delayed. (58387)
- 243 **Maureen Burke** (Glasgow North East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to reduce processing times for applications for Graduate visas. (58388)

- 244N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many motorists have taken speed awareness courses after being charged with speeding offences in (a) 2022, (b) 2023 and (c) 2024. [Transferred] (57984)
- 245 **Sir Oliver Dowden** (Hertsmere): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what her Department's timetable is for publishing the response to the call for evidence entitled Controls on the use of crossbows on public safety grounds, which closed on 9 April 2024. (58238)
- 246 **Sir Oliver Dowden** (Hertsmere): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment her Department has made of the potential merits of adding wider information on offences involving crossbows in the Annual Data Requirement. (58239)
- 247 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many higher education students have claimed asylum in the final six months of their course in each of the last five years. (58143)
- 248 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many asylum seekers are being housed in houses of multiple occupation in Lincolnshire. (58145)
- 249 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what budget will be available to the Windrush Commissioner. (58153)
- 250 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what discussions she has had with Cabinet colleagues on producing an estimate of the number of people living in the UK without legal immigration status. (58399)
- 251 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what estimate her Department has made of the number of people without lawful immigration status who have come into contact with the police in the last five years. (58400)
- 252 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to (a) record and (b) verify name changes made by asylum seekers (i) during and (ii) after the asylum application process. (58406)
- 253 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many asylum seekers have formally changed name since 2015; and how her Department monitors that data. (58407)
- 254 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether her Department has made an assessment of the potential impact of name changes by asylum seekers on (a) national security, (b) immigration enforcement and (c) criminal justice proceedings. (58408)

- 255 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether asylum seekers are required to provide supporting documentation when requesting a legal name change. (58409)
- 256 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will make an estimate of the number of (a) asylum seekers and (b) failed asylum claimants that have used multiple identities or aliases while in the UK. (58410)
- 257 **Esther McVey** (Tatton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many fingerprints have been collected from illegal immigrants housed in Cheshire in each of the last five years. (58205)
- 258 **Esther McVey** (Tatton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many fingerprints have been collected from illegal immigrants arriving in the UK in each of the last five years. (58206)
- 259 **Navendu Mishra** (Stockport): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if her Department will make an assessment of the potential merits of introducing a standalone offense of assaulting a retail worker that includes (a) bank and (b) building society workers. (58272)
- 260 **James Naish** (Rushcliffe): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 12 March 2025 to Question 36235 on Oppression: China, whether her Department has made an assessment of the potential impact of the redevelopment of a Chinese embassy in London on the ability of Hong Kong nationals in the UK to exercise their right to (a) free speech and (b) peaceful protest since 6 March 2025. (58304)
- 261 **James Naish** (Rushcliffe): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to para. 266 of the White Paper entitled Restoring control over the immigration system, published on 12 May 2025, what her Department's timetable is for the consultation on changes to the (a) points-based system and (b) qualifying period for visas. (58305)
- 262 **Connor Naismith** (Crewe and Nantwich): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether foreign nationals on UK work visas will (a) be eligible to apply for Indefinite Leave to Remain after five years and (b) have (i) provisions and (ii) routes for fast-tracking permanent residency for skilled workers in key sectors; and whether undertaking postgraduate studies alongside employment will impact eligibility for settlement. (58451)
- 263 **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what information her Department holds on the cost per unit for the Metropolitan Police's new Plasan SandCat armoured vehicles. (58349)
- 264 **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much her Department has paid to France to support actions to prevent small boat crossings from the French coastline since 5 July 2024. (58350)

