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Questions tabled on Tuesday 5 November 2024

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 - † Indicates a Question not included in the random selection process but accepted because the quota for that day had not been filled.
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 - [R] Indicates that a relevant interest has been declared.
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Questions for Answer on Wednesday 6 November

Questions for Written Answer

- 1 **John Glen** (Salisbury): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether he the Government has plans to reduce the use of non-scheduled flights by Ministers. [Transferred] (12387)
- 2 **Mr Richard Holden** (Basildon and Billericay): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, pursuant to the Answer of 10 October 2024 to Question 7430 on the Committee on the Grant of Honours, Decorations and Medals, if he will make an assessment of the current merits of The Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, as a British order of chivalry. [Transferred] (12486)
- 3 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what the joint sex and age-at-death distribution was for Covid-19 deaths in 2020 in England that were subject to inquest and have since been registered with ONS for which the interval from date of death to date of registration as a Covid-19 death was (a) one year or less, (b) one to two years and (c) more than two years. [Transferred] (12380)
- 4 **Steve Darling** (Torbay): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, if he will review support for parents who will not be entitled to Neonatal Care Leave and Pay because they (a) are self-employed and (b) have another ineligible employment status. [Transferred] (12607)
- 5 **Jo White** (Bassetlaw): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how many people are in receipt of the Mineworkers Pension Scheme in each constituency. [Transferred] (12551)

- 6 **Alex Easton** (North Down): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what data his Department holds on the number of lorries turned away at Northern Ireland ports for carrying cargo incorrectly listed on their manifests. [Transferred] (12673)
- 7 **Jake Richards** (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, how many Government services have moved to the GOV.UK One Login system; and what his planned timetable is for moving all Government services to this system. [Transferred] (12492)
- 8 **Mr Richard Holden** (Basildon and Billericay): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to his the Prime Minister's comments on BBC Newscast on 12 October 2024, when did the Government's view on P&O change. [Transferred] (12484)
- 9 **Kim Johnson** (Liverpool Riverside): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether she has made an assessment of the potential implications for her policies of surveys undertaken by the Food Foundation Food entitled Food insecurity tracking, published in July 2024, on a potential link between ethnicity and food insecurity. [Transferred] (12482)
- 10 **Tracy Gilbert** (Edinburgh North and Leith): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether she plans to make wildlife crimes notifiable. [Transferred] (12535)
- 11 **Alex Mayer** (Dunstable and Leighton Buzzard): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to (a) regulate and (b) monitor (i) MBR Acres and (ii) other breeding facilities to ensure compliance with animal welfare standards. [Transferred] (12522)
- 12 **Alex McIntyre** (Gloucester): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking with Cabinet colleagues to help tackle violence against women and girls. [Transferred] (12659)
- 13 **Alex McIntyre** (Gloucester): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what discussions she has had with Cabinet colleagues on the effectiveness of legislation in preventing hate crime offences against LGBT+ people in Gloucester constituency. [Transferred] (12660)
- 14 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to support existing neighbourhood watch organisations. [Transferred] (12381)
- 15 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much funding her Department has provided to neighbourhood watch organisations in each of the last five years. [Transferred] (12398)

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- 16 **Tim Farron** (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to paragraph 2.51 of the Autumn Budget 2024, published on 30 October, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential impact of changes to Agricultural Property Relief on family farms. [Transferred] (12409)
- 17 **Damian Hinds** (East Hampshire): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether her Department has made an assessment of the potential impact of increases in employers' National Insurance contributions on (a) cost pressures for independent schools and (b) the number of children leaving the independent school sector; and whether the figures included in HM Revenue & Customs policy paper entitled, Applying VAT to private school fees, published on 30 October 2024, took account of proposed increases in employers' National Insurance contributions. (12697)
- 18 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what information her Department holds on the number and proportion of businesses that do not accept cash; and if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of taking steps to require all businesses to accept cash. [Transferred] (12573)
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Questions for Answer on Thursday 7 November

Questions for Written Answer

- 1 **Ellie Chowns** (North Herefordshire): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what his expected timetable is for the publication of an updated list of significant public appointments; and whether this will include the Chair of the Office for Environmental Protection. (12807)
- 2 **Paul Davies** (Colne Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what estimate his Department made of the number of cases of avian influenza within the game bird population. (12808)
- 3 **David Chadwick** (Brecon, Radnor and Cwm Tawe): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether her Department has undertaken an evaluation of the Mid-life MOT initiative. (12809)
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Questions for Answer on Monday 11 November

Questions for Written Answer

- 1 **Neil Duncan-Jordan** (Poole): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, if he will have discussions with the Royal Household on the administration of the Duchies of (a) Cornwall and (b) Lancaster. (12856)
- 2 **Sir Ashley Fox** (Bridgwater): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, pursuant to the Answer of 25 October 2024 to Question 9615 on Department for Energy Security and Net Zero: Ministers' Private Offices, how much the Government Property Agency spent on (a) new furniture and fittings and (b) other refurbishment of Ministerial offices of the Department for Energy Security and Net Zero, since the dissolution of the last Parliament; and on what items. (12890)
- 3 **Sir Ashley Fox** (Bridgwater): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, pursuant to the Answer of 30 October 2024 to Question 9827 on Department for Science, Innovation and Technology: Ministers' Private Offices, how much the Government Property Agency spent on (a) new furniture and fittings and (b) other refurbishment of Ministerial offices of the Department for Science, Innovation and Technology since the dissolution of the last Parliament; and on what items. (12891)
- 4 **John Glen** (Salisbury): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether his Department plans to make a submission to the Civil Service Commission review of appointments made by exception at delegated grades. (12700)
- 5 **John Glen** (Salisbury): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what recent guidance the Advisory Committee on Business Appointments has provided to special envoys on lobbying. (12701)
- 6 **John Glen** (Salisbury): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what assessment he has made of the implications for his Department's policies of the Majesty's Inspectorate of Constabulary and Fire & Rescue Services' report on An inspection into activism and impartiality in policing, published on 10 September 2024. (12702)
- 7 **Ben Goldsborough** (South Norfolk): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how many heat pumps are installed on Government property. (12838)
- 8 **Mrs Sharon Hodgson** (Washington and Gateshead South): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, if he will make an assessment of the (a) effectiveness of the Well-being of Future Generations (Wales) Act 2015 and (b) potential merits of adopting that legislation nationwide. (12703)
- 9N **Dr Neil Hudson** (Epping Forest): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of including the potential risks associated with not fully rebuilding the Animal Plant and Health Agency Headquarters in Weybridge in the National Risk Register. (12781)

