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Questions tabled on Friday 26 January 2024

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Questions for Answer on Monday 29 January

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Mr David Jones** (Clwyd West): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what recent discussions he has had with the European Union on potential amendments to the Windsor Framework to streamline the movement of goods between Great Britain and Northern Ireland. [Transferred] (11281)
- 2N **Stella Creasy** (Walthamstow): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what estimate he has made of the number of consignments which will be subjected to the Border Target Operation Model sanitary and phyto-sanitary controls in each of the next three years, broken down by each risk category. [Transferred] (11320)
- 3N **Sarah Green** (Chesham and Amersham): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the impact of 'Not for EU' labelling requirements on small and medium-sized food producers who (a) export to the European Union and (b) sell within the UK. [Transferred] (11466)
- 4 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if he will make an estimate of the number of workers that are regularly exposed to silica dust in the workplace. [Transferred] (11498)
- 5 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether he is taking steps to help identify the silicosis risks associated with engineered stone working. [Transferred] (11499)

- 6 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if he will take legislative steps to include silicosis as a reportable condition under the Reporting of Injuries, Diseases, and Dangerous Occurrences Regulations 2013. [Transferred] (11501)
- 7N **Zarah Sultana** (Coventry South): To ask the Minister of State, Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office, pursuant to the Answer of 24 January 2024 to Question 10673 on Israel: Gaza, whether his Department has logged alleged instances of breaches or violations of International Humanitarian Law by Israel in its military engagement in Gaza since October 2023. [Transferred] (11448)
- 8 **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to the report entitled Progress against the Grenfell Tower Inquiry Phase 1 recommendations, published on 29 June 2023, if he will publish an updated report. [Transferred] (11535)

Questions for Answer on Tuesday 30 January

Questions for Written Answer

- 1 **Sammy Wilson** (East Antrim): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, whether her Department plans to produce a trade and investment factsheet for trade with the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus. (11597)
- 2 **Seema Malhotra** (Feltham and Heston): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many members of staff of the Institute for Apprenticeships and Technical Education are working on (a) apprenticeships, (b) T Levels, (c) Higher Technical Qualifications, (d) Level 3 and below qualifications and (e) occupational maps. (11616)
- 3 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what her Department's policy is on the classification of religious education as a school subject; and what funding she has allocated to support the teaching of (a) religious education and (b) national curriculum core subjects in each of the last five years. (11621)
- 4 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to the Ofsted Annual Report 2022/23, what plans her Department has to reduce the variation in the standards of teaching of religious education; and what assessment she has made of the potential merits of adding the subject to the national curriculum. (11622)
- 5 **Catherine West** (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether she will make an assessment of the potential merits of introducing guidance on how to adapt school environments to support the needs of autistic students. (11638)

- 6 **Catherine West** (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether her Department has consulted (a) autistic people and (b) the families of autistic people as part of their review of the Initial Teacher Training Core Content Framework and Early Career Framework. (11639)
- 7 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how many households received the warm home discount rebate in (a) York Central constituency (b) City of York Council and (c) England in each year since 2015. (11623)
- 8 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what his priorities for COP16 are. (11644)
- 9 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what discussions he has had with his international counterparts on preparation for COP16. (11645)
- 10 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, which members of His Majesty's Government will attend COP16. (11646)
- 11 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what progress his Department has made on the agreements made at CBD COP15 in Montreal. (11647)
- 12 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of plans to grant new oil and gas licences. (11648)
- 13 **Anthony Mangnall** (Totnes): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to support the shellfish aquaculture industry. [R] (11649)
- 14 **Sarah Owen** (Luton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether the Animal Welfare (Electronic Collars) (England) Regulations 2023 will come into force on 1 February 2024. (11658)
- 15 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, when he plans to publish the uplift in local authority funding for each local authority. (11634)
- 16 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how he is assessing the scale of funding needed for the Housing Support Grant for next year. (11635)
- 17 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether he has made an assessment of the effectiveness of the Holiday Activities and Food Programme (HAF) in (a) providing value for money and (b) reaching the most deprived households. (11636)