- 265 **Tristan Osborne** (Chatham and Aylesford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether she has made an assessment of the potential merits of updating the registration of Sex Offenders under the Sexual Offenders Act 2003 to include a private police record of (a) email address, (b) telephone numbers, (c) (i) registration and (ii) monitoring of any tablet and computer devices and (d) other information. (58447)
- 266 **Tristan Osborne** (Chatham and Aylesford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what her planned timeline is for introducing legislation to prohibit the sale of sharp-pointed kitchen and utility knives for domestic use; and what steps she is taking to ensure that large online retailers comply with any such future restrictions. (58448)
- 267 **Alex Sobel** (Leeds Central and Headingley): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she plans to take to process the outstanding asylum applications of Syrians in the UK. (58258)
- 268 **Mr Peter Bedford** (Mid Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many permanent civil servants in his Department had their contract of employment terminated as a result of poor performance in the (a) 2022-23, (b) 2023-24 and (c) 2024-25 financial years. (58464)
- 269 **James Cartlidge** (South Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether he plans to hold discussions with local authorities that have voted to divest pension funds from UK defence companies. (58248)
- 270 **James Cartlidge** (South Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps he is taking to encourage local authorities to invest pension funds in UK defence companies. (58249)
- 271 **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many Land Rovers of all variants are in use by the (a) Army, (b) Royal Air Force, (c) Royal Navy and (d) Royal Marines. (58340)
- 272 **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of introducing a Defence AI Investment Fund. (58341)
- 273 **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of introducing a Defence Uncrewed Systems Centre. (58342)
- 274 **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of the Royal Navy's Atlantic Bastion concept on the security of the North Atlantic. (58343)
- 275 **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of establishing a CyberEM Command. (58344)



- 276 **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what progress has his Department has made in developing novel directed energy weapons. (58352)
- 277 **Mark Pritchard** (The Wrekin): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps he is taking to diversify supplies of (a) gallium and (b) germanium as part of the UK's defence industrial strategy. (58189)
- 278 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps he has taken with His Majesty's armed forces to improve defence co-operation with Singapore. (58185)
- 279 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps he has taken with His Majesty's armed forces to improve the defence of the maritime infrastructure of British Overseas Territories. (58186)
- 280 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps he has taken with His Majesty's armed forces to improve the maritime defence of British Exclusive Economic Zones. (58187)
- 281 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps he has taken with His Majesty's armed forces to improve British fixed undersea surveillance capabilities. (58188)
- 282 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps he is taking to support elderly veterans facing historical investigations. (58212)
- 283 **Gregory Stafford** (Farnham and Bordon): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether his Department has made an assessment of the feasibility of integrating non-violent offenders into non-combat military support roles as part of a structured rehabilitation programme. (58533)
- 284 **Gregory Stafford** (Farnham and Bordon): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what recent discussions he has had with the Secretary of State for Justice on cross-departmental strategies on (a) the size of the armed forces and (b) the rehabilitation of offenders. (58536)
- 285 **Zarah Sultana** (Coventry South): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, when he plans to answer Question 50563, tabled by the hon. Member for Coventry South on 7 May 2025. (58268)
- 286 **Stuart Anderson** (South Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what the operating costs are for Mayoral Combined Authorities for (a) the 2025-26 and (b) each of the next five financial years. (58263)
- 287 **James Asser** (West Ham and Beckton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps her Department is taking to help increase the availability of affordable housing in West Ham and Beckton constituency. (58440)



