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## Questions tabled on Thursday 21 April 2022

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### Questions for Answer on Monday 25 April

#### Questions for Written Answer

- 1 **Tulip Siddiq** (Hampstead and Kilburn): To ask the Attorney General, what is the status under UK law of Nazanin Zaghari-Ratcliffe's (a) 2016 and (b) conviction by the Revolutionary Court in Iran. (157462)
- 2 **Deidre Brock** (Edinburgh North and Leith): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how much his Department spent on communications staff in (a) 2019-20, (b) 2020-21 and (c) 2021-22. [Transferred] (156504)
- 3 **Richard Fuller** (North East Bedfordshire): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what recent assessment has been made of the (a) effectiveness of the Parliamentary and Health Service Ombudsman (PHSO), (b) quality of PHSO customer service and (c) PHSO responsiveness to enquiries from hon. Members. (157325)
- 4 **Ian Lavery** (Wansbeck): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what discussions (a) he or (b) Ministers in his Department have had with the Chief Secretary to the Treasury regarding ongoing funding of the Infected Blood support scheme payments; and what discussions his Department has had with interested parties regarding financial settlements recommended by Sir Robert Francis in his report. (157370)
- 5 **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, with reference to the Warm Home Discount, if he will reverse the proposed change to the criteria of eligibility for financial support towards energy bills that would mean those in receipt of disability living allowance, personal independence payment and attendance allowance will no longer be able to claim from the discount scheme. (157500)

- 6N **Virginia Crosbie** (Ynys Môn): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, with reference to the British energy security strategy, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of locating the headquarters of the Great British Nuclear Vehicle in North Wales in the context of the nuclear expertise in that area. (157528)
- 7 **Geraint Davies** (Swansea West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment his Department has made of the effectiveness of the Rural Community Energy Fund. (157263)
- 8 **Geraint Davies** (Swansea West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps his Department has taken to support the development of community owned renewable energy schemes. (157264)
- 9 **Geraint Davies** (Swansea West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how much his Department has spent supporting the community-owned renewable energy sector in each year since 2015. (157265)
- 10 **Dr Luke Evans** (Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what recent assessment he has made of the adequacy price competitiveness in the domestic heating oil market. (157516)
- 11 **Dr Luke Evans** (Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what discussions he is having with industry leaders to help ensure price competitiveness of the domestic heating oil market. (157517)
- 12 **Marion Fellows** (Motherwell and Wishaw): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what recent assessment he has made of the level of support provided by energy suppliers to disabled customers through programmes such as benefit entitlement checks and debt write-off. (157407)
- 13 **Marion Fellows** (Motherwell and Wishaw): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, with reference to the decision to reduce support for disabled people through the Energy Company Obligation scheme, whether an assessment has been made of the impact on the finances of disabled people affected by that change. (157408)
- 14 **Marion Fellows** (Motherwell and Wishaw): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether his Department's fuel poverty target numbers take into account the higher average energy costs and usage incurred by disabled people. (157409)
- 15 **Caroline Lucas** (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, pursuant to the Answer of 6 April 2022 to Question 149218, on Coal Authority: Climate Chang, whether it is his policy that the climate emergency is an exceptional circumstance when considering the powers of the direction. (157336)
- 16 **John Spellar** (Warley): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether anonymous foreign owners will be required to register their identities on the UK property register as well as the Register of Overseas Entities. [Transferred] (156373)
- 17 **John Spellar** (Warley): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what (a) financial and (b) personnel resources will be allocated to the Register of Overseas Entities. [Transferred] (156374)

- 18N **Zarah Sultana** (Coventry South): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if he will introduce additional paid parental leave entitlements equivalent to the time parents have to take off from work as a result of their baby's health complications. [Transferred] (156603)
- 19 **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what steps her Department is taking to support local authorities in offering swimming lessons to children. [Transferred] (156585)
- 20 **Chris Elmore** (Ogmore): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment she has made of the implications for her policies of Netflix's loss of 200,000 subscribers and more than 35 per cent fall in market value in the first quarter of 2022 compared with Channel 4's streaming growth of 23 per cent in 2021. (157485)
- 21N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, if she will make it her policy to enable local authorities to cap the number of short-term holiday lets in a given area as part of any registration scheme for short-term holiday lets. [Transferred] (156520)
- 22N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, whether she has made an assessment of the potential merits of (a) the scheme operating in Nice and (b) other French schemes for regulating the short term holiday let market as part of an assessment of the effectiveness of models to curb an excess of short-term holiday lets. [Transferred] (156521)
- 23N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, if she will consult on licensing short-term holiday lets. [Transferred] (156522)
- 24 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment she has made of the impact of (a) short-term holiday lets on local communities and (b) those that are marketed for hosting parties. [Transferred] (156523)
- 25 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, whether she plans to grant powers to local authorities to control short-term holiday lets in residential areas where customers are (a) making excess noise and (b) using language or discussing issues that may be deemed offensive. [Transferred] (156525)
- 26 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment she has made of the impact of short-term holiday lets on (a) bed and breakfasts, (b) guest houses, (c) hotels and (d) other businesses in the regulated short stay market. [Transferred] (156527)
- 27 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, if she will bring forward legislative proposals in the next Parliamentary session to regulate the short term holiday let market. [Transferred] (156529)
- 28 **Rehman Chishti** (Gillingham and Rainham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if he will provide a longer-term funding commitment for the School Games and primary PE and Sport Premium. (157344)
- 29 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, when he plans to respond to the letter dated 9 February 2022 from the hon. Member for West Lancashire regarding the Animal Welfare (Sentience) Bill, reference ZA58849. (157294)

- 30 **Peter Dowd** (Bootle): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the difference between (a) arboriculture and amenity trees and (b) forestry and woodland. (157401)
- 31 **Caroline Lucas** (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps the Government is taking in its COP26 presidency to encourage (a) wealthier nations and (b) other stakeholders to increase their finance contributions for the delivery of the Convention on Biological Diversity Global Biodiversity Framework. (157338)
- 32 **Caroline Lucas** (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps the Government is taking to ensure the outcomes of the Convention on Biological Diversity's COP15 meeting later this year (a) recognise and (b) support the contributions of indigenous peoples and local communities to protecting nature. (157339)
- 33 **Shabana Mahmood** (Birmingham, Ladywood): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps his Department requires local councils to take before those bodies (a) close council land or (b) ban certain activities on council land on the basis of public health. (157330)
- 34 **Shabana Mahmood** (Birmingham, Ladywood): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what risk assessment process his Department requires local councils to follow before the closure of council land following an outbreak of avian flu. (157331)
- 35 **Shabana Mahmood** (Birmingham, Ladywood): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what processes his Department has in place to ensure that local councils regularly monitor and report outbreaks of avian flu. (157332)
- 36 **Shabana Mahmood** (Birmingham, Ladywood): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, to what extent decisions about closing council-owned land following an outbreak of avian flu are within the remit of (a) local authorities and (b) his Department. (157333)
- 37 **Shabana Mahmood** (Birmingham, Ladywood): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how many local councils have decided to close or limit access to council-owned land due to an outbreak of avian flu in the last (a) 3, (b) 6 and (c) 12 months. (157334)
- 38 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether he has had recent discussions with pig farmers on providing financial support for sow births to bacon units. (157361)
- 39 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will make it his policy to provide additional funding to the devolved administrations for tackling illegal waste dumping using digital means. (157362)
- 40 **Owen Thompson** (Midlothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of using insect protein in pelleted chicken and pig feed. (157453)
- 41 **Catherine West** (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will include a target to reduce the UK's single use plastic by 50 per cent by 2025 in the Consultation on environmental targets. (157478)