- 18 **Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether he has made an assessment of the implications for his policies of the consultation by the Great British Railways Transition Team entitled Whole Industry Strategic Plan, published on 9 December 2021. (11600)
- 19 **Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many sets of doors per carriage are listed in the rolling stock procurement specifications HS2 Ltd agreed with Alston and Hitachi on 9 December 2021. (11601)
- 20 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many people were (a) killed and (b) seriously injured in road traffic accidents in Greater London in each of the last five years. (11604)
- 21 **Wendy Chamberlain** (North East Fife): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether he has made an assessment of the implications for his policies of the recommendations relating to minimum wage for early years and elder care in the University of Manchester report entitled Working Futures, published in October 2023. (11651)
- 22 **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps her Department is taking to increase uptake of the MMR vaccine in (a) Preston, (b) Lancashire, and (c) the North West. (11579)
- 23 **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps she is taking to tackle the spread of misinformation on (a) the MMR vaccine and (b) other childhood immunisations. (11580)
- 24 **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many instances of measles have been reported in (a) Preston, (b) Lancashire, and (c) the North West in each of the last five years. (11581)
- 25 **Sir Mark Hendrick** (Preston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the vaccination rates are for the MMR vaccine in (a) Preston, (b) Lancashire, and (c) the North West. (11582)
- 26 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment she has made of the adequacy of her Department's funding of (a) hospices and (b) St Leonard's Hospice in York. (11625)
- 27 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if she will develop a workforce strategy to help ensure that palliative care services are available to all who need them. (11626)
- 28 **Henry Smith** (Crawley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps her Department is taking to ensure that vegans and vegetarians are provided with appropriate food in the (a) NHS, (b) social care and (c) other health services. (11599)

- 29 **Wendy Chamberlain** (North East Fife): To ask the Minister of State, Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office, what recent assessment he has made of the human rights situation in Eritrea. (11652)
- 30 **Wendy Chamberlain** (North East Fife): To ask the Minister of State, Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office, if he will make representations to his Eritrean counterpart for the release of religious detainees. (11653)
- 31 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Minister of State, Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of the International Court of Justice's decision on the request for provisional measures in the case concerning Application of the Convention on the Prevention and Punishment of the Crime of Genocide in the Gaza Strip (South Africa v. Israel). (11629)
- 32 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Minister of State, Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office, whether he plans to change his approach to (a) the Israeli Government and (b) the UN General Assembly and Security Council as a result of the International Court of Justice's decision on the request for provisional measures in the case concerning Application of the Convention on the Prevention and Punishment of the Crime of Genocide in the Gaza Strip. (11630)
- 33 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Minister of State, Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office, with reference to the International Court of Justice's decision on the request for provisional measures in the case concerning Application of the Convention on the Prevention and Punishment of the Crime of Genocide in the Gaza Strip, whether he plans to call for an immediate ceasefire. (11631)
- 34 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Minister of State, Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office, with reference to the International Court of Justice's decision on the request for provisional measures in the case concerning Application of the Convention on the Prevention and Punishment of the Crime of Genocide in the Gaza Strip (South Africa v. Israel), what diplomatic steps he plans to take to encourage political dialogue on the crisis in Israel, Gaza and the West Bank. (11632)
- 35 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Minister of State, Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office, with reference to the International Court of Justice's decision on the request for provisional measures in the case concerning Application of the Convention on the Prevention and Punishment of the Crime of Genocide in the Gaza Strip (South Africa v. Israel), what steps he is taking to accelerate the delivery of aid into Gaza. (11633)
- 36 **Lisa Nandy** (Wigan): To ask the Minister of State, Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office, what steps his Department is taking to help support Pakistan to recover in the long-term from the floods that took place in 2022. (11605)

- 37 **Lisa Nandy** (Wigan): To ask the Minister of State, Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office, what recent discussions he has had with his international counterparts on taking steps to help eliminate HIV/AIDS. (11606)
- 38 **Brendan O'Hara** (Argyll and Bute): To ask the Minister of State, Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office, whether his Department has taken recent steps to help tackle the deportation of asylum seekers from the North Caucasus region to Russia. (11617)
- 39 **Ian Paisley** (North Antrim): To ask the Minister of State, Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of the reported incident of arson on the Wad Medani Evangelical Presbyterian Church in Sudan. (11613)
- 40 **Ian Paisley** (North Antrim): To ask the Minister of State, Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office, what recent assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of trends in the number of Christians arrested in Iran. (11614)
- 41 **Nicola Richards** (West Bromwich East): To ask the Minister of State, Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office, what information his Department holds on the alleged use of child soldiers by Hamas. (11663)
- 42 **Nicola Richards** (West Bromwich East): To ask the Minister of State, Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office, what information his Department holds on the alleged construction of cross-border tunnels into Israel by Hezbollah. (11664)
- 43 **Nicola Richards** (West Bromwich East): To ask the Minister of State, Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office, what steps his Department is taking to help secure the release of Israeli hostages. (11665)
- 44 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Minister of State, Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office, whether he has had recent discussions with his Indian counterpart on implementing the Indian Supreme Court's decision of 3 January 2024. (11615)
- 45 **Sir Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Minister of State, Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of the reported flogging of Roya Heshmati in Iran; and whether he has had discussions with his Iranian counterpart on the matter. (11557)
- 46 **Sir Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Minister of State, Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of the Rapid Support Forces occupying Wad Madani in Sudan. (11558)
- 47 **Ashley Dalton** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps he is taking to support local police forces to help them to deal with complaints backlogs. (11666)