- 288 **Mr Peter Bedford** (Mid Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, how many permanent civil servants in her Department had their contract of employment terminated as a result of poor performance in the (a) 2022-23, (b) 2023-24 and (c) 2024-25 financial years. (58465)
- 289 **Dr Beccy Cooper** (Worthing West): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps she is taking to support local authorities to improve high streets. (58503)
- 290 **Dr Beccy Cooper** (Worthing West): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps she is taking to ensure that new homes promote positive health outcomes for residents. (58505)
- 291 **Dr Beccy Cooper** (Worthing West): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps she is taking to help tackle disparities in leasehold maintenance charges for residents living in self-contained bungalows who are charged for communal amenities they cannot not use. (58509)
- 292 **Sir Oliver Dowden** (Hertsmere): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment her Department has made of the effectiveness of local authorities in upholding the Golden Rules under the revised NPPF. (58225)
- 293 **Sir Oliver Dowden** (Hertsmere): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what discussions her Department has had with local authorities on the revised NPPF. (58226)
- 294 **Sir Oliver Dowden** (Hertsmere): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what discussions her Department has had with local authorities on applying the Golden Rules in local planning decisions. (58227)
- 295 **Sir Oliver Dowden** (Hertsmere): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps her Department plans to take if local authorities do not comply with the (a) Golden Rules and (b) revised NPPF in local planning decisions. (58228)
- 296 **Sir Oliver Dowden** (Hertsmere): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, if her Department will bring in further guidance on how local authorities can uphold the Golden Rules in local planning decisions. (58229)
- 297 **Sir Oliver Dowden** (Hertsmere): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what discussions her Department has had with Hertsmere Borough Council on local planning decisions. (58230)
- 298 **Sir Oliver Dowden** (Hertsmere): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what discussions her Department has had with Hertsmere Borough Council on the application of the Golden Rules in local planning decisions. (58231)

- 299 **Sir Oliver Dowden** (Hertsmere): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what discussions her Department has had with Hertsmere Borough Council on protecting the green belt. (58232)
- 300 **Sir Oliver Dowden** (Hertsmere): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, with reference to the written statement entitled Building the Homes We Need, of 30 July 2024, HCWS48, what steps she has taken to ensure that development on the green belt will offer at least 50 per cent affordable homes. (58233)
- 301 **Sir Oliver Dowden** (Hertsmere): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, with reference to the written statement entitled Building the Homes We Need, of 30 July 2024, HCWS48, what steps she has taken to ensure local authorities are reviewing their green-belt boundaries where they cannot meet their identified housing need. (58234)
- 302 **Sir Oliver Dowden** (Hertsmere): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what discussions her Department has had with local authorities on consistency in local planning decisions. (58235)
- 303 **Sir Oliver Dowden** (Hertsmere): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, if her Department will formalise the role of representative community groups in local planning decisions. (58236)
- 304 **Sir Oliver Dowden** (Hertsmere): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether local plans will need to be updated following local government reorganisation. (58237)
- 305 **Dr Allison Gardner** (Stoke-on-Trent South): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment her Department has made of the potential merits of ensuring that new build estates include adequate provision of (a) bungalows, (b) ramp access and (c) other accessible housing needs. (58500)
- 306 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, how many compulsory purchase powers have been granted as part of nationally significant infrastructure project approvals since 2022. (58146)
- 307 **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, with reference to paragraph 97 of the National Planning Policy Framework, published on 7 February 2025, what criteria are used to designate a town centre. (58243)
- 308 **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what guidance her Department has issued to local planning authorities on ensuring (a) Section 106 and (b) Community Infrastructure Levy revenues are spent; and what requirements they have to publish details of (i) received revenues and (ii) unspent revenues. (58244)

- 309 **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps the Government is taking to support the freedom to pray. (58246)
- 310 **Ben Maguire** (North Cornwall): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what progress her Department has made on the (a) development and (b) implementation of the registration scheme for short-term lets. (58489)
- 311 **James Naish** (Rushcliffe): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether she has made an estimate with the Secretary of State for the Home Department on the potential impact of granting the application for a Chinese Embassy at Royal Mint Court on costs for policing protests. (58306)
- 312 **James Naish** (Rushcliffe): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether she has had discussions with the Secretary of State for the Home Department on the potential impact of the proposed Chinese embassy at Royal Mint Court on (a) policing and (b) public order. (58307)
- 313 **James Naish** (Rushcliffe): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether she plans to consider the potential costs for policing protests when making her decision on the planning application for the Chinese embassy at Royal Mint Court. (58308)
- 314 **Connor Naismith** (Crewe and Nantwich): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of (a) English Devolution and (b) the statutory roles of Mayors on (i) rail freight paths and (ii) access. (58529)
- 315 **Mr Joshua Reynolds** (Maidenhead): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what recent assessment her Department has made of the potential impact of proposed changes to green belt protections on (a) biodiversity, (b) access to green space and (c) the long-term preservation of rural character in Cookham. (58470)
- 316 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment she has made of the potential implications for her policies on park homes of her Department's report entitled The impact of a change in the maximum park home sale commission, published on 16 June 2022. (58214)
- 317 **David Simmonds** (Ruislip, Northwood and Pinner): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether she has made an assessment of the impact of The Marriages and Civil Partnerships (Approved Premises) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 on faith groups. (58283)