- 42 **Catherine West** (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will make it his policy to ban plastic waste exports from the UK by 2025. (157479)
- 43 **Catherine West** (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the (a) effectiveness and (b) progress of the implementation of an all-in Deposit Return Scheme for recycling and reuse. (157480)
- 44 **Catherine West** (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will make it his policy to ban the use of (a) butylphenyl methylpropional (lilial) and (b) zinc pyrithione in the UK. (157481)
- 45 **Tulip Siddiq** (Hampstead and Kilburn): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, with reference to the Answer of 28 February 2020 to Question 15096 on Export Credit Guarantees: Iran, whether the £28.4 million debt owed by Iran to UK Export Finance (UKEF) has (a) been closed or (b) is still being pursued by UKEF following the settlement of the IMS dispute in March 2022. (157459)
- 46 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether his Department intends to publish a response to the 2015 consultation to extend the remit of the Local Government Ombudsman to certain parish and town councils. (157508)
- 47 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether the Government plans to introduce the Public Service Ombudsman Bill, as drafted in December 2016, to Parliament. (157509)
- 48 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, when he plans to respond to the letter dated 24 February 2022 from the hon. Member for West Lancashire regarding the Building Safety Bill, reference ZA59011. (157301)
- 49 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, when he plans to respond to the letter dated 15 February 2022 from the hon. Member for West Lancashire, reference ZA58919, regarding council tax. (157302)
- 50 **Tim Farron** (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how many visa applications under the Homes for Ukraine scheme have been (a) received and (b) granted for each day since that scheme opened on 18 March 2022. (157319)
- 51 **Tim Farron** (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how many visas have been granted to adults under the Homes for Ukraine scheme for each day since that scheme opened on 18 March 2022. (157320)
- 52 **Tim Farron** (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how many visas have been granted to children under the Homes for Ukraine scheme for each day since that scheme opened on 18 March 2022. (157321)

- 53 **Tim Farron** (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps he is taking to ensure that visa application decisions for refugees travelling together under the Homes for Ukraine Scheme are considered and granted at the same time. (157322)
- 54 **Sally-Ann Hart** (Hastings and Rye): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps he is taking to help ensure that new builds, including residential developments, are energy efficient particularly in respect of renewable energy. (157524)
- 55 **Rebecca Long Bailey** (Salford and Eccles): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what recent assessment he has made of the impact of holiday and short term rentals in apartment blocks on neighbouring long term residents. (157396)
- 56 **Shabana Mahmood** (Birmingham, Ladywood): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what his planned timescale is for the implementation of the measures regarding supported exempt accommodation announced on 17 March 2022 in written statement HCWS696. (157335)
- 57 **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether he plans to bring forward legislative proposals to provide a statutory basis for the missions in the Levelling Up White Paper. (157355)
- 58 **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, if he will take steps to (a) prohibit pavement parking that restricts the mobility of disabled and elderly pavement users and (b) develop standards where (i) cycle and e-scooter parking and (ii) electric vehicle charging points are accessible but located off the pavement. (157356)
- 59 **Andrew Selous** (South West Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether his Department plans to take steps to assist leaseholders who are enjoined by the terms of the lease not to store their bicycles in their properties, but whose landlord does not provide a secure bicycle store. (157283)
- 60 **Nadia Whittome** (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, when he will publish a strategy for Community Spaces and Relationships. (157531)
- 61 **Beth Winter** (Cynon Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of reforming local authority revenue-raising powers in relation to (a) existing property and (b) future property developments. (157520)
- 62 **Beth Winter** (Cynon Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of conducting a revaluation of existing residential property for council tax purposes. (157521)
- 63 **Beth Winter** (Cynon Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of transferring responsibility for payment of council tax from tenants to owners. (157522)
- 64 **Ben Bradley** (Mansfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether his Department plans to provide funding for tram concessions in Nottingham, similar to the funding provided to bus concessions in that city. (157495)

- 65 **Ben Bradley** (Mansfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of providing funding for concessionary fares, as provided to Nottingham's bus service, to the tram service in that city. (157496)
- 66 **Ben Bradley** (Mansfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of providing funding for concessionary fares, as provided to Nottingham's bus service, to the tram service in that city. (157497)
- 67 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what discussions he has had with representatives of the DVLA on ensuring that drivers whose licences are due to expire by 31 August 2022 are notified of the expiry date. (157507)
- 68 **Louise Haigh** (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 1 April 2022 to Question 145938, on DP World and P&O Ferries: Contracts, whether that review of contracts in place with P&O Ferries and DP World has concluded. (157437)
- 69 **Louise Haigh** (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to the public sector apprenticeships target, how many apprentices were employed in his Department in the financial year 2021-22; and what proportion of the total workforce in his Department in that year were apprentices. (157439)
- 70 **Louise Haigh** (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many individual contracts have been awarded by HS2 for (a) rolling stock, (b) construction, (c) railway systems and (d) corporate services; and what proportion of those contracts were awarded to businesses based in the UK. (157440)
- 71 **Louise Haigh** (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether his Department has set targets for the use of UK steel in respect of Integrated Rail Plan projects throughout the duration of those projects. (157441)
- 72 **Louise Haigh** (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether there is a target for procuring from UK firms in respect of HS2 future contract opportunities. (157442)
- 73 **Louise Haigh** (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether UK-based firms have been shortlisted for the design and construction of the proposed automated people mover, carrying passengers from Birmingham Interchange Station to Birmingham International Airport via stops at the National Exhibition Centre and Birmingham International Rail Station. (157443)
- 74 **Louise Haigh** (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether UK-based firms have been shortlisted for the provision of the main civils works contract for phase 2a of HS2. (157444)
- 75 **Louise Haigh** (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether the National Infrastructure and Construction Pipeline has a target for the use of UK steel. (157445)
- 76 **Louise Haigh** (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what criteria the Maritime and Coastguard Agency plans to apply to its review of enforcement policies to ensure that those policies are fit for purpose now and in future. (157446)

- 77 **Louise Haigh** (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many vessels the HMRC has assessed for compliance with the minimum wage; and what resources HMRC has allocated to undertaking those compliance assessments. (157447)
- 78 **Louise Haigh** (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps his Department plans to take to support seafarer mental health; and how that support will be made accessible. (157448)
- 79 **Louise Haigh** (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what training and skills will be provided by the proposed global framework for maritime training and skills. (157449)
- 80 **Louise Haigh** (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, which unions and operators his Department has contacted to agree a common level of seafarer protection. (157450)
- 81 **Caroline Lucas** (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what advice has his Department given to National Highways on delivering on the Transport Decarbonisation Plan's strategic priority that people should use their cars less often. (157337)
- 82 **Charlotte Nichols** (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many licence applications are currently pending at the Driver and Vehicle Licensing Agency; and how do these figures compare to July 2021. (157519)
- 83 **Ms Anum Qaisar** (Airdrie and Shotts): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will publish the data his Department holds on the size of the backlog of applications to the DVLA (a) in total and (b) by Parliamentary constituency as of 21 April 2022. (157532)
- 84 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps he is taking to help tackle the theft of keyless vehicles. (157360)
- 85 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will allocate additional funding for electric vehicle charging ports across the UK. (157363)
- 86 **Catherine West** (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent progress he has made on tackling the backlog of practical driving test appointments. (157476)
- 87 **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what estimate her Department has made of the number of disabled people who have less than £10 per week to spend on food and other essentials after paying for housing, tax and other bills across the UK; and what steps her Department is taking to support disabled people in response to the increase in the cost of living. (157498)
- 88 **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if she will increase (a) personal independence payment (b) disability living allowance and (c) universal credit in line with inflation. (157499)
- 89 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, when she intends to respond to the letter dated 07/03/2022 from the Hon. Member for West Lancashire reference ZA58930 regarding the DWP Kickstart Programme. (157304)
- 90 **Stephen Farry** (North Down): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment she has made of the potential merits of extending spousal pension rights to long term cohabitantes. (157527)



