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Questions tabled on Tuesday 26 April 2022

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Questions for Answer on Wednesday 27 April

Questions for Written Answer

- 1 **Mark Pritchard** (The Wrekin): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what support his Department is providing to Harper Adams University to research the potential merits of automated farms. [Transferred] (158900)
- 2 **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, with reference to the Homes for Ukraine scheme, what advice his Department provides to local authorities when an accommodation check has failed. [Transferred] (159067)
- 3 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, pursuant to the Answer of 17 June 2021 to Question 154372 on Parking: Key Workers, how much of that funding will come from his Department's budgets. [Transferred] (159073)
- 4 **John Redwood** (Wokingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what the projected reduction in rail losses and rail subsidy is for the 2022-23 compared to 2021-22. [Transferred] (158848)
- 5 **Imran Hussain** (Bradford East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, on what date the Department for Work and Pensions' site on Leeds Road, Bradford will close. [Transferred] (158978)
- 6 **Imran Hussain** (Bradford East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether compulsory redundancies will result from the closure of the Department site on Leeds Road, Bradford. [Transferred] (158979)

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- 7 **Imran Hussain** (Bradford East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what estimate she has made of the number of jobs that will be affected by the closure of the Department for Work and Pensions site on Leeds Road, Bradford. [Transferred] (158980)
- 8 **Imran Hussain** (Bradford East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment she has made of the profile of the civil servants affected by the closure of the Department site on Leeds Road, Bradford by (a) age, (b) race, (c) gender and (d) disability. [Transferred] (158981)
- 9N **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the impact of supply chain delays on the availability of hormone replacement therapy treatments. [Transferred] (157600)
- 10 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department has taken to fund research into intra-nasal covid-19 vaccines. [Transferred] (158956)
- 11 **Wera Hobhouse** (Bath): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many people were charged with upskirting in each year since 2019. [Transferred] (159045)
- 12 **Alicia Kearns** (Rutland and Melton): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what discussions his Department has had with (a) NATO allies and (b) Cabinet colleagues on the sale of military jets to Serbia in the context of the (i) level of risk of escalation in Bosnia and (ii) failure of Serbia to sanction Russia. [Transferred] (159101)
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Questions for Answer on Thursday 28 April

Questions for Written Answer

- 1 **Mr Ben Bradshaw** (Exeter): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what estimate he has made of the number of jobs that will be affected by the closure of the Department for Work and Pensions' processing site at Clarendon House, Exeter. (160432)
- 2 **Mr Ben Bradshaw** (Exeter): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether compulsory redundancies will result from the closure of the Department for Work and Pension's processing site at Clarendon House, Exeter. (160433)
- 3 **Mr Ben Bradshaw** (Exeter): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, if he will publish his Department's (a) equality and (b) socio-economic impact assessment in respect of the closure of the Department for Work and Pension's processing site at Clarendon House, Exeter. (160434)

- 4N **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how many pharmacists, as defined by the ONS occupation code 2213, pharmaceutical technicians as defined by ONS code 3217, and pharmacy and other dispensing assistants as defined by ONS occupation code 7114 died during the covid-19 pandemic in England in the period 1 March 2020 to 31 March 2022. [Transferred] (159111)
- 5 **Rachel Hopkins** (Luton South): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what is the total cost to the public purse of the (a) travel, (b) accommodation, and (c) printing costs of the Minister for Brexit Opportunities and Government Efficiency's visits to civil service offices across the country in the last (i) 7, (ii) 14, (iii) 21 and (iv) 28 days. (160584)
- 6 **Chris Law** (Dundee West): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, with reference to the Statistics on International Development: Provisional UK Aid Spend 2021, if he will provide a breakdown of Official Development Assistance spending on COP26 in 2021. (160505)
- 7 **Layla Moran** (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether he has instructed No. 10 staff to preserve evidence for the inquiry into the Government's handling of the covid-19 outbreak. (160546)
- 8 **Hilary Benn** (Leeds Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what data his Department holds on the number of disconnections of customers in England for non-payment of (a) gas and (b) electricity bills in each of the last five years. (160448)
- 9N **Louise Haigh** (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, when the Insolvency Service will report on the formal and civil investigations into the circumstances surrounding the redundancies made by P&O Ferries in March 2022. [Transferred] (159018)
- 10 **Mr Richard Holden** (North West Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps he is taking to help ensure an adequate supply of cobalt steel for UK industry following Russia's invasion of Ukraine. (160565)
- 11 **Mr Richard Holden** (North West Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps he is taking to ensure that steel required for UK manufacturing that is not produced in the UK is accessible to UK industry in the context of the impact of import quotas on market access to that product. (160566)
- 12 **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what the entire cost to the public purse has been for the establishment of the Historical Shortfall Scheme. (160453)
- 13 **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how much money from the public purse has been paid out by the Historical Shortfall Scheme to date. (160454)

