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Questions tabled on Wednesday 11 November 2020

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Questions for Answer on Thursday 12 November

Questions for Written Answer

- 1 **Dr Dan Poulter** (Central Suffolk and North Ipswich): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether all deaths recorded within 28 days of a positive Polymerase Chain Reaction test are recorded as covid-19 related regardless of the cause of death. [Transferred] (113531)
- 2 **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that customers are refunded the whole ticket price, including the booking fee, for live events that have been cancelled as a result of the covid-19 outbreak. [Transferred] (113550)
- 3 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, when he plans to respond to the National Food Strategy Part One report published on 20 July 2020. [Transferred] (113646)
- 4 **Selaine Saxby** (North Devon): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of supporting producers of plastic-free sanitary products to reduce their environmental impact. [Transferred] (113687)
- 5 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent discussions his Department has had with the aviation sector on the effect of the second national covid-19 lockdown on that sector. [Transferred] (113570)

- 6N **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether professional photographers can continue to operate their businesses during the November 2020 covid-19 lockdown in England by performing work (a) outdoors, (b) indoors in a socially distanced way with (i) individuals, (ii) a single household and (iii) people in a bubble and (c) with businesses (A) inside and (B) outside that are allowed to remain open in a covid-secure way. [Transferred] (113230)
- 7 **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will provide funding from the public purse for (a) a one-off bonus and (b) an annual pay increase to health care workers in recognition of their efforts in responding to the covid-19 outbreak. [Transferred] (113498)
- 8N **Martyn Day** (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 23 October 2020 to Question 106362 on Overseas Aid, how many projects delivered through the Integrated Activity Fund (a) were and (b) were not subject to an Overseas Security and Justice Assistance assessment in each of the financial years (i) 2016-17 and (ii) 2017-18. [Transferred] (113154)
- 9N **Martyn Day** (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 27 October 2020 to Question 106366 on Overseas Aid, how many projects were solely delivered in (a) Bahrain, (b) Saudi Arabia, (c) Kuwait, (d) UAE (e) Oman and (f) Qatar under the Integrated Activity Fund for the financial year 2017-18. [Transferred] (113155)
- 10N **Martyn Day** (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 9 November 2020 to Question 106364 on Overseas Aid: Gulf States, how many projects were applied for by his Department under the Integrated Activity Fund in the financial years (a) 2016-17, (b) 2017-18, (c) 2018-19 and (d) 2019-20; and what the (i) allocated budget and (ii) actual spending was for each of those projects in each of those financial years. [Transferred] (113156)
- 11 **Royston Smith** (Southampton, Itchen): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the effectiveness of a waking watch in tackling fire safety in high-rise residential buildings. [Transferred] (113600)
- 12 **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, to what extent were religious leaders involved in the Government's discussions on the closure of places of worship during the second covid-19 lockdown in England. [Transferred] (113497)
- 13 **Kim Johnson** (Liverpool, Riverside): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of providing financial assistance to (a) freelancers, (b) small company directors, and (c) people who mix self-employment with employment who have been ineligible for financial support since the start of the covid-19 outbreak. [Transferred] (113680)

Questions for Answer on Monday 16 November

Questions for Written Answer

- 1 **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, if the Government will make an assessment of the potential merits of re-introducing Double Summer Time. (114108)
- 2N **Barbara Keeley** (Worsley and Eccles South): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, with reference to the Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (England) (No. 4) Regulations 2020, if he will publish the scientific advice on the effect of closing (a) nail and beauty salons, (b) hair salons and (c) barbers on the transmission of covid-19. (114127)
- 3 **Christian Matheson** (City of Chester): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, pursuant to his Answer of 3 November 2020 to Question 102103, what mechanism was used to invite expressions of interest for the vacant position of Cabinet Secretary. (114223)
- 4N **Beth Winter** (Cynon Valley): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what assessment he has made of (a) value for money and (b) supplier performance for each Government contract issued in response to the covid-19 outbreak. (114344)
- 5N **Karen Bradley** (Staffordshire Moorlands): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether photography businesses specialising in pets can continue to operate during the November 2020 covid-19 lockdown provided that the business is conducted outdoors, with only the pet owner and the photographer present and ensuring social distancing is observed. (114153)
- 6N **Karen Bradley** (Staffordshire Moorlands): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps he has taken to ensure that warranties on the products of companies that become insolvent and then reopen are honoured. (114154)
- 7N **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if he will create a net zero test for all infrastructure policy and spending decisions. (114267)
- 8N **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if he will give a remit to infrastructure agencies to consider the (a) circular economy and (b) natural infrastructure. (114268)
- 9N **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, when he plans to publish the Infrastructure Strategy; and how he plans to ensure that infrastructure that is selected for investment aligns with the Government's net zero emissions targets. (114269)

- 10 **Sajid Javid** (Bromsgrove): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what support and information his Department has made available for small businesses which are considering establishing an online presence for the first time. (114136)
- 11 **Caroline Lucas** (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment he has made of the effect of the closure of IT repair shops under November 2020 covid-19 lockdown restrictions on the ability of people to work from home in line with Government guidelines; if he will make the safe re-opening of those businesses a priority; and if he will make a statement. (114134)
- 12N **Sarah Owen** (Luton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what recent assessment he has made of the contribution of the civil nuclear power sector to the UK's economy. [R] (114333)
- 13N **Sarah Owen** (Luton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps he is he taking to ensure that safe construction methods are followed at Hinkley Point C during the covid-19 outbreak. [R] (114334)
- 14N **Lucy Powell** (Manchester Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how much each local authority area will receive under the additional covid-19 restrictions support grant; and what the formula is for that allocation. (114197)
- 15 **Selaine Saxby** (North Devon): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what discussions his Department has held with the Department for Transport on the deployment of the Government's proposed funding for the purchase of 4,000 zero-emissions buses. (114347)
- 16 **Alex Sobel** (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of the providing renewable power to the UK through subsea cables from Saharan energy projects. (114308)
- 17 **Alex Sobel** (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of using international renewable energy projects to supply power directly to the UK. (114309)
- 18N **Jamie Stone** (Caithness, Sutherland and Easter Ross): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether his Department is being consulted as part of the Intellectual Property Office's consultation into the UK's future copyright exhaustion regime. [Transferred] (113621)
- 19N **Jamie Stone** (Caithness, Sutherland and Easter Ross): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether he has made representations to the Intellectual Property Office on the importance of a national copyright exhaustion regime to UK (a) authors and (b) publishers. [Transferred] (113622)

- 20N **Jamie Stone** (Caithness, Sutherland and Easter Ross): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment his Department has made of the potential effect of an international copyright exhaustion framework on the ability of UK rightsholders to enforce those rights. [Transferred] (113623)
- 21N **Jamie Stone** (Caithness, Sutherland and Easter Ross): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment he has made of the potential role of a national copyright exhaustion framework in underpinning the UK's (a) publishing industry and (b) other creative exports. [Transferred] (113624)
- 22N **Hywel Williams** (Arfon): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, for what reasons sports therapists' premises in England are required to close during the second national covid-19 lockdown while physiotherapists', chiropractors', osteopaths', sports rehabilitators' and podiatrists' premises are permitted to stay open during that lockdown. (114078)
- 23 **Mohammad Yasin** (Bedford): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, when he plans to publish the Infrastructure Strategy; and what steps he is taking to ensure that infrastructure priorities in that strategy are aligned with the UK's net zero emissions target. (114278)
- 24 **Mohammad Yasin** (Bedford): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if he will create a net-zero emissions test for all infrastructure policy and spending decisions. (114279)
- 25 **Mary Glendon** (North Tyneside): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment he has made of the role the coach travel sector can play in revitalising the UK tourism industry; and when he last met with representatives of the Confederation of Passenger Transport to discuss the revitalisation of the tourism industry. (114171)
- 26N **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what estimate he has made of the number of (a) elderly people and (b) people who are clinically extremely vulnerable to covid-19 who do not have access to (i) a smart phone and (ii) secure broadband; and what steps he is taking to reduce levels of digital exclusion among those groups. (114266)
- 27 **Sajid Javid** (Bromsgrove): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment he has made of the potential effect on the rate of transmission of covid-19 of the public health requirement that (a) golf courses and (b) tennis clubs must temporarily close during the November 2020 covid-19 lockdown in England. (114137)
- 28N **Andrea Leadsom** (South Northamptonshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment he has made of the potential effect of the removal of the VAT Retail Export Scheme on the number of overseas visitors to the UK. (114157)