- 91 **Shabana Mahmood** (Birmingham, Ladywood): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps her Department is obligated to take in the event that a Kickstart scheme gateway closes down. (157326)
- 92 **Shabana Mahmood** (Birmingham, Ladywood): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what estimate he has made of the number of Kickstart scheme gateways that have closed down since that scheme began. (157327)
- 93 **Shabana Mahmood** (Birmingham, Ladywood): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what due diligence her Department conducted on the Kickstart scheme gateways it recommended to employers. (157328)
- 94 **Shabana Mahmood** (Birmingham, Ladywood): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether she has made an assessment of instances of fraud committed by Kickstart scheme gateways. (157329)
- 95 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the plans for a new private hospital called Nuffield Health at St Bartholomew's Hospital to be located within NHS St Bartholomew's Hospital premises, if he will make an assessment of the reasons why NHS Hospital Trusts are leasing out premises to private providers rather than expanding NHS services to meet local demand. (157317)
- 96 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the cost to (a) nurses, (b) midwives and (c) other NHS workers of ending free car parking. (157505)
- 97 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has had discussions with representatives of NHS Trusts on street safety issues as a result of NHS workers, particularly women, not being able to access free car parking at work. (157506)
- 98 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to respond to the letter dated 9 February 2022 from the hon. Member for West Lancashire regarding cervical cancer screening, reference ZA58852. (157295)
- 99 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to respond to the letter dated 9 February 2022 from the hon. Member for West Lancashire regarding hospital visiting restrictions, reference ZA58887. (157297)
- 100 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to respond to the letter dated 18 February 2022 from the hon. Member for West Lancashire regarding access to A&E services, reference ZA58950. (157299)
- 101 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to respond to the letter dated 24 February 2022 from the hon. Member for West Lancashire regarding dementia research funding, reference ZA59020. (157303)
- 102 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he intends to respond to a letter dated 02/03/2022 from the Hon. Member for West Lancashire reference ZA59051 regarding covid-19 policy in care homes. (157305)

- 103 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to respond to the letter dated 3 March 2022 from the hon. Member for West Lancashire, reference ZA59077, regarding mental health care provision. (157306)
- 104 **Peter Dowd** (Bootle): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when the Renal Services Transformation Programme's clinical workstreams on (a) improving access, (b) identifying best practice, (c) developing solutions to chronic kidney disease, (d) acute kidney injury and (e) dialysis and transplant plan to report their findings. (157397)
- 105 **Peter Dowd** (Bootle): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what selection process her Department used for selecting the participants of the Renal Services Transformation Programme's five clinical workstreams. (157398)
- 106 **Peter Dowd** (Bootle): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when the 11 renal clinical networks established by NHS England and NHS Improvement will report on local renal priorities. (157399)
- 107 **Peter Dowd** (Bootle): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department has taken to help ensure that the implementation of the National Outpatients Transformation Programme's guidance on improving personalised care follow up for chronic kidney disease and transplant patients in renal services across England. (157400)
- 108 **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the role of UK tobacco harm reduction policies in reducing smoking prevalence at a faster rate than that of other EU nations. (157311)
- 109 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what discussions she plans to have for the purposes of establishing centres for dental development; and what assessment she has made of the stakeholders that will be required to take part in those discussions. (157417)
- 110 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what his planned timetable is for announcing the locations of centres for dental development; and whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of locating one of those centres in York. (157418)
- 111 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what criteria he plans to use to determine the locations for establishing a centre for dental development. (157419)
- 112 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many centres for dental development he will develop. (157420)
- 113 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the key functions of a centre for dental development will be. (157421)
- 114 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to recruit sufficient social care staff to support cases of delayed discharges (a) nationally and (b) in York. (157422)
- 115 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps is he taking to encourage people to begin a career working in social care. (157423)

- 116 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what discussions he has had with shadow Integrated Care Systems on the steps required to reduce bed occupancy by patients whose discharge has been delayed. (157424)
- 117 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent discussions he has had with local authorities on support for those bodies to help address shortages in the social care system. (157425)
- 118 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure that fuel remuneration for social care workers is in line with actual fuel costs; and whether he has plans to provide support to those workers for increased travel to work costs. (157426)
- 119 **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the recommendations of the Goldacre Review, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of creating a single, national data controller for all NHS records; and what steps he taking to (a) recruit people with technical data skills and knowledge to senior roles in the NHS and (b) train staff in senior roles in the NHS in the basics of data analysis. (157349)
- 120 **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he taking to promote and resource reproducible analytical pipelines as the minimum standard for academic and NHS data analysis; and assessment he has made of the potential merits of creating an NHS Data Analyst Service modelled on the Government Economic Service and Statistical Service. (157351)
- 121 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many people in NHS hospitals have contracted sepsis in each of the last three years. (157359)
- 122 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to help address antibiotics that have become ineffective due to overuse. (157367)
- 123 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will take urgent steps to enable care homes, that have remained in continuous lockdown on due to staff infections, access to family and friends. (157369)
- 124 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment she has made of the implications for (a) long-term continental health system strengthening and (b) covid-19 recovery in Africa if plans for production of the Johnson & Johnson covid-19 vaccine in South Africa are ended as a result of a lack of orders. (157315)
- 125 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment she has made of the implications for her policies of the defence agreement recently signed between the Republic of Cameroon and the Russian Federation. (157316)
- 126 **Jonathan Edwards** (Carmarthen East and Dinefwr): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how much funding the UK Government plans to allocate to the Administered Account, established by the International Monetary Fund to help Ukraine meet its balance of payments requirements, budgetary needs and provide economic stability. (157343)

- 127 **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent discussions she has had with her counterparts in Belarus on that country's relationship with Russia. (157279)
- 128 **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether she has made recent representations to the Taliban to uphold international human rights standards. (157280)
- 129 **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment she has made of the implications for her policies of the recent discovery of mass graves in Syria; and what assessment she has made of whether those graves amount to further evidence of war crimes committed by President Bashar al-Assad's regime during the civil war in that country. (157281)
- 130 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if she will update her department's travel guidance for Somalia to better reflect the constitutional and territorial differences between Somaliland and Somalia. (157501)
- 131 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment she has made of the potential merits of granting Somaliland diplomatic recognition. (157502)
- 132 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment she has made of the implications for her policies of recent violence perpetrated by the Taliban in Afghanistan. (157430)
- 133 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps she is taking to further the UK's contribution to the humanitarian situation in Afghanistan. (157431)
- 134N **Liz Saville Roberts** (Dwyfor Meirionnydd): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether any funding for the Migration and Economic Development Partnership with Rwanda will be funded through the overseas aid budget. [Transferred] (155858)
- 135 **Tulip Siddiq** (Hampstead and Kilburn): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps her Department has taken to hold Iran to account following Iran reneging on its agreement to keep Morad Tahbaz out on furlough; and whether the Government has requested that any restrictions be imposed on Iran's access to IMS funds as a result. (157460)
- 136 **Tulip Siddiq** (Hampstead and Kilburn): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what criteria her Department uses to assess whether to refer a case to be handled by the Special Cases team in her Consular Department; and whether those criteria are publicly available. (157461)
- 137 **Tulip Siddiq** (Hampstead and Kilburn): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps her Department took between October 2021 to March 2022 to (a) challenge the convictions of Nazanin Zaghari-Ratcliffe by the Iranian Revolutionary Courts and (b) demand that those convictions be annulled by Iran. (157463)