- 48 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many asylum seekers were granted the right-to-work because their application remained unresolved for more than 12 months in each year since 2015. (11565)
- 49 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to the Answer of 25 January 2024 to Question 10015 on BOWMAN Combat Radio System, who the senior responsible owner is for the Bowman 5.7 project. (11571)
- 50 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to the Answer of 25 January 2024 to Question 10015 on Bowman Combat Radio System, how many people are working on the Bowman 5.7 project team. (11572)
- 51 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to the Answer of 25 January 2024 to Question 10015 on BOWMAN Combat Radio System, if he will state who the prime contractor for Bowman 5.7 is. (11573)
- 52 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to the Answer of 25 January 2024 to Question 10015 on BOWMAN Combat Radio System, what assessment his Department has made of the security of the Bowman system. (11574)
- 53 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to the Answer of 25 January 2024 to Question 10015 on BOWMAN Combat Radio System, what assessment his Department has made of how future proof the Bowman system is. (11575)
- 54 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many (a) personnel, (b) vehicles, (c) ships, (d) aircraft and (e) brigade combat (i) teams, (ii) squadrons and (iii) formations the UK contributed to exercise Steadfast Defender 2024. (11576)
- 55 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will list the first Brigade combat teams to receive Boxer mechanised infantry vehicles. (11577)
- 56 **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what progress his Department has made developing organic overwatch capabilities for the army. (11578)
- 57 **Rebecca Long Bailey** (Salford and Eccles): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many (a) Ministers and (b) officials in his Department have the necessary security clearance to access the (i) Merlin database and (ii) documentation stored on the Merlin database pertaining to the nuclear test programme and its veterans. (11618)

- 58N **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to his oral contribution of 24 January 2024, Official Report, column 352, on what evidential basis he authorised air strikes on the Miraj surface-to-air missile launchers near Sanaa airfield; and if he will make an assessment of the potential impact of those strikes on shipping in the Red Sea. (11654)
- 59 **Charlotte Nichols** (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if he will make undertake a review of the Fixed Recoverable Costs (FRC) Scheme. (11659)
- 60 **Wendy Chamberlain** (North East Fife): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will introduce a minimum wage of £12 per hour for (a) early years and (b) elder care. (11650)
- 61 **Martyn Day** (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will make an assessment of the adequacy of HMRC response times to enquiries from financial representatives. (11637)
- 62 **Henry Smith** (Crawley): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, if she will make an assessment of the adequacy of (a) legal and (b) other protections for the right of vegans and vegetarians to manifest their beliefs in care settings. (11598)

Questions for Answer on Wednesday 31 January

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what steps her Department is taking to help ensure that small business are paid on time by other companies within their supply chains. (11624)
- 2N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, how much funding her Department plans to allocate to the UK Year of Service programme for the next financial year. (11586)
- 3N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, if she will have discussions with the UK Year of Service on increasing work placement opportunities for young people. (11587)
- 4N **Stephen M'Partland** (Stevenage): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if she will take steps to help support (a) children with (i) a vision impairment and (ii) dyslexia and (b) other children to access the (A) RNIB bookshare service and (B) other book sharing services. (11607)