- 29 **Holly Mumby-Croft** (Scunthorpe): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what the timescale is for the return of fans to football stadiums; and whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of providing additional financial support to lower-league English Football League clubs who have not spent huge sums on transfer fees in 2020. (114348)
- 30 **Tom Tugendhat** (Tonbridge and Malling): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what evidence there is on the transmission of covid-19 on golf courses. (114256)
- 31 **Tom Tugendhat** (Tonbridge and Malling): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what evidence there is on the transmission of covid-19 at swimming pools. (114257)
- 32 **Tom Tugendhat** (Tonbridge and Malling): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what evidence there is on the transmission of covid-19 on tennis courts. (114258)
- 33 **Dr Lisa Cameron** (East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps he is taking to ensure that education of children who have been told to shield for medical reasons is protected during the covid-19 outbreak. (114235)
- 34 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps he has taken to protect clinically vulnerable people who teach in schools from covid-19. (114303)
- 35N **Colleen Fletcher** (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much funding his Department has allocated to schools for building improvement programmes in (a) Coventry North East constituency and (b) Coventry in each year since 2010. (114205)
- 36N **Colleen Fletcher** (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many and what proportion of primary school pupils were in receipt of free school meals in (a) Coventry and (b) Coventry North East constituency in each year since 2010. (114206)
- 37 **Colleen Fletcher** (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much funding his Department has allocated to businesses in Coventry to support the recruitment of apprentices in each of the last 10 years. (114211)
- 38 **Mary Glendon** (North Tyneside): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what contingency plans he has in place to ensure that children who travel to school by coach can continue to do so in the event that some coach operators cease trading by April 2021 due to the covid-19 outbreak. (114168)
- 39N **Kate Green** (Stretford and Urmston): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what the selection criteria will be for pupils receiving tutoring under the National Tutoring Programme. (114158)

- 40N **Kate Green** (Stretford and Urmston): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if he will make it his policy to collect data on the number of pupils in elective home education. (114159)
- 41N **Kate Green** (Stretford and Urmston): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment he has made of effect on children's education attainment of elective home education. (114160)
- 42N **Kate Green** (Stretford and Urmston): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if he will take steps to ensure elective home education is limited to where it is in the child's best interests. (114161)
- 43 **Robert Halfon** (Harlow): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to his Department's guidance, Incentive payments for hiring a new apprentice, updated on 28 September 2020, what comparative assessment he has made of the effect of the incentive payments for hiring a new apprentice on the (a) number of apprentices hired and (b) timing of hiring decisions. (114144)
- 44 **Robert Halfon** (Harlow): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what plans his Department has to assess the efficacy of the incentive payments for hiring a new apprentice against a baseline hiring rate. (114145)
- 45N **Robert Halfon** (Harlow): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department is taking to minimise the (a) incidences and (b) effect of pupil exclusion from school. (114146)
- 46 **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if he will provide fiscal support for parents with childcare cost liabilities in the event that a family is required to self-isolate as a result of their child awaiting a covid-19 test. (114314)
- 47N **Mrs Emma Lewell-Buck** (South Shields): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many children are registered as having SEND; how many children with SEND are enrolled in schools; what information his Department holds on attendance rates of children with SEND. (114200)
- 48 **Rebecca Long Bailey** (Salford and Eccles): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if he make an assessment of the potential merits of cancelling the GCSE examinations due to take place in 2021 in response to Year 11 pupils potentially having been disadvantaged by the (a) mass disruption to pupils and teachers and (b) amount of school teaching time lost as a result of the covid-19 outbreak. (114221)
- 49 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what recent assessment his Department has made of the adequacy of provision of financial education at a primary education level; if he will make an assessment of the potential contribution of Talk Money Week to improving that provision; and if he will make a statement on the educational value of talking about money with children and young people. (114304)

- 50 **Tom Tugendhat** (Tonbridge and Malling): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what financial support he plans to make available exclusively to outdoor education and residential centres forced to close as a result of the covid-19 outbreak. (114255)
- 51 **Dr Lisa Cameron** (East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the environmental impact of HS2. (114225)
- 52 **Colleen Fletcher** (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what plans he has to increase access to veterinary care for animal owners on low incomes in (a) Coventry, (b) the West Midlands and (c) England. (114212)
- 53N **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what plans he has to support fresh flower sellers in the event that tariffs are applied to the flower industry after the transition period. (114196)
- 54 **Sir Mike Penning** (Hemel Hempstead): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 9 November 2020 to Question 109225, if he will bring forward legislative proposals to ban the import and sale of foie gras made by force-feeding after the transition period. (114089)
- 55 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what inter-country policy negotiations have taken place in advance of the November G20 meeting on tackling the root causes of the covid-19 pandemic; and if he will use that meeting to promote the benefits of a global ban on the trade of non-essential wildlife and wildlife products to help prevent a future zoonotic pandemic. (114321)
- 56 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, in the context of the covid-19 pandemic, what discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues on the potential role of the G20 meeting in November and COP15 and COP26 in 2021 in bringing forward proposals for a global ban in the trade of wild animals and wild animal products. (114322)
- 57 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will bring forward legislative proposals to ban the import and export of (a) wild animals and (b) wild animal products to help prevent a future zoonotic pandemic. (114323)
- 58 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will make it his policy to make representations to participants at the G20 meeting in November 2020 on creating an inter-country trade ban on legally imported (a) wildlife and (b) wildlife products during the covid-19 pandemic. (114324)

- 59 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether the UK Competent Authority will continue to have access to the EU-REACH dossiers, including data on chemical substances, after the 31 of December 2020; and what steps he has taken to ensure the availability of relevant data to support companies wishing to trade in chemicals with EU member states in the event that the transition period ends without the UK reached an agreement on future relations with the EU. (114325)
- 60 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the effects of UK-REACH implementation on UK businesses. (114326)
- 61 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what plans he has to issue further guidance to business on the changes to chemicals regulation after 31 December 2020. (114327)
- 62 **Daniel Zeichner** (Cambridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment the Government has made of the effect of recent covid-19 travel restrictions on the movement of goods from Denmark on (a) UK food supply chains and (b) pork supplies to the UK. (114217)
- 63 **Mhairi Black** (Paisley and Renfrewshire South): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, whether she plans to ratify the Convention on the International Sale of Goods 1980. (114241)
- 64N **Damian Collins** (Folkestone and Hythe): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what the effect is of the provisions in Article 8.84 of the UK-Japan Comprehensive Economic Partnership Agreement, prohibiting restrictions on cross-border data flows including personal data, on data protection in the UK. (114147)
- 65N **Damian Collins** (Folkestone and Hythe): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what effect Article 8.84 of the UK-Japan Comprehensive Economic Partnership Agreement, enabling the free flow of data, has on the UK's forthcoming adequacy decision for Japan to allow onward flows of data from Japan to their trade partners; and whether that decision will include the free flow of data from Japan to the US. (114148)
- 66N **Damian Collins** (Folkestone and Hythe): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what effect the UK-Japan Comprehensive Economic Partnership Agreement has on transfers of data to (a) the US and (b) other countries within the Asia Pacific Economic Co-operation Cross Border Privacy Rules System. (114149)
- 67N **Damian Collins** (Folkestone and Hythe): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, with reference to the footnote to Article 8.80 (5) of the UK-Japan Comprehensive Economic Partnership Agreement, what effect the