- 14 **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, with reference to the Historical Shortfall Scheme: Information on Progress published by the Post Office, what assessment he has made of the reasons that 44 applications to the Historical Shortfall Scheme remain in the dispute process. (160455)
- 15 **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether money paid out under the Historical Shortfall Scheme comes directly from his Departmental budget. (160456)
- 16 **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what estimate he has made of the amount of public money expected to be paid out under the Historical Shortfall Scheme. (160457)
- 17 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps he is taking to assess the future industrial opportunities of towns, cities and regions. (160528)
- 18N **Layla Moran** (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy,, what steps he has taken to ensure that the UK's associate membership of the Horizon Europe programme is ratified to prevent the European Research Council (ERC) from withdrawing funding for scientists and academics. [Transferred] (159062)
- 19 **Sarah Olney** (Richmond Park): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what estimate his Department has made of number of (a) businesses and (b) individuals qualified to implement retrofitting measures in homes and buildings across England in the latest period for which figures are available. (160539)
- 20 **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what steps she is taking with Spotify to help ensure that anti-Semitic content on that platform is swiftly removed. (160538)
- 21N **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 the increase in energy costs on the cost of running public swimming pools; and what support he will provide to help public swimming pools meet that increase in costs. [Transferred] (159009)
- 22 **Sarah Olney** (Richmond Park): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, pursuant to the Answer of 25 April 2022 to Question 154260 on Department for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport: Aviation, what the total cost of the 246 domestic flights taken by officials in her Department was between April 2019 and March 2020. (160540)

- 23 **Sarah Olney** (Richmond Park): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, pursuant to the Answer of 25 April 2022 to Question 154260 on Department for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport: Aviation, how many rail journeys officials in her Department made between (a) London and Edinburgh, (b) London and Glasgow and (c) Southampton and Newcastle in 2019-2020. (160541)
- 24 **Imran Hussain** (Bradford East): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment he has made of the impact of the proposed minimum entry criteria for the student finance system on equality of access to education. (160491)
- 25 **Imran Hussain** (Bradford East): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what estimate he has made of the proportion of students on free school meals who will not qualify for students loans due to the minimum entry criteria for higher education. (160492)
- 26 **Imran Hussain** (Bradford East): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether his Department has made an assessment of the value of university courses. (160493)
- 27 **Imran Hussain** (Bradford East): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment his Department has made of the implications for its policies of the Institute for Fiscal Studies' recently published research on proposed changes to the student loan system. (160494)
- 28 **Imran Hussain** (Bradford East): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to his Department's press release, Education Secretary calls for an end to low value degrees, published on 26 May 2019, whether his Department's assessment of a low-value degree takes into consideration the socio-economic backgrounds of students in the context of courses where 60 per cent of graduates do not go into professional employment or further study. (160495)
- 29 **Imran Hussain** (Bradford East): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to his Department's press release, Education Secretary calls for an end to low value degrees, published on 26 May 2019, whether his Department's assessment of a low-value degree takes into consideration the gender composition of students in the context of courses where 60 per cent of graduates do not go into professional employment or further study. (160496)
- 30 **Imran Hussain** (Bradford East): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to his Department's press release, Education Secretary calls for an end to low value degrees, published on 26 May 2019, whether his Department's assessment of a low-value degree takes into consideration the ethnic backgrounds of students in the context of courses where 60 per cent of graduates do not go into professional employment or further study. (160497)
- 31 **Imran Hussain** (Bradford East): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to his Department's press release, Education Secretary calls for an end to low value degrees, published on 26 May 2019, whether his Department's