- 138 **Tulip Siddiq** (Hampstead and Kilburn): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether her Department's guidelines on how FCDO staff should respond to allegations of torture by British nationals overseas have been revised since the Guidance for FDCO staff on reporting torture and mistreatment was issued in March 2011. (157464)
- 139 **Tulip Siddiq** (Hampstead and Kilburn): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to the 2011 Guidance for Foreign Office Staff on reporting torture and mistreatment, what guidance is given to consulate staff on how to respond to situations where British nationals abroad are asked to sign forced confessions. (157465)
- 140 **Tulip Siddiq** (Hampstead and Kilburn): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether she intends to amend her Department's travel advice for Iran to make explicit mention of the risk of torture. (157466)
- 141 **Tulip Siddiq** (Hampstead and Kilburn): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, pursuant to Answer of 19 April to Questions 32460 and 32461, what plans she has to conduct a review of how it could better support British nationals who have reported torture and mistreatment. (157467)
- 142 **Tulip Siddiq** (Hampstead and Kilburn): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 19 July 2021 to Question 32462 on Prisoners: Torture, if she will instruct her Department to start collating statistics on (a) the proportion of allegations of torture of British citizens including dual nationals overseas raised with local authorities, (b) whether such allegations raised by her Department resulted in overseas prosecutions of overseas officials, (c) whether allegations would constitute torture or whether they would constitute other cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment, (d) the number and type of referrals made to the pro-bono medical panel in cases of torture or ill-treatment, (e) the number of British citizens including dual nationals who request the Government to formally espouse their legal claims for damages following allegations of torture or ill-treatment by officials or agents of foreign governments and (f) the number of such claims that have been formally espoused. (157468)
- 143 **Tulip Siddiq** (Hampstead and Kilburn): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how allegations of torture of UK citizens by another country's police, security services or prison system are taken into account when awarding UK aid to that country; and whether the Government has ever conditioned or reduced UK aid to another country for the purposes of encouraging that country to cease the torture of British citizens. (157469)
- 144 **Tulip Siddiq** (Hampstead and Kilburn): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps the Government takes to exercise its obligations under the Convention Against Torture where British citizens are being tortured abroad. (157470)
- 145 **Tulip Siddiq** (Hampstead and Kilburn): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps the Government takes to help prevent the torture of British citizens abroad. (157471)
- 146 **Tulip Siddiq** (Hampstead and Kilburn): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether consular cases where a UK citizen is being tortured or is at risk of torture are treated differently to other consular cases; and in what way they differ. (157472)

- 147 **Tulip Siddiq** (Hampstead and Kilburn): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps her Department takes to help protect British citizens from torture abroad once such torture is alleged. (157473)
- 148 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 29 March 2022 to Question 143639, if she will publish data relating to the proportions of (a) money laundering cases under investigation, (b) value of assets subject to restraint, (c) value of assets confiscated, (d) value of assets enforced, (e) value of assets returned from confiscation work and (f) other performance measures in relation to (i) geographic regions of the countries affected, and (ii) income levels of the countries affected. (157313)
- 149 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what plans she has to include assessments of the cross-border money laundering risks faced and posed by the UK to countries in Africa in the next National Risk Assessment of money laundering and terrorist financing. (157314)
- 150 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many applications to the Homes for Ukraine scheme were received by UKVI between 18 March and 25 March 2022; and of those how many had received a permission to travel letter as of 18 April 2022. (157510)
- 151 **Stephen Farry** (North Down): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the potential merits of extending seasonal workers' visas for Ukrainian nationals beyond 31 December 2022, to bring it in line with the three-year visas granted by the Ukraine Family Scheme. (157525)
- 152 **Stephen Farry** (North Down): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of access to healthcare and prescription medication for Ukrainian nationals with seasonal workers visas and no access to public funds. (157526)
- 153N **Peter Kyle** (Hove): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, for what reason there are delays between her Department deciding to approve permission to travel for an applicant to the Homes for Ukraine Scheme and that applicant receiving an email with confirmation of that decision. [Transferred] (155848)
- 154 **Caroline Lucas** (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will make it her policy to use the forthcoming Queen's Speech to bring forward proposals for a Hillsborough law, based on the recommendations set out in the 2017 Government commissioned report by The Right Reverend James Jones KBE, *The Patronising Disposition of Unaccountable Power*; and if she will make a statement. [Transferred] (156419)
- 155 **Tulip Siddiq** (Hampstead and Kilburn): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what procedures her Department has in place for victims of hostage taking; and whether she plans to develop safeguarding guidance for public authorities and staff. (157474)
- 156 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, when he plans to respond to the letter dated 9 February 2022 from the hon. Member for West Lancashire regarding violence against women and girls, reference ZA58879. (157296)
- 157 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether he plans to provide further military assistance to Ukraine in the context of the Russian invasion of that country. (157365)

- 158 **Tulip Siddiq** (Hampstead and Kilburn): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to the Answer of 17 September 2021 to Question 41086 on Iran: International Military Services, whether court proceedings between International Military Services Ltd and Modsaf have closed or if further hearings are expected. (157475)
- 159 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what steps she is taking to tackle online financial fraud. (157358)
- 160 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what estimate he has made of the number of child abductions in the UK in each of the last five years. (157366)
- 161 **Catherine West** (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what steps he is taking to reduce backlogs in family court cases. (157482)
- 162 **Deidre Brock** (Edinburgh North and Leith): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, who will appoint members to the Efficiency and Value for Money Committee. (157402)
- 163 **Deidre Brock** (Edinburgh North and Leith): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what the selection criteria are for membership of the Efficiency and Value for Money Committee. (157403)
- 164 **Deidre Brock** (Edinburgh North and Leith): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if the Efficiency and Value for Money Committee will publish the minutes of its meetings. (157404)
- 165N **Ian Byrne** (Liverpool, West Derby): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what recent estimate the Government has made of the basic cost of living for a family comprised of one adult and two children. [Transferred] (156625)
- 166N **Ian Byrne** (Liverpool, West Derby): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what recent estimate the Government has made of the basic cost of living for a family comprised of one adult and three or more children. [Transferred] (156626)
- 167N **Ian Byrne** (Liverpool, West Derby): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what recent estimate the Government has made of the basic cost of living for a family comprised of two adults and one child. [Transferred] (156627)
- 168N **Ian Byrne** (Liverpool, West Derby): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what recent estimate the Government has made of the basic cost of living for a family comprised of two adults and two children. [Transferred] (156628)
- 169 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, when he plans to respond to the letter dated 10 February 2022 from the hon. Member for West Lancashire regarding pay-per-mile road charging, reference ZA58897, which was transferred to his department from the Department for Transport on 23 February 2022. (157298)
- 170 **Dr Luke Evans** (Bosworth): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of including infrared heat panels in zero rating VAT policy in respect of energy saving measures. (157518)
- 171 **Louise Haigh** (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, pursuant to the Answer of 1 April 2022 to Question 145936, on Shipping: Minimum Wage, how many inspections of businesses HMRC has undertaken to ensure that seafarers and other maritime persons who work or ordinarily work in the UK or in UK territorial waters are paid the national minimum wage. (157434)