- 10 **Seamus Logan** (Aberdeenshire North and Moray East): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what steps his Department is taking to (a) respond to the recommendations of the Infected Blood Inquiry and (b) involve people affected by infected blood. (12872)
- 11 **Rachel Blake** (Cities of London and Westminster): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what steps his Department is taking to improve employment regulation applicable to (a) Deliveroo, (b) Just Eat and (c) other online food delivery companies. (12855)
- 12N **Ms Stella Creasy** (Walthamstow): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, how many officials in his Department have worked on product standard regulations in each year since 31 January 2020. (12704)
- 13N **Ms Stella Creasy** (Walthamstow): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, if he will make an estimate of the number of EU product standard regulations that will be issued in the next five years. (12705)
- 14 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what steps he taking to help increase productivity within his Department through the use of (a) artificial intelligence and (b) effective use of data. (12779)
- 15 **Sir Bernard Jenkin** (Harwich and North Essex): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, when he plans to implement a British jobs bonus scheme; and how much he plans to allocate to each year of the scheme. (12681)
- 16 **Clive Jones** (Wokingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what steps his Department is taking to help promote the growth of independent brewers in Wokingham constituency. (12818)
- 17 **Clive Jones** (Wokingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what steps his Department is taking to increase competition in the (a) pub and (b) breweries sector in Wokingham constituency. (12819)
- 18 **Clive Jones** (Wokingham): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, if he will make it his policy to increase the variety of ownership amongst large breweries in the public sector. (12820)
- 19 **Gareth Snell** (Stoke-on-Trent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of making an assessment of (a) core food and drink production standards, (b) environmental sustainability and (c) animal welfare standard before commencing negotiations with potential trade partners. (12724)
- 20 **Gareth Snell** (Stoke-on-Trent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business and Trade, what steps his Department is taking to reduce regulatory requirements for food exporters trading with the EU. (12725)

- 21 **Steve Barclay** (North East Cambridgeshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what is the cost of the Listed Places of Worship Grant Scheme; and when she plans to make a decision on the renewal of that scheme. (12699)
- 22N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what discussions she has had with Ofcom on (a) allegations that Channel One Russia Worldwide has breached the conditions of its TLCS licence and (b) the imposition of statutory sanctions on GB News Limited for breaching the special impartiality requirements in the programme People's Forum: The Prime Minister broadcast on 12 February 2024. (12687)
- 23 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what steps he is taking to help increase productivity within his Department through the use of (a) artificial intelligence and (b) effective use of data. (12790)
- 24 **Natasha Irons** (Croydon East): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, what steps her Department is taking to improve access to youth services. (12817)
- 25N **Shivani Raja** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of a phased approach to stamp duty increases for those in pre-agreed property transactions. (12775)
- 26 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport, if she will make an estimate of the amount of money (a) spent and (b) lost on illegal gambling sites in each of the last five years. (12713)
- 27 **Lee Barron** (Corby and East Northamptonshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether she has had discussions with North Northamptonshire Council on school transport fees. (12857)
- 28 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps he is taking to help increase productivity within his Department through the use of (a) artificial intelligence and (b) effective use of data. (12792)
- 29 **Mr Lee Dillon** (Newbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to the report entitled Budget 2024 Briefing, published by Tech First in October 2024, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of levels of child poverty on resource allocation in schools. (12876)
- 30 **Mr Lee Dillon** (Newbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps she is taking to ensure that teachers have the (a) classroom support and (b) equipment needed to support pupils with SEND. (12878)
- 31 **Alex Easton** (North Down): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps her Department is taking to ensure local authorities have equal access to funding for special educational needs and disabilities services. (12849)

- 32 **Sir Ashley Fox** (Bridgwater): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 1 November 2024 to Question 9069 on Department for Education: Ministers' Private Offices, if she will publish the invoice for the new chairs. (12893)
- 33 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps her Department is taking to improve the recruitment of male primary school teachers. (12685)
- 34 **Liz Jarvis** (Eastleigh): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps her Department is taking to ensure that children with with epilepsy have individual healthcare plans. (12759)
- 35 **Blair McDougall** (East Renfrewshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether her Department issues guidance on (a) identifying and (b) tackling political interference from international actors to academic institutions. (12753)
- 36 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether she has had recent discussions with the Secretary of State for the Home Department on tackling knife crime in schools. (12821)
- 37 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether her Department plans to allocate new (a) funding and (b) resources to support children with special educational needs and disabilities in schools. (12833)
- 38 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps her Department is taking to ensure parents have access to the materials used to teach their children in (a) relationships, sex and health education, (b) religious education and (c) other lessons. (12852)
- 39 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether she has made an assessment of the (a) adequacy of and (b) potential merits of undertaking a review of provider access legislation for students with SEND to assist them with acquiring employment. (12853)
- 40N **Neil O'Brien** (Harborough, Oadby and Wigston): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 5 November 2024 to Question 11294 on Armed Forces: Cadets, what discussions she had with the Minister for Veterans and People on the School staff instructor grant. (12801)
- 41N **Neil O'Brien** (Harborough, Oadby and Wigston): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to paragraph 2.40 of the Autumn Budget 2024, HC 295, published on 30 October 2024, what estimate she has made of the potential impact of the rise in the rate of employer national insurance contributions on childcare provider costs in each year of the Budget forecast. (12802)