- assessment of a low-value degree takes into consideration the disabilities of students in the context of courses where 60 per cent of graduates do not go into professional employment or further study. (160498)
- 32 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps he is taking to ensure that young people with (a) sensory impairment or (b) physical can reach the same attainment as their peers in the education system. (160525)
- 33 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps he is taking to help ensure that school pupils with SEND are receiving sufficient catch up support to achieve their full potential, following the covid-19 outbreak. (160526)
- 34 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps he is taking to ensure pupils who have experienced detriment due to the covid-19 pandemic are able to access post-16 catch-up support in education and apprenticeships. (160527)
- 35 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what data his Department holds on the number of councils providing business rates relief to childcare providers in England as of 26 April 2022. (160543)
- 36 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department is taking to increase (a) recruitment and (b) retention rates among childcare providers in England. (160544)
- 37 **Sarah Olney** (Richmond Park): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department is taking to increase the provision of (a) training programmes and (b) other support for people seeking to become qualified to fit retrofitting measures in homes. (160542)
- 38N **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what estimate he has made of the additional costs to British chemical companies of registering with UK REACH. [Transferred] (158946)
- 39N **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the impact on trade with the EU for British chemical companies of having to operate within UK REACH and EU REACH. [Transferred] (158947)
- 40N **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what estimate he has made of the cost to the public purse of running and managing the UK REACH system. [Transferred] (158948)
- 41 **Anna Firth** (Southend West): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, following the consultation on the draft Joint Fisheries Statement, whether he has plans to consult Parliament on the future direction of UK fisheries management before publishing the final Joint Fisheries Statement in November 2022. (160586)

- 42N **Caroline Lucas** (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, with reference to the Answer of 19 April 2022 to Question 148359 on Outdoor Recreation which stated that there are no plans to release the Agnew Review in a consolidated way, if he will place a copy of the (a) final report and (b) recommendations of the review, otherwise known as the Access to the Outdoors Commission, in the Library. [Transferred] (158924)
- 43 **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how many (a) dogs and (b) cats were imported under the Ballai Directive in each month of 2022. (160552)
- 44 **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how many dogs entered the UK from (a) the Republic of Ireland and (b) Romania in each month of 2022. (160553)
- 45 **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how many dogs entered the UK from the European Union in each month in 2022. (160554)
- 46 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the impact of storm water on surface water flooding; and what steps he is taking to mitigate flooding resulting from storms. (160509)
- 47 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of which infrastructure is most effective in removing excess storm water to help prevent flooding. (160510)
- 48N **Valerie Vaz** (Walsall South): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what the Government's policy is on creating a register of carbon offset schemes in the UK to monitor the purchase of viable agricultural land used for this purpose. [Transferred] (158942)
- 49 **Fleur Anderson** (Putney): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps the Government is taking to abolish marriage value. (160560)
- 50 **Fleur Anderson** (Putney): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what plans he has to bring forward legislative proposals to abolish marriage value. (160561)
- 51 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps he is taking to help ensure that new planning developments include a focus on surface water flooding prevention. (160511)
- 52 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps he is taking to ensure that Local Plans prioritise land use according to flooding risk. (160512)