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- 172 **Sally-Ann Hart** (Hastings and Rye): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether the DIY Self-Build Scheme allows an applicant to claim all VAT relief that is available to building contractors. (157523)
- 173 **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the extent to which the 5 pence fuel duty reduction has been passed on to consumers. [Transferred] (156439)
- 174N **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to the statement on page 31 of the Spring Statement that the definition of R&D for tax reliefs will be expanded by clarifying that pure mathematics is a qualifying cost and that the government will legislate so that expenditure on overseas R&D activities can still qualify, what assessment has been made of the financial implications of that matter; and what the rationale was for that decision. [Transferred] (156449)
- 175N **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment his Department has made of the factors contribute to the doubling of R&D tax credit claims in 2019-2020 when compared to 2018-2019; and in which regions that increase occurred. [Transferred] (156450)
- 176 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps he is taking to help ensure that gambling companies pay back any money incorrectly allocated by his covid-19 furlough policies. (157364)
- 177 **Derek Thomas** (St Ives): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of (a) raising the VAT threshold and (b) implementing a smoothing mechanism to reduce tax and administrative barriers to opening outside peak season for businesses in communities reliant on tourism. (157483)
- 178 **Derek Thomas** (St Ives): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of a pilot scheme to raise the VAT threshold for businesses on the Isles of Scilly, to assess the impact on businesses of having fewer barriers to a longer season. (157484)
- 179 **Geraint Davies** (Swansea West): To ask the Secretary of State for Wales, what recent discussions he has had with the Welsh government on legislative proposals for a Clean Air (Wales) Bill. (157262)
- 180 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, whether she has had recent discussions with the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Communities and Housing on ensuring that the safety of women is taken into account when pedestrian routes are designed. (157427)
- 181 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, whether the Government issues guidance on how pedestrian route designs can best incorporate the safety of women. (157428)
- 182 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, what routes are available for women to raise concerns on pedestrian routes identified by them as unsafe. (157429)
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## Questions for Answer on Tuesday 26 April

### Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of diverging from the European Union's Tobacco Products Directive in favour of progressive tobacco harm reduction policies that support the Government's levelling up agenda. (157312)
- 2N **Angela Rayner** (Ashton-under-Lyne): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how much his Department spent in total on external recruitment consultants in (a) 2019, (b) 2020 and (c) 2021; how many full time equivalent posts were filled as a result of that expenditure; and how many of those posts were filled by individuals recruited from outside the civil service. (157378)
- 3N **Geraint Davies** (Swansea West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what estimate he has made of the level of carbon emissions in tonnes from central or standalone (a) heating in winter and (b) cooling in summer from buildings for which he is responsible that rely solely on natural ventilation. (157257)
- 4N **Geraint Davies** (Swansea West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether he has undertaken a comparative assessment of the carbon emissions required to heat and cool a building (a) relying solely on natural ventilation and (b) recirculating air at a typical rate through a mechanical heating, ventilation and air conditioning system. (157258)
- 5N **Geraint Davies** (Swansea West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, when he plans to publish the Government's Biomass Strategy 2022. (157259)
- 6N **Geraint Davies** (Swansea West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what tender process his Department is using to select a provider to take over the running of the Government's Biomass Suppliers List with effect from 1 July 2021. (157260)
- 7N **Geraint Davies** (Swansea West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether the terms and conditions governing HETAS's contract with his Department to manage the Biomass Suppliers List require it to declare (a) current and (b) future potential conflicts of interest. (157261)
- 8N **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what level of greenhouse gas reduction the UK Overseas Territories of Gibraltar, the Cayman Islands and the Falkland Islands have achieved under the UK ratification of the Doha Amendment to the Kyoto Protocol; and whether they have fulfilled their targets. (157284)
- 9N **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what estimate his Department has made of the total annual greenhouse gas emissions arising from the UK Overseas Territories which are currently not incorporated within the Paris Agreement. (157285)
- 10N **Dr Andrew Murrison** (South West Wiltshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what recent discussions the Government has had with relevant counterparts on the resilience of international supply chains of semiconductors. [Transferred] (906611)

- 11N **Sir Mike Penning** (Hemel Hempstead): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, when she will publish the Gambling Review White Paper. (157288)
- 12N **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, which organisations his Department expect to sit on local SEND partnerships following the SEND review. (157454)
- 13N **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if he will ensure that families of children with SEND will be included in local SEND partnerships, following the SEND Review. (157455)
- 14N **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, in the context of the SEND review, what oversight his Department will have of local inclusion plans, including how they are assessed and monitored. (157456)
- 15N **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, in the context of the SEND Review, what steps his Department is taking to help ensure digitised EHCP processes do not exclude people without easy access to digital services. (157457)
- 16N **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, in the context of the SEND Review, whether parents will be able to seek a setting not specified on a local inclusion plan if they consider the specified settings were not suitable for their child. (157458)
- 17N **Mr Laurence Robertson** (Tewkesbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will officially define food production as a Public Good; and if he will make a statement. (157268)
- 18N **Mr Laurence Robertson** (Tewkesbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will suspend incremental reductions in Basic Payment Scheme for 2022 and 2023 as a result of potential uncertainty and higher cost of production across all sectors. (157269)
- 19N **Mr Laurence Robertson** (Tewkesbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will prioritise environmental land management scheme funding for the Sustainable Farming Initiative in order to attract more farmers to the scheme; and if he will make a statement. (157270)
- 20N **Daniel Zeichner** (Cambridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what discussions he has had with the Secretary of State for Transport on the prioritisation of fresh produce as part of Operation Brock. (157388)
- 21N **Bill Esterson** (Sefton Central): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, With reference to the Minister for Trade policy's oral contribution of 21 April, to Question 23, if she will publish a copy of any written offer to the TUC to join the Trade Advisory Board. (157345)
- 22N **Owen Thompson** (Midlothian): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what steps she is taking to help remove trade barriers for UK-based companies exporting live insect eggs to EU countries. (157451)
- 23N **Owen Thompson** (Midlothian): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, if she will take steps to reduce the cumulative costs of vet health checks and employing export and import agents for companies selling live insect eggs to the EU. (157452)

- 24N **Olivia Blake** (Sheffield, Hallam): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, pursuant to his Answer of 19 April 2022 to Question 150299 on the Homes for Ukraine scheme: Sheffield, what plans he has to publish data on sponsors by local authority. (157530)
- 25N **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, pursuant to the Answer of 19 April 2022 to Question 151013, on Refugees: Ukraine, what work the National Crime Agency is undertaking with social media companies in respect of the Homes for Ukraine scheme. (157289)
- 26N **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, pursuant to the Answer of 19 April 2022 to Question 149188 on Homes for Ukraine Scheme, what specific support his Department has provided to local authorities to expand their capacity to implement safeguarding checks on sponsors applying for the Homes for Ukraine scheme. (157290)
- 27N **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, pursuant to Answer of 19 April to Question 151012, what steps his Department is taking to help increase local authorities' capacity to deal with safeguarding issues raised by applicants of the Homes for Ukraine scheme. (157291)
- 28N **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, pursuant to Answer of 19 April to Question 151014, if he will provide additional funding to local authorities to deal with the potential increase in homelessness from Ukrainians arriving on the Family Scheme and the Homes for Ukraine scheme. (157292)
- 29N **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, if the Shared Prosperity Fund's R&D funding be equivalent to the European Regional Development Funding R&D funding in terms of (a) absolute amount, (b) proportion, and (c) regional distribution. (157353)
- 30N **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what plans he has to assess the effectiveness of R&D interventions included in the investment plan submitted to the Government for approval for Shared Prosperity Fund funding. (157354)
- 31N **Mr Virendra Sharma** (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what assessment he has made of the effectiveness of the revised Model Tenancy Agreement in supporting more tenants in privately-rented homes to own a pet dog or cat. (157323)
- 32N **Mr Virendra Sharma** (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether the Government plans to take steps to support private renters who would like to own a pet dog or cat to do so responsibly, in the context of Battersea's Pet Friendly Properties campaign. (157324)
- 33N **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what assessment his Department has made of the (a) average legal costs of pursuing a civil court injunction to enforce compliance with the Party Wall Act 1996 and (b) extent to which those costs prohibit homeowners from reaching a resolution. (157514)