- acceptance of the Asia Pacific Economic Co-operation Cross Border Privacy Rules System under the UK-Japan Comprehensive Economic Partnership Agreement will have on adequacy arrangements with the EU. (114150)
- 68 **Andrew Griffith** (Arundel and South Downs): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what steps her Department has taken to help ensure that businesses in Sussex can benefit from the UK-Japan Comprehensive Economic Partnership Agreement. (114353)
- 69 **Andrew Griffith** (Arundel and South Downs): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what steps her Department has taken to ensure that (a) farmers and (b) food producers in Sussex can benefit from the UK-Japan Comprehensive Economic Partnership Agreement. (114354)
- 70 **Andrew Griffith** (Arundel and South Downs): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what steps her Department has taken to ensure that SMEs in Sussex can benefit from the UK-Japan Comprehensive Economic Partnership Agreement. (114355)
- 71 **Andrew Griffith** (Arundel and South Downs): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what recent assessment she has made of trends in the level of UK exports. (114356)
- 72 **Andrew Griffith** (Arundel and South Downs): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what comparative assessment she has made of the level of inward investment into (a) the UK and (b) other European countries. (114357)
- 73 **Alex Sobel** (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what support her Department provides to UK companies seeking to develop international renewable energy projects to provide energy to the UK. (114310)
- 74 **Alex Sobel** (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what steps she is taking to support UK businesses to develop energy projects in Morocco. (114311)
- 75 **Gareth Thomas** (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, when she plans to publish Annex 1 of the recently agreed UK-Japan trade deal. (114051)
- 76 **Gareth Thomas** (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, if she will allow Trade Unions to be a part of the Sectorial Trade Advisory Groups; and if she will make a statement. (114052)
- 77 **Gareth Thomas** (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, if she will publish the minutes of the inaugural meeting of the Trade Union Advisory Group. (114053)
- 78 **Gareth Thomas** (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what discussions she has had with members of the Trade Union Advisory Group on the terms of reference of the Trade Union Advisory Group. (114054)

- 79 **Gareth Thomas** (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, when she plans to publish an impact assessment of the UK's recently agreed trade deal with Kenya. (114055)
- 80 **Gareth Thomas** (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what discussions she had with representatives of trade unions as part of her Department's recent negotiations on the UK-Kenya trade deal; and if she will make a statement. (114056)
- 81 **Gareth Thomas** (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what assessment she has made of (a) the potential for the UK-Kenya trade deal to lead to different tariff arrangements in Kenya to other nations in the East Africa Community customs union and (b) the potential effect of that deal on regional integration and the achievement of the Sustainable Development Goals in East Africa; and if she will make a statement. (114057)
- 82 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what assessment the Government has made of the effect of Rules of Origin requirements on (a) the UK tobacco industry and (b) finished tobacco products imported into the UK from the EU from 1 January 2021, to support negotiations on the UK-EU Free Trade Agreement. (114090)
- 83 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what assessment the Government has made of the effect of the imposition of the UK global tariff on imports of tobacco products from the EU from 1 January 2021, where a Free Trade Agreement includes Rules of Origin requirements that require more than 10 per cent originating leaf. (114091)
- 84 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what assessment the Government has made of the effect on (a) the average prices, (b) consumption, and (c) tax revenues deriving from the sale of duty-paid tobacco products in the UK of the imposition of the UK global tariff on imports of finished tobacco products from 1 January 2021. (114092)
- 85 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what assessment the Government has made of the effect of the imposition of the UK global tariff on imports of finished tobacco products from 1 January 2021 on forecast levels of smuggling of tobacco products into the UK, including counterfeit products. (114093)
- 86 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, how many regional webinars the Trade and Agriculture Commission has held to date; which areas those events covered; and how many and what proportion of guests attending those events were members of staff from (a) her Department (b) other Government Departments and (c) external consultants. (114094)

- 87 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, whether she plans to publish (a) minutes or (b) transcripts of (i) previous and (ii) future meetings of the Trade and Agriculture Commission. (114095)
- 88N **Beth Winter** (Cynon Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what steps her Department is taking to ensure that the interests of the devolved administrations are adequately represented in UK trade negotiations. (114346)
- 89N **Adam Afriyie** (Windsor): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what progress his Department has made on a comprehensive private and public network of electric vehicle charging points across England and Wales. (114124)
- 90N **Adam Afriyie** (Windsor): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of the potential for private and public electric vehicle charging points to be hacked by cyber criminals or hostile foreign governments. (114125)
- 91N **Adam Afriyie** (Windsor): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what estimate he has made of the number of electric vehicle charging points that will have been installed by the end of 2021. (114126)
- 92 **Stuart Anderson** (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of the merits of Network Rail's proposal in the Traction Decarbonisation Network Strategy to electrify the Birmingham-Black Country-Shrewsbury route. (114328)
- 93N **Hilary Benn** (Leeds Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether lorries travelling into Kent from the rest of the UK but not travelling to EU countries will from 1 January 2021 have to register with the DVSA in order to demonstrate an exemption for a Kent Access Permit. (114061)
- 94N **Hilary Benn** (Leeds Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, when he plans to publish guidance for lorries travelling into Kent from the rest of the UK but not travelling to a country in the UK on how they can demonstrate from 1 January 2021 that they do not need to be in possession of a Kent Access Permit in order to enter the county of Kent. (114062)
- 95N **Hilary Benn** (Leeds Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what estimate he has made of the proportion of EU-registered lorries that have entered the UK in a seven day period to make deliveries that will require a Kent Access Permit because they are carrying return loads destined for the EU. (114063)
- 96N **Hilary Benn** (Leeds Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether EU-registered lorries that have entered the UK to make deliveries will require a Kent Access Permit for their return journey if they are empty. (114064)

- 97N **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 11 November 2020 to Question 111511, when he plans to publish the Transport Decarbonisation Plan; and what assessment he has made of the potential effect of that Plan on the planned review of the Clean Maritime Plan in 2022. (114162)
- 98N **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 11 November 2020 to Question 111511 on Merchant Shipping: Carbon Emissions, how much the Government is investing to support the transition to zero emission vessels in the UK shipping industry; and if he will include full details of that investment in the Transport Decarbonisation Plan. (114163)
- 99N **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to the Clean Maritime Plan, published 11 July 2019, whether his Department has made an estimate of the potential amount of (a) public and (b) private investment required to achieve the pathway to zero carbon emissions in the domestic maritime industry. (114164)
- 100N **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether his Department has made a recent assessment of the effect of the objectives of the Clean Maritime Plan, published in July 2019, on maritime employment levels in each year to 2035. (114165)
- 101N **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what plans he has to use the Renewable Transport Fuel Obligation to encourage the uptake of low carbon fuels in the shipping industry. (114166)
- 102N **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent assessment he has made of the risk to passengers of railway bridge crashes. (114297)
- 103N **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many railway bridges have undergone repairs as a result of a road vehicle crashing into the bridge in the last 12 months. (114298)
- 104N **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what the cost to the public purse has been of vehicle crashes into railway bridges in the last 12 months. (114299)
- 105N **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent steps he has taken to reduce the risk of vehicles crashing into railway bridges. (114300)
- 106N **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of the effect of vehicles crashing into railway bridges on passenger delays over the last five years. (114301)

