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## Questions tabled on Tuesday 17 June 2025

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### Questions for Answer on Wednesday 18 June

#### Questions for Written Answer

- 1 **Mr Angus MacDonald** (Inverness, Skye and West Ross-shire): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what financial steps his Department is taking to support seasonal businesses in Inverness, Skye and West Ross-shire constituency. [Transferred] (60278)
- 2N **Shockat Adam** (Leicester South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what progress her Department has made on implementing the recommendations of the Durham Commission on Creativity and Education. [Transferred] (59935)
- 3 **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 16 June 2025 to Question 58330 on Poverty: Children, how the (a) rollout of free breakfast clubs and (b) extension of free school meals will be (i) implemented and (ii) monitored in (A) rural and (B) coastal constituencies. [Transferred] (60201)
- 4 **John Whitby** (Derbyshire Dales): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment her Department has made of the adequacy of levels of school transport provision in remote rural areas. [Transferred] (60388)
- 5 **Lee Anderson** (Ashfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he is taking to help tackle graffiti vandalism. [Transferred] (60161)
- 6 **Mr Will Forster** (Woking): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if his Department will make an assessment of the potential merits of requiring supermarkets to include labelling in braille on newly designed packaging. [Transferred] (60384)

- 7 **Mr Angus MacDonald** (Inverness, Skye and West Ross-shire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to encourage UK companies to reduce levels of deforestation caused by overseas supply chains. [Transferred] (60283)
- 8 **Alex Mayer** (Dunstable and Leighton Buzzard): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what his Department's policy is on the transportation of live lobsters through (a) postal and (b) courier services within the UK. [Transferred] (60397)
- 9N **Kevin Bonavia** (Stevenage): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of bringing forward legislative proposals to require employers to provide cyber security training, in the context of the recent cyber security incidents in the retail sector. [Transferred] (59906)
- 10N **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, if his Department will work with wireless broadband operators to develop technology that is in keeping with local environments where it is installed. [Transferred] (59897)
- 11 **Julia Buckley** (Shrewsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether her Department plans to increase police powers to help tackle anti-social behaviour linked to drone use. [Transferred] (60335)
- 12 **Mr Angus MacDonald** (Inverness, Skye and West Ross-shire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 11 June 2025 to Question 56574 on Ukraine: Vehicles, whether her Department has made an assessment of trends in the number of vehicles collected under the ULEZ scrappage scheme that have been donated to Ukraine. [Transferred] (60271)
- 13 **Claire Hanna** (Belfast South and Mid Down): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to the report by Maternity Action, entitled Pushed into Poverty, published in May 2025, if she will make an assessment of the potential impact of the recommendation on £7.99 million model costing for maternity allowance to be treated as earned income by Universal Credit on women in low income jobs. (60535)
- 14 **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to reduce waiting times for child and adolescent mental health services. [Transferred] (59982)
- 15 **Mr Angus MacDonald** (Inverness, Skye and West Ross-shire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to increase care home capacity. [Transferred] (60293)
- 16 **Esther McVey** (Tatton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of new antimicrobial therapeutics developed by SMEs. [Transferred] (60029)

- 17 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will ensure that (a) FOI returns, (b) court transcripts, (c) internal memos, (d) inter-agency communications and (e) other evidence submitted to the grooming gang inquiry is published. [Transferred] (60321)
- 18 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether whistleblowers who were (a) disciplined, (b) dismissed and (c) ignored for raising concerns on grooming gangs will receive (i) an official apology and (ii) compensation. [Transferred] (60323)
- 19 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether her Department can compel local authorities to release safeguarding files on group-based child sexual exploitation. [Transferred] (60326)
- 20 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will review the adequacy of data collection by (a) police, (b) councils and (c) government in identifying systemic abuse. [Transferred] (60329)
- 21 **Dr Roz Savage** (South Cotswolds): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to tackle hate crime against LGBTQ+ people. [Transferred] (60395)
- 22 **Dr Scott Arthur** (Edinburgh South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of banning of weapons exports to Israel on the training of Israeli Defense Forces personnel in the UK. [Transferred] (60252)
- 23 **Esther McVey** (Tatton): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps he is taking to help tackle battlefield antimicrobial resistance. [Transferred] (60028)
- 24 **David Simmonds** (Ruislip, Northwood and Pinner): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to HM Treasury's document entitled Spending Review 2025, published on 12 June 2025, what is the estimated increase in (a) council tax revenue raised in cash terms for and (b) the increase in the average Band D rate of the police precept over the Spending Review period. [Transferred] (60137)

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## Questions for Answer on Thursday 19 June

### Questions for Written Answer

- 1 **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Solicitor General, what steps her Department is taking to ensure that illegal immigration cases in Dylde constituency are processed (a) effectively and (b) efficiently. (60630)

- 2 **Bob Blackman** (Harrow East): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of removing Fujitsu's access to public sector contract opportunities, in the context of the Horizon IT failures. (60431)
- 3 **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, pursuant to the Answer of 30 May 2025 to Question 52864 on Admiralty House, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of repurposing the two unoccupied flats in Admiralty House. (60478)
- 4 **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, pursuant to the Answer of 30 May 2025 to Question 52864 on Admiralty House, on what date the last assessment of market rent of the building was undertaken. (60480)
- 5 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what task forces are funded by each Department. (60758)
- 6 **Matt Vickers** (Stockton West): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, with reference to his Department's press release entitled Thousands of Civil Service roles moved out of London in latest reform to the state, published on 14 May 2025, what recent progress his Department has made on moving civil service roles outside of London. (60533)
- 7 **Mike Wood** (Kingswinford and South Staffordshire): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether civil servants receiving London weighting have to work in an office within Greater London. (60496)
- 8 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether his Department has undertaken a cross-Government security risk assessment of sensitive data contracts awarded to Palantir Technologies Inc. (60617)
- 9 **Mike Wood** (Kingswinford and South Staffordshire): To ask the hon. Member for Battersea, representing the Church Commissioners, what guidance the Church of England provides to clergy on the expression of gender-critical views. (60491)
- 10 **Callum Anderson** (Buckingham and Bletchley): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of the UK-US trade agreement on UK aerospace supply chains. (60746)
- 11 **Callum Anderson** (Buckingham and Bletchley): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what steps his Department is taking to support British aerospace manufacturers to utilise UK-US defence trade cooperation arrangements. (60747)
- 12 **Callum Anderson** (Buckingham and Bletchley): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of the Australia-United Kingdom Free Trade Agreement Joint Committee's decisions on food and drink exporters from Buckinghamshire. (60748)

- 13 **Callum Anderson** (Buckingham and Bletchley): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what assessment his Department has made of the effectiveness of enforcement mechanisms available to the Small Business Commissioner for resolving payment disputes. (60749)
- 14 **Bob Blackman** (Harrow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether his Department is considering designating Fujitsu as a high-risk vendor, in the context of the failures of the Horizon system. (60430)
- 15N **Claire Coutinho** (East Surrey): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what proportion of total UK electricity consumption is used by businesses eligible for the British Industry Supercharger. [Transferred] (60232)
- 16 **Sarah Gibson** (Chippenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what steps his Department is taking to support the commercialisation of circular economy innovations in UK supply chains. (60719)
- 17 **Ben Maguire** (North Cornwall): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of banning the sale of flying ring frisbees. (60736)
- 18 **Wendy Morton** (Aldridge-Brownhills): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what steps his Department is taking to support UK companies unable to secure insurance coverage for business operations in Ukraine. (60454)
- 19 **Wendy Morton** (Aldridge-Brownhills): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what steps is he taking to include (a) ceramics and (b) manufacturers in the Industrial Strategy. (60500)
- 20 **Wendy Morton** (Aldridge-Brownhills): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what assessment he has made of the (a) resilience of the clay brick and roof tile industry and (b) potential impact of (i) energy costs and (ii) the UK Emissions Trading Scheme on that industry. (60501)
- 21 **Wendy Morton** (Aldridge-Brownhills): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of the trade deal with India on UK ceramics manufacturers. (60502)
- 22 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what progress his Department has made on developing the upcoming industrial strategy. (60446)
- 23 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what recent steps he has taken to help protect the steel industry. (60449)
- 24 **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what steps he is taking to improve access to finance for start-up businesses in Fylde. (60640)

- 25 **Alex Sobel** (Leeds Central and Headingley): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what steps his Department is taking to help tackle the use of Uyghur slave labour in supply chains that include critical minerals. (60660)
- 26 **Gregory Stafford** (Farnham and Bordon): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what recent discussions he has had with mobile phone providers on inflation-linked price increases in fixed-term mobile phone contracts. (60714)
- 27 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, pursuant to the Answer 13 June 2025 to Question 57485 on Chemicals: Sanitary Products, which groups his Department plans to consult. (60576)
- 28 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, pursuant to the Answer 13 June 2025 to Question 57485 on Chemicals: Sanitary Products, what further (a) research and (b) evidence does his Department plan to commission. (60577)
- 29 **Sarah Gibson** (Chippenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, whether her Department has made an estimate of the number of residents paying above 5% of household income on (a) broadband and (b) mobile services in Wiltshire; and what steps she is taking to monitor the affordability of connectivity in rural areas. (60722)
- 30 **Steve Race** (Exeter): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, whether she is taking steps to reallocate National Childcare Scheme funding to the wider youth sector. (60574)
- 31 **Dr Roz Savage** (South Cotswolds): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what recent assessment she has made of the adequacy of protections for non-designated but significant archaeological sites under current (a) heritage and (b) land management regulations; and if she will consider introducing new (i) powers and (ii) funding streams to support (A) geophysical surveys and (B) site preservation where landowner cooperation is not forthcoming. (60760)
- 32 **Ellie Chowns** (North Herefordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 13 May 2025 to Question 49999 on Holiday Activities and Food Programme, following the Spending Review 2025, whether the Holiday Activities and Food Programme will continue beyond March 2026; and whether the 500,000 children who are now eligible for free school meals will be eligible for the Holiday Activities and Food Programme. (60692)
- 33 **Andrew George** (St Ives): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps she plans to take with the Office for Students to ensure that universities provide prospective students with transparent data (a) in general and (b) on what proportion of courses are delivered online. (60415)