- 34N **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what assessment has been made of the potential merits of amending the Party Wall Act 1996 to compel homeowners undertaking works subject to the Act to serve a party wall notice. (157515)
- 35N **Louise Haigh** (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference his oral statement of 30 March 2022, Official Report, column 840, who the relevant port authorities are for the purposes of enforcement of proposed minimum wage legislation at the London Gateway port. (157432)
- 36N **Louise Haigh** (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many and what proportion of orders for zero emission buses using funding from the Zero Emission Buses Regional Area scheme have been secured by UK manufacturers. (157433)
- 37N **Louise Haigh** (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 1 April 2022 to Question 145940, on P&O Ferries: Redundancy, whether it was while standing at the Despatch Box that he was first informed that the (a) Kent Resilience Forum or (b) Cabinet Office were being convened to manage disruption as a result of potential dismissals of employees by P&O Ferries. (157435)
- 38N **Louise Haigh** (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 1 April 2022 to Question 145943, on P&O Ferries: Temporary Employment, whether it was while standing at the Despatch Box that he was first informed that P&O planned to use agency staff to restart routes in the event of dismissals of employees by P&O Ferries. (157436)
- 39N **Louise Haigh** (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 1 April 2022 to Question 146535, on P&O Ferries: Redundancy, whether it was while standing at the Despatch Box that he first became aware of disruption with the potential to last up to ten days in the event of dismissals by P&O Ferries. (157438)
- 40N **Sir Greg Knight** (East Yorkshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what estimate he has made of when the lane closures on and in the vicinity of Boothferry Bridge on the M62 will be removed and all lanes open to traffic. (157282)
- 41N **Angela Rayner** (Ashton-under-Lyne): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 19 April 2022 to Question 151129, on DP World and P&O Ferries: Contracts, if he will list the contracts with P&O Ferries and DP World that the Government has so far identified through its review. [R] (157377)
- 42N **Jonathan Reynolds** (Stalybridge and Hyde): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of the reasons for the recent rises in shipping container costs. [Transferred] (156428)
- 43N **Mr Laurence Robertson** (Tewkesbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps he is taking to ensure that people living in houses without driveways will have access to electric car charging points before 2030; and if he will make a statement. (157267)
- 44N **Peter Grant** (Glenrothes): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, when she will respond to the correspondence dated 9 March 2022 from the hon. Member for Glenrothes and Central Fife on delays with state pensions in summer 2021, reference PG5490. (157411)

- 45N **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many ambulance services are at Level 4 in the Resource Escalation Action Plan in England as at 21 April 2022. (157513)
- 46N **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to respond to the letter dated 18 February 2022 from the hon. Member for West Lancashire, reference ZA58962 regarding access to dental treatment. (157300)
- 47N **Stella Creasy** (Walthamstow): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many patients were diagnosed with neuroleptic malignant syndrome in each year from 2016 to 2021. (157347)
- 48N **Stella Creasy** (Walthamstow): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what research projects his Department has funded into neuroleptic malignant syndrome since 2016. (157348)
- 49N **Virginia Crosbie** (Ynys Môn): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure that chronic lymphocytic leukaemia patients on active monitoring receive sufficient tailored support to maintain their mental and physical wellbeing. (157529)
- 50N **Jonathan Edwards** (Carmarthen East and Dinefwr): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the supplies of anti-radiation treatments required in the event of a nuclear attack; and whether he has had discussions on this matter with the Welsh Government. (157341)
- 51N **Andrew Gwynne** (Denton and Reddish): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 20 April 2022 to Question 151008 on Coronavirus: Drugs, what specific local issues the National Health Service was aware of are; and which local areas have reported issues in distributing antiviral and retroviral treatment. (157287)
- 52N **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the Queen's Nursing Institute report entitled Workforce Standards for the District Nursing Service, published in February 2022, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of that publication; whether his Department or NHS England has held any discussions with relevant stakeholders about that document and implementing its recommendations, since its publication; and if he will make a statement. (157488)
- 53N **Mr David Jones** (Clwyd West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment he has made of the impact on human health of the consumption of game containing lead shot; and if he will make a statement. (157286)
- 54N **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what comparative assessment he has made of the impact of the absence of combustion in heat-not-burn and snus products and combustion in cigarettes on the level of harm caused to users of those products. (157307)
- 55N **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department has established a technical distinction between (a) heat-not-burn products, (b) Snus and (c) other reduced risk products, to help distinguish them from more harmful tobacco products. (157308)

- 56N **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the effectiveness of the regulatory conditions placed on heat-not-burn products in Japan to help reduce smoking. (157309)
- 57N **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to reduce smoking prevalence following the UK leaving the European Union. (157310)
- 58N **Barbara Keeley** (Worsley and Eccles South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the Royal College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists' recent position statement on Equitable access to maternity care for refugee, asylum seeking and undocumented migrant women, if his Department will publish (a) data on the number of migrant women who have been charged for maternity care and (b) an assessment of the impact of charging migrant women for maternity care. (157318)
- 59N **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the recommendations in the Goldacre review, what steps he is taking to ensure that NHS data policies take into consideration the limitations of (a) pseudonymisation and (b) trust as techniques when managing patient privacy; and what discussions he has had with the Cabinet Office on the implications of that policy for Government data sharing more broadly. (157350)
- 60N **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the implications of the Goldacre Review for data sharing in the NHS and data privacy and control for NHS patients; and what assessment he has made of the compatibility of that review's recommendations with data sharing policies in (a) the rest of his Department and (b) other Government departments. (157352)
- 61N **Angela Rayner** (Ashton-under-Lyne): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 20 April 2022 to Question 122676, what systems were used to record the results of the due diligence checks on suppliers of PPE during the covid-19 pandemic. (157376)
- 62N **Angela Rayner** (Ashton-under-Lyne): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 20 April 2022 to Question 122676, on Protective Clothing: Contracts, whether his Department holds data on what proportion of assessments made included a traffic-light rating of the potential supplier. (157379)
- 63N **Angela Rayner** (Ashton-under-Lyne): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 21 April 2022 to Question 145886, on Randox Laboratories: Contracts, on how many contracts for supply of personal protective equipment his Department has carried out international price benchmarking since October 2020. (157380)
- 64N **Jon Trickett** (Hemsworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate he has made of the number of junior doctors who started their training in each of the last five years. (157273)
- 65N **Jon Trickett** (Hemsworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has made an assessment of the educational backgrounds of doctors. (157274)

- 66N **Jonathan Edwards** (Carmarthen East and Dinefwr): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent discussions she has had with her international counterparts on support for Ukraine's budgetary and economic stability. (157342)
- 67N **Layla Moran** (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment she has made of whether the G7 will meet its covid-19 vaccine donation target. (157491)
- 68N **Brendan O'Hara** (Argyll and Bute): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether the British Ambassador to Bahrain will attend the 24 April 2022 sentencing of Duaa Alwadaei in Bahrain, the British-Bahraini wife of human rights defender, Sayed Ahmed Alwadaei. (157385)
- 69N **Mr Laurence Robertson** (Tewkesbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how many companies (a) made bids and (b) are being considered for the supply of protective electronic countermeasures; and if he will make a statement. (157266)
- 70N **Jon Trickett** (Hemsworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what diplomatic steps she is taking to help encourage the release of numerous political prisoners in Bahrain. (157272)
- 71N **Catherine West** (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps she is taking to support political prisoners in Hong Kong who have British citizenship. (157477)
- 72N **Hilary Benn** (Leeds Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to her Answer of 28 March 2022 to Question 145813, on Noise: Nuisance, and with reference to page 233 of the Government's white paper on Levelling Up in the United Kingdom, when she plans to ensure that police in England and Wales have the same powers to deal with noise complaints as are already available in Scotland. (157275)
- 73N **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to the Homes for Ukraine scheme, for what reason there is a delay between a positive decision to issue a visa and the provision of a Permission to Travel document. (157511)
- 74N **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with regards to her Department's MP hotline and Option 2 (Homes for Ukraine scheme), what the average call wait time is until calls are answered. (157512)
- 75N **Stella Creasy** (Walthamstow): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many applications have been made for pre-settled status under the EU Settlement Scheme from people who previously held a Residence Card under the old EU Regulations; and how many of those applications have been refused pre-settled status under the EU Settlement Scheme. (157346)
- 76N **Ms Harriet Harman** (Camberwell and Peckham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment her Department has made of the availability of potential legal routes to make public sexual harassment a crime. [Transferred] (156341)