- 53 **Imran Hussain** (Bradford East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what discussions he has had with representatives of the Health and Safety Executive on the safety of employees aboard P&O Ferries vessels. (160499)
- 54 **Alicia Kearns** (Rutland and Melton): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what progress his Department has made on reviewing bids by local authorities for the Restoring Your Railways Fund. (160563)
- 55 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps he is taking to support investment in sustainable freight locomotives. (160513)
- 56 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps he is taking to (a) decarbonise and (b) increase efficiency in the rail freight sector. (160514)
- 57 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps he will take help improve rail freight capacity. (160515)
- 58 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what estimate he has made of the proportion freight that will transfer from road to rail in each of the next five years. (160516)
- 59 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps he is taking to address (a) climate, (b) workforce and (c) capacity issues in the road haulage sector. (160517)
- 60 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will provide support for the future of the rail industry through a research and development bicentenary challenge for the rail sector. (160518)
- 61 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps he is taking to invest in end to end journey research to help improve passenger experiences on public transport. (160519)
- 62 **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent assessment he has made of the causes for the reported backlogs at the DVLA; and what steps he is taking to resolve these issues. (160437)
- 63 **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what discussions he has had with the DVLA on reports that staff have been off work on full pay in the context of an application backlog. (160438)
- 64 **Mr Ben Bradshaw** (Exeter): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, on what date the Department's processing site at Clarendon House, Exeter will close. (160435)
- 65 **Mr Ben Bradshaw** (Exeter): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if she will provide details of the civil servants affected by the closure of the Department's processing site at Clarendon House in Exeter by (a) age, (b) ethnicity, (c) gender and (d) disability. (160436)

- 66 **Mr Richard Holden** (North West Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, when her Department reviewed the (a) thresholds for and (b) amount of pension tax credit in each of the last five years; and what changes were made to those (i) thresholds and (ii) amounts at each of those reviews. (160564)
- 67N **Sir Gavin Williamson** (South Staffordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if she will issue guidance to local authorities to prioritise families who rely on non-price capped fuel for the Household Support Fund. [Transferred] (158943)
- 68 **Fleur Anderson** (Putney): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will take steps to ensure NICE updates its guidelines on endometriosis to provide better support for (a) pain management, (b) mental health and (c) endometriosis outside the pelvic cavity. (160558)
- 69 **Mr John Baron** (Basildon and Billericay): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when his Department plans to respond to letters dated (a) 6 January, (b) 8 February, (c) 9 March and (d) 11 April 2022 from the hon. Member for Basildon and Billericay in respect of his constituent, reference JB35637. (160451)
- 70N **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assistance his Department has provided to companies (a) producing and (b) supplying hormone therapy replacement treatments in relation to delays in the supply chains of those treatments. [Transferred] (158970)
- 71 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 25 April 2022 to Question 154467 on Primary Health Care, how much money has been allocated to (a) a national campaign to increase awareness of access routes to general practice services and (b) developing a campaign to promote the services of community pharmacy in 2022-23; and which companies were successful in those tenders. (160568)
- 72 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department has taken to encourage hospitals to participate in the GBS3 clinical trial. (160569)
- 73 **Mary Kelly Foy** (City of Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of providing proof of covid-19 vaccination for children under the age of 12. (160549)
- 74 **Caroline Lucas** (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make it his policy to assess the (a) length of waiting times for women domestic abuse survivors needing to access specialist mental health support and (b) levels of partnership working between (i) health bodies and (ii) specialist domestic abuse services; and if he will make a statement. (160472)

- 75 **Caroline Lucas** (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make it his policy to provide a minimum of £409 million per year for domestic abuse services in England for survivors of domestic abuse in respect of their mental health needs and to holistically support their recovery; and if he will make a statement. (160473)
- 76 **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of product placement regulations for (a) alcohol and (b) low or zero alcohol on television. (160555)
- 77 **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment the Government has made of the potential merits of requiring zero or low alcohol products to be named and branded differently from existing alcohol products. (160556)
- 78 **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to improve staff retention in the care home sector. (160439)
- 79 **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to help tackle the high number of staff vacancies in the care home sector. (160440)
- 80 **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to support care homes in the context of the rising cost of energy. (160441)
- 81 **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to support care homes in the context of the rising cost of insurance. (160442)
- 82 **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of support provided to care homes following the publication of the Government's guidance entitled Living with Covid-19 on 21 February 2022. (160443)
- 83 **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department plans to take to ensure adequate supplies of covid-19 (a) PCR and (b) lateral flow tests for care homes. (160444)
- 84 **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of the sick pay policy for care home staff who are off sick with covid-19. (160445)
- 85 **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the affordability of covid-19 testing for people who are visiting relatives in care homes. (160446)