- 107 **Colleen Fletcher** (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of trends in rail passenger usage of (a) Coventry station and (b) all stations in the West Midlands in the last five years; and what effect the covid-19 outbreak has had on rail passenger numbers at those stations. (114209)
- 108N **Gill Furniss** (Sheffield, Brightside and Hillsborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether he has plans to extend the eligibility for the English National Concessionary Travel Scheme to people under the age of 65 diagnosed with early-onset dementia. (114276)
- 109N **Mary Glendon** (North Tyneside): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, when he next plans to meet with representatives of the Confederation of Passenger Transport to discuss the issues facing the coach sector. (114170)
- 110N **Andrew Gwynne** (Denton and Reddish): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how much funding (a) Transport for London and (b) Transport for Greater Manchester has received from the Government for (i) capital projects and (ii) general operations in each of the last 10 years. (114087)
- 111N **Drew Hendry** (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what discussions his Department has had with the DVLA on ensuring people are not able to book tests that would require travelling from an area with a high level of covid-19 restrictions into an area under lower restrictions. (114261)
- 112N **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what criteria were used to define a permitted reason for the purposes of an overnight stay in the UK during the November 2020 covid-19 lockdown; and if he will make a statement. (114192)
- 113N **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what discussions he has had with train operating companies on refunding rail tickets purchased before the November 2020 covid-19 lockdown was imposed. (114193)
- 114N **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, when the Minister of State at the Department for Transport plans to respond to the letter of 12 October 2020 from the hon. Member for Manchester Gorton on HS2 Phase 2b (Western Leg) Birchfields Road Vent Shaft. (114315)
- 115N **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if the Minister of State at the Department for Transport will meet with local stakeholders in Manchester Gorton to discuss the proposed Birchfields Road Vent Shaft for Phase 2b (Western Leg) of HS2. (114316)
- 116N **Sir Greg Knight** (East Yorkshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many complaints about the DVLA his Department has received in the latest 12 months for which figures are available; and what plans he has to improve customer satisfaction with that agency. (114075)

- 117N **Liz Saville Roberts** (Dwyfor Meirionnydd): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps he is taking to help enable the unhindered movement of medicinal drugs from EU countries into the UK after the end of the transition period. (114275)
- 118 **John Spellar** (Warley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps he has taken to support Taiwan's membership of the International Civil Aviation Organization. (114060)
- 119 **Tom Tugendhat** (Tonbridge and Malling): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether, as part of Emergency Measures Agreements with Train Operating Companies, his Department will review the use and function of Network Rail goods yards to create more off-street parking options at rural stations. (114251)
- 120N **Beth Winter** (Cynon Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues on the inclusion of (a) international aviation and (b) shipping emissions in the Sixth Carbon Budget. (114345)
- 121N **Fleur Anderson** (Putney): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps she is taking to ensure that people seeking employment are able to access in-person work-related training under (a) the November 2020 and (b) future covid-19 restrictions. (114342)
- 122 **Dr Lisa Cameron** (East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, pursuant to the Answer of 28 September 2020 to Question 93723 on Pension Credit, what the comparative rate of successful applications was (a) during the course of the Pension Credit awareness raising campaign and (b) in 2019. (114229)
- 123 **Dr Lisa Cameron** (East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, pursuant to the Answer of 28 September 2020 to Question 93723, what comparative assessment she has made of the rate of successful applications for pension credit made through the (a) new online application service and (b) telephone service. (114230)
- 124N **Colleen Fletcher** (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps she is taking to reduce youth unemployment in (a) Coventry North East constituency, (b) Coventry and (c) the West Midlands. (114207)
- 125N **Drew Hendry** (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment her Department has made of the potential merits of introducing a call back system when individuals have spent a significant period of time waiting on hold with her Department's helplines. (114260)
- 126 **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment her Department has made of providing women born in the 1950s early access to (a) state pensions and (b) pension credit in order to mitigate the financial effects of the covid-19 outbreak. (114313)

- 127N **Catherine McKinnell** (Newcastle upon Tyne North): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, pursuant to her Oral Statement of 9 November 2020, Official Report, column 636, how much funding is planned to be allocated to each local authority in the North East from (a) the Covid Winter Grant Scheme and (b) the Holiday Activities and Food programme. (114167)
- 128N **Anne McLaughlin** (Glasgow North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, when she plans to reply to the letter of 26 October 2020 from the hon. Member for Glasgow North East. (114250)
- 129 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether the Health and Safety Executive will remain the competent authority for inspection and enforcement of biocide regulations after the transition period. (114178)
- 130N **Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, pursuant to her oral statement of 9 November 2020, Official Report, column 637 on supporting disadvantaged families, whether children in families whose immigration status has the No Recourse to Public Funds condition will be eligible for help if they are (a) born in the UK and (b) born outside the UK. (114047)
- 131 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the oral contribution of the Minister for Patient Safety, Mental Health and Suicide Prevention, of 24 September 2020, Official Report, column 1243, when the Women's Health Agenda is next planned to meet; and whether the issue of painful hysteroscopy is on the agenda for that meeting. (114123)
- 132 **Dr Lisa Cameron** (East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will review the language in NICE criteria to ensure it is (a) accessible and (b) understood by (i) patients and (ii) people caring for them. (114226)
- 133 **Dr Lisa Cameron** (East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to support patient support groups for rare diseases that are experiencing reductions in funding as a result of the covid-19 outbreak. (114227)
- 134 **Dr Lisa Cameron** (East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that all rare disease patients in the UK have access to licenced treatments as soon as possible after approval by the European Medicines Agency. (114228)
- 135 **Dr Lisa Cameron** (East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to improve support and care for vulnerable patients with (a) respiratory disease, (b) cancer and (c) chronic diseases during the covid-19 outbreak. (114231)

- 136 **Dr Lisa Cameron** (East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to support autistic (a) adults' and (b) children's mental health (i) during and (ii) after the covid-19 outbreak. (114232)
- 137 **Dr Lisa Cameron** (East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans he has to improve access to personalised, evidenced, community-based mental health services as recommended in the National Autistic Society's Left Stranded report and the All Party Parliamentary Group on Autism's The Autism Act, 10 Years On report. (114233)
- 138 **Dr Lisa Cameron** (East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that inquiries into covid-19 inequalities include the impact of that matter on disabled people. (114234)
- 139 **Dr Lisa Cameron** (East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made on the accessibility to (a) healthcare information and (b) support and advice for (i) people with learning disabilities and (ii) their carers during the covid-19 outbreak. (114236)
- 140 **Dr Lisa Cameron** (East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what discussions he has had with his Cabinet colleagues on financial support available to disabled people and carers in non-registered supported living settings. (114237)
- 141 **Dr Lisa Cameron** (East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when his Department plans to bring forward its strategy on transforming care. (114238)
- 142 **Dr Lisa Cameron** (East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the (a) clarity and (b) adequacy of implementation of the Government's guidance on visitation rights for care homes and supported living settings. (114239)
- 143 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what his Department's timeframe is for rolling out the Excellence in Continence Care Guidelines across the Integrated Care Systems and Primary Care Networks. (114102)
- 144 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans he has to deliver ring-fenced funding of continence services under the NHS Long Term Plan; and what the timescale is for delivery of that funding. (114103)
- 145 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department plans to incorporate the recommendations from the Excellence in Continence Care Guidelines into the work of the National Bladder and Bowel Health Project. (114104)

- 146 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how the National Bladder and Bowel Health Project plans to use the Excellence in Continence Care Guidelines to inform the development of clinical standards and pathways. (114105)
- 147 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether continence services which have been reduced as a result of the covid-19 outbreak are planned to be reinstated. (114106)
- 148 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will publish the Clinical Commissioning Groups that have incorporated the Excellence in Continence Care Guidelines into their procedures to date. (114107)
- 149N**Thangam Debbonaire** (Bristol West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will take steps to enable single-parent carers of adult disabled children to form a bubble during the covid-19 outbreak with another household as is permitted for cared-for people under the age of 18. (114249)
- 150 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure that agency staff working in care homes are regularly tested for covid-19. (114302)
- 151 **Dr Luke Evans** (Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much funding his Department has provided to research into cauda equina syndrome in each of the last five years. [R] (114339)
- 152N**Tim Farron** (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to page 20 of the NHS mental health implementation plan 2019-20 to 2023-4, what the timeline is for introducing a comprehensive offer for 0-25 year olds that reaches across mental health services for children and young people and adults in South Lakeland. (114128)
- 153N**Tim Farron** (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department has made an assessment of the radiotherapy backlog from Public Health England's latest Radiotherapy Dataset. (114129)
- 154N**Tim Farron** (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of Public Health England's latest Radiotherapy Dataset; and whether he plans for that information to be made available to the public. (114130)
- 155N**Colleen Fletcher** (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what discussions he has had with the Secretary of State for Education on the number of suicides involving (a) Secondary School, (b) Further Education and (c) Higher Education students; what assessment he has made of the effect of the covid-19 outbreak on the incidence of suicides in education settings; and what steps his Department is taking on suicide prevention in education settings. (114203)