- 77N **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many times have immigration enforcement encountered EEA nationals and their family members without status under the EUSS and been provided with a 28 Day Notice for EUSS letter since 1 July 2021. (157293)
- 78N **Stephen Kinnock** (Aberavon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will publish details of the (a) procurement process for awarding the contract to transfer asylum seekers to Rwanda under the UK-Rwanda Migration and Economic Development Partnership and (b) company that has been awarded that contract. (157381)
- 79N **Stephen Kinnock** (Aberavon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many asylum seekers living in contingency accommodation are in placed each local authority. (157382)
- 80N **Stephen Kinnock** (Aberavon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many and what proportion of the asylum seekers in contingency accommodation are (a) single men, (b) single women, (c) accompanied children with parents or guardians and (d) unaccompanied minors. (157383)
- 81N **Stephen Kinnock** (Aberavon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many asylum seekers there are in in contingency accommodation across the UK. (157384)
- 82N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the potential merits of integrating asylum applicants in local communities while those people are waiting for their application to be processed. (157412)
- 83N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of the policy of segregation at the proposed reception centre for asylum seekers at Linton on Ouse on (a) the asylum seekers at that centre and (b) local communities. (157413)
- 84N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether she has had discussions with Cabinet colleagues on the potential merits of introducing a homes for refugees programme whereby UK residents are able to open their homes to refugees irrespective of their country of origin. (157414)
- 85N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will make a comparative estimate of the cost of (a) a potential homes for refugees scheme, whereby UK residents are able to open their homes to refugees irrespective of their country of origin, and (b) accommodating a person in a bridging hotel according to costs as of 21 April 2022. (157415)
- 86N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to ensure that the faith needs of Afghan refugees are met during the month of Ramadan. (157416)
- 87N **Stewart Malcolm McDonald** (Glasgow South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether she received assurances that Rwanda will release the findings from its investigations into the shooting of 12 people at Kiziba refugee camp in 2018 prior to signing the Memorandum of Understanding relating to the processing of asylum seekers in that country. (157410)



- 88N **Stuart C McDonald** (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many people who were (a) nationals and (b) not nationals of Rwanda were removed to that country in each of the last twelve months. (157394)
- 89N **Stuart C McDonald** (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, (a) how many people have been removed to Rwanda under paragraph 345C of the Immigration Rules since 1 January 2022; and (b) how many of these removals were of persons who had neither been previously present or had a connection with Rwanda within the terms of that paragraph. (157395)
- 90N **Brendan O'Hara** (Argyll and Bute): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will ensure the Ukraine Family Scheme providing financial support to Ukrainian people seeking refuge and the £350 per month payment to sponsors is equivalent to the Homes for Ukraine Scheme and the Scottish and Welsh government's Super Sponsor Scheme. (157386)
- 91N **Brendan O'Hara** (Argyll and Bute): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether processes are in place to ensure that people who have come to the UK through the Homes for Ukraine scheme can transfer to a new sponsor in the event that the original sponsorship relationship breaks down or is found to be unsuitable; and whether people can transfer from the Homes for Ukraine scheme to the Scottish Government's super sponsor scheme. (157387)
- 92N **Sarah Olney** (Richmond Park): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many Ukrainian families have applied for visas under the Homes for Ukraine and Family Visa Scheme; and of those applications how many families have had visas approved for every family member. (157486)
- 93N **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether children with limited Leave to Remain may join football academies and register for academy leagues. (157357)
- 94N **Dave Doogan** (Angus): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, when remaining nuclear submarines that require defueling will undergo that process; and how much funding his Department has allocated to that process. (157503)
- 95N **Jonathan Edwards** (Carmarthen East and Dinefwr): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of the nuclear emergency response policy following the Russian invasion of Ukraine. (157340)
- 96N **Layla Moran** (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what estimate he has made of the total value of British military support provided to Ukraine in 2022 broken down by category of support. (157492)
- 97N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what data his Department holds on the number of successful prosecutions for identify fraud in each of the last five years. (157371)
- 98N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what data his Department holds on the number of prisoners with substance abuse issues (a) before their entry into prison and (b) after their sentence finishes. (157372)
- 99N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many prisoners have been released from custodial sentences on a Friday in each of the last five years. (157373)

- 100N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what steps his Department is taking to increase prosecution rates for fraud. (157374)
- 101N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what data his Department holds on the number of pre-sentence reports requested by the judiciary in each year since 2015. (157375)
- 102N **Layla Moran** (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what the Government intends to do with frozen assets of sanctioned individuals. (157493)
- 103N **Layla Moran** (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what the cost to the public purse is of maintaining frozen assets owned by individuals targeted under the Government's Magnitsky sanctions regime. (157494)

## Questions for Answer on Wednesday 27 April

### Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how many people are currently waiting for their airside security vetting to be completed by the UK Security Vetting. (157392)
- 2N **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether he has received representations from the Home Secretary on the merits of relaxing the rules for security vetting for airside crew at Airports in England. (157389)
- 3N **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether he has had recent discussions trade unions on any proposed changes to vetting requirements for airside crew at Airports in England. (157390)
- 4N **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment has he made of the impact on (a) passenger safety, and (b) security of allowing individuals with temporary airside passes to have unaccompanied access on airside locations in Airports in England. (157391)
- 5N **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to his Answer of 21 April to Question 151254 on Medical Records: Paper, whether he has made an assessment of the current practice of printing out the entire patient record for archival storage on the occasion of a patient's death or emigration; and if he will take steps to ensure the roll out of electronic patient records. (157489)
- 6N **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, when her Department last discussed trade union rights with her Colombian counterpart. (157393)
- 7N **Layla Moran** (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 19 April 2022 to Question 150287 on Development Aid: Vaccination, how many vaccines have been donated with an expiry date of three months or shorter since the beginning of the donation period; and whether the vaccines with less than three months to expire, or those destroyed, count towards the total number of vaccines donated. (157490)

- 8N **Yvette Cooper** (Normanton, Pontefract and Castleford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what the average waiting times are between a visa being issued and a decision letter being sent to applicants under the (a) Ukraine Family Scheme and (b) Homes for Ukraine scheme. (157276)
- 9N **Yvette Cooper** (Normanton, Pontefract and Castleford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether spending on the UK-Rwanda Migration Partnership will be counted as Overseas Development Assistance. (157277)
- 10N **Yvette Cooper** (Normanton, Pontefract and Castleford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether spending on the UK-Rwanda Migration Partnership will come out of the existing Home Office departmental budget. (157278)
- 11N **Darren Jones** (Bristol North West): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what financial support is available to individuals who are supporting refugees entering the UK via the Ukraine Family Visa scheme. (157487)
- 12N **Dave Doogan** (Angus): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that HMNB Clyde is protected from flooding; and how much do those measures cost. (157504)
- 13N **Marion Fellows** (Motherwell and Wishaw): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to his Department's Zero Tolerance policy published on 30 March 2022, whether the policy of ensuring that those found guilty of sexual offences will be administratively discharged from service with no option to serve elsewhere will apply to historic charges of sexual offence. (157405)
- 14N **Marion Fellows** (Motherwell and Wishaw): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to his Department's Zero Tolerance policy published on 30 March 2022, whether his Department is taking steps to ensure that those policy changes apply to those convicted of sexual offences historically. (157406)
- 15N **Kim Leadbeater** (Batley and Spen): To ask the Prime Minister, whether he had discussions with prime minister Modi during his visit to India on the issue of (a) Islamophobia and (b) discrimination and violence against Muslims in that country. (157533)