- 5N **Drew Hendry** (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether her Department has had discussions with Ofgem on the projected number of households which (a) will be impacted by the Radio Teleswitch Service switch off and (b) won't be moved onto new Smart Meter metering options in time for the switch off. (11620)
- 6N **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, if she will make an estimate of the average level of household energy debt in each region. (11655)
- 7N **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what her Department's policy is to help households that have accumulated energy debt. (11656)
- 8N **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what information her Department holds on the number of households that have been involuntarily fitted with pre-payment meters following (a) smart meter installation and (b) remote switching. (11657)
- 9N **Sir Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, if she will issue guidance to insurance companies on reducing emissions from installations financed by those companies. (11554)
- 10N **Olivia Blake** (Sheffield, Hallam): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will set out the Government's priorities for the 2024 Convention on Biological Diversity (COP 16). (11661)
- 11N **Olivia Blake** (Sheffield, Hallam): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, which Ministers will attend COP16 to the Convention on Biological Diversity. (11662)
- 12N **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, with reference to his Department's policy paper entitled, Hull and East Yorkshire devolution deal, published on 22 November 2023, whether the £13.34 million per year allocation of investment funding is index linked. (11642)
- 13N **Theresa Villiers** (Chipping Barnet): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of extending rights to access (a) Remediation Contribution Orders through the First-tier Tribunal and (b) other lower-cost legal action to buildings under 11 metres where leaseholders need to pursue legal action to recover cladding remediation costs.. [R] (11595)
- 14N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many people were in receipt of Universal Credit in December (a) 2021 and (b) 2023. (11585)

- 15N **Hywel Williams** (Arfon): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of offering secured e-mail as a communications option for his Department's customers upon request. (11583)
- 16N **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps she is taking to reduce the number of people with a learning disability detained in inpatient units for 5five or more years. (11609)
- 17N **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what information her Department holds on the number of Integrated Care Systems that have a specialist multidisciplinary and crisis support service for (a) autistic people and (b) people with a learning disability; and whether she has made an assessment of the (i) adequacy and (ii) availability of such services. (11610)
- 18N **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment her Department has made of the (a) adequacy and (b) availability of forensic community support services for (a) autistic people and (b) people with a learning disability. (11611)
- 19N **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment she has made of the (a) adequacy and (b) availability of alternative short-term accommodation provided by integrated care systems for (i) autistic people and (ii) people with a learning disability. (11612)
- 20N **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to table 15 of the Department of Health and Social Care Annual Report and Accounts 2022-23, HC 33, published on 25 January 2024, what the distance travelled on domestic flights was in 2021-22. (11596)
- 21N **Olivia Blake** (Sheffield, Hallam): To ask the Minister of State, Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of the lack of a Special Representative on Climate Change on his Department's policies. (11660)
- 22N **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Minister of State, Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of the International Court of Justice's decision on the request for provisional measures in the case concerning Application of the Convention on the Prevention and Punishment of the Crime of Genocide in the Gaza Strip (South Africa v. Israel). (11643)
- 23N **Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Minister of State, Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office, if he will make representations to (a) his Moroccan counterpart and (b) the Secretariat of the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change on Morocco's inclusion of projects in occupied Western Sahara in relation to that country's National Determined Contribution. (11602)

- 24N **Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Minister of State, Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office, if he will make representations to his Moroccan counterpart on that country's requiring MINURSO to use Moroccan vehicle number plates in occupied Western Sahara. (11603)
- 25N **Sir Desmond Swayne** (New Forest West): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if he will consult the Agricultural Engineers Association on the drafting of regulations under the Equipment Theft (Prevention) Act 2023. (11552)
- 26N **Sir Desmond Swayne** (New Forest West): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if he will make it his policy that police officers should not be able to strip and intimately search suspects of the opposite sex if the police officer self-identifies as the same gender as the person being searched. (11553)
- 27N **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many non-UK citizens who served in the Armed Forces for (a) four and (b) five years applied for indefinite leave to remain and had to pay visa fees in (i) 2021, (ii) 2022 and (iii) 2023. (11566)
- 28N **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what was the total sum paid by non-UK citizens who served in the Armed Forces for (a) four and (b) five years and were granted indefinite leave to remain in (i) 2021, (ii) 2022 and (iii) 2023. (11567)
- 29N **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what was the total sum paid by the dependents of non-UK citizens who served in the Armed Forces for (a) four and (b) five years and were granted indefinite leave to remain in (i) 2021, (ii) 2022 and (iii) 2023. (11568)
- 30N **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to the Answer of 25 January 2024 to Question 10015 on Bowman Combat Radio System, what the budget is for the Bowman 5.7 project. (11569)
- 31N **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to the Answer of 25 January 2024 to Question 10015 on Bowman Combat Radio System, what the delivery date is for Bowman 5.7. (11570)
- 32N **Hywel Williams** (Arfon): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of replacing real bear fur bearskin hats with faux fur bearskin hats for use in the military. (11584)
- 33N **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many assaults against prison staff took place in England in 2023, broken down by prison. (11640)
- 34N **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many days of time off in lieu are prison officers at Wandsworth Prison owed in total as of 25 January 2024. (11641)