- 34 **Amanda Hack** (North West Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps her Department is taking to implement the recommendations of Reports to Prevent Future Deaths on (a) allergy (i) management and (ii) emergency response in schools and (b) other allergy policies. (60759)
- 35 **Mr Richard Holden** (Basildon and Billericay): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what discussions she has had with the Secretary of State for Justice on introducing a formal duty to the criminal justice system to notify (a) schools and (b) local safeguarding boards when the parent of a child aged 18 or under is imprisoned. (60539)
- 36 **Mr Richard Holden** (Basildon and Billericay): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 4 December 2024 to Question 16525 on Guardianship and Parents: Prisoners, what recent progress her Department has made with the Ministry of Justice to effectively identify children of prisoners. (60541)
- 37 **James MacCleary** (Lewes): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if she plans to establish family hubs across the country. (60795)
- 38 **James MacCleary** (Lewes): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment she has made of the potential merits of learning through play in early years education. (60796)
- 39 **James MacCleary** (Lewes): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of promoting a culture of reading for pleasure in the home on the development of children (a) in early years and (b) of school age. (60797)
- 40 **James MacCleary** (Lewes): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if she will publish plans to strengthen the home learning environment to support literacy (a) in the early years and (b) for school age children. (60798)
- 41 **James MacCleary** (Lewes): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment she has made of the effectiveness of community activities at supporting families with children in the early years. (60799)
- 42 **James MacCleary** (Lewes): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of parents and carers reading to children in the early years on the mental wellbeing of (a) children and (b) parents and carers. (60800)
- 43 **Luke Murphy** (Basingstoke): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what recent assessment she has made of the adequacy of local authority compliance with the requirement to provide support plans to kinship carers under Special Guardianship Orders. (60670)
- 44 **Luke Murphy** (Basingstoke): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment she has made of the potential (a) implications for her policies of the (i) financial and (ii) housing pressures experienced by kinship carers and (b) impact of those pressures on the sustainability of Special Guardianship placements. (60671)



- 45 **Luke Murphy** (Basingstoke): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps she is taking to help improve coordination between public services and local authorities in cases involving safeguarding concerns for children under Special Guardianship Orders. (60672)
- 46 **James Naish** (Rushcliffe): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment her Department has made of the potential merits of implementing a place-based approach to early years services to support literacy. (60569)
- 47 **James Naish** (Rushcliffe): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to the independent report entitled National review of higher education student suicide deaths, published on 21 May 2025, whether she plans to introduce a duty of candour for the higher education sector. (60652)
- 48 **Manuela Perteghella** (Stratford-on-Avon): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps she is taking to expand the (a) teaching and (b) learning of financial education in primary schools in (i) Warwickshire and (ii) England. (60756)
- 49 **Manuela Perteghella** (Stratford-on-Avon): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether the Curriculum and Assessment Review will include personal financial literacy from Key Stage 1-3. (60757)
- 50 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps she is taking to encourage more opportunities in schools for music and orchestra lessons. (60443)
- 51 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps she is taking to help support young men's mental health in (a) schools and (b) other educational settings. (60448)
- 52 **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps her Department is taking with local authorities to ensure (a) early and (b) consistent identification of dyslexia in primary schools in (i) Fylde constituency and (ii) Lancashire. (60647)
- 53 **Ian Sollom** (St Neots and Mid Cambridgeshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many universities in England have received emergency financial support from (a) her Department and (b) the Office for Students since July 2024; and what the value of that support was. (60589)
- 54 **Ian Sollom** (St Neots and Mid Cambridgeshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what criteria the Office for Students uses to determine emergency financial support for universities; and if she will publish those criteria. (60590)
- 55 **Ian Sollom** (St Neots and Mid Cambridgeshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many universities are classified by the Office for Students as being at material risk of financial failure. (60591)



- 56 **Cameron Thomas** (Tewkesbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps her Department is taking to improve the transition from play-based to formal learning. (60771)
- 57 **Cameron Thomas** (Tewkesbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment her Department has made of the adequacy of the education curriculum to prepare young people for the future workplace. (60772)
- 58 **Cameron Thomas** (Tewkesbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps her Department is taking to ensure that young people consider social care as a potential future career. (60773)
- 59 **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much of the increase to the core schools budget for 2025-26 and 2026-27 is expected to be spent by schools in covering part of the (a) recent teacher pay rise and (b) National Insurance contribution increase. (60601)
- 60 **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much of the funding announced in the Spending Review 2025 for reform of the SEND system will be invested in improving early identification of SEND. (60602)
- 61 **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether any of the funding announced in the Spending Review for reform of the SEND system will be used to cover existing SEND related deficits at local authority level. (60603)
- 62 **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if she will make an assessment of the potential impact of ending transitional protections for free school meals on levels of school funding. (60604)
- 63 **Sammy Wilson** (East Antrim): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what information her Department holds on the number of allergic reactions in schools in England in each year since 2016. (60429)
- 64 **Anneliese Dodds** (Oxford East): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what discussions his Department has had with the (a) Department for Business and Trade and (b) Treasury on the potential merits of mandating UK-regulated (a) financial institutions, (b) banks, (c) asset managers, (d) pension funds, (e) insurers and (f) FTSE 100 companies to (i) publish their carbon footprint and (ii) develop and implement credible transition plans. (60648)
- 65 **Louise Haigh** (Sheffield Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what steps his Department is taking to maximise the role of UK-based supply chains in the (a) development and (b) delivery of innovative Small Modular Reactor projects. (60505)

- 66 **Louise Haigh** (Sheffield Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what assessment his Department has made of the potential (a) economic and (b) industrial benefits to (a) Sheffield and (b) South Yorkshire of building innovative Small Modular Reactors using domestic supply chains. (60506)
- 67 **Louise Haigh** (Sheffield Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what assessment he has made of the potential role of (a) innovative Small Modular Reactors and (b) their associated UK-based (i) manufacturing and (ii) construction supply chains in supporting the Government's (A) energy security and (B) net zero targets by 2050. (60507)
- 68 **Tom Hayes** (Bournemouth East): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, with reference to page 3 of the report by The Association for Decentralised Energy entitled Consumer-Led Clean Power: How to Unlock Consumer-Led Flexibility for Clean Power by 2030, published in June 2025, whether he has considered introducing a consumer-led flexibility delivery board. (60724)
- 69 **Wendy Morton** (Aldridge-Brownhills): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what his Department's planned timetable is for publishing the outcome of the consultation entitled Extending the UK Emissions Trading Scheme cap beyond 2030, which closed on 9 April 2025. (60464)
- 70 **Wendy Morton** (Aldridge-Brownhills): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of the data set used to analyse carbon leakage assessments in the recent consultation on free allocation review for the UK Emissions Trading System. (60498)
- 71 **Wendy Morton** (Aldridge-Brownhills): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what assessment he has made of the ability of (a) ceramics manufacturers and (b) other energy intensive industries to meet the UK Emissions Trading Scheme. (60499)
- 72 **Luke Murphy** (Basingstoke): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what assessment his Department has made of the potential implications for his policies of the potential role of heat batteries in homes that are unsuitable for a heat pump. (60673)
- 73 **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what steps his Department is taking to help improve the energy efficiency of older housing stock in (a) Fylde constituency and (b) Lancashire. (60564)
- 74 **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether his Department has set targets for upgrading homes through the Warm Homes Programme in Fylde constituency in the next two years. (60567)
- 75 **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how many homes have been upgraded under the Warm Homes Plan in Yeovil constituency. (60568)

- 76 **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what assessment his Department has made of the potential impact of the RTS switch-off on consumers in (a) Fylde and (b) Lancashire. (60571)
- 77 **Ellie Chowns** (North Herefordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to support restoring (a) natural processes to river corridors within river catchments and (b) (i) native vegetation, (ii) floodplain connectivity and (iii) wetland habitats; and if he will take steps to work on these restoration projects with (A) local authorities, (B) environmental groups, (C) farmers and (D) catchment partnerships. (60687)
- 78 **Ellie Chowns** (North Herefordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will take steps to increase the amount of funding available to support (a) rewilding and (b) natural process-led grazing at landscape scale along (i) river and (ii) the river Wye catchments. (60688)
- 79 **Ellie Chowns** (North Herefordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he is taking to encourage landowners in river catchments to transition toward nature-led farming. (60689)
- 80 **Ellie Chowns** (North Herefordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what plans he has to support the reintroduction of (a) species, (b) elk, (c) water voles, (d) eels and (e) pine martens in river catchments. (60690)
- 81 **Ellie Chowns** (North Herefordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will make it his policy to support the removal of barriers to keystone species reintroduction projects (a) in England and (b) over devolved boundaries. (60691)
- 82 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent steps he has taken to financially support the installation of flood defences in (a) Slough constituency and (b) the Thames Valley. (60594)
- 83 **Sarah Gibson** (Chippenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent steps his Department has taken to promote the transition to a circular economy. (60715)
- 84 **Sarah Gibson** (Chippenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent assessment his Department has made of the potential economic merits of implementing circular economy models in the UK. (60716)
- 85 **Sarah Gibson** (Chippenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent assessment his Department has made of the effectiveness of Extended Producer Responsibility schemes in incentivising circular product design. (60718)