- 318 **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps her Department is taking to protect long-standing (a) cultural and (b) night-time economy venues from (i) closure and (ii) restrictions due to new residential development. (58329)
- 319 **Mr Peter Bedford** (Mid Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many permanent civil servants in her Department had their contract of employment terminated as a result of poor performance in the (a) 2022-23, (b) 2023-24 and (c) 2024-25 financial years. (58466)
- 320 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many and what proportion of people who are eligible for automatic release from prison after serving 50 per cent of their sentence were convicted of (a) actual bodily harm and (b) grievous bodily harm. (58144)
- 321 **Mr Richard Holden** (Basildon and Billericay): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, whether she plans to bring forward (a) legislative and (b) policy proposals to help support the children of prisoners. (58274)
- 322 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, whether her Department plans to review the adequacy of legal protections available to homeowners who use force in self-defence against intruders. (58411)
- 323 **Yasmin Qureshi** (Bolton South and Walkden): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of bringing forward legislative proposals to make purposely delaying calling emergency services during a medical emergency a crime. (58193)
- 324 **Gregory Stafford** (Farnham and Bordon): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what assessment her Department has made of the potential merits of introducing structured military service as an alternative sentence for non-violent offenders serving sentences of less than 25 years. (58532)
- 325 **Gregory Stafford** (Farnham and Bordon): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what assessment she has made of the potential merits of converting decommissioned prison facilities to (a) schools, (b) hospitals, (c) housing and (d) other public uses. (58535)
- 326 **Mr Peter Bedford** (Mid Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Scotland, how many permanent civil servants in his Department had their contract of employment terminated as a result of poor performance in the (a) 2022-23, (b) 2023-24 and (c) 2024-25 financial years. (58467)
- 327 **Callum Anderson** (Buckingham and Bletchley): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment her Department has made of the potential impact of levels of public equity market capitalisation on domestic economic growth. (58423)

- 328 **Callum Anderson** (Buckingham and Bletchley): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment her Department has made of the potential impact of private capital market growth on institutional investor behaviour in public markets. (58424)
- 329 **Callum Anderson** (Buckingham and Bletchley): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what estimate her Department has made of the proportion of private capital funding in the UK provided by international sources. (58425)
- 330 **Callum Anderson** (Buckingham and Bletchley): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment her Department has made of the potential impact of UK companies remaining private for longer on the capital raising lifecycle. (58426)
- 331 **Mr Peter Bedford** (Mid Leicestershire): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many permanent civil servants in her Department had their contract of employment terminated as a result of poor performance in the (a) 2022-23, (b) 2023-24 and (c) 2024-25 financial years. (58462)
- 332 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what recent assessment has she made of the potential merits of increasing the level of taxation on social media firms. (58152)
- 333 **Perran Moon** (Camborne and Redruth): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what discussions she has had with insurers on the potential impact of the cost of monthly insurance payments on levels of financial inclusion. (58432)
- 334 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if she will make a comparative assessment of the decrease in tobacco duty as set out in HMRC's annual tax receipts bulletin with the ONS smoking prevalence data in (a) 2023 to 2024 and (b) 2024-2025. (58169)
- 335 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps she is taking to improve the safety of pensions. (58215)
- 336 **Gregory Stafford** (Farnham and Bordon): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what estimate her Department has made of the comparative annual cost per head of (a) incarceration and (b) military service for non-violent offenders. (58534)
- 337 **Mr Peter Bedford** (Mid Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Wales, how many permanent civil servants in his Department had their contract of employment terminated as a result of poor performance in the (a) 2022-23, (b) 2023-24 and (c) 2024-25 financial years. (58468)
- 338 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, if she will amend section 100 of the Criminal Justice Act 2003 to ensure victims of rape and sexual violence do not have their past disclosures used as evidence to drop their case. (58372)