- 156 **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether covid-19 tests proposed for mass testing of university students prior to Christmas will be rapid lateral flow tests manufactured by Innova Tried and Tested. [Transferred] (113627)
- 157 **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will list the private companies that tendered for the contract to run the Government's covid-19 contact-tracing system in England. (114070)
- 158 **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will list the private companies that tendered for Government contracts relating to personal protective equipment. (114071)
- 159 **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the roles were of private companies involved in Exercise Cygnus. (114072)
- 160 **Peter Kyle** (Hove): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make it his policy to introduce regular repeat covid-19 tests for domiciliary care workers. (114265)
- 161 **Caroline Lucas** (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of the supply of flu vaccines to community pharmacies; when he plans to contact people in the 50 to 64 age group on getting a flu vaccination; and if he will make a statement. (114132)
- 162 **Caroline Lucas** (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to answer Question 104712 tabled by the hon Member for Brighton, Pavilion on 16 October 2020 on Boston Consulting Group: Contracts. (114133)
- 163 **Caroline Lucas** (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to NHS England's News release of 6 April 2020, entitled Dental Commissioning Statistics, England – March 2020, when he plans for the collection of data to be resumed on the amount of NHS dental work being carried; what assessment he has made of whether the number of patients requiring emergency treatment has increased as a result of reduced dental service activity due to the implementation of covid-19 infection prevention and control requirements; and if he will make a statement. (114135)
- 164 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate he has made of the number of women affected by restrictions on maternity services during the covid-19 outbreak in each month since March 2020. (114317)
- 165 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what resources he has made available to support women unable to go through the maternity process with their birthing partner as a result of the new national covid-19 lockdown restrictions. (114318)

- 166 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what resources he has made available to support fathers or birthing partners unable to support mothers through the maternity process as a result of the new national covid-19 lockdown restrictions. (114319)
- 167 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate he has made of the number of additional home births since the covid-19 restrictions on maternity services began; and how many of those additional home births were undertaken against medical advice.(114320)
- 168 **Lloyd Russell-Moyle** (Brighton, Kemptown): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he plans to make the £16 million of funding initially announced for the PrEP roll-out in 2020-21 available in 2021-22 and subsequent years; and whether he plans to ring-fence that funding for the provision of access to PrEP. (114291)
- 169 **Lloyd Russell-Moyle** (Brighton, Kemptown): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to collect data on equitable access to PrEP throughout England; what steps he is taking to ensure that all population groups benefit from PrEP; and when he plans to publish such data. (114292)
- 170 **Lloyd Russell-Moyle** (Brighton, Kemptown): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what progress has been made on the roll-out of PrEP since funding was made available to local areas on the 2 October 2020. (114293)
- 171 **Lloyd Russell-Moyle** (Brighton, Kemptown): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether access to the PrEP drug is capped; and whether additional funds will be made available if demand for PrEP appointments exceeds the current ringfenced funding of sexual health clinics. (114294)
- 172 **Lloyd Russell-Moyle** (Brighton, Kemptown): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department plans to make PrEP available in (a) primary care, (b) maternity care, (c) pharmacies and (d) other healthcare settings in addition to sexual health clinics. (114295)
- 173 **Lloyd Russell-Moyle** (Brighton, Kemptown): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans his Department has to promote (a) knowledge and (b) take-up of PrEP among communities affected by HIV in addition to gay and bisexual men. (114296)
- 174 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the annual per patient cost is to the NHS of inflammatory bowel disease.(114172)
- 175 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many patients have been diagnosed with (a) Crohn's disease and (b) ulcerative colitis in (i) the East Midlands, (ii) the West Midlands, (iii) London, (iv) the North East, (v) the North West, (vi) the South East, (vii) the South West and (viii) Yorkshire and the Humber. (114173)

- 176 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the average time taken is for a patient to be diagnosed with (a) Crohn's disease and (b) ulcerative colitis in (i) the East Midlands, (ii) the West Midlands, (iii) London, (iv) the North East, (v) the North West, (vi) the South East, (vii) the South West and (viii) Yorkshire and the Humber. (114174)
- 177 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many inflammatory bowel disease patients have relapsed within a year of being diagnosed in (a) East Midlands, (b) West Midlands, (c) London, (d) North East, (e) North West, (f) South East, (g) South West and (h) Yorkshire and the Humber. (114175)
- 178 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate he has made of the annual per patient cost to the NHS of patients with inflammatory bowel disease who have relapsed. (114176)
- 179 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether, through the Medicines and Medical Devices Bill 2019-21, his Department plans to amend the definitions of (a) medicines, (b) medical devices and (c) biocides, as set out in Article 1 of Directive 2001/83/EC through the European Medicines Agency framework. (114177)
- 180 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many medication errors have occurred in the NHS in each of the last three years; and what steps his Department is taking to prevent those errors. (114179)
- 181 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what progress his Department has made on implementing the recommendations of the Short Life Working Group on reducing medication-related harms; and if he will reconvene the group to identify a five-year future plan. (114180)
- 182 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what his Department's five-year strategy is for tackling medication errors and medication-related harms in the NHS. (114181)
- 183 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make it his policy to meet the aims of the WHO Global Patient Safety Challenge to halve severe avoidable medication-related harms by 2022 compared to 2017 levels. (114182)
- 184 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans his Department has to classify surgical fires in operating theatres as a Never Event. (114183)
- 185 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will instruct NHS Improvement to require the Centre for Perioperative Care to consider preventative guidelines on surgical fires as part of the National Safety Standards for Invasive Procedures (NatSSIPs) Redevelopment workstream. (114184)

- 186 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether it is his Department's policy that (a) Down's syndrome, (b) cleft lip, and (c) cleft palate are disabilities that would meet the grounds for abortion under Ground E of the statutory grounds for abortion. (114187)
- 187 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate he has made of the number of patients with (a) Crohn's disease and (b) ulcerative colitis in each (a) nation and (b) region of the UK. (114188)
- 188 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate he has made of the annual per patient cost to the NHS of inflammatory bowel disease. (114189)
- 189 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many patients in (a) the East Midlands, (b) the West Midlands, (c) London, (d) the North East, (e) the North West, (f) the South East, (g) the South West and (h) Yorkshire and the Humber have been diagnosed with either Crohn's disease or ulcerative colitis in the 12 months. (114190)
- 190 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what information (a) NHS England and (b) his Department holds on the average time for a patient with either Crohn's disease or ulcerative colitis to be diagnosed in (a) the East Midlands, (b) the West Midlands, (c) London, (d) the North East, (e) the North West, (f) the South East, (g) the South West, and (h) Yorkshire and the Humber in the last 12 months. (114191)
- 191N **Tulip Siddiq** (Hampstead and Kilburn): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate he has made of the proportion of rapid covid-19 tests that have been shown to have returned accurate results in respect of (a) sensitivity and (b) specificity. (114274)
- 192 **Zarah Sultana** (Coventry South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of making Caplacizumab available on the NHS as a treatment for acquired thrombotic thrombocytopenic purpura. (114340)
- 193N **Derek Twigg** (Halton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent estimate he has made of (a) how many health care professionals will be needed to administer a covid-19 vaccine to the population of England and (b) how long that process would take. (114065)
- 194N **Derek Twigg** (Halton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment he has made of the potential effect of GP administration of covid-19 vaccines on the time GPs are able to spend with patients at their surgery. (114066)
- 195N **Derek Twigg** (Halton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent estimate he has made of the cost of administering a covid-19 vaccine; and what the budget headings are for that cost estimate. (114067)