- 86 **Sarah Gibson** (Chippenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how much of the £2.65 billion allocated under the Government's flood defence investment programme is being directed to flood mitigation schemes in Wiltshire. (60732)
- 87 **Sarah Gibson** (Chippenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what information his Department holds on the number of flooding incidents reported in Wiltshire (a) since 2020 and (b) each of the previous five-year periods. (60735)
- 88 **James Naish** (Rushcliffe): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of including daily recommendations on yoghurt intake in dietary guidelines. (60656)
- 89 **James Naish** (Rushcliffe): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent assessment his Department has made of the potential contribution of the yoghurt industry to economic growth in the dairy sector. (60657)
- 90 **Manuela Perteghella** (Stratford-on-Avon): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether he plans to review the Weeds Act 1959. (60542)
- 91 **Steve Race** (Exeter): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether his Department plans to update regulatory requirements to (a) reduce and (b) eliminate the need for animal testing for (i) chemicals and (ii) pesticides where non-animal New Approach Methodologies are available. (60628)
- 92 **Adrian Ramsay** (Waveney Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what his Department's planned timetable is for publishing a consultation on banning farrowing crates. (60740)
- 93 **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he is taking with relevant authorities to prevent heat-related deaths of farm animals in (a) Fylde and (b) Lancashire. (60563)
- 94 **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to improve the (a) condition and (b) ecological quality of woodlands in Fylde constituency. (60596)
- 95 **Cameron Thomas** (Tewkesbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to reduce the levels of nitrates in English waterways. (60777)
- 96 **John Whitby** (Derbyshire Dales): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether his Department has a (a) grassland policy group and (b) person responsible for grassland policy. (60679)

- 97 **Sarah Gibson** (Chippenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, what estimate he has made of the number of households without home internet access in Wiltshire; and what recent estimate his Department has made of levels of digital exclusion in (a) Wiltshire and (b) Chippenham constituency. (60721)
- 98 **Steve Race** (Exeter): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, whether his Department plans to consult (a) industry stakeholders and (b) relevant experts on the proposals set out in the Government's forthcoming strategy on phasing out the use of animal testing. (60624)
- 99 **Steve Race** (Exeter): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, what discussions he has had with relevant stakeholders in the (a) life sciences and (b) technology sectors on the potential contribution of artificial intelligence to supporting the uptake of (i) non-animal new approach methodologies and (ii) alternatives to animal testing. (60625)
- 100 **Vikki Slade** (Mid Dorset and North Poole): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, what assessment his Department has made of the potential impact of duplicate fibre broadband cabling on the (a) distribution of fibre coverage nationally, (b) environment and (c) infrastructure for residents on roads with duplicate cabling. (60661)
- 101 **Cameron Thomas** (Tewkesbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of creating a cyber-security hub in Gloucestershire. (60775)
- 102 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, if he will take legislative steps to introduce a regulatory framework to set standards for (a) testing and (b) verification of non-deterministic AI systems. (60621)
- 103 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, if he will publish guidance on the safe use of non-deterministic AI in public sector decision-making systems. (60622)
- 104 **Adam Dance** (Yeovil): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of completing a road safety strategy for Yeovil constituency. (60705)
- 105 **Steve Darling** (Torbay): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what funding her Department is providing to enhance internet connectivity in the West of England for passengers on railways. (60538)
- 106N **Shaun Davies** (Telford): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment she has made of the adequacy of the performance of the train line between Aberystwyth and Birmingham International in the last 12 months; and whether she plans to allocate funding to improve (a) services and (b) rolling stock on that line in the next 12 months. [Transferred] (60169)

- 107 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent steps she has taken to ensure adequate (a) working conditions and (b) pay for app-based (i) private hire drivers and (ii) couriers. (60595)
- 108 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent progress she has made with local transport organisations on making interchanges from local public transport to national transport step-free. (60653)
- 109 **Sarah Gibson** (Chippenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what the total funding allocated to councils and businesses for electric vehicle charging infrastructure was in the 2025 Spending Review; and what this allocation was in the previous five years. (60720)
- 110 **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps she is taking to reduce waiting times for driving tests in (a) Preston, (b) Lancashire and (c) England. (60416)
- 111 **Nigel Huddleston** (Droitwich and Evesham): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what discussions she has had with South Western Railway on the potential impact of the removal of the 7.37am service from Worcestershire Parkway to Birmingham New Street on commuters living in Droitwich and Evesham constituency. (60487)
- 112 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to page 141 of the report entitled National Audit on Group-Based Child Sexual Exploitation and Abuse, published on 16 June 2025, what steps she plans to take to close the loophole that enables taxi drivers to apply for a license in one area and operate in another. (60514)
- 113 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if she will take steps to ensure that only taxis regulated in a specific (a) combined authority or (b) local authority area will be able to pick up customers from that area. (60515)
- 114 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if she will take steps to ensure that all taxi drivers undertake safeguarding training. (60516)
- 115 **Wendy Morton** (Aldridge-Brownhills): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 16 June 2025 to Question 59009 on Railways: Midlands, whether the allocated funding is to support the full delivery of the West Midlands Rail Hub. (60463)
- 116 **Wendy Morton** (Aldridge-Brownhills): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment her Department has made of the readiness of combined authorities to exercise new franchising powers under the Bus Services (No. 2) Bill. (60504)
- 117 **Ian Roome** (North Devon): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 13 June 2025 to Question 57799 on Electric Vehicles: Exports, whether the environmental contribution made by British-manufactured electric vehicles exported overseas counts towards UK climate target figures. (60675)



- 118 **Vikki Slade** (Mid Dorset and North Poole): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to the Driving and Vehicle Standards Agency's consultation entitled Improving car driving test booking rules, published on 28 May 2025, what her Department's planned timeline is for making changes to car driving test booking rules. (60665)
- 119 **Vikki Slade** (Mid Dorset and North Poole): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment her Department has made of the potential impact of the process for booking a driving test through the DVLA test booking system on the mental health of young people. (60666)
- 120 **Sir Julian Smith** (Skipton and Ripon): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether she plans to allocate additional funding to support rural bus franchising pilots in North Yorkshire; and what steps she is taking to ensure that (a) the Yorkshire Dales and (b) other areas receive equitable levels of funding compared to urban regions. (60466)
- 121 **Sir Julian Smith** (Skipton and Ripon): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment her Department has made of the potential impact of levels of availability of rural transport links on (a) economic growth, (b) tourism and (c) social inclusion; and what steps she is taking to improve rural transport links. (60467)
- 122 **Sir Julian Smith** (Skipton and Ripon): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps her Department is taking to support councils in improving the frequency and reliability of rural bus services in North Yorkshire. (60468)
- 123 **Gregory Stafford** (Farnham and Bordon): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what mechanisms her Department has to coordinate maintenance responsibilities between multiple local authorities on A roads that do not fall under the remit of National Highways. (60699)
- 124 **Gregory Stafford** (Farnham and Bordon): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what information her Department holds on the number of (a) reports and (b) complaints there have been relating to (i) abandoned roadworks equipment and (ii) degraded signage on the (A) A3, (B) A31 and (C) A331 in each of the last three years. (60700)
- 125 **Gregory Stafford** (Farnham and Bordon): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what guidance her Department has provided to local highway authorities on the timely removal of (a) cones, (b) sandbags, (c) signage and (d) other abandoned roadworks equipment. (60701)
- 126 **Gregory Stafford** (Farnham and Bordon): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if she will commission a review into the (a) management arrangements and (b) maintenance outcomes on non-trunk A roads that cross multiple local authority areas. (60702)
- 127 **Euan Stainbank** (Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many buses were ordered from British bus manufacturers with (a) full and (b) partial financial support from (i) the Government and (ii) devolved English authorities between 2011 and 2025. (60584)



- 128 **Cameron Thomas** (Tewkesbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment her Department has made of the potential merits of reducing speed limits to 20mph outside all schools. (60774)
- 129 **Alison Bennett** (Mid Sussex): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether she has made an assessment of the effectiveness of the Equality Act in protecting neurodivergent employees. (60791)
- 130 **Alison Bennett** (Mid Sussex): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether she has made an assessment of the potential impact of back-to-office policies on the workplace inclusion of disabled people. (60792)
- 131 **Steve Darling** (Torbay): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if her Department will make an assessment of the potential impact of proposed changes to eligibility for the Personal Independence Payment on the number of job vacancies in each constituency. (60536)
- 132 **Claire Hanna** (Belfast South and Mid Down): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether she has made an assessment of the potential merits of treating Maternity Allowance as earned income for the purposes of calculating Universal Credit. (60534)
- 133 **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many people in receipt of Personal Independent Payment in Dulwich and West Norwood constituency scored (a) 8-11, (b) 12-15, (c) 15-18, (d) 18-21 and (e) more than 21 points for the daily living elements but did not score more than four in any single criteria in the most recent reporting year. (60638)
- 134 **Christine Jardine** (Edinburgh West): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what her planned timeline is for providing a progress update on the implementation of commitments outlined in the Disability Action Plan. (60586)
- 135 **Christine Jardine** (Edinburgh West): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, when she plans to introduce a funding scheme for disabled candidates, in the context of Disability Action Plan commitments; and what progress she has made on a funding scheme for disabled candidates. (60587)
- 136 **Ben Maguire** (North Cornwall): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether she has made an assessment of the potential impact of the rule which prevents mixed-age couples from claiming pension-age benefits until the youngest partner reaches State Pension age on the number of people in poverty. (60754)
- 137 **Ben Maguire** (North Cornwall): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many mixed-age couples are impacted by the rule which prevents them from claiming pension-age benefits until the youngest partner reaches State Pension age. (60755)