- 42N **Neil O'Brien** (Harborough, Oadby and Wigston): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to paragraph 2.40 of the Autumn Budget 2024, HC 295, published on 30 October 2024, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of increasing funding rates for (a) public and (b) private sector childcare providers to account for the impact of the rise in the rate of employer national insurance contributions on childcare provider costs. (12803)
- 43N **Neil O'Brien** (Harborough, Oadby and Wigston): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment she has made on the impact that the national insurance increase will have on the cost of paid-for childcare. (12804)
- 44N **Shivani Raja** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if her Department will make an assessment of the potential merits of increasing student maintenance loans in line with Consumer Price Index inflation. (12774)
- 45 **Baggy Shanker** (Derby South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many (a) specialist support teaching assistants and (b) teachers of sensory impairment with a full mandatory qualification in sensory impairment are employed in (i) England, (ii) Derbyshire County Council area and (iii) Derby City Council area; and what information on these roles is collected as part of the annual School Workforce Census. (12858)
- 46 **Lee Anderson** (Ashfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of providing surpluses to the British Coal Staff Superannuation Scheme in line with the Mineworkers' Pension Scheme. (12767)
- 47 **Mr Lee Dillon** (Newbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that the clean air policy addresses the risks of (a) carbon monoxide and (b) other indoor air pollutants. (12882)
- 48N **Jayne Kirkham** (Truro and Falmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of taking steps to encourage rural off-grid households to switch to hydrogenated vegetable oil in heating. (12847)
- 49 **Brian Leishman** (Alloa and Grangemouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of the financial information provided by Petroineos; and what discussions he has had with Petroineos on that information. (12859)
- 50 **Josh MacAlister** (Whitehaven and Workington): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, with reference to the small modular reactor competition run by Great British Nuclear, whether his Department is taking other steps to support the development of privately (a) funded and (b) operated nuclear power projects. (12758)
- 51N **Llinos Medi** (Ynys Môn): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, how much Local Power plan funding will be allocated between each of the UK nations. (12793)

- 52 **Rebecca Smith** (South West Devon): To ask the Secretary of State for Energy Security and Net Zero, whether he plans to publish a response to the consultation entitled Transitional support mechanism for large-scale biomass electricity generators, published on 18 January 2024. (12850)
- 53 **Steve Barclay** (North East Cambridgeshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what information his Department holds on the number of farm holdings that are estimated to have a net value of (a) between £1,000,000 and £1,499,999, (b) between £1,500,000 and £1,999,999 and (c) over £2,000,000 in (i) England, (ii) Cambridgeshire and (iii) North East Cambridgeshire constituency. (12707)
- 54 **Steve Barclay** (North East Cambridgeshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what information his Department holds on the proportion of farm holdings that are owned by a single person or entity. (12708)
- 55 **Steve Barclay** (North East Cambridgeshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will make an assessment of the potential impact of changes to Inheritance Tax announced in the Autumn Budget 2024 on levels of production of the five key crops by tonnage in the next five years. (12709)
- 56 **Ruth Cadbury** (Brentford and Isleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps his Department have taken to introduce a Deposit Return Scheme for plastic bottles. (12736)
- 57 **David Chadwick** (Brecon, Radnor and Cwm Tawe): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what estimate he has made of how many farms in Wales will be affected by the changes to agricultural property relief in each of the next five years. (12861)
- 58N **Dr Allison Gardner** (Stoke-on-Trent South): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he is taking to end badger culling. (12896)
- 59N **Dr Neil Hudson** (Epping Forest): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 5 November to Question 11902 on Import Controls: Port of Dover, when checks on animals at Border Control Posts will begin. (12780)
- 60N **Dr Neil Hudson** (Epping Forest): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what discussions his Department has had with the Chancellor of the Exchequer on (a) farming and (b) flood funding for the remainder of this Parliament. (12794)
- 61N **Sojan Joseph** (Ashford): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps his Department has taken to clear up water ways in Ashford constituency. (12894)

- 62 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will take steps to support Havering Council to enhance (a) the River Rom's environmental health, (b) maintenance of river-based infrastructure and (c) development of projects aimed at increasing the River Rom as a community resource. (12692)
- 63 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how many people were fined for not microchipping their (a) cats and (b) dogs in each year since 2016. (12693)
- 64 **Gareth Snell** (Stoke-on-Trent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will take steps to provide regular information to businesses on how revenues raised through the extended producer responsibility scheme are spent by local authorities. (12721)
- 65 **Gareth Snell** (Stoke-on-Trent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, when he plans to announce the (a) fees and (b) invoicing periods for the extended producer responsibility scheme. (12722)
- 66 **Lee Anderson** (Ashfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of R&D investment in (a) clean energy, (b) AI and (c) quantum technology on (i) the University of Nottingham and (ii) Notting Trent University. (12756)
- 67 **Lee Anderson** (Ashfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of the rate of return to public investment in UK R&D. (12757)
- 68 **Sam Carling** (North West Cambridgeshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, pursuant to the Answer of 31 October 2024 to Question 10824 on Instagram: Politics and Government, if he will ask Ofcom to investigate Instagram's limiting of political content. (12902)
- 69N **Helen Morgan** (North Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, what assessment he has made of the effectiveness of UKRI funding in helping innovative projects scale-up. (12797)
- 70N **Helen Morgan** (North Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, what assessment he has made of the effectiveness of the Healthy Ageing Challenge in helping companies scale up projects. (12798)
- 71 **Adam Thompson** (Erewash): To ask the Secretary of State for Science, Innovation and Technology, what discussions he has had with the UK Atomic Energy Authority on ensuring that expertise gained through the Joint European Torus (JET) experiment is (a) retained and (b) used by the UK STEP project; and what assessment he has made of the potential impact of closing the JET site. (12754)