## Questions for Answer on Thursday 12 June

### Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Mr Richard Holden** (Basildon and Billericay): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what discussions he has had with the Infected Blood Inquiry on effectively sharing data with the Independent Blood Compensation Agency to help (a) increase the speed at which claims can be processed and (b) prevent fraud. (58278)
- 2N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of the Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for Trans-Pacific Partnership on Northern Ireland in its first year of operation. (58166)
- 3N **Mark Garnier** (Wyre Forest): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what recent discussions his Department has had with Fujitsu on (a) their plans to compensate Sub-Postmasters and (b) pausing bidding for new Government contracts while the Post Office Inquiry is ongoing. (57631)
- 4N **Andrew Griffith** (Arundel and South Downs): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, if he will provide indemnities to steel companies for the period following the announcement of the UK-US trade deal but prior to the implementation of lower tariff rates. (58284)
- 5N **Andrew Griffith** (Arundel and South Downs): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, if he will provide indemnities to automotive companies for the period following the announcement of the UK-US trade deal but prior to the implementation of lower tariff rates. (58285)
- 6N **Andrew Griffith** (Arundel and South Downs): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, with reference to the UK-US trade agreement, what steps he plans to take to manage the allocation of the 100,000 vehicle quota. (58286)
- 7N **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of adopting the Guest Beer Agreement scheme introduced in Scotland. (58327)
- 8N **Sir Andrew Mitchell** (Sutton Coldfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment she has made of the adequacy of Birmingham City Council's ability to provide a (a) comprehensive and (b) efficient library service in Sutton Coldfield constituency. (58161)
- 9N **Lauren Edwards** (Rochester and Strood): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether she plans to implement recommendation 1 of the Child Safeguarding Practice Review Panel national review into safeguarding children with disabilities and complex needs in residential settings, published in October 2022. (58484)



- 10N **Julia Lopez** (Hornchurch and Upminster): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what recent assessment she has made of the adequacy of education, health and care plans. (58257)
- 11N **Dr Simon Opher** (Stroud): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether she has considered including water-only policies in updated school food standards. (58294)
- 12N **Dr Simon Opher** (Stroud): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps her Department is taking to help ensure the provision of (a) clear and (b) consistent statutory guidance on educational guardianship. (58295)
- 13N **Laura Trott** (Sevenoaks): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, when she plans to publish the national behaviour survey for the 2023-24 academic year. (58267)
- 14N **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, when his Department plans to announce phase two of the non-domestic Minimum Energy Efficiency Standards. [R] (58251)
- 15N **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of proceeding with phase 2 of the non-domestic minimum energy efficiency standards. (58252)
- 16N **Llinos Medi** (Ynys Môn): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what recent assessment he has made of the potential merits of rebalancing policy levies between electric and gas bills. (58338)
- 17N **Llinos Medi** (Ynys Môn): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what recent discussions he has had with the Welsh Government on reducing energy bills in Wales. (58339)
- 18N **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what environmental impact assessments are required prior to the installation of 6G infrastructure. (58319)
- 19N **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, what discussions his Department has had with (a) local authorities and (b) people living in areas in which 6G masts are proposed on the (i) location and (ii) visual impact of those masts. (58317)
- 20N **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, what steps he is taking to ensure the (a) security and (b) resilience of 6G infrastructure against potential (i) cyber threats and (ii) foreign interference. (58320)
- 21N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if she will have discussions with car manufacturer representatives on the advisability of continuing with the installation of Euro New Cap Assessment Programme systems on all new vehicles. (58167)