- 138 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what support will be available to disabled people that are unable to secure employment after the implementation of planned changes to Pathways to Work. (60524)
- 139 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps she is taking to support disabled people who (a) are too ill to work and (b) score less than 3 points under Pathways to Work. (60526)
- 140 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps she is taking to support children of disabled people who have had PIP removed. (60527)
- 141 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if she will ensure that people in receipt of Carers Allowance will continue to receive that allowance if the person being cared for is no longer in receipt of social security support. (60529)
- 142 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether she plans to take steps to ensure that work-trial schemes allow people to return to previous levels of social security if they are not successful. (60530)
- 143 **James Naish** (Rushcliffe): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether her Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of procuring used vehicles for the Motability Scheme. (60650)
- 144 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps she is taking to reduce unemployment in 18-21 year olds. (60445)
- 145 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether the review of Universal Credit will consider the process of how social security rates are (a) set and (b) uprated. (60465)
- 146 **Vikki Slade** (Mid Dorset and North Poole): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps her Department is taking to ensure that it conducts a full review of the requester's (a) case and (b) complaint when Access to Work reconsideration requests are made. (60664)
- 147 **Lisa Smart** (Hazel Grove): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether her Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of allowing businesses to contact their local Jobcentre Plus directly to advertise vacancies. (60651)
- 148 **Ben Coleman** (Chelsea and Fulham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the Written Statement of 22 May 2025 on Childhood Obesity, HCWS652, what steps he is taking to ensure that the final non-statutory guidance issued by the Advertising Standards Authority protects children from unhealthy food and drink advertising. (60752)

- 149 **Adam Dance** (Yeovil): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the need for minor eye care surgery services in Yeovil constituency. (60787)
- 150 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he plans to increase funding for hospice care. (60593)
- 151 **Dr Luke Evans** (Hinckley and Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has had discussions with the Medicines and Healthcare products Regulatory Agency on reducing overprescribing. (60649)
- 152 **Sarah Gibson** (Chippenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what research funding has been allocated to cholangiocarcinoma through (a) UK Research and Innovation and (b) the National Institute for Health and Care Research in the last five years. (60762)
- 153 **Sarah Gibson** (Chippenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to raise public awareness of cholangiocarcinoma (a) symptoms and (b) risk factors. (60763)
- 154 **Andrew Gwynne** (Gorton and Denton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he plans to implement the compensation recommendations in the Hughes Report, published on 7 February 2024. (60421)
- 155 **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department holds data on how much notice was given to patients about the cancellation of their planned medical operation at (a) Lancashire Teaching Hospitals and (b) Blackpool Teaching Hospitals in the last three years. (60417)
- 156 **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many medical samples were lost and required resubmission by the patient at (a) Lancashire and (b) Blackpool teaching hospitals in each of the last three years. (60418)
- 157 **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many medical operations were cancelled at Lancashire Teaching Hospitals in each of the last last three years; and what the cost to the NHS was of those cancellations. (60419)
- 158 **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many medical appointments were (a) missed by patients and (b) cancelled by the health trust at Lancashire Teaching Hospitals in each of the last three years. (60420)
- 159 **Kim Johnson** (Liverpool Riverside): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he plans to introduce a public health campaign on allergy awareness in children. (60592)

- 160 **Clive Jones** (Wokingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the potential impact of the reorganisation of NHS England into his Department on the provision of cancer screening programmes in England. [R] (60694)
- 161 **Clive Jones** (Wokingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that the availability of availability of cancer drugs is maintained during the reorganisation of NHS England. (60695)
- 162 **Clive Jones** (Wokingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made on the potential impact of abolishing NHS England on the availability of (a) abiraterone and (b) other similar drugs. (60697)
- 163 **Clive Jones** (Wokingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what mechanisms his Department has in place to monitor the availability of cancer services during the reorganisation of NHS England into his Department. (60698)
- 164 **Clive Jones** (Wokingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make it his policy to fund a single digital tracking system for cancer tissue samples provided for genomic testing, so that that they may be tracked at every point of their journey. (60801)
- 165 **Clive Jones** (Wokingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he plans to require Genomic Laboratory Hubs to adopt standardised reporting templates for genomics reports. (60802)
- 166 **Clive Jones** (Wokingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of targeted screening for chronic kidney disease high-risk populations. (60803)
- 167 **Clive Lewis** (Norwich South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what proportion of his Department's spending was on (a) community, (b) acute and (c) primary care services in (i) Norfolk and Waveney and (ii) the rest of England by ICB area in the latest year for which statistics are available. (60528)
- 168 **Clive Lewis** (Norwich South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of (a) recent NHS guidance and (b) his Department's health and social care priorities on Voluntary Community and Social Enterprise (i) services and (ii) organisations. (60531)
- 169 **Clive Lewis** (Norwich South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much funding has been allocated to the NHS under the Better Care Fund in each integrated care board area; and where monitoring of that spending is publicly reported. (60532)

- 170 **James MacCleary** (Lewes): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will take steps to ensure that F1 doctors receive their (a) programme details and (b) work schedules well in advance of their start dates. (60780)
- 171 **James MacCleary** (Lewes): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department plans to increase funding for the UK Foundation Programme office. (60781)
- 172 **James MacCleary** (Lewes): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will take steps to ensure that all deaneries adhere to a reasonable timeline for allocating F1 positions. (60782)
- 173 **James MacCleary** (Lewes): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department plans to prioritise UK medical school graduates for foundation year one posts. (60783)
- 174 **Mr Angus MacDonald** (Inverness, Skye and West Ross-shire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has had recent discussions with (a) his counterparts in the devolved Administrations and (b) professional bodies on the potential merits of amending pension rules to help (i) reduce burnout and (ii) improve retention among healthcare professionals. (60741)
- 175 **Mr Angus MacDonald** (Inverness, Skye and West Ross-shire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has had recent discussions with (a) his counterparts in the devolved Administrations and (b) professional bodies on the potential merits of amending tax policy to help (i) reduce burnout and (ii) improve retention among healthcare professionals. (60742)
- 176 **Mr Angus MacDonald** (Inverness, Skye and West Ross-shire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what discussions he has had with (a) the devolved Administrations and (b) professional bodies on the potential use of immigration policy to help improve (i) support for and (ii) levels of retention among healthcare professionals. (60743)
- 177 **Mr Angus MacDonald** (Inverness, Skye and West Ross-shire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what discussions he has had with (a) the devolved Administrations and (b) professional bodies on the potential use of professional regulation to help improve (i) support for and (ii) levels of retention among healthcare professionals. (60745)
- 178 **Helen Morgan** (North Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many families subject to No Recourse to Public Funds are (a) in receipt of Healthy Start and (b) have had their application for Healthy Start rejected. (60570)
- 179 **James Naish** (Rushcliffe): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of (a) parents and (b) carers reading to young children on the mental wellbeing of (i) children, (ii) parents and (iii) carers. (60566)

- 180 **James Naish** (Rushcliffe): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has set a timetable to ensure that people harmed by Valproate receive their Interim Payment, as recommended by the Patient Safety Commissioner in the report entitled The Hughes Report: Options for redress for those harmed by valproate and pelvic mesh, published on 7 February 2024. (60642)
- 181 **James Naish** (Rushcliffe): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent guidance his Department has issued on the (a) nutritional value of and (b) recommended intake of yoghurt for (i) children and (ii) young people. (60658)
- 182 **James Naish** (Rushcliffe): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of including specific daily recommendations on yogurt intake in dietary guidelines. (60659)
- 183 **Dr Al Pinkerton** (Surrey Heath): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the adequacy of access to NHS-funded fertility treatment in Surrey Heath constituency. (60788)
- 184 **Dr Al Pinkerton** (Surrey Heath): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to ensure equitable access to NHS-funded fertility treatment in Surrey Heath constituency. (60789)
- 185 **Peter Prinsley** (Bury St Edmunds and Stowmarket): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what discussions he has had with the General Medical Council on ensuring that doctors who are unwell seek professional help for their condition, in the context of the General Medical Council's decision to remove health as a specific grounds for action in fitness to practise investigations. (60723)
- 186 **Oliver Ryan** (Burnley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to promote the importance of regular eye tests and vision screening for children; and what further steps he plans to take to increase the uptake of eye tests among children. (60766)
- 187 **Mark Sowards** (Leeds South West and Morley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of increasing levels of access to hormone replacement therapy treatment on the NHS. (60784)
- 188 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many men between the ages of 50 and 60 have been diagnosed with prostate cancer in the last six months. (60440)
- 189 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many children have been vaccinated against whooping cough in the last 12 months. (60441)
- 190 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many people in the UK currently suffer with Lyme disease. (60447)



- 191 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to help raise awareness of the symptoms of mini stroke. (60450)
- 192 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will take steps with Cabinet colleagues to increase funding for cancer research in UK universities. (60453)
- 193 **Vikki Slade** (Mid Dorset and North Poole): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if his Department will take steps with the Food Standards Agency to (a) review the standards for baby food products and (b) ensure that those standards are updated to include (i) new baby foods made available in the last 20 years, (ii) a limit on the total sugar content of baby foods and (iii) standards for health claims made by manufacturers on baby food packaging. (60663)
- 194 **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what support his Department offers to local NHS charities. (60641)
- 195 **Ian Sollom** (St Neots and Mid Cambridgeshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment his Department made of the adequacy of services provided to the NHS by AJM healthcare. (60608)
- 196 **Cameron Thomas** (Tewkesbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to ensure the PIP assessments are not impacted by illnesses which frequently vary in severity. (60776)
- 197 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 8 January 2025 to Question 21470 on Hospices: Charitable Donations, what recent assessment he has made of the adequacy of the proposed funding increase for hospice care. (60553)
- 198 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department has made a cyber risk assessment of the use of Palantir's software in centralised NHS data platforms. (60615)
- 199 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether contracts awarded to Palantir Technologies Inc. for NHS data infrastructure permit cross-border data sharing without UK regulatory approval. (60616)
- 200 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what due diligence steps his Department takes to assess national security risks before awarding public health data contracts to firms with links to (a) foreign intelligence or (b) military operations. (60618)
- 201 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the security implications of awarding NHS data management contracts to (a) Palantir Technologies Inc. and (b) other companies with significant overseas (i) defence and (ii) intelligence clients. (60619)