- 72 **Olivia Blake** (Sheffield Hallam): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to paragraph 4.72 of the Autumn Budget 2024, published on 30 October 2024, HC 295, whether she plans to hold a consultation on the rolling stock strategy. (12766)
- 73 **Nesil Caliskan** (Barking): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether her Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of regulating micro-mobility modes of transport. (12908)
- 74 **Sarah Edwards** (Tamworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many (a) school and (b) other minibuses have failed inspections under Section 19 of the Transport Act 1985 in the last 10 years. (12761)
- 75 **Sarah Edwards** (Tamworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many roadside inspections on Operator License Operated Mini Buses have been undertaken in each of the last 10 years. (12762)
- 76 **Sir Ashley Fox** (Bridgwater): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 22 October 2024 to Question 9281 on Department for Transport: Ministers' Private Offices, if she will publish the invoices for the work done. (12892)
- 77N **Dr Allison Gardner** (Stoke-on-Trent South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps she is taking to improve safety on rural roads. (12895)
- 78 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps her Department is taking to reduce the number of fatalities on roads in Essex. (12830)
- 79 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps she is taking to support bus services in Essex. (12832)
- 80 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps she is taking to reduce waiting times for driving tests in South Basildon and East Thurrock constituency. (12854)
- 81 **Peter Prinsley** (Bury St Edmunds and Stowmarket): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if she will (a) approve and (b) deliver rail infrastructure upgrades (i) in the Ely area and (ii) at Haughley Junction. (12864)
- 82 **Steve Darling** (Torbay): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if her Department will make an assessment of the potential merits of an enhanced financial support package for care leavers aged 18 to 25. (12799)
- 83 **Steve Darling** (Torbay): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if she will include bespoke support for unemployed care leavers in the Youth Guarantee. (12800)

- 84 **Steve Darling** (Torbay): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if she can estimate of the cost of providing all care leavers in England with the over 25 rate of Universal Credit. (12806)
- 85 **Mr Lee Dillon** (Newbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of extending funding settlements for the Household Support Fund beyond one year. (12880)
- 86 **Mr Lee Dillon** (Newbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of lifting the two-child benefit cap on funding for local authorities. (12881)
- 87N **Dr Allison Gardner** (Stoke-on-Trent South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of the Universal Credit reimbursement processes on claimants having to pay childcare fees upfront in a lump sum. (12898)
- 88 **Mary Glendon** (Newcastle upon Tyne East and Wallsend): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if she will take steps to (a) advise claimants migrating to Universal Credit from legacy benefits to check whether their eligibility for NHS Help with Health Costs will change and (b) include this advice in migration letters. (12734)
- 89 **Mary Glendon** (Newcastle upon Tyne East and Wallsend): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what estimate her Department has made of the average wait for a Personal Independence Payment review decision. (12735)
- 90N **Dr Neil Hudson** (Epping Forest): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment she has made of the adequacy of the accessibility of Universal Credit for farmers. (12795)
- 91 **Natasha Irons** (Croydon East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if she will make an estimate of the potential impact of the policies to be set out in the Get Britain Working white paper on the number of people who will be supported back into work in each region. (12812)
- 92 **Ayoub Khan** (Birmingham Perry Barr): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps she is taking to support British state pensioners residing overseas. (12874)
- 93 **Ayoub Khan** (Birmingham Perry Barr): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment she has made of the potential merits of uprating the state pension for British pensioners residing overseas. (12875)
- 94 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, pursuant to the Answer of 4 November 2024 to Question 11207 on Habitual Residence Test, how many habitual residence tests related to Universal Credit assessments have been granted in each of the last five years. (12868)

- 95 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many recipients of Universal Credit were born outside the UK in each of the last five years. (12870)
- 96N **Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what information her Department holds on the level of compliance with the Immediate Prohibition Notices issued to (a) SSE Renewables and (b) Petrofac Facilities Management on 6 September 2024 by the Health and Safety Executive for breach of provisions in the Construction (Design and Management) Regulations 2015 in relation to the Seagreen offshore wind farm. (12695)
- 97 **Richard Tice** (Boston and Skegness): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many National Insurance Numbers were issued to (a) Bulgarian and (b) Romanian nationals in Boston and Skegness constituency in each year since 2021. (12846)
- 98 **Stuart Anderson** (South Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to increase the availability of automated external defibrillators in rural areas. (12777)
- 99 **Chris Curtis** (Milton Keynes North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate his Department has made of the cost of the new Women's and Children's Hospital in Milton Keynes. (12860)
- 100 **Chris Curtis** (Milton Keynes North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much funding the Women's and Children's Hospital in Milton Keynes has received up to the end of the 2023/24 financial year. (12862)
- 101N **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of trends in the level of maternal health inequalities affecting black women. (12711)
- 102N **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will take steps to increase public awareness of pancreatic cancer symptoms. (12712)
- 103 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to reduce the impact on the NHS from individuals who repeatedly misuse emergency ambulance services. (12730)
- 104 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to reduce instances of post traumatic stress disorder within the ambulance service. (12731)
- 105 **Mr Lee Dillon** (Newbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to paragraph 2.40 of the Autumn Budget 2024, HC 295, published on 30 October 2024, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of the rise in the rate of employer national insurance contributions on pharmacies. (12879)