- 22N **David Davis** (Goole and Pocklington): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether she has made a comparative assessment of the potential impact of using (a) E20 and (b) E10 fuel on (i) fuel consumption and (ii) emissions. (58156)
- 23N **David Davis** (Goole and Pocklington): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether she has made an assessment of the potential effectiveness of using E20 fuel. (58157)
- 24N **David Davis** (Goole and Pocklington): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether she has made an estimate of the number of cars that would be compatible with (a) E15 and (b) E20 fuel. (58158)
- 25N **Helen Morgan** (North Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps she is taking to improve (a) access to and (b) the (i) frequency and (ii) affordability of bus services in North Shropshire constituency. (58292)
- 26N **Ann Davies** (Caerfyrddin): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what estimate she has made of the number of (a) people and (b) households that will receive the winter fuel payment in Wales in the 2025-26 financial year. (58416)
- 27N **Ann Davies** (Caerfyrddin): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many people received the Winter Fuel Payment in Wales in the (a) 2023-24 and (b) 2024-25 financial year; and what estimate she has made of the number of people who will receive it in Wales in the 2025-26 financial year. (58417)
- 28N **Ann Davies** (Caerfyrddin): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to her Department's planned changes to the Winter Fuel Payment, announced on 9 June 2025, for what reason an income threshold of £35,000 for the Winter Fuel Payment was decided. (58418)
- 29N **Alicia Kearns** (Rutland and Stamford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, pursuant to the Answer of 19 September 2024 to Question 4548 on Winter Fuel Payment: Rutland and Stamford, how many people will be eligible for Winter Fuel Payment in Rutland and Stamford constituency after proposed changes to the eligibility criteria. (58269)
- 30N **Clive Efford** (Eltham and Chislehurst): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what discussions he has had NHS England on the future (a) oversight and (b) regulation of (i) specialist pharmacies and (ii) aseptic services within hospitals. (58136)
- 31N **Mary Glendon** (Newcastle upon Tyne East and Wallsend): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many meetings he has had with the Royal College of Psychiatrists to discuss the Terminally Ill Adults (End of Life) Bill since 11 November 2024. (58209)
- 32N **Mary Glendon** (Newcastle upon Tyne East and Wallsend): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of the Terminally Ill Adults (End of Life) Bill on his Department's suicide prevention strategy. (58210)

- 33N **Mary Glendon** (Newcastle upon Tyne East and Wallsend): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he has taken to engage with (a) disabled and (b) terminally ill children on the potential impact of the Terminally Ill Adults (End of Life) Bill on (i) their lives and (ii) sense of value. (58211)
- 34N **Sarah Hall** (Warrington South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make it his policy that all eligible patients with SOD1-related Motor Neurone Disease can access Tofersen. (58398)
- 35N **Helen Morgan** (North Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to reduce waiting times for diagnostic scans in North Shropshire constituency. (58291)
- 36N **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to support people with motor neurone disease in Fylde constituency. (58333)
- 37N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what discussions he has had with his Chinese counterparts on the case of Mr. Jimmy Lai since November 2024. (58164)
- 38N **Stephen Gethins** (Arbroath and Broughty Ferry): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment his Department has made of the potential (a) implications for its policies of the Georgian Foreign Agent Registration Act and (b) impact of that legislation on civil society in that country. (58223)
- 39N **Ruth Jones** (Newport West and Islwyn): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to support faith-based organisations providing humanitarian assistance to vulnerable communities impacted by recent conflict in Lebanon. (58262)
- 40N **Ben Lake** (Ceredigion Preseli): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking to ensure that Máire ní Mhurchú has access to legal representation following her detention by Israel. (58255)
- 41N **Sir Andrew Mitchell** (Sutton Coldfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking to help support (a) free and (b) fair presidential elections in the Ivory Coast in October 2025. (58162)
- 42N **Sir Andrew Mitchell** (Sutton Coldfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what diplomatic steps he is taking to help support a wide selection of candidates being available to eligible voters in the Ivory Coast for elections in October 2025. (58163)