- 196N **Derek Twigg** (Halton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent estimate he has made of how many and what proportion of people in England may decline a covid-19 vaccine. (114068)
- 197N **Derek Twigg** (Halton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many and what proportion of eligible patients have had the flu vaccine to date. (114069)
- 198 **Dr Philippa Whitford** (Central Ayrshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what guidance his Department has published for employers helping to meet the support needs of bereaved employees. (114218)
- 199N **Dr Philippa Whitford** (Central Ayrshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what discussions his Department has had with specialist bereavement organisations on the formal and informal support that bereaved employees need in the workplace. (114219)
- 200N **Dr Philippa Whitford** (Central Ayrshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the health benefits of bereavement leave. (114220)
- 201N **Nadia Whittome** (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of funding for charities and community projects which tackle loneliness. (114349)
- 202N **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many applicants for a covid-19 home test kit have failed the TransUnion check in the last quarter. (114330)
- 203N **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many applicants who have failed the TransUnion check have subsequently obtained the covid-19 home testing kit in the last quarter. (114331)
- 204N **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many applicants applying for a covid-19 home testing kit via the Coronavirus Testing Call Centre have failed to obtain a test. (114332)
- 205 **Daniel Zeichner** (Cambridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what discussions the Government is having with the (a) Danish and (b) other European Governments to (a) assess the risk posed to public health by the current outbreak of covid strains in mink farms and (b) ensure a rapid UK response to those risks. (114213)
- 206 **Daniel Zeichner** (Cambridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what discussions the Government is having with officials in countries outside of Europe which farm mink on the status of coronavirus on their farms. (114214)
- 207 **Daniel Zeichner** (Cambridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what capacity the UK has to detect whether mink-related mutations of coronavirus have arrived in the UK. (114215)

- 208 **Dr Lisa Cameron** (East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of bi-lateral testing protocols with key trading partners to allow people who are travelling for work purposes to be exempt from covid-19 quarantine requirements. (114224)
- 209N**Wayne David** (Caerphilly): ORIGINAL: To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 5 November 2020 to Question HL9495 on Government Departments: Overseas Aid, on what date the Gulf Strategy Fund was established; which Government Departments have responsibility for that fund; and which Ministers were involved in the establishment of that fund. (114082)
- 210N**Wayne David** (Caerphilly): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 5 November 2020 to Question HL9495 on Government Departments: Overseas Aid, which Government Departments have made applications to the Gulf Strategy Fund in financial year 2020-21; how many projects each Department has applied for; and how many of those applications have been (a) approved and (b) rejected for each Department. (114083)
- 211N**Wayne David** (Caerphilly): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how many and what proportion of projects that have been applied for under the Gulf Strategy Fund to date in financial year 2020-2021 (a) were and (b) were not subject to an Overseas Security and Justice Assessment. (114084)
- 212N**Wayne David** (Caerphilly): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what the titles are of the projects that have been approved to date for funding under the Gulf Strategy Fund in the 2020-2021 financial year. (114085)
- 213N**Wayne David** (Caerphilly): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 23 January 2020 to Question 5457, what the allocated budget is for the Gulf Strategy Fund (GSF) for financial year 2020-2021; on what date the GSF allocated budget for the 2021-2022 financial year was decided; and what the duration is of the GSF financial cycle. (114086)
- 214 **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of any potential breach of the commitments made by the Palestinian Authority in the 2019-20 Memorandum of Understanding between His Department and the Palestinian Authority. (114058)

- 215 **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of any potential breach in the commitments made by the Palestinian Authority in the 2018-19 Memorandum of Understanding between his Department and the Palestinian Authority. (114059)
- 216N **Layla Moran** (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of different legislative options for imposing sanctions on China for breaching the terms of the Sino-British Declaration. (114305)
- 217N **Layla Moran** (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent diplomatic steps his Department has taken to tackle the human rights abuses in Indian-administered Kashmir reported by UN Special Rapporteurs on 4 August 2020. (114306)
- 218N **Sarah Owen** (Luton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of reports by Human Rights Watch of women and girls in Bangladesh facing widespread violence and sexual assault without reliable protection or legal recourse. (114335)
- 219N **Sarah Owen** (Luton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he has made representations to his counterpart in the Government of Bangladesh in response to the October 2020 protests in that country against sexual assault and rape. (114336)
- 220 **Tulip Siddiq** (Hampstead and Kilburn): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he has undertaken an assessment of the adequacy of audit arrangements for UK aid since his Department's reorganisation; and if he will make a statement. (114270)
- 221 **Tulip Siddiq** (Hampstead and Kilburn): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what information his Department holds on the average length of time British citizens have been detained overseas in each of the last 10 years. (114271)
- 222 **Tulip Siddiq** (Hampstead and Kilburn): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, when he plans to publish the MacGregor Review of consular cases. (114272)
- 223 **Tulip Siddiq** (Hampstead and Kilburn): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 13 October 2020 to Question 99696 on Integrated Security, Defence, Development and Foreign Policy Review, whether the integrated review is making an assessment of the (a) effectiveness of hostage diplomacy, (b) growing practice of state hostage taking, (c) adequacy of UK hostage policy in relation to that growth and (d) increased risks arising from expansions in hostage taking by non-state actors. (114273)

- 224 **Daniel Zeichner** (Cambridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how long the restrictions on travel and movement of goods out of Denmark will last. (114216)
- 225 **Dr Lisa Cameron** (East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what discussions she has had with faith leaders on the effect of changes to tier 2 and tier 5 visas on ministers of religion and religious workers. (114240)
- 226N**Sarah Champion** (Rotherham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what the (a) process is and (b) agreed timescales are for the return of confiscated mobile phones to asylum seekers by Border Force; and what steps her Department takes to communicate that process to affected asylum seekers. (114198)
- 227N**Bambos Charalambous** (Enfield, Southgate): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether she has made an assessment of the effect of minimum unit pricing for alcohol on the alcoholic drinks industry in Scotland on levels of crime in that country. (114283)
- 228 **Bambos Charalambous** (Enfield, Southgate): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment her Department has made of the effect on levels of incidence of crime of the density of shops selling alcohol. (114284)
- 229N**Damian Collins** (Folkestone and Hythe): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, for what reason (a) Sir John May investigated the conviction of Paul Cleeland for the murder of Terry Clarke in Stevenage in 1972 as part of his work for her Department on potential miscarriages of justice and failings in the use of forensic science to gather and present evidence in criminal cases and (b) Paul Cleeland was not informed of that investigation (i) when his case was considered by the Court of Appeal in 2002 and (ii) at any other time; and what the findings were of Sir John May's investigation in that case. (114151)
- 230N**Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what estimate her Department has made of the number of UK residents who are members of Daesh. (114096)
- 231N**Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what estimate her Department has made of the number of UK residents who are members of Al Qaeda. (114097)
- 232N**Neil Coyle** (Bermondsey and Old Southwark): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department will take to ensure that information on tenants' immigration status is kept fully up to date on the new Right to Rent online checking system for landlords. (114201)
- 233N**Neil Coyle** (Bermondsey and Old Southwark): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what redress will be available to landlords or prospective tenants who miss out on or have their leases delayed as a result of inaccuracies, errors or missing information on the new Right to Rent online checking system. (114202)