- 106N **Dr Luke Evans** (Hinckley and Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department plans to take to support (a) hospices, (b) GPs and (c) care homes, in the context of proposed changes to employer National Insurance contributions. (12776)
- 107 **Ben Goldsborough** (South Norfolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the Autumn Budget 2024, published on 30 October 2024, HC 295, what estimate he has made of the amount of funding that will be allocated to NHS services in Norfolk in each of the next five years. (12835)
- 108 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the average waiting time is for a dementia assessment in (a) South Holland and the Deepings constituency and (b) Lincolnshire. (12683)
- 109 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to help improve ambulance response times in (a) South Holland and the Deepings constituency and (b) Lincolnshire. (12684)
- 110 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many NHS patients have been treated with Spinraza in (a) Lincolnshire and (b) the East Midlands since 2019. (12689)
- 111 **Natasha Irons** (Croydon East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to reduce the number of (a) children and (b) young people that are waiting for mental health support. (12811)
- 112 **Mrs Emma Lewell-Buck** (South Shields): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if his Department will take steps to automatically enrol eligible families in the NHS Healthy Start programme. (12732)
- 113 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many NHS IVF treatments were provided to asylum seekers in each of the last five years. (12869)
- 114 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to help improve mental health services in Essex. (12823)
- 115 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what progress his Department has made on reducing waiting lists for planned care in Essex. (12824)
- 116 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to increase the number of GPs in Essex. (12831)

- 117 **Esther McVey** (Tatton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 13 September 2024 to Question 4203 on Primodos: Research, when he expects the Medicines and Healthcare products Regulatory Agency to complete that review; and what steps he is taking to (a) manage potential conflicts of interest and (b) ensure transparency during the review process. (12696)
- 118N **Helen Morgan** (North Shropshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the effectiveness of the Accelerating Reform Fund in innovating the social care sector. (12796)
- 119 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the average waiting time for an NHS dental practice is in Romford constituency. (12691)
- 120 **Anna Sabine** (Frome and East Somerset): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure contracts made between the NHS and private providers aren't acquired by private equity companies. (12897)
- 121 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what funding his Department provides for research on rare genetic disorders. (12718)
- 122 **Gareth Snell** (Stoke-on-Trent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will hold discussions with representatives of the food and drink industry on the impact of their products on public health. (12723)
- 123N **Alistair Strathern** (Hitchin): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an assessment of the potential benefits of making prostate cancer screening mandatory. (12805)
- 124 **Nick Timothy** (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of training for GPs to (a) diagnose and (b) treat women experiencing the menopause. (12788)
- 125 **Nick Timothy** (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of access to hormone replacement therapies for women experiencing the menopause. (12789)
- 126N **Richard Burgon** (Leeds East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 14 October 2024 to Question 6280 on Gaza: Air Force, whether his Department used information from the Ministry of Defence on unarmed UK surveillance aircraft operations when making its International Humanitarian Law assessment on Israel, published on 2 September 2024. (12720)
- 127N **Sir Iain Duncan Smith** (Chingford and Woodford Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if he will raise the detention in Azerbaijan of Dr. Gubad Ibadoghlu during COP29 climate conference in November. (12682)

- 128 **Rachel Gilmour** (Tiverton and Minehead): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if he will meet with the hon. Member for Tiverton and Minehead to discuss a case of international child abduction. (12877)
- 129N **Rachel Hopkins** (Luton South and South Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assistance his Department has offered to the Spanish government, in the context of recent floods in that country. (12763)
- 130 **Satvir Kaur** (Southampton Test): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of the treatment of the Hazara population in Afghanistan by the Taliban. (12886)
- 131 **Satvir Kaur** (Southampton Test): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking to help improve the lives of the Hazara population in Afghanistan. (12887)
- 132 **Ben Maguire** (North Cornwall): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to help support unsustainable debt burdens and service payments from countries in Africa. (12888)
- 133N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to the World Food Programme and Food and Agriculture Organisation of the United Nations' report on Hunger Hotspots June to October 2024, published in June 2024, what steps his Department is taking to help tackle hunger in the countries included in the report. (12737)
- 134N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to the World Food Programme and Food and Agriculture Organisation of the United Nations' report on Hunger Hotspots June to October 2024, published in June 2024, what assistance he is providing to the (a) five countries and (b) territories on the highest level of alert at risk of famine. (12738)
- 135N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to the World Food Programme and Food and Agriculture Organisation of the United Nations' report on Hunger Hotspots June to October 2024, published in June 2024, what assessment he has made of the implications for his Department's policies of the impact of La Niña weather phenomenon; and what assistance he is providing to the countries and territories which are most impacted. (12739)
- 136 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment his Department has made of the adequacy of the level of foreign aid for India. (12826)
- 137N **Calum Miller** (Bicester and Woodstock): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what estimate he has made of the amount of Russian assets held by sanctioned individuals in the UK; and how much and what proportion of those assets have been recovered. (12845)

- 138 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what plans he has for the provision of support to Ukraine. (12714)
- 139 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the human rights situation in Darfur. (12717)
- 140 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking to help support (a) religious tolerance and (b) the Rohingya people in (i) Myanmar and (ii) Bangladesh. (12726)
- 141N **Nick Timothy** (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what discussions the Government has had with the Government of Mauritius in relation to Sri Lankan nationals located on Diego Garcia. [Transferred] (12548)
- 142 **Suella Braverman** (Fareham and Waterlooville): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether any funds raised through the Proceeds of Crime Act 2002 have not been distributed in each of the last five years. (12719)
- 143N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many foreign nationals released from prison in 2023 and deported have subsequently returned to the UK. (12694)
- 144 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to help reduce the number of hoax calls to the emergency services. (12727)
- 145 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will take steps to improve information sharing between emergency services on hoax callers. (12728)
- 146 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what the average cost is of hoax calls made to the (a) police and (b) fire service. (12729)
- 147 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to reduce instances of post traumatic stress disorder within the (a) police and (b) fire service. (12751)
- 148N **Sir Ashley Fox** (Bridgwater): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what data her Department holds on the number of times that registered sex offenders have (a) attempted to change and (b) been prevented from changing their name by legal means in the last 12 months. (12883)