- 86 **Layla Moran** (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has instructed his Department to preserve evidence for the inquiry into the Government's handling of the covid-19 outbreak. (160545)
- 87 **Anne Marie Morris** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the adequacy of Statutory Sick Pay for (a) full- and (b) part-time staff working in the care sector in the context of continued requirements for staff who test positive for covid-19 to self-isolate. (160476)
- 88 **Anne Marie Morris** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of allowing fourth dose of Coronavirus vaccines to be made available to those with severe physical and/or learning disabilities who have diminished or no capacity to exercise their own judgment. (160477)
- 89 **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what data privacy requirements his Department is considering in the competition for a new Federated Data Platform. (160474)
- 90 **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether post-employment restrictions have been placed on the former director of artificial intelligence for NHSX following her departure from that role on 31 March 2022. (160475)
- 91 **Jess Phillips** (Birmingham, Yardley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if his Department will publish data at regular intervals on the mortality rates of patients who have been on the waiting list for treatment within NHS England's cardiology service; and if he will make a statement. (160480)
- 92 **Jess Phillips** (Birmingham, Yardley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans his Department has to reduce mortality rates for patients awaiting treatment within NHS England's cardiology service; and if he will make a statement. (160481)
- 93 **Jess Phillips** (Birmingham, Yardley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the regions of NHS England that have the best-performing cardiology service on the basis of the number of patients treated as a proportion of the whole population of that area; and if he will make a statement. (160482)
- 94 **Jess Phillips** (Birmingham, Yardley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what examples of best practice within NHS England his Department holds in respect of the reduction of waiting lists for cardiac treatment by Clinical Commissioning Groups; and if he will make a statement. (160483)
- 95 **Jess Phillips** (Birmingham, Yardley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make it his policy to provide a regular publication of mortality data broken down by diagnosis of specific conditions. (160484)

- 96 **Mr Virendra Sharma** (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department plans to take steps to increase the pay of junior doctors in line with inflation. (160471)
- 97 **Fleur Anderson** (Putney): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how much aid the UK (a) plans to provide to Yemen in 2022 and (b) has provided to that country in each of the last 5 years. (160557)
- 98 **Felicity Buchan** (Kensington): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent discussions she has had with her Iranian counterpart on the (a) release of Morad Tahbaz and (b) the removal of travel restrictions imposed by that country on Mr Tahbaz's wife. (160567)
- 99 **Sarah Champion** (Rotherham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what representations she has made to her Israeli counterpart on the use by its military of tear gas and other chemical materials in and around school premises. (160478)
- 100 **Sarah Champion** (Rotherham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what representations she has made to her Israeli counterpart on its responsibility for protecting the right of all children to access education safely. (160479)
- 101N **Christine Jardine** (Edinburgh West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, for what reason the Government has not imposed sanctions on the National Bank Trust. [Transferred] (159053)
- 102 **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether she has had recent discussions with the Ethiopian (a) Government and (b) Minister for Transport on the release of the final air accident report for Ethiopian Airlines Flight 302, which crashed on 10 March 2019. (160470)
- 103 **Chris Law** (Dundee West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to the OECD DAC ODA Levels in 2021- Preliminary data, Detailed Summary Note, on total vaccine donations, how many doses of the covid-19 vaccine were donated and allocated as Official Development Assistance in 2021. (160501)
- 104 **Chris Law** (Dundee West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to the OECD DAC ODA Levels in 2021- Preliminary data, Detailed Summary Note, how many vaccines donated and allocated as Official Development Assistance spend in 2021 had more than 10 weeks left until expiry when they were donated. (160502)