- 234 **Thangam Debbonaire** (Bristol West): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether young people from EU countries will be allowed to continue to pursue unpaid short-term work placements in the UK without a work permit after the transition period. (114248)
- 235N**Tim Farron** (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what discussions her Department has had with external stakeholders on the role of the proposed Migrants' Commissioner. (114131)
- 236 **Colleen Fletcher** (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what estimate she has made of the number of police officers in (a) the West Midlands and (b) Coventry in each year since 2010. (114208)
- 237N**Dame Margaret Hodge** (Barking): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what role (a) her Department and (b) her Department's non-departmental public bodies have in the case of the UK whistleblower, Jonathan Taylor. (114044)
- 238N**Dame Margaret Hodge** (Barking): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether her Department has sought the extradition of whistleblower, Jonathan Taylor to the UK from Croatia. (114045)
- 239N**Dame Margaret Hodge** (Barking): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, for what reasons her Department has not issued a European Arrest Warrant for the UK whistleblower, Jonathan Taylor. (114046)
- 240 **Sajid Javid** (Bromsgrove): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to tackle county lines drug trafficking in Worcestershire. (114138)
- 241N**Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she plans to take in response to the Office for National Statistics report, Deaths related to drug poisoning in England and Wales: 2019 registrations, published on 14 October 2020. (114141)
- 242N**Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what proportion of drug-related deaths registered in 2019 involved combinations of cocaine with (a) opiates, (b) fentanyl and (c) other synthetic opiates. (114142)
- 243N**Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to reduce the rate of cocaine-related deaths among (a) women, and (b) men. (114143)
- 244 **Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Streatham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether her Department plans to offer free visas extensions to NHS health care workers whose visa permits expire after 1 October 2020. (114329)

- 245 **Lloyd Russell-Moyle** (Brighton, Kemptown): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what her Department's average response time to enquiries from hon. Members was in (a) August, (b) September and (c) October 2020. (114289)
- 246 **Lloyd Russell-Moyle** (Brighton, Kemptown): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what the average response time is for her Department to respond to enquiries from hon. Members. (114290)
- 247N**Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 6 November to Question 105275, whether the figures for Leave to Remain with No Recourse to Public Funds extensions in that Answer include applicants on the five year route. (114048)
- 248N**Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 6 November to Question 105275, what routes are included in the other category referred to in the data for in-country extensions included in that Answer. (114049)
- 249N**Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 6 November to Question 105275, what assessment she has made of the reasons for the increase in the number of people in the other category extending their leave from Q4 2019 to Q1 2020. (114050)
- 250N**Nadia Whittome** (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what recent assessment she has made of the (a) backlog and (b) average length of time taken to process applications for indefinite leave to remain. (114352)
- 251N**Hywel Williams** (Arfon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many and what proportion of (a) Biometric Residence Permit cards are issued within her Department's target time; (b) responses to BRP has not been delivered forms are answered within her Department's target time; and (c) correspondence in relation to BRP are answered within her Department's target time. (114079)
- 252N**Hywel Williams** (Arfon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what estimate she has made of the number of people who have been unable to (a) work, (b) access healthcare, (c) access social security benefits and (d) enrol onto further or higher education courses as a result of the time taken by her Department to provide biometric residence permits. (114080)
- 253N**Hywel Williams** (Arfon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to minimise the time taken by her Department to issue biometric residence permits. (114081)
- 254 **Mrs Sharon Hodgson** (Washington and Sunderland West): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to the Answer of 16 September 2020 to Question 88829 on Inappropriate Behaviours in the Armed Forces Review, (a) if the follow-up report to the Wigston Review was submitted to the Secretary of State by 15 October 2020 and (b) if he will publish that report in the public domain. (114088)

- 255N**Mrs Emma Lewell-Buck** (South Shields): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to the Answer of 4 Nov 2020 to Question 109376 on Army: Young People, what the outcomes were of the 60 cases of violent behaviour by staff. (114199)
- 256N**Lloyd Russell-Moyle** (Brighton, Kemptown): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether Cobham Helicopter Academy is required to inform the Ministry of Defence about the nationalities of foreign military personnel that it trains at a site adjacent to RAF St Mawgan in Newquay. (114285)
- 257N**Lloyd Russell-Moyle** (Brighton, Kemptown): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, have any British personnel accompanied the deployment of Giraffe radars to Riyadh since February 2020 to assist Saudi Arabia to track and identify objects in its airspace. (114286)
- 258N**Lloyd Russell-Moyle** (Brighton, Kemptown): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many Royal Saudi Air Force Tornado pilots were taught to fly the Tornado by the RAF in (a) the UK and (b) Saudi Arabia. (114287)
- 259N**Lloyd Russell-Moyle** (Brighton, Kemptown): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, are Royal Navy personnel on loan to the Royal Saudi Naval Forces (RSNF) permitted to sail on RSNF vessels off Yemen. (114288)
- 260N**Bambos Charalambous** (Enfield, Southgate): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, how many companies have voluntarily opted out of charging event fees on retirement properties. (114280)
- 261N**Bambos Charalambous** (Enfield, Southgate): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what progress his Department has made on commissioning research on establishing an online database to provide information for prospective buyers on event fees associated with leasehold retirement properties. (114281)
- 262N**Bambos Charalambous** (Enfield, Southgate): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what progress his Department has made on a consultation on the implications for consumers and buyers of spouses' and live-in carers' succession rights to stay in a leasehold retirement property, without payment of an event fee. (114282)
- 263 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, when his Department plans to publish the Parking Code of Practice; and on what date it will become a statutory code. (114098)
- 264 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment his Department has made of the potential effect of the Parking Code of Practice on privately managed land where parking is not permitted. (114099)

- 265 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps his Department will take to ensure the Parking Code of Practice does not lead to additional breaches by motorists at (a) ambulance parking bays, (b) blue badge spaces and (c) patient car parking. (114100)
- 266 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment his Department has made of the potential effect of the Parking Code of Practice on (a) hospital car parks, (b) drop off spaces, (c) short stay car parks and (d) blue badge spaces. (114101)
- 267N**Thangam Debbonaire** (Bristol West): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, if he will publish the allocation to local authorities of (a) £15 million funding through the Protect Programme and (b) £10 million funding through the Cold Weather Fund. (114247)
- 268 **Dr Luke Evans** (Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of extending the time limit on entertainment licences from 28 days to 56 days in 2021. (114337)
- 269 **Dr Luke Evans** (Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether he has set a date for issuing Part L of the Building Regulations and the Future Homes Standard. (114338)
- 270N**Colleen Fletcher** (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, how much funding his Department has allocated to support the delivery new homes in (a) Coventry North East constituency, (b) Coventry, (c) the West Midlands and (d) England in each of the last 10 years. (114204)
- 271N**Yvonne Fovargue** (Makerfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, how much of the Hardship Fund allocated to local authorities was spent between March and October 2020; and what proportion of that fund was spent over that time period. (114152)
- 272 **Chris Green** (Bolton West): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment his Department has made of the economic benefit of the contribution made by church buildings used for community purposes. (114222)
- 273N**Sir Greg Knight** (East Yorkshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, if he will review the length of time being taken by local authorities to process Local Authority Land Registry Searches; if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of imposing a maximum time limit for that processing; and if he will make a statement. (114076)

- 274N **Sir Greg Knight** (East Yorkshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, if he will take steps to require local authorities to cancel levies in relation to Business Improvement Districts for 2020 and until after the covid-19 outbreak; and if he will make a statement. (114077)
- 275 **Charlotte Nichols** (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, when he plans to publish the devolution White Paper; and whether it will include details on the Shared Prosperity Fund. (114343)
- 276 **Mr Toby Perkins** (Chesterfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what representations his Department has received on the compatibility of U-values and energy ratings for doors and their fire safety rating. (114139)
- 277 **Mr Toby Perkins** (Chesterfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether he plans to review legislation regarding energy efficiency standards for doors to address the potential conflict between energy efficiency and fire safety. (114140)
- 278 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that (a) all new homes are built to high standards; (b) those standards do not negatively affect the health and wellbeing of their occupants; and whether he plans to review the regulatory framework of the built environment to promote and improve health and wellbeing in communities. (114185)
- 279 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what plans the Government has to establish an inter-Departmental Government committee to tackle the spectrum of health issues that result from or are exacerbated by living in homes which are unhealthy. (114186)
- 280N **Jo Stevens** (Cardiff Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what progress his Department has made on regulating estate agents' fees since his Department's consultation on the home buying and selling process closed in December 2017. (114242)
- 281 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if he will list the key performance indicators specified by Prison Education Framework contracts. (114109)
- 282 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many and what proportion of key performance indicators within the Prison Education Framework have been met by each prison education provider in each prison in each of the last four quarters; and if he will make a statement. (114110)
- 283 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what steps he is taking to ensure the involvement of (a) prison educators, (b) education unions and (c) other stakeholders in the development of the Prisoner Education Service. (114111)