- 149N **Sir Ashley Fox** (Bridgwater): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what data her Department holds on the number of registered sex offenders subject to restrictions on internet use who have obtained unrestricted internet access in the last two years. (12884)
- 150N **Sir Ashley Fox** (Bridgwater): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what support is available for victims of repeated sexual offences by the same perpetrator. (12885)
- 151N **Mr Richard Holden** (Basildon and Billericay): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of placing restrictions on marriage between first cousins. (12787)
- 152 **Natasha Irons** (Croydon East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to ensure that the police have adequate resources to tackle knife crime in (a) Croydon East constituency and (b) other constituencies. (12813)
- 153 **Natasha Irons** (Croydon East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to help tackle antisocial behaviour in (a) Croydon East constituency and (b) other constituencies. (12814)
- 154 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether her Department provides free English lessons for irregular migrants. (12810)
- 155 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many irregular migrants were housed in hotels of each star rating in each year since 2018. (12871)
- 156 **Rupert Lowe** (Great Yarmouth): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 5 November 2024 to Question 11395 on Undocumented Migrants: Offenders, if she will publish information on the proportion of irregular migrants who have (a) previous criminal convictions and (b) subsequently obtained a criminal record. (12900)
- 157 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to reduce shoplifting in Essex. (12822)
- 158 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much her Department spent on refugee integration loans in each year since 2010. (12827)
- 159 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many and what proportion of irregular migrants were (a) in Essex and (b) housed in hotels in Essex in the last 12 months; and how many of those have been removed since October 2023. (12828)

- 160 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many and what proportion of foreign national offenders have successfully appealed a deportation order under Article (a) 3, (b) 6 and (c) 8 of the European Convention on Human Rights, in each year since 2014. (12829)
- 161 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what the cost to the public purse has been of housing asylum seekers who have arrived on small boats in (a) hotels and (b) other locations since January 2020. (12843)
- 162 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether she has had recent discussions with her French counterpart on the potential merits of preventing small boats from crossing the Channel by intercepting them mid-journey. (12851)
- 163 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to tackle the sexual exploitation of women to pay drug debts. (12715)
- 164 **Nick Timothy** (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the answer of 30 October 2024, to Question 10945, on Home Office: HOPE not hate, what meetings officials who are not classified as senior officials for the purposes of quarterly transparency returns have had with representatives of Hope Not Hate since the general election. (12771)
- 165 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps he is taking to reduce instances of post traumatic stress disorder within the armed forces. (12750)
- 166 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps he is taking to improve retention rates in the Army. (12782)
- 167 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps he is taking to improve retention rates in the Royal Navy. (12783)
- 168 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps he is taking to improve retention rates in the Royal Air Force. (12784)
- 169 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps he is taking to improve retention rates in the Royal Fleet Auxiliary. (12785)
- 170 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps he is taking to improve retention rates in his Department. (12786)
- 171 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps he is taking to help increase productivity within his Department through the use of (a) artificial intelligence and (b) effective use of data. (12791)

- 172N **Dr Caroline Johnson** (Sleaford and North Hykeham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to the Answer of 4 November 2024 to Question 11939 on Ministry of Defence: Employers' Contributions, whether the £216 million figure given is the (a) direct cost of his Department's Ministry of Defence: Employers' Contributions national insurance contribution, (b) indirect cost to his department of higher contributions by suppliers and contractors and (c) total of direct and indirect costs. (12740)
- 173 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of undertaking a pay review for all military personnel. (12825)
- 174 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps he is taking to support homeless military veterans in Essex. (12834)
- 175 **James McMurdock** (South Basildon and East Thurrock): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many people have (a) applied for and (b) received a Veterans' ID Card in (a) South Basildon and East Thurrock constituency and (b) Essex. (12842)
- 176 **Olivia Blake** (Sheffield Hallam): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, when she plans to publish guidance on the Leasehold and Freehold Reform Act 2024. (12764)
- 177N **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether she plans to provide additional funding to local authorities for the cost of increases to employer National Insurance contributions. [Transferred] (12452)
- 178 **Neil Duncan-Jordan** (Poole): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, if her Department will ensure that (a) audio and (b) tactile solutions are available at polling stations to enable (i) blind and (ii) partially sighted voters to vote (A) independently and (B) in secret. (12863)
- 179N **Kirith Entwistle** (Bolton North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what recent assessment she has made of the potential impact of the Elections Act 2022 on overseas voting. (12748)
- 180N **Kirith Entwistle** (Bolton North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of introducing overseas constituencies for elections to the House of Commons. (12816)
- 181 **Ben Goldsborough** (South Norfolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether her Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of building a new settlement in Norfolk. (12836)
- 182 **Ben Goldsborough** (South Norfolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what recent assessment her Department has made of the potential impact of a devolution deal for Norfolk on (a) local housing supply and (b) economic growth. (12837)

- 183 **Helen Grant** (Maidstone and Malling): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, if she will take steps through the National Planning Policy Framework to support local authorities with assessing the cumulative impact of multiple planning applications on (a) school places, (b) GP surgeries and (c) other local infrastructure. (12706)
- 184N **John Milne** (Horsham): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether she plans to designate (a) Fire and Rescue services, (b) the Environment Agency and (c) the Health and Safety Executive as statutory consultees in the planning process for Battery Energy Storage Solutions. (12901)
- 185N **Shivani Raja** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps her Department is taking to work with local authorities to enforce noise curfews during fireworks. (12773)
- 186 **Mark Swards** (Leeds South West and Morley): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, if she will bring forward regulations to ensure that solar panels fitted to new housing are (a) safe and (b) pose a low fire risk. (12866)
- 187 **Nick Timothy** (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, pursuant to the Answer of 22 October 2024 to Question 8195, on Ministry of Housing, Communities and Local Government: HOPE not hate, what the forums were at which departmental officials were present; and on what reports generated by Hope not Hate officials have been sighted. (12772)
- 188 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many people were (a) prosecuted and (b) convicted for making hoax calls to the emergency services in each of the last five years. (12752)
- 189 **Sir Ashley Fox** (Bridgwater): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, pursuant to the answer of 31 October 2024 to Question 9269 on Ministry of Justice: Ministers' Private Offices, if she will publish the invoices for the work done. (12889)
- 190 **Rachel Gilmour** (Tiverton and Minehead): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if she will (a) hold discussions with the Sentencing Council on the adequacy of sentencing guidelines for people who have been convicted of wildlife crimes and (b) make an assessment of the potential implications for her policies of the conviction rate for reported wildlife crime incidents. (12867)
- 191 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many prison officers have (a) been recruited and (b) left their roles since 2014. (12688)
- 192N **Dr Simon Opher** (Stroud): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if she will make it her policy to amend the Sexual Offences Act 2003 to classify driving instructors as a position of trust. [Transferred] (12493)