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#### Oral Questions to the Prime Minister

- 1 **Sally-Ann Hart** (Hastings and Rye): If he will list his official engagements for Wednesday 27 April. (906665)
- 2 **Nigel Mills** (Amber Valley): (906666)
- 3 **Laura Farris** (Newbury): (906667)
- 4 **Caroline Lucas** (Brighton, Pavilion): (906668)
- 5 **Vicky Foxcroft** (Lewisham, Deptford): (906669)
- 6 **Ben Bradley** (Mansfield): (906670)
- 7 **Anthony Browne** (South Cambridgeshire): (906671)
- 8 **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): (906672)

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9	<b>Felicity Buchan</b> (Kensington):	(906673)
10	<b>Jim Shannon</b> (Strangford):	(906674)
11	<b>Kate Osamor</b> (Edmonton):	(906675)
12	<b>Jeff Smith</b> (Manchester, Withington):	(906676)
13	<b>Paul Holmes</b> (Eastleigh):	(906677)
14	<b>Mel Stride</b> (Central Devon):	(906678)
15	<b>Aaron Bell</b> (Newcastle-under-Lyme):	(906679)

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## Questions for Answer on Thursday 28 April

### Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of a payment plan system for those in financial hardship who have incurred fines for non-compliance with the Clean Air Zone rules. (157271)
- 2N **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, following the UK's departure from the European Union, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of labelling food that contain probiotic microorganisms as probiotic. (157368)

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### Oral Questions to the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs

- 1 **Mary Kelly Foy** (City of Durham): What recent assessment his Department has made of the level of pollution in the river Wear. (906639)
- 2 **Jessica Morden** (Newport East): What assessment his Department has made of the impact of food price rises on household budgets. (906640)
- 3 **Robert Lorgan** (High Peak): What steps he is taking to strengthen flood defences. (906641)
- 4 **Ruth Edwards** (Rushcliffe): What steps he is taking to strengthen flood defences. (906642)
- 5 **Jamie Stone** (Caithness, Sutherland and Easter Ross): What steps his Department is taking to tackle the recent increase in fly tipping. (906643)
- 6 **Mr David Davis** (Haltemprice and Howden): What steps his Department is taking to improve flood defences (a) across the UK and (b) in Haltemprice and Howden. (906644)
- 7 **Sir Desmond Swayne** (New Forest West): What steps he is taking to reduce plastic waste. (906645)
- 8 **Fay Jones** (Brecon and Radnorshire): What steps he is taking to support farmers with rising fertiliser costs. (906646)

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- 9 **Richard Thomson** (Gordon): What recent assessment his Department has made of the impact of Russia's invasion of Ukraine on food security in the UK. (906647)
- 10 **Mr Alistair Carmichael** (Orkney and Shetland): What recent discussions he has had with his Faroese counterpart on access for Russian fishing vessels to shared UK-Faroese fishing grounds. (906648)
- 11 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): What estimate he has made of the level of food that will be produced by UK farmers in each of the next three years. (906649)
- 12 **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): What steps he is taking to tackle food insecurity in the context of increases in the cost of living. (906650)
- 13 **Chris Clarkson** (Heywood and Middleton): What steps he is taking to tackle fly tipping. (906651)
- 14 **Wera Hobhouse** (Bath): What recent discussions officials in his Department have had with representatives of the water industry on tackling the illegal discharge of untreated sewage into rivers across the UK. (906652)
- 15 **Robin Millar** (Aberconwy): What steps he is taking to increase tree planting. (906653)
- 16 **Mr John Whittingdale** (Maldon): What steps his Department is taking to help protect shellfish waters around the UK. (906654)
- 17 **Gerald Jones** (Merthyr Tydfil and Rhymney): What steps he is taking to tackle food insecurity in the context of increases in the cost of living. (906655)
- 18 **Mr Barry Sheerman** (Huddersfield): What steps he taking to tackle soil degradation. (906656)

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#### Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs

- T1 **Bim Afolami** (Hitchin and Harpenden): If he will make a statement on his departmental responsibilities. (906657)
- T2 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): (906658)
- T3 **Bob Blackman** (Harrow East): (906659)
- T4 **Mr David Davis** (Haltemprice and Howden): (906660)
- T5 **Anna Firth** (Southend West): (906661)
- T6 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): (906662)
- T7 **Mr John Whittingdale** (Maldon): (906663)
- T8 **Mr Alistair Carmichael** (Orkney and Shetland): (906664)

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Oral Questions to the hon. Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, the hon. Member for Broxbourne, representing the House of Commons Commission, the hon. Member for Alyn and Deeside representing the

Parliamentary Works Sponsor Body, the Chairman of the Public Accounts Commission and the hon. Member for City of Chester, representing the Speaker's Committee on the Electoral Commission

- 1 **John Lamont** (Berwickshire, Roxburgh and Selkirk): To ask the Rt hon. Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, what steps the Church of England is taking to support the people of Ukraine. (906627)
- 2 **Robin Millar** (Aberconwy): To ask the Rt hon. Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, what steps the Church of England is taking to strengthen its parish ministry. (906628)
- 3 **Fiona Bruce** (Congleton): To ask the Rt hon. Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, what steps the Church of England is taking to promote the freedom of religion and belief globally. (906629)
- 4 **Mr Richard Holden** (North West Durham): To ask the hon. Member for City of Chester, representing the Speaker's Committee on the Electoral Commission, what assessment the Commission has made of the potential merits of transitioning all councils to single member wards. (906630)
- 5 **Dame Meg Hillier** (Hackney South and Shoreditch): To ask the hon. Member for Alyn and Deeside, representing the Parliamentary Works Sponsor Body, what recent progress the Sponsor Body has made on the restoration and renewal programme. (906631)
- 6 **Selaine Saxby** (North Devon): To ask the Rt hon. Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, what steps the Church of England is taking to help create affordable and sustainable housing on its lands. (906632)
- 7 **Chris Loder** (West Dorset): To ask the Rt hon. Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, what recent discussions the Archbishop of Canterbury has had with his French counterparts on illegal migrant crossings in the Channel. (906633)
- 8 **Mr Philip Hollobone** (Kettering): To ask the Rt hon. Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, what steps the Church of England is taking to support family relationships, parenting and marriage. (906634)
- 9 **Sir Desmond Swayne** (New Forest West): To ask the Rt hon. Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, what steps the Church of England is taking to increase the number of candidates entering Holy Orders. (906635)
- 10 **Kevin Brennan** (Cardiff West): To ask the hon. Member for City of Chester, representing the Speaker's Committee on the Electoral Commission, what assessment the Commission has made of the impact of digital political advertising on free and fair elections. (906636)
- 11 **Marion Fellows** (Motherwell and Wishaw): To ask the hon. Member for City of Chester, representing the Speaker's Committee on the Electoral Commission, what recent discussions the Electoral Commission has had with the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities on the effectiveness of public consultation on measures in the Elections Bill. (906637)
- 12 **Michael Fabricant** (Lichfield): To ask the Rt hon. Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, what recent steps the Church of England has taken to support arts and culture; and if he will make a statement. (906638)