- 202 **Mr Peter Bedford** (Mid Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the potential impact of the Houthi rebels in Yemen on the interests of (a) the UK and (b) UK allies. (60677)
- 203 **Andrew George** (St Ives): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, which countries armed forces have been trained by British armed forces in each of the last five years. (60411)
- 204 **Andrew George** (St Ives): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what criteria his Department uses to decide whether to grant a request from a foreign government for training for their armed forces by the British armed forces. (60412)
- 205 **John Glen** (Salisbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the potential implications for his policies of reports of (a) abductions, (b) forced marriages and (c) religious conversions of (i) Christian and (ii) other minority girls in Pakistan. (60426)
- 206 **Christine Jardine** (Edinburgh West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking to increase public awareness of changes to passport validity rules for UK travellers to the EU. (60560)
- 207 **Christine Jardine** (Edinburgh West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he has had discussions with the Royal Medical Colleges on child (a) health and (b) rights in Gaza. (60561)
- 208 **Mr Angus MacDonald** (Inverness, Skye and West Ross-shire): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he has had discussions with the Scottish Government on their decision to place restrictions of NHS medical equipment being donated to Ukraine. (60678)
- 209 **Mr Angus MacDonald** (Inverness, Skye and West Ross-shire): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what diplomatic steps his Department is taking with international counterparts to highlight the issue of forced deportations of Ukrainian children. (60685)
- 210 **Mr Angus MacDonald** (Inverness, Skye and West Ross-shire): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent estimate he has made of the (a) number and (b) location of re-education camps for deported Ukrainian children in Russia. (60686)
- 211 **Wendy Morton** (Aldridge-Brownhills): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps his Department is taking with (a) his international allied counterparts and (b) multilateral institutions to facilitate the availability of war-risk insurance for companies operating in Ukraine. (60456)

- 212 **Wendy Morton** (Aldridge-Brownhills): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent discussions he has had with the Ukrainian government on the adequacy of the availability of (a) insurance and (b) other mechanisms to help (i) support and (ii) de-risk foreign commercial engagement in Ukraine. (60457)
- 213 **Wendy Morton** (Aldridge-Brownhills): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what consideration has he given to staffing (a) levels and (b) structures in his Department following changes to levels of ODA spending. (60462)
- 214 **Sammy Wilson** (East Antrim): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the potential implications for his policies of reports of alleged (a) human rights violations, (b) claims of late night police summons without official notice, (c) unauthorised home visits and surveillance activities against Hindu activists in India; and what recent discussions he has had with his counterparts in India on (i) human rights and (ii) civil liberties in that country. (60428)
- 215 **Mrs Elsie Blundell** (Heywood and Middleton North): 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, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of changes to the standard qualifying period for settlement to people who are already on the five year pathway to settlement. (60631)
- 216 **Mrs Elsie Blundell** (Heywood and Middleton North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to the white paper entitled Restoring control over the immigration system, published on 12 May 2025, whether people who (a) are already living in the UK and (b) hold active visas will still be able apply for indefinite leave to remain. (60633)
- 217 **Sarah Gibson** (Chippenham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the prevalence of cryptocurrency use in illicit finance; and what steps she is taking to reduce this activity. (60727)
- 218 **Sarah Gibson** (Chippenham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many cryptocurrency-related suspicious activity reports were filed with the National Crime Agency in each of the last three years. (60730)
- 219 **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what information her Department holds on the number of classifications that children's services use to record child sexual abuse. (60582)
- 220 **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what information her Department holds on the definition of child sexual exploitation that is used by (a) the police and (b) children's services. (60583)

- 221 **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many children under 16 are recorded as missing in (a) Birmingham and (b) the west midlands. (60585)
- 222 **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what (a) internal and (b) external Prevent guidance her Department has drafted on cultural nationalism; and what her Department's definition is of cultural nationalism. (60471)
- 223 **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much (a) her Department and (b) its contractors have spent on the capital purchase of mobile and caravan homes for asylum seekers since July 2024. (60472)
- 224 **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 5 June 2025 to Question 53973 on Defending Democracy Taskforce, if she will publish the assessment on Transnational Repression in the UK. (60473)
- 225 **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 6 June 2025 to Question HL7763 on Asylum: Housing, what the absolute number of individual hotels that housed the 32,345 people is as of 31 March 2025; and what was the equivalent number of hotels used in June 2024. (60474)
- 226 **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much (a) her Department and (b) its contractors have spent on the rent or lease of (i) caravan and mobile homes and (ii) park homes for housing asylum seekers since July 2024. (60475)
- 227 **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment the security services have made of the level of economic espionage by the Chinese Government in the UK. (60477)
- 228 **Uma Kumaran** (Stratford and Bow): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to ensure that accommodation for housing asylum seekers (a) meets adequate minimum standards and (b) protects residents against (i) mistreatment, (ii) exploitation, (iii) sexual abuse and (iv) other abuse. (60704)
- 229 **John Lamont** (Berwickshire, Roxburgh and Selkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of extending the remit for the commission into grooming gangs and child exploitation to (a) Scotland, (b) Wales and (c) Northern Ireland. (60545)
- 230 **John Lamont** (Berwickshire, Roxburgh and Selkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether she has had discussions with the devolved Administrations on extending the remit for the commission into grooming gangs and child exploitation to include (a) Scotland, (b) Wales and (c) Northern Ireland. (60546)

- 231 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she plans to take to help ensure that children who experience child sexual abuse feel more confident (a) to report that abuse and (b) that all reports will be listened to and taken seriously. (60517)
- 232 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to the Government's response to Recommendation 3 of the report entitled National Audit on Group-based Child Sexual Exploitation and Abuse, published on 16 June 2025, what her planned timetable is for introducing a disregard for convictions of people who were (a) groomed and (b) convicted of prostitution as children. (60518)
- 233 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether groomed children have been placed on the sex offenders register. (60519)
- 234 **Helen Morgan** (North Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to reduce rural business crime in North Shropshire constituency. (60606)
- 235 **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when she plans to complete the review of the application of Article 8 of the European Convention on Human Rights. (60557)
- 236 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what discussions she has had with the Secretary of State for Justice on the length of prison sentences for people convicted of offences in connection with paedophile rings. (60451)
- 237 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to educate children on the harms of antisemitism within the National Curriculum. (60452)
- 238 **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many illegal immigrants have been apprehended in (a) Fylde constituency and (b) Lancashire in the last 12 months. (60629)
- 239 **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to reduce shoplifting in (a) Fylde and (b) Lancashire. (60645)
- 240 **Mike Wood** (Kingswinford and South Staffordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 21 May 2025 to Question HL7327 on Independent Office for Police Conduct, for what reason the Independent Office for Police Conduct continues to hold a paid membership of Stonewall, in the context of the cancellation of subscriptions by the (a) Home Office and (b) other departments. (60490)

- 241 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to assess the reliability of non-deterministic AI before it is used to support (a) policing, (b) public safety and (c) immigration processes. (60620)
- 242 **Gideon Amos** (Taunton and Wellington): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps he is taking to reduce the time taken to process access for records requests from veterans. (60767)
- 243 **Gideon Amos** (Taunton and Wellington): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of increasing the number of sitting days of the Independent Panel to Access Impact Payments. (60768)
- 244 **Gideon Amos** (Taunton and Wellington): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps he is taking to reduce the time taken for LGBT Dismissed or Discharged Payments to be (a) processed and (b) distributed. (60769)
- 245 **Andrew George** (St Ives): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what plans his Department has for training foreign armed forces by British armed forces. (60414)
- 246 **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps his Department is taking to help ensure that community and school cadet expansion plans (a) do not conflict and (b) maximise (i) coverage and (ii) the use of resources. (60555)
- 247 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what progress his Department has made on using drone technology. (60442)
- 248 **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what support is available for veterans transitioning out of the armed forces in (a) Fylde and (b) Lancashire. (60646)
- 249 **Laurence Turner** (Birmingham Northfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of introducing a salary sacrifice car scheme for armed forces personnel. (60744)
- 250 **Mike Wood** (Kingswinford and South Staffordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much was billed by his Department to the Cabinet Office to reimburse the costs of providing fixed-wing air transport to the Prime Minister for domestic flights on aircraft registered under the marks (a) G-ZABH and (b) G-ZAHS since 4 July 2024. (60494)
- 251 **Mike Wood** (Kingswinford and South Staffordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what his Department's planned timeline was for media engagement on the release of the Strategic Defence Review 2025. (60495)
- 252 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, for which roles his Department has considered using non-deterministic AI systems; and what mechanisms he plans to put in place to (a) monitor and (b) mitigate associated risks. (60623)

- 253 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of non-deterministic AI behaviour on the validity of (a) training simulations and (b) operational planning exercises. (60627)
- 254 **Martin Wrigley** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps he is taking to ensure that AI-generated intelligence products are (a) reproducible, (b) trusted and (c) secure. (60639)
- 255 **Gideon Amos** (Taunton and Wellington): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether she plans to bring sections (a) 143 and (b) 144 of the Building Safety Act into force in the current parliament. (60770)
- 256 **Callum Anderson** (Buckingham and Bletchley): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of new Infrastructure Levy rules on (a) housing delivery and (b) developer contributions in high-growth areas. (60751)
- 257 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, with reference to Planning Inspectorate case number APP/M1900/W/24/3346607, what her planned timetable is for determining the appeal by Brett Aggregates Limited to develop a quarry at the site of the former Hatfield Aerodrome. (60644)
- 258 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether the Government plans to increase the purchase limit for properties outside of London when using a Help to Buy ISA. (60654)
- 259 **Sarah Gibson** (Chippenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what funding her Department provides to support SMEs in the construction sector to adopt circular design and reuse practices. (60717)
- 260 **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, with reference to the document entitled MHCLG: spending over £25,000, March 2025, published on 28 April 2025, what consultancy services were commissioned from CFE Research and Consulting Ltd. (60483)
- 261 **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what status local designations have under the National Planning Policy Framework. (60484)
- 262 **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether she has had discussions with the Mayor of London on whether funding for green belt reviews will be used to review the use of Metropolitan Open Land. (60485)