- 193 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what steps she is taking to reduce the backlog in the administration of warrants for possession. (12690)
- 194 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, if he will have discussions with his counterparts in Northern Ireland on potential steps to facilitate the provision of records from mother and baby homes in Northern Ireland to affected individuals. (12716)
- 195N **Jim Allister** (North Antrim): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, when the export procedures required in relation to the movement of goods from Northern Ireland to Great Britain under the areas specified by Section 45B (1) of the United Kingdom Internal Market Act 2020 come into effect. (12899)
- 196N **Jim Allister** (North Antrim): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what export procedures will apply to goods moving from Northern Ireland to Great Britain in relation to each of the areas where export procedures are mandated by Section 45B (1) of the United Kingdom Internal Market Act 2020. (12903)
- 197N **Jim Allister** (North Antrim): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, (a) where and (b) how the checks on goods moving from Northern Ireland to Great Britain under the export procedures mandated by Section 45B (1) of the United Kingdom Internal Market Act 2020 will take place. (12904)
- 198N **Jim Allister** (North Antrim): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what estimate her Department has made of the proportion of goods moving from Northern Ireland to Great Britain subject to the export procedures mandated by Section 45B (1) of the United Kingdom Internal Market Act 2020. (12905)
- 199N **Jim Allister** (North Antrim): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment her Department has made of the potential economic impact of the export procedures mandated by Section 45B (1) of the United Kingdom Internal Market Act 2020. (12906)
- 200N **Victoria Atkins** (Louth and Horncastle): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to her Department's publication entitled Summary of reforms to agricultural property relief and business property relief, published on 30 October 2024, how many Agricultural Property Relief claims in the reference period also included claims for Business Property Relief. (12741)
- 201N **Dame Harriett Baldwin** (West Worcestershire): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to point 28 of Table 5.1 of the Autumn Budget 2024, published on 30 October 2024, HC 295, whether unmarried couples will be liable for inheritance tax on Death-in-Service benefits over £325,000 payable on a death before retirement age. (12710)
- 202 **Olivia Blake** (Sheffield Hallam): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to paragraph 1.30 of the Autumn Budget 2024, published on 30 October 2024, HC 295, whether she plans to hold a consultation on the proposed Infrastructure Strategy. (12765)

- 203N **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, pursuant to the Answer of 21 October 2024 to Question 9564 on Employers' Contributions: Small Businesses, if she will publish any impact assessment for the raise to employer National Insurance contributions. (12746)
- 204 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether her Department has prepared terms of reference for a consultation on replacing business rates with a land value tax since 2019. (12747)
- 205N **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether she made a socio-economic impact assessment of the increase to employer national insurance contributions. (12768)
- 206 **Neil Duncan-Jordan** (Poole): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to the Autumn Budget 2024, published on 30 October 2024, HC 295, if she will make it her policy to exempt hospices from the increase in employers' National Insurance Contributions. (12815)
- 207N **Colum Eastwood** (Foyle): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to paragraph 2.40 of the Autumn Budget 2024, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of changes to employer National Insurance contribution rates on GPs in Northern Ireland; and whether she plans to take steps with Cabinet colleagues to provide additional support to GP practices affected by those changes. (12760)
- 208 **Tracy Gilbert** (Edinburgh North and Leith): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether she plans to provide additional funding to GPs for the cost of the increase in employers' National Insurance Contributions. (12848)
- 209 **Ben Goldsborough** (South Norfolk): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many and what proportion of workers aged above 16 years old are paid within 50p of the (a) National Minimum Wage and (b) National Living Wage in (i) East Anglia and (ii) Norfolk. (12839)
- 210 **Ben Goldsborough** (South Norfolk): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what estimate she has made of the number of workers that will be affected by the increase to the (a) National Minimum Wage and (b) National Living Wage in Norfolk. (12840)
- 211 **Ben Goldsborough** (South Norfolk): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many estates were subject to inheritance tax in South Norfolk constituency in the (a) 2019-20, (b) 2020-21 and (c) 2021-22 financial year. (12841)
- 212 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether her Department conducted an impact assessment on the proposed change on inheritance tax for agricultural properties. (12686)

- 213 **Damian Hinds** (East Hampshire): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if she will make a comparative estimate of the average cost of (a) VAT, (b) employers' National Insurance contributions, (c) contributions to the Teachers' Pensions Scheme and (d) business rates for independent schools that are (i) liable for business rates for the first time and (ii) already liable for business rates (A) before and (B) after the Autumn Budget 2024. (12698)
- 214N **Neil O'Brien** (Harborough, Oadby and Wigston): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to the note entitled Allowance for impact on public sector organisations in Table 5.1 on page 118 of Autumn Budget 2024, published on 30 October 2024, HC 295, if she will publish this information by Department. (12749)
- 215N **Manuela Perteghella** (Stratford-on-Avon): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether she plans to allow (a) churches and (b) other religious buildings to continue to recover VAT. (12865)
- 216 **Sarah Smith** (Hyndburn): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether she plans to review import duty. (12873)
- 217N **Alex Sobel** (Leeds Central and Headingley): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to the Autumn Budget 2024, published on 30 October 2024, HC 295, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of changes to business rates relief on grassroots music venues. [Transferred] (12457)
- 218 **Nick Timothy** (West Suffolk): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, when she plans to implement Section 14 of the Finance Act 2024. (12769)