- 105 **Chris Law** (Dundee West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to the OECD DAC ODA Levels in 2021- Preliminary data, Detailed Summary Note, on total vaccine donations, what price the Government allocated to a single dose of the covid-19 vaccine when it was donated and counted as Official Development Assistance. (160503)
- 106 **Chris Law** (Dundee West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether she plans to continue spending at least 50 per cent of the country/region-specific bilateral Official Development Assistance budget in Africa. (160504)
- 107 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps she is taking to support people from the Hazara community find a safe passage out of Afghanistan. (160520)
- 108 **Tommy Sheppard** (Edinburgh East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to the Government's announcement on 23 September 2019 to commit £11.6 billion to international climate finance over the next five years, whether the Government still plans to commit that amount to international climate finance; and if she will set out how much of that funding has been allocated to date. (160508)
- 109 **Claudia Webbe** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how much humanitarian aid has been provided to Rwanda in each of the last ten years prior to the agreement to enter into an offshoring refugee partnership. (160581)
- 110 **Claudia Webbe** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether the UK's humanitarian aid to Rwanda was reduced due to the under the reduction in Overseas development aid in the last two years. (160582)
- 111 **Claudia Webbe** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether her Department has made an assessment of the the potential merits of forgiving Rwanda's international debt, which accounts for 50 per cent of the countries' GDP. (160583)
- 112 **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to the Homes for Ukraine scheme, what steps her Department is taking to (a) support refugees and (b) find new accommodation in the event that the relationship between the sponsor and the refugee breaks down after their arrival. (160547)
- 113 **Kevin Brennan** (Cardiff West): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what recent steps she has taken to improve the time taken to process passport applications for (a) immigrants, and (b) refugees not related to schemes for Ukrainian refugees. (160452)

- 114 **Yvette Cooper** (Normanton, Pontefract and Castleford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many UK passport applications her Department processed in each quarter since 2015. (160449)
- 115 **Yvette Cooper** (Normanton, Pontefract and Castleford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many passport applications processed by her Department missed the 10-week processing target in each year since 2015. (160450)
- 116 **Louise Haigh** (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when the External Reference Group for the Review into group-based child sexual exploitation was appointed. (160529)
- 117 **Louise Haigh** (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether DBS checks were undertaken in respect of appointees of the External Reference Group for the Review into group-based child sexual exploitation. (160530)
- 118 **Louise Haigh** (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what the criteria were for the appointment of members to the External Reference Group for the Review into group-based child sexual exploitation. (160531)
- 119 **Louise Haigh** (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will review the advice provided by the hon. Member for Wakefield to the Review into group-based child sexual exploitation. (160532)
- 120 **Louise Haigh** (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will confirm whether members of the External Reference Group for the Review into group-based child sexual exploitation had access to sensitive material. (160533)
- 121 **Louise Haigh** (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether Common Law Police Disclosure applies in respect of the arrest and charging of hon. Members. (160534)
- 122 **Gerald Jones** (Merthyr Tydfil and Rhymney): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what recent assessment she has made of the effectiveness of UKVI passport hotline. (160536)
- 123 **Gerald Jones** (Merthyr Tydfil and Rhymney): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will increase levels of staffing on UKVI passport hotline following the widespread delays experienced by customers. (160537)
- 124 **Chris Law** (Dundee West): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will provide a breakdown of her Department's £915 million Official Development Assistance (ODA) spend in 2021. (160500)
- 125 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether she has set a target for the timeframe for resettling Afghan refugees residing in bridging hotels. (160522)