- 263 **Clive Lewis** (Norwich South): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether her Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of setting a percentage target spend to be allocated to the VCSE sector in future guidance to (a) mayors and (b) unitary authorities. (60525)
- 264 **John McDonnell** (Hayes and Harlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what additional resources she is making available to support councils with (a) asylum dispersal and (b) homelessness. (60409)
- 265 **John McDonnell** (Hayes and Harlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether she plans to introduce emergency accommodation schemes for the transition from hotel accommodation for asylum seekers that have been granted status. (60410)
- 266 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether local elections will take place in Essex in 2026. (60731)
- 267 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, when local elections will take place in Essex. (60734)
- 268 **Helen Morgan** (North Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether she has informed Locality that the Government will not be commissioning new neighbourhood planning support services in the current financial year. (60597)
- 269 **Helen Morgan** (North Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what support her Department plans to provide local authorities for the examination of neighbourhood plans. (60598)
- 270 **Helen Morgan** (North Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps she has taken to inform local authorities of changes to (a) neighbourhood planning support and (b) associated funding. (60599)
- 271 **Helen Morgan** (North Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps she is taking to ensure that (a) local communities and (b) town and parish councils can shape development and growth in their local areas. (60600)
- 272 **Wendy Morton** (Aldridge-Brownhills): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what discussions she has had with UK brick manufacturers on meeting the demand for new homes. (60503)
- 273 **James Naish** (Rushcliffe): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what her planned timetable is for (a) completing the review of the Disabled Facilities Grant allocations formula, (b) publishing the findings of that review and (c) implementing any revised formula. (60609)



- 274 **James Naish** (Rushcliffe): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, in what month in 2025 her Department plans to publish its consultation on a new Disabled Facilities Grant allocations formula; and if she will make it her policy to publish the outcome of that consultation before 31 March 2026. (60610)
- 275 **James Naish** (Rushcliffe): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether hon. Members will be able to give evidence to her Department's review of the Disabled Facilities Grant allocations formula. (60611)
- 276 **James Naish** (Rushcliffe): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps her Department plans to take to consult with local authorities on the development of a revised Disabled Facilities Grant allocations formula. (60612)
- 277 **Dr Al Pinkerton** (Surrey Heath): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether her Department plans to review the guidance on the display of flags to ensure it remains aligned with (a) current practices and (b) community expectations. (60728)
- 278 **Steve Race** (Exeter): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps she is taking to help tackle youth homelessness. (60575)
- 279 **Joe Robertson** (Isle of Wight East): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, pursuant to the Answer of 11 June 2025 to Question 57180 on Ministry of Housing, Communities and Local Government: Internet, if she will publish her Department's Acceptable Use policy. (60680)
- 280 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what progress her Department has made on reaching housing targets. (60444)
- 281 **Vikki Slade** (Mid Dorset and North Poole): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether she plans to include youth homelessness in the cross-government homelessness strategy. (60668)
- 282 **Gregory Stafford** (Farnham and Bordon): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of financial requirements for standing in mayoral elections on the (a) accessibility and (b) diversity of candidates. (60707)
- 283 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what recent assessment she has made of the safety of judges. (60520)
- 284 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if she will review the Guide to Judicial Conduct. (60521)

- 285 **Vikki Slade** (Mid Dorset and North Poole): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what steps her Department is taking to review the system for bereavement damages. (60667)
- 286 **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many prosecutions related to illegal immigration have been initiated in Fylde constituency in the past year. (60632)
- 287 **John Lamont** (Berwickshire, Roxburgh and Selkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Scotland, what discussions he has had with the Scottish government on the new commission into grooming gangs and child exploitation. (60544)
- 288 **Callum Anderson** (Buckingham and Bletchley): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether her Department has made an assessment of the potential impact of increasing the Public Works Loan Board lending cap on local authority investment strategies. (60750)
- 289 **Dr Scott Arthur** (Edinburgh South West): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps she is taking with Cabinet colleagues to ensure that rail fares are affordable. (60703)
- 290N **Shaun Davies** (Telford): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many households stopped receiving child benefit following the introduction of (a) the two child benefit cap and (b) means testing in (i) Telford constituency, (ii) the West Midlands and (iii) England. [Transferred] (60173)
- 291 **Anna Gelderd** (South East Cornwall): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether she has considered reforming Schedule 8 of the Value Added Tax Act 1994 to help increase levels of support for small businesses selling disability and assistive technology products online. (60785)
- 292 **Anna Gelderd** (South East Cornwall): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if she will take steps to require e-commerce platforms and payment-service providers operating in the UK to comply with UK VAT law. (60786)
- 293 **Sarah Gibson** (Chippenham): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment her Department has made of the adequacy of (a) funding and (b) resourcing for the Financial Conduct Authority for effective regulation of the cryptoasset sector. (60725)
- 294 **Sarah Gibson** (Chippenham): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what recent steps her Department has taken to strengthen consumer protection in relation to investments in unbacked cryptocurrencies. (60726)
- 295 **Sarah Gibson** (Chippenham): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what data her Department holds on the number of UK-based firms registered with the Financial Conduct Authority to provide cryptoasset services. (60729)

- 296 **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether she had discussions with the Chinese Government on the proposed Chinese Embassy at the Royal Mint (a) at the 11th round of China-UK Economic and Financial Dialogue and (b) on any other occasion. (60486)
- 297 **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what guidance she has issued to local authorities on Anti-Money Laundering checks in relation to (a) working with and (b) loaning funds to developers. (60497)
- 298 **Mr Angus MacDonald** (Inverness, Skye and West Ross-shire): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether her Department has made an assessment of the adequacy of the independence of the Independent Review of the Loan Charge Scandal. (60696)
- 299 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what comparative assessment she has made of the adequacy of the amount of funding available for (a) diplomacy in the Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office and (b) defence in the Ministry of Defence. (60522)
- 300 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what fiscal criteria she is using to determine when overseas development funding can be restored to previous levels. (60523)
- 301 **Wendy Morton** (Aldridge-Brownhills): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether she has made an assessment of the potential merits of introducing government-backed insurance guarantees or reinsurance schemes to enable private insurers to underwrite commercial activity in Ukraine. (60455)
- 302 **Luke Murphy** (Basingstoke): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to the consultation entitled Boiler Upgrade Scheme and certification requirements for clean heat schemes, published on 30 April 2025, whether her Department plans to update the list of Energy Saving Materials to include heat batteries for space heating. (60674)
- 303 **James Naish** (Rushcliffe): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what discussions her Department has had with the Department of Health and Social Care on funding for the delivery of the recommendations in the Hughes Report, published on 7 February 2024. (60643)
- 304 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, pursuant to the Answer of 9 June 2025 to Question 54690 on Tobacco: Excise Duties, whether her Department has undertaken analysis on the reasons for the 10% fall in tobacco duty receipts. (60427)
- 305 **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what fiscal steps her Department is taking to support seasonal businesses in Fylde constituency. (60572)

- 306 **Euan Stainbank** (Falkirk): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether the £200m allocation to Grangemouth from the National Wealth Fund is restricted for investment proposals contained fully or partially within the boundaries of the Grangemouth oil refinery. (60578)
- 307 **Cameron Thomas** (Tewkesbury): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps her Department is taking to support the (a) hospitality and (b) pub sector in rural areas. (60778)
- 308 **Cameron Thomas** (Tewkesbury): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps she is taking to incentivise young people to take up farming. (60779)
- 309 **Mike Wood** (Kingswinford and South Staffordshire): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, (a) how many and (b) what value of (i) donations and (ii) bequests have been made to the Donations and Bequests Account since 4 July 2024. (60492)
- 310 **Mike Wood** (Kingswinford and South Staffordshire): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, (a) how many and (b) what value of (i) donations and (ii) bequests have been made to the donations in general towards public expenditure fund since 4 July 2024. (60493)
- 311 **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, with reference to the press notice entitled New steering group to champion disabled people in elected office, published on 9 June 2025, how the members of the working group from political parties were selected; and whether political parties were consulted in the selection process. (60481)

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## Questions for Answer on Friday 20 June

### Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what services are provided to the Deputy Prime Minister without charge in relation to her official residence. (60479)
- 2N **Matt Vickers** (Stockton West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what assessment his Department has made of the potential impact of the quantity of ethanol permitted to enter the UK tariff-free under the UK-US trade agreement on the UK bioethanol industry; and what steps his Department plans to take to help support domestic (a) producers and (b) supply chains. (60580)
- 3N **Matt Vickers** (Stockton West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what assessment his Department has made of the potential impact of increased tariff-free imports of ethanol under the US-UK trade agreement on (a) the viability of (i) Ensus UK and (ii) other domestic producers, (b) wider supply chains, (c) employment and (d) levels of future investment in (A) the Tees Valley and (B) other affected regions. (60581)

- 4N **Steve Darling** (Torbay): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, when she plans to answer Question 58706, tabled on 10 June 2025. (60626)
- 5N **Mr Richard Holden** (Basildon and Billericay): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps she is taking to ensure that schools are informed when a pupil's parent is sent to prison. (60540)
- 6N **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment her Department has made of the adequacy of the provision of financial education in schools in Fylde constituency. (60588)
- 7N **Mike Wood** (Kingswinford and South Staffordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to the UK-EU Summit - Common Understanding of 19 May 2025, what changes she plans to make to the university home fee status of students of EU/EEA nationality studying in (a) England, (b) Wales, (c) Scotland and (d) Northern Ireland; and what changes she plans to make to the fee status of previously overseas British citizens who intend to study in the United Kingdom. (60489)
- 8N **Sir Desmond Swayne** (New Forest West): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, pursuant to the Answer of 13 June 2025 to Question 58548 on Insulation: Housing, if he will hold discussions with mortgage providers on the provision of advances for properties with timber roofs insulated with sprayed foam. (60407)
- 9N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether he plans to announce a replacement to the Sustainable Farming Incentive programme by 22 July 2025. (60425)
- 10N **Jim Dickson** (Dartford): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what data his Department holds on the number of households whose water billing is decided by the Assessed Household Charge in Dartford. (60739)
- 11N **Ruth Jones** (Newport West and Islwyn): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what plans his Department has to include the (a) Chartered Society of Physiotherapy and (b) Association of Chartered Physiotherapists in Animal Therapy in its planned review of the Veterinary Surgeons Act 1966. (60573)
- 12N **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he is taking with relevant authorities to prevent heat-related deaths of household pets in (a) Fylde constituency and (b) Lancashire. (60562)
- 13N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, pursuant to the Answer of 16 June 2025 to Question 58921 on Innovate UK: Northern Ireland, how Innovate UK's regional support advisors in Northern Ireland promote the availability of Innovation Funding Services in Northern Ireland to small firms that previously had no contact with Innovate UK. (60422)