- 43N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 23 April 2025 to Question 44921 on Electronic Travel Authorisations: Northern Ireland, if she will make an estimate of the number of people travelling between the Republic of Ireland and Northern Ireland since January 2025 that should have had a valid Electronic Travel Authorisation but did not. (58168)
- 44N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether the source of the reported drone activity near (a) RAF Lakenheath, (b) RAF Mildenhall and (c) RAF Feltwell in November 2024 has been determined. (58165)
- 45N **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what estimate he has made of the timetable for procuring F-35As. (58351)
- 46N **Liz Saville Roberts** (Dwyfor Meirionnydd): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what discussions he has had with the Welsh Government on the Strategic Defence Review. (58250)
- 47N **Helen Morgan** (North Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps she is taking to ensure that adequate access to (a) banking and (b) postal services is considered during the planning process. (58289)
- 48N **Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, pursuant to the Answer of 5 June 2025 to Question 56184 on Letter Boxes, if he will make the guidance relating to the height and positioning of letter boxes set out in BS EN 13724:2013 Postal Services: Apertures of Private Letter Boxes and Letter Plates a mandatory requirement for (a) new-build properties and (b) new front door replacements. (58194)
- 49N **Laurence Turner** (Birmingham Northfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether local authorities are able to prevent new employees from joining the Local Government Pension Scheme. [R] (58490)
- 50N **Robert Jenrick** (Newark): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of mandating the use of (a) scanners and (b) enhanced security screening upon entry to secure prisons for all prison officers. (58221)
- 51N **Robert Jenrick** (Newark): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many people serving sentences in closed prisons will become eligible for transfer to open prisons under the early transfer rules that came into force on 9 June 2025; and how many prisoners are eligible by (a) primary offence type and (b) sentence length. (58222)
- 52N **Stephen Gethins** (Arbroath and Broughty Ferry): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of changing the terms of the Financial Services Compensation Scheme to reimburse legal costs for victims of fraud. (58224)

- 53N **Ben Lake** (Ceredigion Preseli): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether it is her Department's policy that the classification of the East-West rail project as carrying 100% comparability factor for Wales is a publishing error in each Statement of funding policy, published between 2021 and 2024. (58256)
- 54N **Llinos Medi** (Ynys Môn): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of moving electricity bill levies into general taxation, in the context of average annual costs of household energy bills. (58337)
- 55N **Helen Morgan** (North Shropshire): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, pursuant to Answer of 4 March 2025 to Question 33135 on Agriculture and Business: Inheritance Tax, what the evidential basis is that the alternative clawback mechanism to the proposed changes to agricultural property relief and business property relief would raise much less revenue. (58288)
- 56N **Helen Morgan** (North Shropshire): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment she has made of the adequacy of LINK's banking hub criteria for market towns. (58290)

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## Questions for Answer on Friday 13 June

### Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Mr Peter Bedford** (Mid Leicestershire): To ask the Solicitor General, whether she has made representations to the Court of Appeal on the unduly lenient sentencing of those convicted of causing the death of Bhim Kohli. (58483)
- 2N **Ian Sollom** (St Neots and Mid Cambridgeshire): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what recent estimate his Department has made of the number of infected blood victims who (a) are not registered with a compensation scheme, (b) fall outside the cut-off dates but are eligible for compensation and (c) have not received an interim payment. (58353)
- 3N **Samantha Niblett** (South Derbyshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, pursuant to the Answer on 4 June 2025 to Question 55787 on Government Departments: Software, what assessment his Department has made of the potential impact of the Digital Markets, Competition and Consumers Act 2024 on (a) software licencing and (b) the Government's procurement of software. (58396)
- 4N **Samantha Niblett** (South Derbyshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of the new powers for the Competition and Markets Authority in the Digital Markets, Competition and Consumers Act 2024 to tackle restrictive software licensing on (a) consumers, (b) businesses and (c) the wider economy. (58397)