- 126 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what estimate her Department has made of the average time taken to process a passport application in the latest period for which data is available; and how that average compares to pre-covid-19 pandemic levels. (160523)
- 127 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, in what timeframe she expects her Department's average processing times for asylum applications to be completed within six months. (160524)
- 128 **Stuart C McDonald** (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether her Department plans to use a person's asylum claim type, including the admissibility or inadmissibility of that claim, to determine whether that person will be accommodated at the proposed new asylum accommodation centre at RAF Linton-on-Ouse. (160485)
- 129 **Stuart C McDonald** (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, at what stage in a person's asylum claim will they be accommodated at the proposed new asylum accommodation centre at RAF Linton-on-Ouse. (160486)
- 130 **Stuart C McDonald** (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the adequacy of legal support for residents at the proposed new asylum accommodation centre at RAF Linton-on-Ouse. (160487)
- 131 **Stuart C McDonald** (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what legal advice provision will be available at the proposed new asylum accommodation centre at RAF Linton-on-Ouse; and whether she has made an (a) estimate of the number of legal firms in the local area and (b) assessment of whether those firms have the (i) capacity and (ii) necessary expertise to take on clients from that site. (160488)
- 132 **Stuart C McDonald** (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether facilities will be in place for (a) asylum screening interviews and (b) asylum substantive interviews to be conducted at the proposed new asylum accommodation centre at RAF Linton-on-Ouse. (160489)
- 133 **Stuart C McDonald** (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the likely healthcare needs that residents at the proposed asylum accommodation centre at RAF Linton-on-Ouse will have; what healthcare provision will be available on-site; whether residents will be registered with local GPs off-site; what estimate she has made of the number of GP practices in the local area; and what assessment she has made of the (a) capacity of those practices to take on new patients and (b) levels of experience in working with asylum seekers and refugees. (160490)

- 134 **Ms Anum Qaisar** (Airdrie and Shotts): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of her proposed arrangements to send asylum seekers to Rwanda on the level of risk to women and children's safety whilst travelling to or entering the UK; and what equality impact assessment her Department conducted with regard to the potential impact of that proposal on the (a) availability of safe routes for women and children to reach the UK and (b) risk to women and children of exploitation, violence or harm whilst travelling to or entering the UK. (160585)
- 135 **Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Streatham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether planning permission is required to convert the site at RAF Linton-on-Ouse into an asylum accommodation centre. (160550)
- 136 **Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Streatham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether the new asylum accommodation centre at RAF Linton-on-Ouse will be operated under an existing Asylum Accommodation and Support Contract (AASC). (160551)
- 137 **Claudia Webbe** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether her Department made an assessment of the human rights situation in Rwanda prior to the partnership agreement on the hosting of refugees in Rwanda. (160570)
- 138 **Claudia Webbe** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether she has made an assessment of whether Rwanda is a safe country to which to send LGBT+ refugees. (160571)
- 139 **Claudia Webbe** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether she plans to publish guidelines that protect LGBT+ refugees in relation to her proposals to offshore refugees to Rwanda. (160572)
- 140 **Claudia Webbe** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what estimate she has made of the grant rate for asylum applications at her proposed offshore processing centres in Rwanda. (160573)
- 141 **Claudia Webbe** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether her proposals to offshore refugees to Rwanda will only apply to single men. (160574)
- 142 **Claudia Webbe** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to the Memorandum of Understanding between the UK and Rwanda published 14 April 2022, when the monitoring group will be established and whether its findings and recommendations will be published before this House. (160575)
- 143 **Claudia Webbe** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to the plans to offshore refugees to Rwanda, whether people arriving in the UK because they have family members in that country will be considered eligible to be sent to Rwanda. (160576)