- 14N **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central and West): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, if he will make an assessment of the potential impact of the targeting of Iranian scientists by the IDF on British (a) science and (b) scientists. (60439)
- 15N **Steve Darling** (Torbay): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether she made an assessment of the potential merits of funding the South West Rail Resilience Programme Phase 5 at Dawlish during the Spending Review 2025. (60537)
- 16N **Mr Paul Kohler** (Wimbledon): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment the Car Insurance Taskforce made of the potential impact of fraudulent insurance claims made by people who stage road traffic collisions to gain compensation on levels of car insurance premiums. (60708)
- 17N **Priti Patel** (Witham): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to the Written Statement of 17 June 2025 on Dart Charge, HCWS708, what estimate she has made of the additional revenues from the increase in charges in each of the next seven financial years, commencing with 2025/26. (60434)
- 18N **Priti Patel** (Witham): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to the Written Statement of 17 June 2025 on Dart Charge, HCWS708, what were the total revenues from Dart Charge in (a) 2022/23, (b) 2023/24, and (c) 2024/25; and if she will estimate the total revenues from Dart Charge in each of the next seven financial years, commencing with 2025/26. (60435)
- 19N **Priti Patel** (Witham): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to the Written Ministerial Statement of 17 June 2025 on Dart Charge, HCWS708, what estimate she has made of the number of vehicles using the Dartford to Thurrock Crossing in (a) 2022-23, (b) 2023-24, (c) 2024-25, (d) 2025-26, (e) 2026-27 and (f) each of the next five years. (60436)
- 20N **Dr Ben Spencer** (Runnymede and Weybridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if she will make an assessment of the potential impact of level crossings on the economy, broken down by (a) region and (b) the UK's GDP. (60565)
- 21N **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps she is taking to improve pension replacement rates. (60605)
- 22N **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what comparative assessment she has made of the adequacy of pension replacement rates in (a) the UK and (b) other Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development countries. (60607)
- 23N **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many people in receipt of Personal Independent Payments in England scored in aggregate 8-11 points for the daily living elements but did not score more than four in any single criteria in the most recent reporting year. (60508)



- 24N **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many people in receipt of Personal Independent Payments in the Dulwich and West Norwood constituency scored in aggregate 8-11 points for the daily living elements but did not score more than four in any single criteria in the most recent reporting year. (60634)
- 25N **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many people in receipt of Personal Independent Payments in England scored more than 12 points for the daily living elements but did not score more than four in any single criteria in the most recent reporting year. (60635)
- 26N **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many people in receipt of Personal Independent Payments in the Dulwich and West Norwood Constituency scored more than 12 points for the daily living elements but did not score more than four in any single criteria in the most recent reporting year. (60636)
- 27N **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many people in receipt of Personal Independent Payment in England scored (a) 8-11, (b) 12-15, (c) 15-18, (d) 18-21 and (e) more than 21 points for the daily living elements but did not score more than four in any single criteria in the most recent reporting year. (60637)
- 28N **Mr Richard Holden** (Basildon and Billericay): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many and what proportion of people aged (a) between 16 and 24 and (b) over 16 are unemployed in Basildon and Billericay constituency; and how many and what proportion were unemployed in June 2024. (60543)
- 29N **Seamus Logan** (Aberdeenshire North and Moray East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if she will issue guidance on how disabled people can maintain their national insurance contributions needed to qualify for full state pension if (a) their household income is above the Universal Credit threshold due to a partner's income and (b) they can only claim the replacement for new style Employment and Support Allowance for 6-12 months. (60713)
- 30N **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment has he made of the potential impact of the closure of 83 beds at St George's Hospital on patients. (60559)
- 31N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 7 May 2025 to Question 48852 on Diabetes, what his planned timetable is for responding to the (a) research and (b) other recommendations made in the position statement by the Scientific Advisory Committee on Nutrition on the on the World Health Organization's guideline on Non Sugar Sweeteners. (60424)



- 32N **Jim Dickson** (Dartford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to prohibit the free distribution of nicotine vapes to children. (60761)
- 33N **Jim Dickson** (Dartford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the Tobacco and Vapes Bill, what his Department's planned timetable is for bringing forward legislative proposals to introduce new regulations to help reduce the appeal of vapes to children. (60764)
- 34N **Jim Dickson** (Dartford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when age of sale restrictions will be brought into force for nicotine pouches. (60765)
- 35N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what guidance his Department has issued to the NHS on retention of newly qualified physiotherapists. (60509)
- 36N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate his Department has made of the number of NHS Trusts with recruitment freezes for (a) physiotherapists and (b) physiotherapy support workers on 17 June 2025. (60510)
- 37N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what discussions he has had with NHS Trusts on ensuring that community rehabilitation is offered as a viable alternative to (a) medicine and (b) surgery. (60511)
- 38N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an assessment of the potential implications for his policies on neighbourhood health of the York Frailty Hub. (60512)
- 39N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential implications for his policies on community mental health services of the Trieste Model of mental health care. (60513)
- 40N **Layla Moran** (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of updating the existing regulations on (a) composition, (b) marketing and (c) labelling of commercial infant and toddler foods. (60579)
- 41N **Sir Desmond Swayne** (New Forest West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure the provision of Estradot for women who react poorly to other HRT treatments. (60408)
- 42N **Mike Wood** (Kingswinford and South Staffordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate he has made of the amount the NHS spends on drugs imported from the US. (60488)

- 43N **Siân Berry** (Brighton Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if he will make it his policy to provide British citizens in Tehran with the necessary authorisation to allow them to be evacuated via third countries in the region. (60793)
- 44N **Wendy Morton** (Aldridge-Brownhills): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, pursuant to the Answer to 46739 of 6 May 2025 on Sudan: Armed Conflict, when he plans to write to the hon. Member for Aldridge-Brownhills about the cost of the London Sudan conference 2025. (60458)
- 45N **Wendy Morton** (Aldridge-Brownhills): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 11 June 2025 to Question 53875 on Sudan: Food Aid, how much funding will be allocated to Sudan in the 2025-26 financial year, in the context of the Spending Review 2025, published 11 June 2025. (60459)
- 46N **Wendy Morton** (Aldridge-Brownhills): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to the Minister's oral contribution during the debate on Gavi and the Global Fund of 15 May 2025, Official Report, column 203WH, when he will write to me on the potential use of the International Finance Facility for Immunisation. (60460)
- 47N **Wendy Morton** (Aldridge-Brownhills): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to the Minister's oral contribution during the debate on Gavi and the Global Fund of 15 May 2025, Official Report, column 203WH, when he will provide a detailed breakdown of the level of UK aid reaching Gaza. (60461)
- 48N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether she plans to purchase (a) tower blocks and (b) former student accommodation to house asylum seekers in Northern Ireland. (60413)
- 49N **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 6 June 2025 to Question HL7763 on Asylum: Housing, whether such hotel figures include housing in former communal accommodation. (60470)
- 50N **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 5 June 2025 to Question 53973 on Defending Democracy Taskforce, if she will publish the conclusions of the review into harassment and intimidation. (60476)
- 51N **Mr Paul Kohler** (Wimbledon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what estimate her Department has made of the number of fraudulent insurance claims that have been made by people who stage road traffic collisions to gain compensation there have been in the last 12 months. (60706)

- 52N **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether (a) current and (b) former (i) civil servants and (ii) politicians will be required to give evidence to the grooming gangs inquiry; what steps her Department is taking to ensure accountability of public officials involved in the handling of grooming gang cases; and whether public officials found to have engaged in wrongdoing will be liable to prosecution. (60753)
- 53N **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether she plans to proscribe Palestine Action. (60558)
- 54N **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, where she plans to relocate irregular migrants living in hotels in Lancashire by 2029. (60613)
- 55N **Mr Andrew Snowden** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether the level of financial support available to irregular migrants will change following the ending of the use of hotels in 2029. (60614)
- 56N **Mr Mark Francois** (Rayleigh and Wickford): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, for what reason his Department has advised senior military officers not to speak on the record at events where a Minister is present; and if he will make an assessment of the potential impact of that guidance on (a) levels of transparency and (b) public awareness of the vision of the armed forces for the future, in the context of the Spending Review 2025. (60433)
- 57N **Helen Morgan** (North Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many homes occupied by families from (a) RAF Shawbury, (b) RAF Cosford and (c) Clive Barracks do not have up to date gas safety certificates. (60547)
- 58N **Helen Morgan** (North Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many homes occupied by families from (a) RAF Shawbury, (b) RAF Cosford and (c) Clive Barracks do not have up to date electrical safety certificates. (60548)
- 59N **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the scope is of Project Grayburn; and what requirements were laid out to the defence industry on the core characteristics of the next-generation individual weapon to replace the SA80 family of rifles. (60554)
- 60N **Ben Obese-Jecty** (Huntingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many new cadet detachments in (a) schools and (b) communities he plans to create through the Cadet Expansion Programme in the 2025-26 financial year. (60556)
- 61N **David Taylor** (Hemel Hempstead): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of transferring surplus warrior infantry fighting vehicles (a) awaiting disposal or (b) due to be decommissioned by 2030 to Ukraine. (60733)