Oral Questions to the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions

- 1 **John Slinger** (Rugby): What recent estimate she has made of the level of child poverty in Rugby constituency. (901102)
- 2 **Ian Roome** (North Devon): What assessment she has made of the adequacy of the Personal Independence Payment application process. (901103)
- 3 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): What steps she is taking to tackle fraud and error in her Department. (901104)
- 4 **Andrew Pakes** (Peterborough): What assessment she has made of trends in the number of young people out of work, education and training. [R] (901105)
- 5 **Lewis Atkinson** (Sunderland Central): What steps she is taking to increase uptake of Pension Credit in winter 2024-25. (901106)
- 6 **Torcuil Crichton** (Na h-Eileanan an Iar): What steps she is taking to help reduce levels of poverty. (901107)
- 7 **Tracy Gilbert** (Edinburgh North and Leith): What recent estimate she has made of the level of child poverty in Edinburgh North and Leith constituency. (901108)

- 8 **Mike Martin** (Tunbridge Wells): What assessment she has made of the effectiveness of the Universal Credit assessment system. (901109)
- 9 **Lewis Cocking** (Broxbourne): What steps her Department is taking to increase the support available in jobcentres in Broxbourne constituency. (901110)
- 10 **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): What assessment her Department has made of the potential merits of removing the two-child limit for Universal Credit. (901111)
- 11 **Jamie Stone** (Caithness, Sutherland and Easter Ross): What steps her Department is taking to help increase uptake of Pension Credit. (901112)
- 12 **Warinder Juss** (Wolverhampton West): What assessment she has made of the potential impact of the extension of the Household Support Fund in 2025-26 on low-income households. (901113)
- 13 **Brendan O'Hara** (Argyll, Bute and South Lochaber): What steps her Department is taking to help reduce levels of pensioner poverty. (901114)
- 14 **Samantha Niblett** (South Derbyshire): What steps she is taking to improve support for carers. (901115)
- 15 **Dan Tomlinson** (Chipping Barnet): What steps she is taking to increase uptake of Pension Credit in winter 2024-25. (901116)
- 16 **Clive Jones** (Wokingham): What estimate her Department has made of the number of pensioners eligible for Pension Credit but not claiming it. (901117)
- 17 **Alistair Strathern** (Hitchin): What assessment she has made of the potential impact of the extension of the Household Support Fund in 2025-26 on low-income households. (901118)
- 18 **Mrs Emma Lewell-Buck** (South Shields): What steps she is taking with Cabinet colleagues to reduce levels of child poverty. (901119)
- 19 **Tom Hayes** (Bournemouth East): What steps she is taking to help support parents who are looking for work. (901120)
- 20 **Joe Morris** (Hexham): What steps she is taking with Cabinet colleagues to reduce levels of child poverty. (901121)
- 21 **Alan Gemmell** (Central Ayrshire): What progress her Department has made on the Pensions Review. (901122)
- 22 **Damien Egan** (Bristol North East): What assessment she has made of the potential impact of the extension of the Household Support Fund in 2025-26 on low-income households. (901123)
- 23 **Tonia Antoniazzi** (Gower): What steps she is taking to increase uptake of Pension Credit in winter 2024-25. (901124)
- 24 **Rebecca Smith** (South West Devon): If she will make an assessment of the potential impact of changes to the eligibility criteria for the Winter Fuel Payment on trends in the level of pensioner poverty. (901125)

- 25 **Sarah Olney** (Richmond Park): What progress her Department has made on meeting Pension Credit application targets. (901126)
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Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions

- T1 **Calum Miller** (Bicester and Woodstock): If she will make a statement on her departmental responsibilities. (901127)
- T2 **Michael Payne** (Gedling): (901128)
- T3 **Josh Dean** (Hertford and Stortford): (901129)
- T4 **Ben Goldsborough** (South Norfolk): (901130)
- T5 **Sarah Owen** (Luton North): (901131)
- T6 **Paul Davies** (Colne Valley): (901132)
- T7 **Torsten Bell** (Swansea West): (901133)
- T8 **Dan Aldridge** (Weston-super-Mare): (901134)
- T9 **Mike Martin** (Tunbridge Wells): (901135)
- T10 **David Burton-Sampson** (Southend West and Leigh): (901136)
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Questions for Answer on Tuesday 12 November

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Sarah Olney** (Richmond Park): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many claims for pension credit there were from 28t October 2024 to 4 November 2024. (12742)
- 2N **Alicia Kearns** (Rutland and Stamford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to improve care for people with migraines. (12755)
- 3N **Darren Paffey** (Southampton Itchen): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an assessment of the potential feasibility of extending free prescriptions to care leavers aged 18 to 25. (12907)
- 4N **John Slinger** (Rugby): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will take steps to introduce prostate cancer testing for men at earlier ages than is currently available. (12844)

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- 5N **Mrs Elsie Blundell** (Heywood and Middleton North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to make it easier for women to report abuse experienced when they have been exercising in public. (12778)
- 6N **Nick Timothy** (West Suffolk): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what criteria the Prevent programme uses to (a) identify and (b) define subcategories of Extreme Right-Wing Terrorism. (12770)
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Questions for Answer on Tuesday 19 November

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Naz Shah** (Bradford West): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, if she will take steps to prevent (a) parking debt collectors and (b) legal firms from adding £70 to existing parking charges of £100 per PCN; and whether she plans to ban debt recovery fees. (12733)