- 144 **Claudia Webbe** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment her Department has made of the potential effect of her proposals to offshore refugees to Rwanda on family reunion as a safe route of entry to the UK. (160577)
- 145 **Claudia Webbe** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment her Department has made of the potential effect of her proposals to offshore refugees to Rwanda will have on refugee (a) women and (b) children. (160578)
- 146 **Claudia Webbe** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to ensure that children mistakenly assessed as adults are not sent to Rwanda during the pilot stage of their offshoring agreement. (160579)
- 147 **Claudia Webbe** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will ensure that (a) women and (b) people that are assessed to be vulnerable will not be offshored under their plans to offshore refugees to Rwanda. (160580)
- 148 **Mr Mark Francois** (Rayleigh and Wickford): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to the Answer of 26 April 2022 to Question 153776, on Armed Forces: Recruitment, which company is the NCSC Assured Provider of Cyber Incident Response services. (160462)
- 149 **Mr Mark Francois** (Rayleigh and Wickford): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to the Answer of 26 April 2022 to Question 153788, on Armed Forces: Recruitment, which company, other than Capita, bid for the Defence Recruitment System contract. (160463)
- 150 **Mr Mark Francois** (Rayleigh and Wickford): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to the Answer of 25 April 2022 to Question 153789 on Ministry of Defence: Staff, if he will list the nine senior personnel who have applied for ACOBA clearance to join Capita over the last 10 years by (a) name, (b) appointment, (c) star-equivalent rank and (d) year that the ACOBA clearance was sought. (160464)
- 151 **Mr Mark Francois** (Rayleigh and Wickford): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, when the new head of Defence Equipment and Supply will commence his appointment; what the salary band of that role is; what the anticipated term of office is; and whether his Department paid that person's previous employer to release him from his previous contract. (160465)
- 152 **Mr Mark Francois** (Rayleigh and Wickford): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether he will publish the review of the data leak of the Capita Defence Recruiting system on 13 March; and if he will make a statement. (160466)

- 153 **Mr Mark Francois** (Rayleigh and Wickford): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many Type 23 frigates remain in front-line service with the Royal Navy. (160467)
- 154 **Mr Mark Francois** (Rayleigh and Wickford): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, when any Type 23 frigates which have now been retired left front-line service with the Royal Navy. (160468)
- 155 **Mr Mark Francois** (Rayleigh and Wickford): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the status of each of the Royal Navy's thirteen Type 23 frigates is, as at 1 April 2022. (160469)
- 156N**John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the total amount spent by his Department on military support to Ukraine has been since 24 February 2022. [Transferred] (157572)
- 157 **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to the Answer of 25 April 2022 to Question 153770 on Air Force and Army: Teesside International Airport, how many military aircraft have visited Teesside International Airport under Prior Permission Required protocols in each of the last ten years. (160458)
- 158 **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether the integration and deployment of Morpheus with AJAX is a requirement for the AJAX programme to reach Full Operational Capability. (160459)
- 159 **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether Advanced Short Range Air-to-Air Missiles will be integrated onto Typhoon aircraft by the end of this calendar year. (160460)
- 160 **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether his Department has placed any new orders for NLAW in each of the last two months. (160461)
- 161 **Marco Longhi** (Dudley North): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of extending the salary sacrifice scheme to members of the armed forces to enable them to pay for items such as cars and bikes directly through their payroll. (160562)
- 162 **John McNally** (Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what assessment he has made of available peaceful methods of de-escalation of conflict in Ukraine. (160507)
- 163 **Johnny Mercer** (Plymouth, Moor View): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what recent estimate he has made of the number of licences given by the Office for Financial Sanctions Implementation to British law firms in respect of Russian operations; and whether that organisation allows licensed firms to continue representing Russian state-related companies. (160535)

- 164 **Stuart Anderson** (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Prime Minister, whether he has plans to celebrate Black Country Day on the 14 July 2022. (160548)
- 165 **Fleur Anderson** (Putney): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will increase the £450,000 cap of the Lifetime ISA for London residents given that the average property price in London is £667,000. (160559)
- 166 **Ian Byrne** (Liverpool, West Derby): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what recent estimate he has made of the basic cost of living for a family comprised of two adults and three or more children. [Transferred] (159113)
- 167 **Ian Byrne** (Liverpool, West Derby): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what estimate he has made of the basic cost of living for an informal carer. [Transferred] (159114)
- 168 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of enabling cemeteries and crematoria to continue using rebated fuel. (160447)
- 169 **Christine Jardine** (Edinburgh West): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether the Russian Central Bank can recover funds in pound sterling in the UK via the National Bank Trust. (160587)
- 170 **Deidre Brock** (Edinburgh North and Leith): To ask the Secretary of State for Wales, how much his Department spent on communications staff in (a) 2016-17, (b) 2017-18 and (c) 2018-19. (160506)
- 171 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of establishing a principle of respect and dignity for people with protected characteristics. (160521)