- 62N **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, with reference to the transparency data entitled MHCLG: spending over £25,000, April 2025, published on 30 May 2025, if she will publish the research commissioned from the Greater London Authority. (60469)
- 63N **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, with reference to the document entitled MHCLG: spending over £25,000, March 2025, published on 28 April 2025, what consultancy services were commissioned from UBDS IT Consulting Limited. (60482)
- 64N **Helen Morgan** (North Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, pursuant to the Answer of 16 June 2025 to Question 58289 on Planning: Bank Services and Postal Services, what steps her Department is taking to ensure that local planning authorities consistently apply National Planning Policy Framework guidance relating to access to (a) banking and (b) postal services. (60549)
- 65N **Helen Morgan** (North Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, pursuant to the Answer of 16 June 2025 to Question 58289 on Planning: Bank Services and Postal Services, how her Department monitors whether planning decisions have adequately protected access to (a) banking and (b) post offices in rural communities. (60550)
- 66N **Helen Morgan** (North Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, pursuant to Answer of 16 June 2025 to Question 58289 on Planning: Bank Services and Postal Services, what data her Department holds on the accessibility to banking and postal services in planning applications approved in each of the last five years. (60551)
- 67N **Josh Babarinde** (Eastbourne): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many courts and tribunals have been closed since 2015. (60655)
- 68N **Dr Ben Spencer** (Runnymede and Weybridge): To ask the Prime Minister, whether he uses large language model software to help in drafting his social media posts. (60552)
- 69N **Seamus Logan** (Aberdeenshire North and Moray East): To ask the Secretary of State for Scotland, what estimate he has made of the potential impact of proposed reductions in Personal Independence Payment on Scotland's Block Grant. (60709)
- 70N **Seamus Logan** (Aberdeenshire North and Moray East): To ask the Secretary of State for Scotland, what estimate he has made of the potential impact of the reduction in spend on Carers Allowance on Scotland's Block Grant. (60710)
- 71N **Seamus Logan** (Aberdeenshire North and Moray East): To ask the Secretary of State for Scotland, what discussions he has had with the Scottish Cabinet Secretary for Social Justice to ensure that changes for claimants who depend on both reserved and devolved social security are understood. (60711)

- 72N **Seamus Logan** (Aberdeenshire North and Moray East): To ask the Secretary of State for Scotland, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of the proposed disability benefit reforms on claimants in Scotland. (60712)
- 73N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to the Spending Review, published on 11 June 2025, whether the funding allocated to Casement Park is a (a) grant or (b) loan; whether a payment will be made to the (i) Gaelic Athletic Association or any body associated it or (ii) the Northern Ireland Executive or any Department associated with it; and whether the UK Government will require any subsequent repayments or returned profits from activities at the Stadium when completed. (60423)

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## Questions for Answer on Monday 23 June

### Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Mr Peter Bedford** (Mid Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what information her Department holds on the annual cost of free bus passes for people over the State Pension age. (60737)
- 2N **Manuela Perteghella** (Stratford-on-Avon): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if she will take steps to extend the consultation entitled Pathways to Work: Reforming Benefits and Support to Get Britain Working Green Paper, published on 18 March 2025, for disabled people. (60693)
- 3N **Vikki Slade** (Mid Dorset and North Poole): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of the housing benefit taper rate on young people in supported housing who increase working hours. (60669)
- 4N **Mr Peter Bedford** (Mid Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the cost to the public purse is for free prescriptions for people over the age of 60. (60738)
- 5N **Mr Mark Francois** (Rayleigh and Wickford): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether any journalists have been invited to (a) attend and (b) observe activities relating to the Ajax armoured vehicle programme since 1 February 2025. (60432)
- 6N **Vikki Slade** (Mid Dorset and North Poole): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps she is taking to support local authorities in receipt of exceptional financial support to resolve funding issues in the long term. (60682)
- 7N **Vikki Slade** (Mid Dorset and North Poole): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps she is taking to help local authorities with the costs for the provision of temporary accommodation. (60683)

- 8N **Vikki Slade** (Mid Dorset and North Poole): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, with reference to the Spending Review 2025, published on 11 June 2025, which local authorities will be allocated additional funding for the Affordable Homes Programme; and how much each of those local authorities will receive. (60684)
- 9N **Robin Swann** (South Antrim): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, for what reason he rejected the Electoral Commission of Northern Ireland's request to separate the next scheduled local government and Assembly elections. (60790)

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### Oral Questions to the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions

- 1 **Mr Luke Charters** (York Outer): What steps she is taking with Cabinet colleagues to tackle fraud in the welfare system by organised criminal groups. (904733)
- 2 **Gregor Poynton** (Livingston): What steps she is taking to reduce the number of children in poverty in Livingston constituency. (904734)
- 3 **Julia Lopez** (Hornchurch and Upminster): What assessment she has made of the potential implications for her policies of recent trends in the level of unemployment. (904735)
- 4 **Adam Jogee** (Newcastle-under-Lyme): What assessment she has made of the adequacy of the support provided by her Department to help disabled people into work. (904736)
- 5 **Alex McIntyre** (Gloucester): What steps she is taking to reduce the number of children in poverty in Gloucester. (904737)
- 6 **Victoria Collins** (Harpenden and Berkhamsted): What assessment she has made of the adequacy of the Personal Independence Payment application process. (904738)
- 7 **Josh Simons** (Makerfield): What steps she is taking to support people on Universal Credit into work. (904739)
- 8 **Sarah Green** (Chesham and Amersham): What steps her Department is taking to help prevent the use of the child maintenance system to facilitate economic abuse. (904740)
- 9 **Anna Gelderd** (South East Cornwall): Whether she is taking steps with Cabinet colleagues to help support climate and nature targets through her Department's pensions policies. [R] (904741)
- 10 **Katrina Murray** (Cumbernauld and Kirkintilloch): What steps she is taking to support people on Universal Credit into work. (904742)
- 11 **Yasmin Qureshi** (Bolton South and Walkden): What recent assessment she has made of the effectiveness of the Personal Independence Payment assessment process. (904743)
- 12 **Imran Hussain** (Bradford East): What steps her Department is taking to tackle child poverty in Bradford East constituency. (904744)



- 13 **Helen Maguire** (Epsom and Ewell): What assessment she has made of the potential impact of the Personal Independence Payment on the ability of disabled people to work. (904745)
- 14 **Charlotte Cane** (Ely and East Cambridgeshire): What assessment she has made of the adequacy of the Personal Independence Payment application process. (904746)
- 15 **Dr Simon Opher** (Stroud): What assessment she has made of the potential impact of the Child Poverty Taskforce on levels of child poverty in Stroud. (904747)
- 16 **Sir Ashley Fox** (Bridgwater): What assessment she has made of the potential implications for her policies of recent trends in the level of unemployment. (904748)
- 17 **Sir Julian Smith** (Skipton and Ripon): What steps she is taking to encourage people who are out of work to accept jobs that they are offered. (904749)
- 18 **Tom Rutland** (East Worthing and Shoreham): What steps she is taking to support severely disabled people who will never be able to work in East Worthing and Shoreham constituency. (904750)
- 19 **David Taylor** (Hemel Hempstead): What steps she is taking to support young people into work in Hertfordshire. (904751)
- 20 **Carla Denyer** (Bristol Central): What assessment she has made of the potential impact of her Department's changes to the Personal Independence Payment on local authorities. (904752)
- 21 **Fred Thomas** (Plymouth Moor View): What assessment her Department has made of the adequacy of the level of Maternity Allowance. (904753)
- 22 **Luke Akehurst** (North Durham): What assessment she has made of the potential impact of the Child Poverty Taskforce on levels of child poverty in North Durham constituency. (904754)
- 23 **Mr Will Forster** (Woking): What assessment her Department has made of the potential merits of removing the two-child benefit cap. (904755)
- 24 **Caroline Voaden** (South Devon): What steps she is taking to reduce call waiting times for her Department's helplines. (904756)
- 25 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West and Islwyn): What steps she is taking to increase public awareness of her Department's employment support programmes. (904757)

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### Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions

- T1 **Callum Anderson** (Buckingham and Bletchley): If she will make a statement on her departmental responsibilities. (904758)
- T2 **Graeme Downie** (Dunfermline and Dollar): (904759)

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T3	<b>Jim Dickson</b> (Dartford):	(904760)
T4	<b>Edward Morello</b> (West Dorset):	(904761)
T5	<b>Josh MacAlister</b> (Whitehaven and Workington):	(904762)
T6	<b>Andrew Rosindell</b> (Romford):	(904763)
T7	<b>Victoria Collins</b> (Harpenden and Berkhamsted):	(904764)
T8	<b>Rachael Maskell</b> (York Central):	(904765)
T9	<b>Jack Rankin</b> (Windsor):	(904766)
T10	<b>David Taylor</b> (Hemel Hempstead):	(904767)

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## Questions for Answer on Tuesday 24 June

### Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Vikki Slade** (Mid Dorset and North Poole): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what discussions the Office for National Statistics has had with local government stakeholders on the 2031 census. (60662)
- 2N **Mr Peter Bedford** (Mid Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much her Department spent on in-person surveys conducted by external polling companies in (a) 2023, (b) 2024 and (c) 2025 to date. (60681)
- 3N **Mr Peter Bedford** (Mid Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if she plans to review the governance of the Sentencing Council. (60794)
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## Questions for Answer on Thursday 26 June

### Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Dame Harriett Baldwin** (West Worcestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much Local Transport Grant funding has been allocated to Worcestershire in each year of the Spending Review 2025. (60437)
- 2N **Dame Harriett Baldwin** (West Worcestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much of the £209 million of reallocated HS2 Funding for Better Local Transport was allocated to Worcestershire for each of the seven years following the announcement. (60438)