- 284 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, pursuant to the Answer of 13 October 2020 to Question 98913 on Prisons: Education, which suppliers have accepted offers of supplier relief from his Department; and how much relief has been provided by his Department to each of those suppliers. (114112)
- 285 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, pursuant to the Answer of 13 October 2020 to Question 98913 on Prisons: Education, what recent assessment his Department has made of the (a) capacity and (b) capability of Prison Education Framework providers to deliver their contractual requirements. (114113)
- 286 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, pursuant to the Answer of 13 October 2020 to Question 98913 on Prisons: Education, when he plans for Prison Education Framework providers to return to full delivery of their services. (114114)
- 287 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, pursuant to the Answer of 13 October 2020 to Question 98913 on Prisons: Education, what estimate he has made of the number of teaching hours lost by each Prison Education Framework provider as a result of the covid-19 outbreak. (114115)
- 288 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, pursuant to the Answer of 13 October 2020 to Question 98913 on Prisons: Education, what assessment he has made of the effect of changes to Prison Education Framework provider staffing levels on levels of service delivery by those providers. (114116)
- 289 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, pursuant to the Answer of 13 October 2020 to Question 98913 on Prisons: Education, what assessment he has made of the reasons for there being a potential erosion of service delivery by Prison Education Framework providers. (114117)
- 290 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, pursuant to the Answer of 13 October 2020 to Question 98913 on Prisons: Education, what steps he has taken to tackle the potential erosion of service delivery by Prison Education Framework providers. (114118)
- 291 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, pursuant to the Written Statement of 13 October 2020, Official Report HCWS506, Adult Skills and National Retraining Scheme Update, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of extending the scope of the National Skills Fund to include prison education. (114119)
- 292 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, pursuant to the Written Statement of 13 October 2020, Official Report HCWS506, Adult Skills and National Retraining Scheme Update, whether the National Skills Fund will be used to invest in prison (a) staff, and (b) in-cell technology. (114120)

- 293 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many and what proportion of prisoners in the (a) adult male, (b) adult female and (c) youth estate have access to (i) in-cell telephony and (ii) in-cell intranet; and if he will make a statement. (114121)
- 294 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, whether (a) directly and (b) non-directly employed prison staff who are instructed to (i) self-isolate in response to track and trace or (ii) shield are entitled to full pay; and if he will make a statement. (114122)
- 295 **Colleen Fletcher** (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what recent assessment he has made of trends in the level of violence and self-harm in prisons in (a) the West Midlands and (b) England; and what assessment he has made of the effect of the covid-19 outbreak on the incidence of violence and self-harm in those prisons. (114210)
- 296 **Sir Bernard Jenkin** (Harwich and North Essex): To ask the Prime Minister, what machinery of government is responsible for identifying what constitutes the UK's critical national infrastructure; and if he will make a statement. (114043)
- 297 **Gill Furniss** (Sheffield, Brightside and Hillsborough): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps he is taking to support mortgage prisoners. (114277)
- 298 **Mary Glendon** (North Tyneside): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, for what reasons the coach sector is not eligible for support through the expanded job support scheme. (114169)
- 299 **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that progress in closing the gender pay gap is not adversely affected by the covid-19 outbreak. (114073)
- 300 **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment his Department has made of the potential long-term effects of the covid-19 outbreak on women's (a) pay and (b) employment. (114074)
- 301 **Drew Hendry** (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of introducing of a call back system when individuals have spent a significant period of time waiting on hold with HMRC's helplines. (114259)
- 302 **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what plans he has to provide additional financial support to new infrastructure and transport links in the North of England to support the UK economy in the event that the transition period ends without an agreement on future relations with the EU. (114194)
- 303 **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what plans he has to extend the eligibility of the Self Employed Income Support Scheme to people who first submitted tax returns in 2019-20. (114195)

- 304 **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what support the Government is providing to women born in the 1950s not yet in receipt of (a) state pension or (b) pension credit to mitigate the financial effect of the covid-19 outbreak. (114312)
- 305N **Andrea Leadsom** (South Northamptonshire): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential effect of the end of the VAT Retail Export scheme for overseas customers on (a) Bicester Village and (b) other businesses who rely on regular and mobile international customers visiting the UK. (114155)
- 306N **Andrea Leadsom** (South Northamptonshire): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of the analysis published in September 2020 by the Centre for Economics and Business Research on the decision to end the VAT Retail Export scheme. (114156)
- 307 **Scott Mann** (North Cornwall): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what plans his Department has to provide fiscal support to payroll giving organisations who have experienced a reduction in their transactions as a result of the covid-19 outbreak. (114264)
- 308 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, further to his recent announcement that the Job Retention Bonus will be replaced by a retention incentive, when he plans to publish further information on that retention incentive. (114262)
- 309 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if the Government will provide fiscal support for self-employed parents not eligible for the Self-Employment Income Support Scheme who cannot afford to pay for the childcare necessary to enable them to work. (114263)
- 310N **Layla Moran** (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will make it his policy to expand the Self-Employment Income Support Scheme to include self-employed people who are currently ineligible to receive financial support from that scheme. (114307)
- 311N **Alison Thewliss** (Glasgow Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, which media outlets were given embargoed sight of his Statement on the Future of Financial Services, of 9 November 2020; and at what time it was released to them. (114243)
- 312N **Alison Thewliss** (Glasgow Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, which media were given embargoed sight of his statement of 5 November 2020; and at what time that statement was released to those media. (114244)
- 313N **Alison Thewliss** (Glasgow Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, which media were given embargoed sight of his statement of 22 October 2020; and at what time that statement was released to those media. (114245)

- 314N **Alison Thewliss** (Glasgow Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, which media outlets were given embargoed sight of his Statement on the economy of 24 September 2020; and at what time it was released to them. (114246)
- 315 **Tom Tugendhat** (Tonbridge and Malling): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what financial support is available during the period of November 2020 covid-19 lockdown restrictions for self-employed people who transferred from a Limited Company during the 2019-20 financial year and are ineligible for Self-Employment Income Support scheme and the Coronavirus Job Retention scheme. (114252)
- 316 **Tom Tugendhat** (Tonbridge and Malling): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what support businesses not in the retail, hospitality and leisure sectors, who can stay open during the November 2020 covid-19 lockdown in England, will receive to help cover for lost income as a result of fewer people leaving the home. (114253)
- 317 **Tom Tugendhat** (Tonbridge and Malling): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what additional support, beyond the Discretionary Grant Fund scheme, he will provide to businesses ineligible for Government grants or loans, during the November 2020 covid-19 lockdown. (114254)
- 318N **Nadia Whittome** (Nottingham East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what recent assessment he has made of the adequacy of support available for people who are not digitally literate and have difficulties submitting their tax return online. (114350)
- 319N **Nadia Whittome** (Nottingham East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment his Department has made of the difficulties faced by people who primarily use cash during the covid 19 outbreak. (114351)
- 320N **James Wild** (North West Norfolk): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will increase the maximum permitted state aid limit of support that a business can receive under the Covid-19 Temporary Framework for UK Authorities. (114341)

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- 1N **Giles Watling** (Clacton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans the Government has to exempt car washes from future covid-19 restrictions. [Transferred] (113634)