- 5N **Noah Law** (St Austell and Newquay): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of using domestically sourced lithium in the manufacture of electric buses. (58545)
- 6N **Gregory Stafford** (Farnham and Bordon): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of using AI technologies in the national recycling system for (a) waste separation and (b) material recovery. (58521)
- 7N **Gideon Amos** (Taunton and Wellington): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, whether he plans to take steps (a) with Building Digital UK to support the timely delivery of full fibre broadband to rural communities under the Phase 2 Superfast Broadband Programme in (i) west Somerset and (ii) Devon and (b) to encourage improved communication between Airband and affected (A) residents and (B) local stakeholders in the parishes of (1) West Hatch, (2) Hatch Beauchamp, (3) Bickenhall, (4) Curland, (5) Staple Fitzpaine, (6) Corfe, (7) Orchard Portman, (8) Stoke St Mary and (9) Pitminster. (58537)
- 8N **Samantha Niblett** (South Derbyshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, pursuant to the Answer of 4 June 2025 to Question 55785 on Public Sector: Digital Technology, what discussions his Department has had with the Digital Commercial Centre of Excellence on the impact of software licensing for Government software procurement on the digital transformation strategy. (58394)
- 9N **Samantha Niblett** (South Derbyshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, pursuant to the Answer of 4 June 2025 to Question 55786 on Public Sector: Digital Technology, whether his Department's digital transformation strategy will include the (a) financial impact of software assets on departmental budgets and (b) impact of identified dependencies on those assets on cost efficiencies. (58395)
- 10N **Claire Hanna** (Belfast South and Mid Down): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what discussions he has had with his Israeli counterpart on Deirdre Murphy from Swansea following her arrest on 31 May 2025. (58279)
- 11N **Jim Allister** (North Antrim): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to ensure that EU citizens do not move from the Republic of Ireland to become resident in (a) Northern Ireland and (b) the rest of the UK. (58511)
- 12N **Jim Allister** (North Antrim): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many (a) Romanians and (b) Roma are resident in (i) Northern Ireland and (ii) North Antrim constituency. (58513)

- 13N **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, with reference to the her Department's publication entitled MHCLG: spending over £25,000, March 2025, published on 28 April 2025, what the goods or services commissioned from Nathaniel Lichfield & Partners Ltd entitled Consultancy were. (58245)
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## Questions for Answer on Monday 16 June

### Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Dame Harriett Baldwin** (West Worcestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of Ofgem's readiness criteria for the UK data centre sector on growth in that sector. (58208)
- 2N **Darren Paffey** (Southampton Itchen): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department plans to take with the Department for Education to monitor the potential impact of the (a) expansion of free school meal eligibility and (b) changes to School Food Standards on children's health. (58539)
- 3N **Darren Paffey** (Southampton Itchen): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what proportion of eligible families were in receipt of Healthy Start in Southampton Itchen constituency on 9 June 2025. (58541)
- 4N **Chris Webb** (Blackpool South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what proportion of eligible families were in receipt of Healthy Start in Blackpool South constituency on 9 June 2025. (58293)
- 5N **Steve Witherden** (Montgomeryshire and Glyndŵr): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if she will publish a timeline for the Law Commission of England and Wales's review of the homicide law. (58512)
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## Questions for Answer on Monday 23 June

### Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Neil Duncan-Jordan** (Poole): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what estimate her Department has made of the amount spent on providing (a) football, (b) pool, (c) table-tennis, (d) gym, (e) running, (f) yoga, (g) chess and (h) other sporting activities in prisons in the last year. (58502)