- 35N **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether he has had discussions with the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care on the potential impact of alcohol duty on levels of public health. (11608)
- 36N **Julie Elliott** (Sunderland Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what the (a) budget and (b) spending was on remediation of legacy IT systems across central Government in each of the last three years; and what proportion of the overall digital & technology budget for central Government does this spending represent. [Transferred] (11497)
- 37N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps he is taking to monitor the application of HMRC's charter for businesses with different VAT arrangements. (11627)
- 38N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps he is taking to monitor the quality of the Adjudicator's Office's interactions with applicants in the context of its work investigating complaints about HMRC. (11628)
- 39N **Sir Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of placing statutory duties on the (a) Financial Conduct Authority and (b) Prudential Regulation Authority to help meet the UK's climate targets. (11555)
- 40N **Sir Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will take steps to amend the cooperation agreement between the Society of Lloyds and the Prudential Regulation Authority to place obligations on Lloyds of London to help meet the UK's climate targets. (11556)

Questions for Answer on Thursday 1 February

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Margaret Greenwood** (Wirral West): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what estimate he has made of the (a) numbers and (b) cost to the public purse of PIP claims from claimants with untreatable conditions who were successful at Tribunal; and what proportion of these were repeat Tribunal cases. (11619)
- 2N **Sir Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, pursuant to the Answer of 25 January 2024 to Question 10700 on Social Rented Housing: Tenants, if he will start to hold the necessary data in order to provide an estimate of the number of social housing tenants in rent arrears due to 53 rent payment weeks in 2024. (11559)
- 3N **Mr Barry Sheerman** (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether he has made an assessment of the impact of the standard of forensic science available to police officers on prosecution rates. [Transferred] (901313)

- 4N **Alyn Smith** (Stirling): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what recent discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues on the impact of increases in the cost of living on rural households. [Transferred] (901282)
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Questions for Answer on Friday 2 February

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment his Department has made of the (a) suitability and (b) availability of remote working jobs for disabled benefit claimants. (11594)
- 2N **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, with reference to page one of the Government response to the First Report of the Justice Select Committee of Session 2021-22 on The Coroner Service, HC 675, published on 10 September 2021; what his Department's planned timetable is to respond to the Committee's 11 outstanding recommendations. (11592)
- 3N **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, with reference to Barnardo's report entitled Double discrimination: Black care-experienced young adults navigating the criminal justice system, published on 21 September 2023, whether he has made an assessment of discrimination affecting Black care-experienced young adults who have involvement with the criminal justice system. (11593)
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Questions for Answer on Monday 5 February

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many jobcentre clients have been assisted by an Armed Forces Champion in Birmingham, Selly Oak constituency in the last year. (11563)
- 2N **Mr Mark Francois** (Rayleigh and Wickford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the total salary cost was of NHS Supply Chain employees in the 2022-23 financial year. (11588)
- 3N **Mr Mark Francois** (Rayleigh and Wickford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many full-time staff were employed by NHS Supply Chain in (a) 2020-21, (b) 2021-22 and (c) 2022-23 financial years. (11589)

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- 4N **Mr Mark Francois** (Rayleigh and Wickford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many (a) full and (b) part time NHS Supply Chain employees were of what (i) grade and (ii) salary band in the last financial year. (11590)
- 5N **Mr Mark Francois** (Rayleigh and Wickford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, which IT supplier provides the principal IT system utilised by NHS Supply Chain. (11591)
- 6N **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment she has made of the adequacy of social care support for veterans. (11562)
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Questions for Answer on Tuesday 6 February

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment she has made of the adequacy of mental health support for veterans. (11560)
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Questions for Answer on Wednesday 7 February

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what discussions she has had with her international counterparts on best practice on tackling veterans' mental health issues. (11561)
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Questions for Answer on Thursday 8 February

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if he will make an estimate of how many veterans claim Universal Credit. (11564)